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SENATE.

TUESDAY, April 9, 1929.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Our Creator and our God, we stand in profound sorrow and bereavement before Thee this morning. Death has suddenly removed from our midst a highly esteemed citizen of this city and State, a former member of our legislative bodies and former Lieutenant-Governor of Pennsylvania, the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman.

We thank Thee for the splendid type of man he was, and that it was our privilege to know him and enjoy his big-hearted and whole-hearted friendship.

We rejoice that even those who did not always agree with him politically knew his worth as a man, and held him in high esteem.

We feel well assured that his was a life of eminent usefulness and of sincere and vigorous devotion to duty, and that he leaves behind him only blessed and fragrant memories among his ever-enlarging circle of friends.

Console the grief-stricken members of his family group—his aged parents, his devoted wife and his beloved daughter—and all others in close relationship. May the memories of his worth and the nobility of his life in a measure assuage their grief.

May death likewise find each of us at our post of duty, and may we all be enabled to render a good account to Thee. We ask in our Redeemer's name. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present, the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. SALUS, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEATH OF HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask the indulgence of the Senate to speak for a moment in the way of an announcement upon the death of a gentleman who served in this body for a period of six years, who presided as Lieutenant-Governor for a period of four years, a man known probably to every Senator in this body, a man known throughout the State as a forceful citizen and statesman, Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, who very, very suddenly passed out of this life into the Great Beyond early this morning

So great is the shock to his friends everywhere, and, naturally, here in Harrisburg more particularly, that everywhere I have been this morning there have been tears and chokings; so that, it is very hard for me to make this announcement. As a warm personal friend, and as a Senator from this district of Dauphin County, I think you will bear with me, and think that it is right that I should announce to this body the death of Edward E. Beidleman.

This is no place, nor is it the time, for eulogy. My own heart is too full—I could not begin to pronounce a eulogy, if I should be called upon to do so at this moment; but I think that as an honor we may be able to pay to Governor Beidleman we are justified in taking just a moment even though it spreads gloom here. However, the gloom is already here.

And I desire to and will make a motion. The motion is that a committee be appointed to prepare a resolution, which shall be spread upon the minutes of this body, concerning this most exemplary, most unusual citizen of Harrisburg and of the State of Pennsylvania; that the Senate attend the funeral of Governor Beidleman; and that the Secretary of the Senate send from the Senate a floral tribute.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I want to second that motion; and I ask that it be passed with a rising vote.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 113, (Senate Bill No. 1567), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 232, (Senate Bill No. 1568), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 578), entitled "An act relating to the collection of city, school and poor taxes, in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth, providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office, shall be the collector

of the said several taxes; prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation," as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 299, (Senate Bill No. 1569), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three, three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

Which was committed to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

House Bill No. 536, (Senate Bill No. 1570), entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, the judges of the Orphans' Courts, the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 763, (Senate Bill No. 1571), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 783, (Senate Bill No. 1572), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1171, (Senate Bill No. 1573), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1193, (Senate Bill No. 1574), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1229, (Senate Bill No. 1575), entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers, sailors, marines and veteran organizations, and providing for the distribution of the same.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 1330, (Senate Bill No. 1576), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, 774), entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association, for the purpose of holding annual meetings, to secure more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties."

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1609, (Senate Bill No. 1577), entitled:

An act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 764), entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully," as amended; extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board; also when the adjudication is within said period.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1816, (Senate Bill No. 1578), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1834, (Senate Bill No. 1579), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1946, (Senate Bill No. 1580), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies, and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight, passengers, baggage or oil, or engaged in telephone, telegraph, express, electric light, water-power, hydro-electric, palace car and sleeping car business; and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1977, (Senate Bill No. 1581), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2099, (Senate Bill No. 1582), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Which was committed to the Committee on Education.

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RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1060.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1060, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four), entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions" extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests ..

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 467.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the conversion of National Banking associations into State banks or trust companies.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 683.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act to provide for the collection and use of data relating to the criminal business of this Commonwealth, and making non-compliance with the terms of this act a misdemeanor.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1458.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1458, entitled:

An Act fixing the time of holding elections on questions submitted to electors of boroughs.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 380.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 380, (Printer's No. 200, File Folio 2483, entitled: "An Act to amend Rule twenty-five of article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws fifty-six), entitled 'An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith'" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 669.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 669, entitled: "An Act to authorize municipalities or townships to make assessments for municipal improvements outside of their corporate limits where any street alley or highway lies partly in one municipality or township and partly in another" be recalled from the Governor.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 311.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

Resolved, (if the House concur), That Senate Bill No. 311, Printer's No. 197, White File Folio 1995, entitled: "An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" be recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 674.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House concur), That Senate Bill No. 674, Printer's No. 204, White File Folio 2057, entitled: "An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled 'An act to estbalish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 97.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 97, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act of May twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, by providing for the removal by the courts of quarter sessions of constables in cases of malfeasance or misfeasance in office, et cetera.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment

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HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 565.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire land in Fall Township, Bucks County, known as "Pennsbury", to be known thereafter as "Pennsbury Memorial", providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, improvement and maintenance thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 576.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes," by exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, loans, shares of stock or other securities held by bankers or brokers solely for trading purposes, and accounts or debit balances owing by customers of bankers and brokers in the usual course of business.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 678.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 678, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-eight), entitled "An act to protect the health of the persons employed in bakeries by requiring the ventilation, drainage, sanitation, and purity of bakeries, the cleanliness of persons employed therein and of all bakery products, tools, implements, ingredients, and other things used in connection with their manufacture, delivery, and sale; by regulating, and, in certain cases restricting, the use of such products; by requiring all persons employed or permitted to work therein to be certified as free from certain diseases and skin affections; by prohibiting the presence of all animals; by requiring a certificate of compliance, and regulating the issuance of same; by providing for the enforcement of this act; and by providing penalties for violations hereof."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE BILL NO. 672 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 672, entitled:

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 26, by striking out the words "six thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "forty-five hundred."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 415 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 2, by inserting after the word "boroughs" the words "having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants"; also section 4, page 4, line 21, by striking out the words "on or in"; also line 22, by striking out the words "or the owners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "accompanied by the written consent of a majority of the property owners in number and interest"; also line 26 by striking out the word "or."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Sisis,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE SENATE, HOUSE BILL No. 1935.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1935, entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

be recalled from the Senate for the purpose of further consideration.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate concur in the resolution.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move to amend the motion to read that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, last Wednesday this bill was presented for final action in the House. There was not quite a quorum there to do business—I want to be frank about it.

The bill provides that prison labor be taken from Rockview Penitentiary to build some State institution down in Cumberland County.

There were quite a few members absent from the House, who were recorded as voting for this bill; hence the resolution asking the Senate to return the bill—and I think it is only just and right that if this bill goes to the committee, the committee should report it out and thus accommodate the House to that extent, in order to get the vote recorded correctly in the House.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I desire to change my amendment to the motion, to the effect that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Appropriations instead of to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion as amended.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. NORTON, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1031, (House Bill No. 313), entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

Mr. APPLE, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1360, (House Bill No. 1833), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of of such lands for taxes," as amended.

Mr. WOODWARD, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1485, (House Bill No. 789), entitled:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Mr. BOWERS, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1348, (House Bill No. 1404), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Mr. KRAUSE, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1191, (House Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury.

Mr. PAINTER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1481, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 764) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts

of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board, also when the adjudication is within said period.

Also, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1555, (House Bill No. 1956), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one and one hundred sixteen, as amended, and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township, or two or more of said municipal divisions.

Mr. WILLIAMSON, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1351, (House Bill No. 1653), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1541, (House Bill No. 1887), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act, approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 127), entitled "An act relating to Adoption."

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1556, (House Bill No. 1957), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an Act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provision by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such erevnue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1346, (House Bill No. 1328), entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, re-reported as committed Senate Bill No. 864, (House Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 425, entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Mr. SCHANTZ, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 948, (House Bill No. 939), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "Supplementary to an act" entitled "An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations" approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes"

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1065, (House Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1358, (House Bill No. 1757), entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto, in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton, Pennsylvania, and Phillipsburg, New Jersey; providing for a report thereon, and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1517, (House Bill No. 1399), entitled:

An Act to amend Section ten hundred and thirty-nine of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycle, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships; and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability, for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation" by providing that when local regulations are made applicable to the entire territory within the municipalities making the same such munici-

palities shall not be required to erect or place signs giving notice thereof.

Mr. HOMSHER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 516, (House Bill No. 125), entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 571), entitled "An act to amend an act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands; providing for their adjustment, and for the granting of patents."

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1361, (House Bill No. 1851), entitled:

An Act authorizing directors of the poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as amended Senate Bill No. 1518, (House Bill No. 1453), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth, except in counties of the first and second class, and revising, amending, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," as amended; removing the provisions which except the City of Bradford from the McKean County Poor District, and which saved the existing poor districts in the counties of Centre, Lycoming, Clinton, Northumberland and Susquehanna and the number of districts, the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief, thereby creating in said counties, county poor districts administered by the county commissioners.

Also, from the Committee on Education, re-reported as amended Senate Bill No. 512, (House Bill No. 1), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043), entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three), entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment.

Mr. SORDONI, from the Committee on Aeronautics, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

Mr. SALUS, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1178, (House Bill No. 1511), entitled:

A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 566), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

Also, from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1285, (House Bill No. 1867), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

Mr. ARON, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1221, (House Bill No. 1208), entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth, and validating such improvements assessments, claims, and liens; providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

Mr. EALY, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1543, (House Bill No. 1914), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, (P. L. 279), entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and supplements thereto; providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1352, (House Bill No. 1654), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of building and buildings necessary there-

for making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

Mr. HUNSICKER, from the Committee on Exposition Affairs, re-reported as amended Senate Bill No. 691, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 534), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films, reels, or stereopticon views or slides; providing a system of examination, approval, and regulation thereof, and of the banners, posters, and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith; creating the Board of Censors; and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

Mr. PARKINSON, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended Senate Bill No. 1557, (House Bill No. 1970), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiducaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

Mr. GELDER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1559, (House Bill No. 2024), entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs, bomb shells, explosive substances or noxious liquid gases or substances; and providing penalties.

Mr. BALDWIN, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1546, (House Bill No. 1936), entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled, "An act defining and regulating public amusements, and places used therefor; requiring and regulating the licensing thereof; restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1345, (House Bill No. 155), entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

Also, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1273, (House Bill No. 1596), entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

Mr. KUNKLE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other building devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and

also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1357, (House Bill No. 1756), entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated.

Mr. KITTS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1350, (House Bill No. 1593), entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden.

Mr. McCROSSIN, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as amended Senate Bill No. 1560, (House Bill No. 1853), entitled:

An Act relating to the compensation of officers and employes of the police and fire bureaus in cities of the first class, and providing for an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minimum compensation of such employes.

Mr. EARNEST, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale, giving away, transfer, purchasing, owning, possession and use of machine guns; and providing penalties."

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 337.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 9th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 337, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and four of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 158) entitled "An act creating a legislative Reference Bureau providing for the election of a director by the General Assembly designating the officers and employes of such bureau defining their duties fixing their salaries abolishing the present Legislative Reference Bureau and making an appropriation"

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 278, on final passage, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and/or including provision for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups and/or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation.

and Senate Bill No. 377, on final passage, entitled:

An Act requiring the Department of Revenue to prepare and distribute lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

are not up from the printer and will go over in their order.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 781, as follows:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended by the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties' regulating the age of users of drugs providing for an annual report by public institutions and giving certain powers to inspectors in the Bureau of Drug Control" shall hereby be further amended to read as follows

Section 8 No physician or dentists shall sell dispense administer distribute give or prescribe any of said drugs to any person known to such physician or dentist to be an habitual user of any said drugs unless said drug is prescribed administered dispensed or given for the cure or treatment of some malady other than the drug habit Provided however That if any physician desires to undertake in good faith the cure of the habit of taking or using opium or any of its derivatives in any form such physician may prescribe or dispense opium or its derivatives to a patient provided such opium or its derivatives are prescribed or dispensed in good faith for the purpose of curing such patient of such habit and not merely for the purpose of satisfying a craving for the drug In every such case the physician shall himself make a physical examination of the patient and shall report in writing to the

[State] Department of Health the name and address of such patient together with his diagnosis of the case and the amount and nature of the drug prescribed or dispensed in the first treatment When the patient leaves his care such physician shall report in writing to the [State] Department of Health the result of his said treatment

Any person divulging any information contained in any such report except for the purpose of enforcing this act or to a physician who may in the opinion of the [Commissioner] Secretary of Health be entitled to such information for the purpose of enabling him to comply with the provisions of this act shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year or both in the discretion of the court

Provided that it shall be lawful for the Department of Health to advise the Department of Revenue upon its request in writing whether or not any offender against the laws relating to the operation of motor vehicles is listed with said Department of Health as an habitual user of narcotic drugs

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Lavis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 792, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty-thousand inhabitants and fixing their salaries" as amended by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized and the salaries thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and fixing their salaries" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-two) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and ninety-five) entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety-thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and fixing their salaries'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all counties of this Commonwealth having a population of more than ninety thousand and less than one hundred fifty thousand inhabitants the district attorneys shall have authority to appoint assistant district attorneys The first assistant district attorney shall receive a salary of three thousand five hundred dollars per annum and the assistant district attorney shall receive a salary of two thousnd five hundred dollars per annum. In all counties having a population of one hundred and fifty thousand and more but less than three hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants the district attorney shall have authority to appoint a first assistant district attorney at an annual salary of three thousand five hundred dollars and three assistant district attorneys at annual salaries of three thousand dollars each For all counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants the district attorney shall have authority to appoint a first assistant district attorney at an annual salary of four thousand dollars and [three] five assistant district attorneys at annual salaries of three thousand five hundred dollars each

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1089, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eleven hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers prescribing their duties providing for their appointment as viewers road juries juries of view and commissioners to view land and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries costs and expenses thereof"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eleven hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers prescribing their duties providing for their appointment as viewers road juries juries of view and commissioners to view land and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries costs and expenses thereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That there is hereby established in each county of this Commonwealth a board of viewers In counties containing over one million inhabitants such board shall not consist of less than six nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be learned in the law and members of the bar of the proper county In each county containing less than one million inhabitants said board shall consist of not less than three nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be surveyors or members of the bar of the proper county The judges of the court of common pleas of the proper county shall in each case determine within the aforesaid limits the total number of members of which the board shall be composed fixing and determining such number as shall be deemed necessary for the proper performance of the duties imposed upon the board with power in the court from time to time to change the number within the above stated limit as to the total number of members Each member of the board of viewers must be at least twenty-five years of age must be a freeholders must be qualified elector of the proper county [must have resided therein for five years immediately prior to his appointment] and must not be engaged in any public employment of profit The office of any member of the board shall be vacant immediately upon his ceasing to be a resident of the county in which he shall be appointed or upon his ceasing to possess any of the qualifications above required the court of the proper county being empowered from time to time to determine summarily any facts thus bringing about a vacancy in the office and being authorized to fill vacancies thus arising in the manner hereinafter set forth.

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1098, (House Bill No. 90), as follows:

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associatons to invest moneys in certain securities

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when there are uninvested funds in the treasury of any building and loan association not required to pay withdrawals matured stock or borrowed money it shall be lawful for the board of directors to invest such funds in the stock or public debt of the United States or in the public debt of this Commonwealth or in bonds or certificates of debt now created or hereafter to be created and issued according to law by any of the counties cities boroughs townships school districts or poor districts of this Commonwealth or in first mortgage partcipation certificates issued and guaranteed by any bank trust or mortgage company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or by any bank incorporated under the laws of the United States of America Provided however That the total amount invested in such securities shall at no time exceed twenty per centum of the assets of the association

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1138, on final passage, entitled:

An Act relating to counties; establishing salary boards and prescribing their powers and duties in relation to fixing the number and compensation of appointees in county offices, boards, bureaus, divisions, departments, courts, and nsititutions and of judges whose compensation is paid from county funds, and the compensation of election officers and their clerks, taxation and election assessors, and registrars and employes and appointees of personal registration commissions in cities whose compensation is paid from the county treasury; conferring powers similar to those of salary boards on the legislative bodies which levy the taxes in counties of the first class; regulating the use and payment over the fees, commissions, mileage and taxes by certain county officers for the use of the county and the Commonwealth; defining the powers of detectives; requiring counties to pay the premium on bonds, the cost of recording commissions of county officers, and their appointees, and to furnish office furniture, equipment, supplies and services to county offfcers and courts; and providing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 1157, on final passage, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 1173, on final passage, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and

three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors stockholders officers and clerks of banks and trust companies

Senate Bill No. 1238, on final passage, entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Cmmonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

and Senate Bill No. 1248, on final passage, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repeal all laws, general special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

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BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 399, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 367), entitled "An act authorizing the council of cities of the second class to fix the salary of the heads of departments of said cities, nad providing the maximum amount thereof," by removing the limitation on the amount of the salaries of heads of departments.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I should like to interrogate the sponsor of this bill, the Senator from Luzerne, Mr. Sordoni.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Luzerne, Mr. Sordoni, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, this bill was recommitted to committee. It refers to the city which I represent in this body, but I have never been spoken to about it. It has been recommitted, and is back on the calendar. I should like to ask the Senator from Luzerne, Mr. Sordoni, from what source, representing the City of Pittsburgh,—to which the bill applies exclusively—he received the honor of a request to present legislation relating to Pittsburgh.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I was asked as a member of the Salary Survey Commission, which held meetings in several cities, including Pittsburgh. This bill was presented through me by the Legislative Reference Bureau; and, to the best of my knowledge, it was presented on behalf of the people of Pittsburgh. I have absolutely no interest in the bill, as I told the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Leslie. I simply presented it as it was presented to me. If the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Leslie, has objection to it, he can kill it. I have no interest in it.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I have no particular objection to it; but the commission to which the Senator from Luzerne, Mr. Sordoni, refers was on the salaries relating to counties.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 399, go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 435, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And Senate Bill No. 505, entitled:

An Act regulating the compounding, dispensing and preparation of drugs, medicines or poisons; providing for the enforcement thereof, and providing penalties.

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BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 596, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 776, (House Bill No. 811), entitled:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty), entitled "An act concerning townships" and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title, line 2, by striking out the word "of" where it first occurs in said line, and insert the following:

and sections eight hundred and fifty, and to add sections eight hundred and fifty-one, eight hundred and fifty-two, eight hundred and fifty-three and eight hundred and fifty-four"

Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting after line 11, the following:

Section 2, that Chapter eleven, article three of said act, as added by the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 673), entitled "An act to amend chapter eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and forty), entitled 'An act concerning townships, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto,' by adding thereto article three, section eight hundred and fifty, authorizing townships of the second class to accept as part of the township road system roads dedicated to the public use," as amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 55), entitled "An act to amend section eight hundred and fifty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and forty), entitled 'An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto,' by providing that only roads and streets may be accepted by townships of the second class as part of the highway system thereof, and requiring the consent of the Court of Quarter Sessions before such acceptance," is hereby further amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE III

(ACCEPTANCE OF DEDICATED ROADS IN TOWNSHIPS OF THE SECOND CLASS)

APPROVAL OF PLANS FOR ROADS AND STREETS AND DRAINAGE FACILITIES

Section 850. (The Board of Supervisors of any township of the second class may accept any roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, or any part thereof as dedicated to public use by a plot duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the county in which such township is; said acceptance to be evidenced by a resolution of the said board of supervisors properly describing said roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, adopted by a majority thereof by a vote duly recorded and entered upon the minutes of the said board. Upon the filing with the clerk of the Courts of Quarter Sessions of said county of a certified and attested copy of said resolution such roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, shall become a part of the public highway system of said township and shall be so recorded in the said court of quarter sessions). No person shall construct, open or dedicate any road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities in connection therewith, for public use or travel in any township, without first submitting plans thereof to the township commissioners or township supervisors for their approval, such plans shall be prepared in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the commissioners or supervisors, and shall show the profiles of such roads, streets, lanes or alleys, the course, structure and capacity of any drainage facilities and the method of drainage of the adjacent and continguous territory, and also any other or further details that may be required under the rules or regulations adopted by the township commissioners or township supervisors. Before acting upon any such plans the commissioners or supervisors may, in their discretion, arrange for a public hearing, after giving such notice as they may deem desirable in each case. The township commissioners or township supervisors are authorized to offer such plans and to specify any change or modifications of any kind which they, in their discretion, may deem necessary with respect thereto, and may make their approval of such plans subject to any such alterations, changes, or modifications. Any plans when so approved shall be signed on behalf of the township by such officers the commissioners or supervisors may designate, and shall be filed in the township office, where the same shall be available to public inspection. No road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities therewith, shall be opened, constructed or dedicated for public use or travel, except in strict accordance with plans so approved by the commissioners or supervisors or with further plans subsequently approved by them in the same manner.

In any case where the township commissioners or township supervisors shall refuse to approve any plans submitted to them in accordance with this act, any person aggravated by the action of the commissioners or supervisors may within thirty days after such action, appeal therefrom by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county, which court shall hear the matter de novo, and after hearing, may enter a decree affirming, reversing or modifying the action of the commissioners or supervisors as may appear just in the premises. The court shall designate the manner in which notice of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given to all parties interested. The decision of the court shall be final.

The action of the township commissioners or township supervisors, or the court on appeal in approving any such plans, and such plans, shall be recorded by the person applying for such approval in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the county.

Section 851. If any road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities in connection therewith, shall be opened, constructed or dedicated to public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans approved by the township commissioners or township supervisors, as provided in this act neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors, nor any public authorities shall place, construct, or operate any sewer drain, waterpipe or other facilities, or do any work of any kind in or upon such road, street, lane or alley, and neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors nor any other public authorities shall have any responsibility of any kind with respect to any such road, street, lane or alley, or drainage facilities, notwithstanding any use of the same by the public. Provided, however, That nothing herein contained shall prevent the laying of trunk sewer drains, water or gas mains, if required by engineering necessity for the accommodation of other territory.

The township commissioners or township supervisors and their representatives and workmen may enter upon any land and property and maintain marks and monuments so far as the commissioners or supervisors deem necessary in carrying out their powers and duties hereunder.

Section 852. Any person who shall construct, open or dedicate any road, street, lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township, without having first complied with the provisions of this act and of any ordinances or resolutions of the township authorities adopted pursuant hereto, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to suffer imprisonment not exceeding two years or pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or both in the discretion of the court.

Section 853. No approval of plans by a township of the second class pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall obligate or require any such township to construct, reconstruct, maintain, repair or grade such roads, until and unless authorized and ordered so to do by the proper court pursuant to the provisions of existing law in that regard.

Section 854. Nothing herein contained shall be held to restrict or limit the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth or any county, in the exercise of any of its duties, powers and functions under the provisions of any act of Assembly now in force or hereafter to be enacted.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 788, on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing salary boards in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to provide for the appointment of Assistant District Attorneys and other employees in the office of the District Attorney, on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys and employees or on account of unusual conditions and circumstances, and increased business in the office, providing that the salaries shall not exceed the minimum salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of Assistant District Attorney shall not exceed the term and period of four months, without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions or a law judge thereof.

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BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the head of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 868, (House Bil No. 453), entitled:

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims; and repealing existing laws.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd.	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 928, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

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COMMITTEE TO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair announces as the committee to draft resolutions on the death of Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, the Senator from Dauphin, Mr. Earnest, the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Daix, the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Salus, the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, and the Senator from Lycoming, Mr. Sones.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 974, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine

hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 998, (House Bill No. 1094), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" as amended.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1021, entitled:

An Act authorizing counties severally or jointly to provide for the collection of tolls on toll bridges, heretofore or hereafter acquired, for the purpose of redeeming bonds issued for such acquisition and rebuilding of such bridges, and for the purpose of reimbursing such counties for the amount of county moneys expended in acquiring such bridges and rebuilding the same, including also maintenance.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1035, (House Bill No. 1462), entitled:

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters materials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interested in absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association of from any cause be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,

Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1049, (House Bill No. 1642), entitled:

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on non-resident operators or non-resident owners of motor vehicles, operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said non-resident upon whom civil process may be served and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1060, (House Bill No. 1132), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 998), entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases, mental defect, epilepsy, and inebriety; regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics; governing the transfer, discharge, interstate rendition, and deportation of mental patients; providing for the payment by individuals, counties, or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission, care, and discharge of mental patients; and imposing penalties," by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen, four hundred and fifteen and five hundred and nine; relating to the commitment and transfer of veterans to United States Veterans' Hospitals and for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1066, (House Bill No. 1348), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 403) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to noncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of device or legacy in case of murder or testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1090, on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition by cities, boroughs, and townships jointly or severally by purchase or by the exercise of eminent domain of the works, plants, property and

franchises of water companies, or gas and water companies; and for the operation thereof after such acquisition.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1097, (House Bill No. 10), entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertently paid for wholesale liquor licenses and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1102, (House Bill No. 760), entitled:

An Act to amend section sixty-five and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 427), entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquittal on the grounds of insanity.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd.	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1114, (House Bill No. 1218), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are or have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines or members of the enlisted nurse corps designated as 'deceased service men' defining the term 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd.	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones.
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1165, (House Bill No. 314), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement, construction, reconstruction and / or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A, and third class; and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,

Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1198, (House Bill No. 975), entitled:

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1203, (House Bill No. 1277), entitled:

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,

Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1215, (House Bill No. 341), entitled:

An Act providing for the location, care and maintenance of graves of soldiers, sailors, marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps, and for the compilation and preservation of records relating to such soldiers, sailors, marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps, and their burial places, by county commissioners at the expense of the counties; and imposing certain duties upon persons, firms, corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries conferring certain duties on the Department of Military Affairs.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Huffman,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1227, (House Bill No. 1640), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (1 Smith Laws, 370), entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent, and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same, for the better security of rents, and for other purposes therein mentioned."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1235, (House Bill No. 1780), entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to Fund Floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any pervious year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1105, (House Bill No. 119), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-seven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 849), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

be recommitted to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, for the purpose of a hearing.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1275, (House Bill No. 1615), entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—1.

Lanius,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1279, (House Bill No. 1703), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the county of Luzerne" as amended enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the county of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,

Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1282, (House Bill No. 1781), entitled:

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts, page 194), entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive, Judicial, and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the public schools, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture, furnishings, and equipment.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1283, (House Bill No. 1783), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1292, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1308, on third reading, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1320, (House Bill No. 1597), entitled:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1322, (House Bill No. 1708), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 149) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward.
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1324, (House Bill No. 1774), entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1329, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1332, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1334, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend Section 1, page 3, line 8, by striking out the words [one million] and inserting in lieu thereof, three hundred and fifty thousand; also Section 1, page 3, line 9, by inserting at the end thereof the following: "and the salary of the District Attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars per year"

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be presented for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1339, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1341, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 411, WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 411, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation', approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended, exempting corporations, limited partnerships and joint-stock associations organized for the purpose of the processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products.

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 412 WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 412, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (P. L. 184), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax," exempting wholesale venders or wholesale dealers engaged in the business of processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products.

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 78, as follows:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a joint legislative committee to investigate and report upon the conduct operation management and administration of building and loan associations defining the duties of said committee and making an appropriation to meet its expenses

Whereas There has been much public criticism of the operation conduct and management of building and loan associations in this Commonwealth and

Whereas Stockholders and members of such associations have seen disappear the savings of a lifetime through the careless or fraudulent operation thereof and

Whereas It would be to the benefit of members of such associations of the Commonwealth to have these associations investigated and their condition disclosed to public inspection therefore

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the President pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint four Senators and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint five Members of the House of Representatives to constitute a joint legislative committee whose duty it shall be to fully investigate the conduct operation management of building and loan associations within the Commonwealth and the manner and thoroughness of their control and examination by the Department of Banking of the Commonwealth

Section 2 The members of said committee shall meet and organize immediately after their appointment by the election of a chairman who shall be a member thereof and a secretary

The said committee shall have power to sit during the session of the Legislature and to hold meetings at such times and places as it may deem advisable

Section 3 The committee shall have power to employ an attorney to assist and advise it in the performance of its duty and to employ such stenographers and investigators as it may deem necessary and shall have power to fix the compensation of such attorney stenographers and investigators The members of the committee shall serve without compensation for their services but shall receive all necessary traveling and other expenses incurred by them in the performance of the duties imposed upon them by this resolution

Section 4 The said committee shall have power to issue subpoenas signed by its chairman requiring the attendance of persons and the production of such books and papers as in its judgment will assist in the performance of its duties and to examine and investigate all papers reports records and documents filed by or pertaining to building and loan associations in the possession of the Department of Banking

Section 5 The said committee shall make a full report of its findings to the Legislature not later than the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 6 The sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated for the purpose of paying the expenses of the members of said committee and the compensation of its attorney and other employes the moneys hereby appropriated to be paid out of the State Treasury upon warrants drawn by the Auditor General upon the State Treasurer based upon duly itemized vouchers approved by the chairman of said committee

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transscribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 107, as follows:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred nineteen) entitled "An act regulating certain political parties providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices the election of delegates and alternate delegates to National party conventions and of certain party officers including State committeemen a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States and the payment by the several counties and their reimbursement by the State of the expenses of the same authorizing the State committee of a political party to make and to alter amend and revoke rules and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein and repealing inconsistent legislation" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred nineteen) entitled "An act regulating certain political parties providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices the election of delegates and alternate delegates to National party conventions and of certain party officers including State committeemen a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States and the payment by the several counties and their reimbursement by the State of the expenses of the same authorizing the State committee of a political party to make and to alter amend and revoke rules and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein and repealing inconsistent legislation" as last amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty) entitled "An act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and nineteen) entitled 'An act regulating certain political parties providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices the election of delegates and alternate delegates to National party conventions and of certain party officers including State committeemen a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States and the payment by the several counties and their reimbursement by the State of the expenses of the same authorizing the State committee of a political party to make and to alter amend and revoke rules and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein and repealing inconsistent legislation' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 14 Upon the closing of the polls at such primary and before the ballot boxes are opened the number of ballots issued to the voters of each party as shown by the stubs and the number of ballots of each party if any spoiled and returned by voters and canceled shall be announced to all present in the voting room and entered on the general return sheets aforesaid and then the names checked as having voted in the two assessor's lists or registers marked "ballot check list" and "voting check list" respectively shall be immediately counted and the result announced and compared with the number of ballots issued as above ascertained after deducting the number spoiled and canceled and said results shall also be compared with the number of names written in the numbered lists of voters which shall be made as at elections as the electors receive and cast their ballots with the addition of a note of each elector's party enrollment after his name If any differences exist which are not found to be due merely to clerical errors such differences shall also be noted on the general return sheets aforesaid Then the numbered lists of voters (except a copy of the latter which shall be hung outside of the polling place) shall be placed in the separate envelopes provided for them respectively and sealed In cities the voting and ballot check lists shall be put in one envelope and sealed and subsequently delivered to the registration commissioners or county commissioners as required by the personal registration acts relating to cities of various classes

Also the stubs of all ballots used together with all unused ballots and all spoiled and canceled ballots of each party and the ballot check list in boroughs townships and districts other than in cities shall be placed in separate envelope and sealed before the ballot boxes are opened which package shall be kept by the judge and delivered by him in person to the county commissioners at such place as they shall designate on or before noon of the Thursday following such primary and shall there together with all other unused ballots not distributed to election districts be carefully preserved for a period of at least one year following such election

As soon as all the ballots of each party have been properly accounted for and those outside ballot boxes as well as the said lists sealed as aforesaid the election officers shall forthwith open the ballot boxes and take therefrom all ballots therein and separate the same according to the party to which they belong and first audibly count the number cast for each party one by one and make a record thereof and then the judge or one of the inspectors in the presence of the other officers shall read aloud the names marked or inserted upon each ballot keeping the ballots of each party in sequence together with the office for which the person named is a candidate and any other relevant matter necessary to identify him and the clerks shall carefully enter each vote as read and keep account of the same in [triplicate] duplicate tally papers for each party to be provided as aforesaid All ballots after being removed from the box shall be kept within the unobstructed view of all persons in the voting room until replaced in said box and no person while handling same shall have in his hand any pencil pen stamp or other means of marking or spoiling any ballot When the vote cast for the different persons named upon said party ballots shall have been fully recorded on said tally papers and counted the election officers shall duly certify to the number of

votes cast for each person upon the respective party tickets and shall prepare triplicate returns thereof for each party and also general returns in duplicate showing besides the entries made thereon as aforesaid the number of ballots of each party cast and the number of ballots of each party declared altogether void including any blank ballots cast as well as the votes cast for each candidate on each party ticket one of which [statements] general returns shall be immediately posted for the information of the public outside the voting room or polling place and the other of which shall be entrusted to the judge for delivery to the county commissioners with the package of unused ballots et cetera aforesaid The election officers shall then relace the ballots cast so counted and canvassed in the boxes including those declared void together with one set of tally papers one set of said triplicate return sheets one numbered list of voters sealed as aforesaid (and the voting check lists in districts other than cities) and one oath of each election officer and lock and seal each ballot box so that nothing can be inserted therein until it be opened again and the judge and minority inspector shall deliver them to the place which has been designated by the court of common pleas or by law for the delivery of ballot boxes at general and municipal elections on or before noon of the Thursday following such primary and the county commissioners or return board shall not compute any returns from any election district until the ballot boxes thereof as well as the package of unused ballots et cetera aforesaid therefrom are delivered as aforesaid

The minority inspector shall retain [one complete set of tally papers and] one of the triplicate return sheets for each party and one set of the affidavits of voters and other person except oaths of election officers made pursuant to the provisions of this act at such primary and carefully preserve the same for the period of at least one year The remaining tally papers triplicate return sheets and affidavits of voters and others including oaths of election officers shall be placed in separate envelopes to be provided for the same and sealed as soon as the count is finally completed All of such envelopes and the other numbered list of voters previously sealed as aforesaid shall be entrusted to the judge of election and shall on or before noon of the Thursday following be deposited by him in person or by registered mail with the county commissioners who shall on the succeeding day at noon publicly commence the computation and canvassing of the returns and continue the same from day to day until completed in the manner hereinafter provided except that if any of the county commissioners of any county shall be a candidate for any nomination at any primary he shall not act as a member of the return board for computing or canvassing any returns of such primary but the other two commissioners if both are qualified shall act and in case in any county there are not at least two commissioners so qualified two or more judges of the court of common pleas or such county shall be designated by said court to act as a return board provided that neither of them are candidates for any nomination at such primary either on a party or a non-partisan ballot and if there shall be only one judge of such court in such county or if less than two judges are qualified and able to act in such county any judge who is qualified may act alone and if there be none qualified the prothonotary of such county shall act as the return board and if the prothonotary shall be a candidate at the primary then the sheriff of the county shall act as the return board

The general returns from the various districts shall be open to public inspection at the office of the county commissioners as soon as they receive same from the judges thereof

The county commissioners shall provide a convenient public place for holding the sessions of the return board whoever may compose it as aforesaid with adequate accommodations for the authorized representatives of each party and candidate concerned in any such primary not exceeding two such representatives for each of them at any one time to attend and to keep or check up their own computation of the votes cast in the several election districts as the returns from the same are read as hereinafter directed and the county commissioners shall give at least one week's previous notice by advertising once in at least two newspapers of a large paid circulation published at the county seat of the time aforesaid and place when and where such return board will commence and hold its sessions and keep copies of such advertisement posted in their office during said period

At noon on the Friday following any such primary the county commissioners shall have ready a sufficient number of blank forms of returns made out in a proper manner and headed as the nature of the ballots may require for making out full and fair statements of all votes which shall have been given within the county or any political district therein according to the returns from the several election districts thereof for any person voted for therein for any party nomination or party office

All the clerks of the county commissioners and other persons assisting in the official computation and canvassing of the votes shall be first sworn to perform their duties impartially and not to read write count or certify any return or vote falsely or fraudulently

The general returns made by the election officers as aforesaid from the various election districts shall be read one after another in the usual order slowly and audibly by one of the clerks who shall in each case read therefrom the number of ballots of each party issued spoiled and canceled and cast respectively whereupon the clerk having charge of the records of the county commissioners showing the number of ballots of each party furnished for such election district and the number of stubs and unused ballots and spoiled and canceled ballots returned shall publicly announce the number of same respectively and unless it appears by said numbers or calculations therefrom that said records and the said general return correspond no further returns shall be read from the latter until all the ballots issued are fully accounted for and all the stubs and unused ballots spoiled and canceled ballots as well as the other election returns aforesaid shall be open to public inspection and shall be carefully preserved together with the contents of the ballot box by the county commissioners for at least eleven months and not destroyed in any event without the previous consent in writing by the district attorney None of the envelopes sealed by election officers and entrusted to the judges of election shall be opened by any person except by order of the return board of the court of common pleas

When the records agree with the said returns regarding the ballots the votes recorded for each candidate on each party ticket shall be read by the said cerk slowly audibly and in an orderly manner from the said returns and the figures announced shall be compared by other clerks with the return sheets of each party for the respective districts and discrepancies shall be immediately called to the attention of the return board which shall thereupon compare said return sheets with the tally papers for the same election district respecting the same candidates or party ballots and if the tally papers and party return sheets agree the general return shall be forthwith corrected to conform thereto but in every other case the return board shall forthwith cause the ballot box of such division to be brought before it and opened under its direction and the ballots therein recounted respecting any vote in question in the presence of representatives of each party and candidate interested who are attending the canvass of such votes and if such recount shall not be sufficient to correct the error in any of the said returns the return board may summon the election officers and overseers if any to appear forthwith with all election papers in their possession and the court of common pleas shall use its process to enforce such summons if necessary and if any error or fraud is discovered the return board shall compute and certify the votes justly regardless of any fraudulent or erroneous returns presented to it and report the facts to the district attorney of the proper county for action in cases that appear to warrant same

As the return from each election district are read computed and found to be correct or corrected as aforesaid they shall be recorded on the blanks prepared for the purpose of casting up the total vote of each candidate on each party ticket until all the returns from the various election districts which are entitled to be counted shall have been duly recorded when they shall be added together announced and attested by the clerks who made and computed the entries respectively and at the expiration of five days after the completion of said computaiton the return board shall certify the several returns accordingly to the county commissioners unless upon appeals taken from any decision the court of common pleas shall have directed any returns to be revised in which cases such returns shall be revised and certified accordingly

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 108, as follows:

An Act permitting any citizen to inspect certain election records and obtain certified copies thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the prothonotary or any other public officer with whom election records are filed shall permit any citizen of this Commonwealth upon request to inspect any election records in his custody except the contents of ballot boxes and shall furnish upon the payment of the fees properly chargeable therefore certified copies of any election records in his custody to any citizen of this Commonwealth requesting such copies Provided That the inspection of election records herein permitted shall always be in the presence and under the supervision of the prothonotary or other public officer having the custdy thereof or of his duly authorized deputy

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 422, as follows:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Luzerne and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That a certain section of public road commencing at an intersection with State highway route number eleven at Luzerne Luzerne County thence by way of Luzerne Swoyersville West Wyoming and Exeter to an intersection with State highway route number two hundred and thirty-two at Exeter shall be adopted by the Commonwealth as a State highway and shall be constructed improved and maintained at the sole expense of the Commonwealth under existing laws

Section 2 The cost and expense of the construction improvement and maintenance of the highway herein described shall be paid out of any moneys appropriated to the Department of Highways for the construction improvement reconstruction or maintenance of State highways

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 506, as follows:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized bby this act and penalties for violations thereof

GRANT OF POWER

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purpose of promoting the health safety morals and general welfare of the community cities of the first class are hereby authorized and empowered to regulate and restrict by ordinance the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures the percentage of lot that may be occupied the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence or other purposes so that such uses may be permitted in or excluded from certain portions or sections of such cities or subject to special regulations

Section 2 DISTRICTS For any or all of said purposes the Council may by ordinance divide the city into districts of such number shape size and area as may be deemed best suited to carry out the purposes of this act and within such districts it may regulate and restrict the erection construction reconstruction alteration repair use or occupancy of buildings structures or land All such regulations shall be uniform for each class or kind of buildings structures or land throughout each district but the regulations in one district may differ from those in other districts

Section 3 PURPOSES IN VIEW Such regulations shall be made in accordance with a comprehensive plan and designed to lessen congestion in the streets to secure safety from fire panic and other dangers to promote health and the general welfare to provide adequate light and air to prevent the overcrowding of land to avoid undue concentration of population to facilitate the adequate provision of transportation water sewerage schools parks and other public requirements Such regulations shall be made with reasonable consideration among other things to the topography and character of the district and its peculiar suitability for particular uses with a view to conserving the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout such city

Section 4 METHOD OF PROCEDURE The Council of such city shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such districts shall be determined established and enforced and from time to time amended supplemented or changed However no such regulation restriction or boundary shall become effective until after a public hearing in relation thereto at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard At least fifteen (15) days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be published in an official paper or a paper of general circulation in such city

Section 5 CHANGES Such regulations restrictions and boundaries may from time to time be amended supplemented modified or repealed In case however of a protest against any such change duly signed and acknowledged by the owners of twenty (20) per cent or more either of the area of the lots included in such proposed change or of those immediately adjacent in the rear or adjoining on the sides thereof extending one hundred (100) feet therefrom or of those directly opposite thereto extending one hundred (100) feet from the street frontage of such opposite lots such change shall not become effective except by the favorable vote of three-fourths of all the members of the council of such city The provisions of the previous section relative to public hearings and official notice shall apply equally to all changes or amendments

Section 6 ZONING COMMISSION In order to avail itself of the powers conferred by this act the Mayor of any such city shall appoint a commission of seven or more members to be known as the Zoning Commission to recommend the boundaries of the various districts and the appropriate restrictions and regulations to be enforced therein and to include in such recommendation such maps charts or prints as it may deem necessary desirable or convenient to show the locations and

boundaries of the respective districts in which such regulations and restrictions shall apply The said recommendations shall be in the form of a proposed Zoning Ordinance and shall provide for a Board of Adjustment a Bureau of Zoning and the rules and regulations for the administration of said ordinance by the said Bureau in accordance with the provisions of this act The Zoning Commission shall make a preliminary report and hold public hearings thereon before submitting its final report and the Council of such city shall not hold its public hearings or take action until it has received the final report of such commission

Section 7 APPROVAL BY COUNCIL The proposed bill or ordinance prepared by the Zoning Commission shall not become effective until it shall have been passed by the Council of such city in the manner required for the passage of other ordinances and subject to executive action as in other cases provided that before final action of the City Council shall be taken public hearings shall be held by the council or a committee thereof to which such proposed bill or ordinance may be referred whereat all person interested in the subject matter shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard at specified time and place or times and places after due notice of such hearing or hearings published for six (6) consecutive days in two (2) daily morning and two (2) daily evening newspapers of general circulation in such cities

Section 8 BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT If a city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act the Mayor of such city shall with the approval of Council appoint a Board of Adjustment and in the regulations and restrictions adopted pursuant to the authority of this act may provide that the said Board of Adjustment may in appropriate cases and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards make special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance in harmony with its general purposes and intent and in accordance with general or specific rules therein contained The Board of Adjustment shall consist of five members one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January following the adoption of the zoning ordinance two until the first day of the second January thereafter and two until the first day of the third January thereafter Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve three years The members of the Board shall be removable for cause by the appointing authority upon written charges and after public hearing Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant The council may provide for the compensation of those members of the Board of Adjustment who do not hold any other office or position of profit under the city government or any department thereof or in or under the government of the United State or of this Commonwealth or of any county city or other public political subdivision thereof The Mayor of such city shall designate the chairman of the Board The board shall adopt rules in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance adopted pursuant to this act Meetings of the board shall be held at the call of the chairman and at such other times as the board may determine The chairman or in his absence the acting chairman may administer oaths and compel the attendance of witnesses All meetings of the board shall be open to the public The board shall keep the minutes of its proceedings showing the vote of each member upon each question or if absent or failing to vote indicating such fact and shall keep records of its examinations and other official actions all of which shall be immediately filed in the office of the board and shall be a public record

Appeals to the Board of Adjustment may be taken by any person aggrieved or by any officer department board or bureau of the city affected by any decision of the administrative officer Such appeal shall be taken within a reasonable time as provided by the rules of the board by filing with the officer from whom the appeal is taken and with the Board of Adjustment a notice of appeal specifying the grounds thereof The officer from whom the appeal is taken shall forthwith transmit to the board all the papers constituting the record upon which the action appealed from was taken

An appeal stays all proceedings in furtherance of the action appealed from unless the officer from whom the appeal is taken certifies to the Board of adjustment after the notice of appeal shall have been filed with him that by reason of facts stated in the certificate a stay would in his opinion cause imminent peril to life or property In such case proceedings shall not be stayed otherwise than by a restraining order which may be granted by the Board of Adjustment or by a court of record on application and notice to the officer from whom the appeal is taken and on due cause shown

The Board of Adjustment shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing of the appeal give public notice thereof as well as due notice to the parties in interest and decide the same within a resonable time Upon the hearing any party may appear in person or by agent or by attorney

The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers

1 To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there is error in any order requirement decision or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement of this act or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto
2 To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance upon which such board is required to pass under such ordinance
3 To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance from the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to the public interest where owing to special conditions a literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in unnecessary hardship and so that the spirit of the ordinance shall be observed and substantial justice done

In exercising the above-mentioned powers such board may in conformity with the provision of this act reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the order requirement decision or determination appealed from and may make such order requirment decision or determination as ought to be made and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer from whom the appeal is taken

The concurring vote of four Members of the Board of Adjustment shall be necessary to reverse any order requirement decision or determination of any such administrative official or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which it is required to pass under any such ordinance or to effect any variation in such ordinance

Any person or persons jointly or severally aggrieved by any decision of the Board of Adjustment or any tax-payer or any officer department board or bureau of the city may present to a court of record a petition duly verified setting forth that such decision is illegal in whole or in part specifying the grounds of the illegality Such petition shall be presented to the court within thirty (30) days after the filing of the decision in the office of the board

Upon the presentation of such petition the court may allow a writ of certiorari directed to the Board of Ajdustment to review such decision of the Board of Adjustment and shall prescribe therein the time within which a return thereto must be made and served upon the appelant's attorney which shall not be less than ten days and may be extended by the court The allowance of the writ shall not stay proceedings upon the decision appealed from but the court may on application on notice to the board and on due cause shown grant a restraining order

The Board of Adjustment shall not be required to return the original papers acted upon by it but it shall be sufficient to return certified or sworn couies thereof or of such portions thereof as may be called for by such writ The return shall concisely set forth such other facts as may be pertinent and material to show the grounds of the decision appealed from and shall be verified The Board of Adjustment shall be respondent in said appeal with the right to appear in person or by council and defend said action The court may permit any person or persons claiming an interest to assert his or their right by intervention

If upon the hearing it shall appear to the court that testimony is necessary for the proper disposition of the matter it may take evidence or appoint a referee to take such evidence as it may direct and report the same to the court with his findings of fact and conclusions of law which shall constitute a part of the proceedings upon which the determination of the court shall be made The court may reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the decision brought up for review

Costs shall not be allowed against the board unless it shall appear to the court that it acted with gross negligence or in bad faith or with malice in making the decision appealed from

All issues in any proceeding under this section shall have preference over all other civil actions and proceedings

Section 9 BUREAU OF ZONING If any city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act there shall be attached to the Department of Public Works of such city a Bureau of Zoning under the direction of a chief of said bureau and with such other officials clerks and employes as the council may determine All ordinances passed under the provisions of this act shall be enforced by the Bureau of Zoning subject to the right of appeal to the Board of Adjustment and to the courts as herein provided for

Section 10 PENALTIES If any building or structure shall be erected constructed reconstructed altered repaired converted or maintained or any building structure or land used in violation of this act or of any ordinance or regulation made under authority hereof the persons or persons artificial or natural knowingly so offending shall be subject to a fine of not more than one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars and not less than one hundred ($100.00) dollars as prescribed by the council of any such city to be recovered as fines and penalties of like amount are now recoverable by law The fact of such violation being committed shall be prima facie evidence that it was knowingly done In case of any such actual or threatened violation either the said city or the bureau officer or official designated for the enforcement of any ordinance passed by virtue of this act may institute any appropriate action or proceeding to prevent or abate such unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion maintenance use or occupation or to restrain or prevent any illegal act or business or use under this act or under any such ordinance or regulation

Section 11 VALIDITY If any section clause portion or provision of this act shall be unconstitutional or invalid it is hereby declared to be the true intent and meaning hereof that all of the provisions of this act shall be severable and that all the other provisions or portions thereof excepting those so held unconstitutional or invalid shall be and remain in full force and effect

Section 12 CONFLICT WITH OTHER LAWS Wherever the regulations made under authority of this act require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required in any other statute or local ordinance or regulations the provisions of the regulations made under authority of this act shall govern. Wherever the provisions of any other statute or local ordinance or regulation require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or a less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required by the regulations made under authority of this act the provisions of such statute or local ordinance or regulation shall govern

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 555, as follows:

An Act to exempt scrip bonds certificates and evidences of indebtedness issued by counties for road and bridge purposes from taxation for State and local purposes

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all scrip bonds certificates and evidences of indebtedness issued by any county of this Commonwealth for road and bridge purposes shall hereafter be exempt from all taxation for State or local purposes

Section 2 This act shall take effect on the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed but such repeal shall not operate to prevent the collection of any tax due for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine or for any previous year

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 555, the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing: requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 714, as follows:

An Act relating to townships regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter no portion of a township shall be annexed to any contiguous city or borough and no borough or city shall be incorporated within the limits of any township unless the question of such proposed annexation or proposed incorporation shall have first been submitted to the voters of the whole township to be affected and a mjority of the whole number voting on such question shall have voted in favor of such annexation or incorporation

Section 2 Any such question of annexation or incorporation may be submitted to the voters of any township at any general or municipal election whenever a petition containing the signatures of electors equal in number to at least five per centum of the highest vote cast in such township at the preceding municipal or general election for any officer is filed with the county commissioners requesting that such question shall be printed at the succeeding general or municipal election The election on such question shall be held and return thereof shall be made as may be provided by the general election law for the submission of similar questions. If at any such election the electors vote in favor of such annexation or incorporation the proceedings thereafter shall be as now provided by law if the electors shall vote against such annexation no further proceedings shall be had until the election the second year succeeding the first submission when the same

question may again be submitted to the electors of the township as provided in this act

Section 3 This act shall be construed as being supplementary to the laws providing for the annexation of territory to a city or borough or for their incorporation and shall not be constructed as repealing any of the provisions of said laws

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 758, (House Bill No. 326), entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 944, (House Bill No. 33), entitled:

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors, except in cities of the first class and counties of the second class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 952, (House Bill No. 1190), as follows:

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any department board commission or agency of the State government or any officer thereof to deny any person employment in the service of the Commonwealth on account of his or her age

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed but nothing contained in this act shall be contrued to repeal any of the provisions of the Child Labor Laws of the Commonwealth

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1010, as follows:

An Act imposing penalties for scaring wounding and killing foxes in certain cases

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when any fox is being followed or chased by any dog it shall be unlawfuu for any person whatsoever except the owner or person having control of such dog or a person in the party having control of such dog or a member of a club or organization where a fox chase is being held by such club or organization and the dog following or chasing such fox is owned by the club or organization or a member of the club or organization to shoot at scare wound or kill any such fox

Any person violating the provisions of this act shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars together with costs of prosecution and the value of the fur of any fox killed contrary to this act to be fixed by the court hearing the case In default of the payment of such fine costs and value of the fur the person so convicted shall be sentenced to imprisonment one day for each dollar so unpaid All moneys recovered from fines and for the value of furs shall be paid to the treasurer of the school district where the offense took place

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1010, the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1085, as follows:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same That whenever the approval of a constitutional amendment or other question is submitted to the vote of the electors such constitutional amendment or other question shall be printed upon the ballot in brief form to be determined by the Secretary of the Commonwealth in the case of constitutional amendments or other questions to be voted on by the electors of more than one county and by the county commissioners in other cases and shall be followed by the word "yes" and "no" with appropriate square for the insertion of a cross mark and if such question be submitted at an election of public officers it shall be printed upon a separate ballot Provided however That if such constitutional amendment or other question is to be voted upon in any county city borough or township which has adopted voting machines for use at public elections therein such constitutional amendment or other question shall be voted on therein upon such voting machines in accordance with the provisions of the laws relating thereto

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1101, (House Bill No. 566), as follows:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five) for further study of the criminal laws of the Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Governor of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a commission consisting of eight citizens of whom two shall be judges of the court of common pleas one shall be a prosecuting attorney one shall be a Member of the Senate one shall be a Member of the House of Representatives and three other citizens of the Commonwealth at least one of whom shall have had experience in social welfare work The Attorney General shall be an ex-officio member of said commission The commission shall study the laws conditions and practice of this Commonwealth relating to crimes criminal procedure and criminals to examine the crime situation in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the procedure methods and agencies concerned with the detection of crime the apprehension bailing prosecution and trial of persons accused of crime and the punishment treatment and pardon of convicted persons and all other matters which have relation directly or indirectly to the crime situation in this Commonwealth and such additional laws as may be made to embody the best thought and experience on these subjects and to suggest revisions and amendments to the statutes of Pennsylvania which relate to any of the foregoing matters All recommendations of the commission shall be accompanied by concise statements and reasons for such recommendations The members of the commission shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be allowed the actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties

Section 2 The commission or its authorized agent shall have access to such documents records and papers belonging to or under the control of the State cities counties boroughs and townships and of institutions commissions and societies dealing with crime criminal procedure or criminals which are subject to State supervision whenever such examination of documents records and papers is necessary for the compilation of statistics and facts that may be of use and value to the commission in its works

Section 3 The said commissioners shall make a full report in writing to a General Assembly which shall convene in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one on or before the first day of February of said year

Section 4 The sum of twenty-five thousand ($25,000) dollar or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to defray expenses of said commission to be paid upon certificate of the chairman of the commission by warrant of the Auditor General on the State Treasurer in the usual manner

Section 5 That the Legislative Reference Bureau shall render such assistance to the commission as may from time to time be requested

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1106, (House Bill No. 948), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 34), entitled "An act to promote the health and efficiency of firemen, in cities of the second class, by providing for a two platoon system for firemen in the department of public safety of such cities," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1106, (House Bill No. 948), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1108, (House Bill No. 1054), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1172, (House Bill No. 1283), entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1170, (House Bill No. 1133), the bill just read, entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs, towns and townships, may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth, and providing that all contracts for the construction, building, rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1177, (House Bill No. 1482), as follows:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth

authorizing counties boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and requiring certain moneys of the Motor License Fund to be expended as herein provided

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That out of the moneys in the Motor License Fund of the Commonwealth available in any fiscal biennium for the construction and improvement of State highways and bridges on State highways such sum as shall be specified by the General Assembly shall hereafter be apportioned by the Department of Highways for expenditure in the several counties of this Commonwealth in the ratio that the unimproved mileage of State highways in any county bears to the total unimproved mileage of State highways in the Commonwealth but the amount to be allocated for expenditure in any county shall not be more than six hundred thousand dollars ($600,000) or less than two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) in any fiscal biennium and if the allocation above provided for allows to any county an amount in excess of the maximum herein permitted then the amount representing the excess over the maximum shall be deducted in each such case and shall be credited to the counties which by the aforesaid allocation would receive less than the minimum allotment but only to the extent necessary to give each of such counties the minimum allotment of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) If after such deductions from the allotments exceeding the maximum and credits to the counties below the minimum any moneys remain unallocated the same shall again be reallocated to the several counties (excepting those having a maximum allotment) on the ratio of unimproved mileage as first provided in this section

The moneys thus available for expenditure in any county shall be expended by the Department of Highways for State highway and bridge construction and improvement in boroughs towns and townships on any State highway whether the same be designated as a primary State highway or secondary State highway without any assistance whatsoever from the county or any borough town or township any law to the contrary notwithstanding

Section 2 Any county borough town or township shall have power to enter into contracts with the Department of Highways and therein to agree to contribute moneys to the Department for the construction and improvement of mileage additional to that which can be improved in such county from Commonwealth moneys and for such purpose any county borough town or township may incur or increase its indebtedness within the limits permitted by the Constitution of the Commonwealth

Section 3 Before letting contracts for the construction and improvement of State highways and bridges in any county the Department of Highways shall consult the county commissioners and ascertain their preference as to the State highways and bridges or sections of State highways which are to be constructed and improved by the use of the moneys allocated for expenditure in such county and in this act provided and the county commissioners shall indicate prior to June first of each year their first second and third choices and the Department of Highways may select the State highways bridges or sections of State highways to be improved in such county from such choices or in its discretion may select other State highways bridges or sections in such county for improvement Provided That where the Department of Highways has issued or is about to issue authorizations for work to be performed by Department forces or has heretofore prepared plans and was about to let contracts for the improvement of any State highway or section thereof in any county the Department may proceed with such improvement but no such improvement requiring moneys in excess of the amount allocated to the county shall be made from moneys allocated to other counties under the provisions of this act

Section 4 No portion of the moneys specifically required in any fiscal biennium to be used for the construction and improvement of State highways and bridges under the provisions of this act shall be used for reconstruction resurfacing widening or maintenance of State highways heretofore or hereafter improved but shall be devoted entirely to new construction Provided however That the paving of a State highway heretofore graded but not otherwise improved shall be considered new construction and a new improvement

Section 5 The sum of twenty-three million five hundred thousand dollars ($23,500,000) out of moneys in the Motor License Fund shall be allocated by the Department of Highways among the counties for the construction and improvement of State highways and bridges in accordance with this act during the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1181, (House Bill No. 1755), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1183, (House Bill No. 757), as follows:

An Act providing for the taking over as State Highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever heretofore the Commonwealth has with the aid of any county and township or any county and township constructed or improved any section of road as a State-aid highway or whenever any township has heretofore constructed any concrete township reward road such section of State-aid highway or township reward road shall after this act takes effect be deemed a State highway in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth relating to State highways and shall immediately be taken over and be thereafter maintained and reconstructed by the Department of Highways in the same manner as State highways All moneys in the Motor License Fund appropriated for the maintenance construction and reconstruction of State highways shall be available for use for the maintenance and reconstruction of such State highways and for such purposes are hereby appropriated

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1183, (House Bill No. 757), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1185, as follows:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" which was added to said section by section of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ten) entitled "An act to further amend section one thousand two hundred ten and to repeal sections one thousand two hundred eleven one thousand two hundred thirteen and two thousand eight hundred and five of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribe penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' and making an appropriation" and which was last amended by section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-eight) entitled "An act to further amend section one thousand two hundred ten as amended of an act approved the eighteent hday of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvanit together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' " is hereby further amended to read as follows

Eight County superintendents of counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000) minimum annual salary [two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)] three thousand dollars ($3,000) county superintendents of counties having a population of twenty thuosand and more but less than forty-five thousand ($45,000)minimum annual salary three thousand five hundred dollars [($3,000)] ($3,500) county superintendents of counties having a population of forty-five thousand and more but less than one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) minimum annual salary [three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500)] four thousand dollars ($4,000) county superintendents of counties having a population of one hundred and fifty thousand ($150,000) or more minimum annual salary four thousand five hundred dollars [($4,000)] ($4,500) all assistant county superintendents minimum annual salary [two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)] three thousand dollars ($3,000)

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1214, (House Bill No. 1772), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1217, (House Bill No. 931), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1219, (House Bill No. 1095), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violations of the provisions thereof" as amended providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1222, (House Bill No. 1459), entitled:

An Act relating to licenses permits fees fines penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1226, (House Bill No. 1630), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred fifty-eight), entitled "An act to fix regulate and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1236, (House Bill No. 1793), as follows:

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to facilitate the work of any Department of the government of the Commonwealth it shall be lawful for the Secretary of any such Department to require from any person proposing to bid on public work duly advertised a standard form of questionnaire and financial statement containing a complete statement of the person's financial ability and experience in performing public work before furnishing such person with plans and specifications for the proposed public work advertised and to obtain any other information deemed necessary and to classify such person as to the limits of work on which he shall be qualified to submit bids

Section 2 Whenever the Secretary of any department of the State government is not satisfied with the sufficiency of the answers contained in such standard questionnaire and financial statement of such persons and such other information as he may have obtained he may refuse to furnish such persons with plans and specifications on public work duly advertised and the bid of any person to whom plans and specifications have not been issued may be disregarded

Section 3 Any contractor after being notified of his classification by the Secretary of a Department and being dissatisfied therewith may request a hearing before the Secretary of such Department and present such further evidence with respect to his financial responsibility plant and equipment or experience as might tend to justify in his opinion a higher classification After hearing the additional evidence the Secretary of such Department may in his discretion change the classification of the contractor

Section 4 Any contractor who makes or causes to be made any incomplete false or fraudulent statement in the application required to be made by section one of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars or in the case of an individual or the officer or employe charged with the duty of making such application for a person firm copartnership association or corporation to undergo imprisonment not exceeding six months or both

Section 5 The word "person" as used herein shall mean and include any individual copartnership association corporation or joint stock company their lessees trustees or receivers appointed by any court whatsoever

Section 6 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed and this act shall take effect immediately

And said bill havig been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1241, as follows:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes'

retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employe's retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association and enlarging the class of employes entitled to become such members" is hereby further amended to read as follows

9 "Original member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a State employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before [December thirty-first] October first one thousand nine hundred and [twenty-eight] twenty-nine

Any such State employe who shall become an original member of the association after the approval of this amendment including those who having heretofore become a new member thereof shall become an original member under the provisions hereof shall pay to the retirement association a sum equal to all the back payments which such person would have made had he or she become a member of the retirement association when the retirement system was established Such back payments may be spread over a period of years by having each regular pay roll deduction of such person increased by not less than one-third of the amount thereof which deduction increase shall be credited to the such back payments owing and shall be continued until the amount thereof shall be paid in full

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1242, as follows:

An Act to amend clause nine section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause nine section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from the contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association and enlarging the class of employes entitled to become such members" is hereby further amended to read as follows

9 "Original members" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a State employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before [December] October thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and [twenty-eight] twenty nine

Any such State employe who shall become an original member of the association after the approval of this amendment including those who having heretofore become a new member thereof shall become an original member under the provisions to all the back payments which such person would have made had he or she become a member of he retirement association when the retirement system was estblished Such back payments may be spread over a period of years by having each regular pay roll deduction of such person increased by not less than one-third of the amount thereof which deduction increase shall be credited to such back payments owing and shall be continued until the amount thereof shall be paid in full

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1256, as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof" as amended more specifically outlining the power of the board with respect to licenses and providing procedure relative thereto and providing for the disposition of moneys collected

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof" which was last amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand five) entitled "An act to further amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-seven) entitled 'An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof" by requiring additional educational qualifications of applicants for registration and requiring licensed undertakers and undertakers' assistants to register annually" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 6 Before any person persons or corporation shall hereafter engage in the business of undertaking or the care preparation disposition and the burial of the bodies of deceased persons in their own name and on their own account in this Commonwealth and before any person or persons or corporations now so engaged in said business who shall have failed to register with said board in accordance with section five of this act shall continue in said business such person or persons or person comprising or representing such corporations shall apply of the State Board of Undertakers for a license to practice the same and shall accompany such application with a fee of ten dollars or such other fee as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law whereupon the applicant as aforesaid shall present himself or herself before said board at a time and place to be fixed by said board If the board shall find upon due examination that the applicant or applicants are of good moral character possessed of an education which shall after January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight equal one year of high school work and after January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine equal two years of high school work and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty equal three years of high school work and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one equal complete high school work and shall be possessed of skill and knowledge of the said business of undertaking and have a reasonable knowledge of sanitation preservation of the dead disinfecting the body of deceased persons the apartment clothing and bedding in cases of death from infection or contagious diseases and have had practical experience in the business of undertaking for two years continuously with an undertaker or undertakers—the board shall issue to said applicant or applicants upon payment of a fee of twenty-five dollars a license to practice said business of undertaking and shall register such applicants or applicant as duly licensed undertakers

[Said board shall have full power at any time to revoke any licenses theretofore granted on proper cause and after full hearing of all the parties in interest]

The board by a majority vote thereof may refuse to grant suspend or revoke a license of any applicant or licensee for the following reasons

(a) The practice of any fraud or deceit in obtaining a license

(b) Violation of the health laws of this Commonwealth

(c) The conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude

(d) Habitual intemperance in the use of ardent spirits or stimulants narcotics or any other substance which impairs the intelligence and judgment to such an extent as to interfere with the proper carrying on of such business

(e) The use of misleading advertising

(f) Gross incompetency negligence or misconduct in the carrying on of such business

(g) Violation of or non-compliance with the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the board

No license shall be refused suspended or revoked until after a hearing by the board with not less than ten days' notice thereof to the applicant or licensee at which hearing the applicant or licensee shall have the right to appear personally and by counsel with the right of cross examination and of producing evidence and witnesses Licenses suspended or revoked shall be immediately returned to the board and the board or its representatives are hereby empowered to seize and retain licenses suspended or revoked licenses which have not been registered annually and licenses issued to persons who subsequently die

Such license shall be signed by a majority of the board and attested by its seal All persons receiving such license who shall register before said board as provided in section five of this act shall also register the fact at the office of the board of health at the city or at the office of the board of health nearest to the place in which it is proposed to carry on said business and any person persons or corporation obtaining a license under this section shall register that fact at the office of the board of health of the city or at the office of the board of health nearest to the place in which it is proposed to carry on said business and shall display said license in a conspicuous place in the office of the place of such licensee

Every person registered as a licensed undertaker shall annually hereafter during the month of January cause his or her certificate to be recorded in the office of the State Board of Undertakers for which annual registration the said licensed undertaker shall pay a fee of two dollars or such other fee as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law The board on or before the first day of November of each year shall mail to every person registered as a licensed undertaker a blank application for registration Upon receipt of such application blank each licensed undertaker shall fill in such information as the board may deem necessary and forward the same to the board together with the aforesaid fee

Every person employed as an undertaker's assistant and not registered as a licensed undertaker shall be registered by his employer with the State Board of Undertakers annually and shall furnish such information as the board may deem necessary and a fee of one dollar or such other fee as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law shall be paid for each annual registration Should a registered undertaker's assistant for any reason leave the employ of such undertaker and accept employment as an assistant to another undertaker he or she shall be immediately reregistered by the then employing undertaker with the board and for such registration shall pay an additional fee of one dollar or such other sum as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law and the regular annual registration as may be provided by said board as aforesaid shall continue and a fee of one dollar or such other fee as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law shall be paid for each annual registration

All fees collected under the provisions of this section shall [go to and be used by the State Board of Undertakers to defray its necessary expenses] be paid into the general fund of the State Treasury

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Sentae Bill No. 1262, (House Bill No. 485), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions with capital stock heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1267, (House Bill No. 1431), entitled:

An Act to amend Sections 1017 and 1047 of "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," approved May 4, 1927.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1269, (House Bill No. 1467), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended, seventeen as amended, twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State highways in boroughs; providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases; providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State-aid highways; requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases before constructing State-aid highways; and authorizing the Secretary of Highways to change the width, lines and location of State-aid highways; and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1271, (House Bill No. 1562), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1272, (House Bill No. 1589), entitled:

An Act to amend clause four, section three, article five of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended, by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1280, (House Bill No. 1723), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

(P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the County Treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1286, as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 9 In cases where real estate owned by institutions corporations or unincorporated associations which have received appropriations of money made by the Commonwealth for the structures erections or permanent improvements of any kind and for which the Commonwealth shall have a lien as herein provided or as provided by any other acts of Assembly shall be sold or taken by eminent domain and other property of equal or greater value be acquired by such institutions corporations or unincorporated associations the Auditor General shall upon the entry of a lien upon such acquired property in favor of the Commonwealth for an amount equal to that theretofore existing release the real estate from the lien to which it was theretofore subject

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1287 as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers and making an appropriation" extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War imposng certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers and making an appropriation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when the grave of any person who served during the Revolutionary War or war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve in the military or naval forces of the Colony of Pennsylvaania or of the other English colonies in America which is located in this Commonwealth is not marked by a suitable headstone the Adjutant General shall upon application cause to be erected at such grave a headstone of such material and design as shall be approved by the Governor with the name of the deceased the date of his death the organizations to which he belonged

The expense of such headstone shall not exceed thirty-five ($35) dollars

Section 2 That section two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 It shall be the duty of the mayor of each city the burgess of each borough and incorporated town and the commissioners or supervisors of each township in the Commonwealth on the request of the Adjutant General to furnish data to the Adjutant General relative to unmarked graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors or soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve by giving a list of the sites of such unmarked graves in their respective cities or counties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1306, as follows:

An Act to amend section one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An Act providing for payment of pension to either the widow minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania who may die from injuries received or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment providing method of payment fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the Act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An Act providing for payment of pension to either the widow minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania who may die from injuries received or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to the Auditor General for payment providing method of payment fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That a pension not exceeding [twelve] twenty-five dollars per month payable quarterly may be paid to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or the Naval Force of Pennsylvania who may die from injuries received or who may

be killed or who within two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed in line of duty while in active service under orders of the Governor [and for which active service a per diem pay is allowed under existing law] which active service shall include participation in armory drills or participation in aerial flights incidental to training of National Guard Troops or the Naval Force of Pennsylvania

Section 2 That section two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 All claims for pension under this act shall be made to the State Military Board consisting of the Adjutant General Auditor General and State Treasurer who shall establish rules governing the filing of such claims thoroughly investigate all circumstances connected with the death of the soldier whose death is the basis of a claim for pension and the said State Military Board may after June first nineteen hundred and nine upon satisfactory evidence submitted or obtained grant a pension not exceeding [twelve] twenty-five dollars per month to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of the deceased soldier and certify same to the Auditor General who shall thereafter draw a warrant quarterly upon the State Treasurer to the order of the pensioner for which payment a proper voucher will be filed in form to be prescribed and furnished by the Auditor General

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1313, (House Bill No. 850), entitled:

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and prior sessions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1317, (House Bill No. 1535), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1319, (House Bill No. 1554), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 961), entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers, clerks, and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1333, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all cities of the third class are hereby authorized and empowered to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land lying either within or without the limitations of said city but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located which in the judgment of the corporate authorities thereof may be necessary and desirable for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal aidromes or aviation landing fields and to erect thereon such buildings as the purpose for which such land was acquired may in the opinion of the authority of such city be deemed expedient

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1355, (House Bill No. 1744), entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 455), entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State, and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution," by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1359, (House Bill No. 1767), entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1361, (House Bill No. 1842), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1479, as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase and to provide for the Commonwealth a printing plant and equipment and to install the same in the Emerson-Brantingham Building located in the City of Harrisburg and purchased by the Commonwealth for use of said department The department shall purchase said plant and equipment by contract in the manner provided by the Administrative Code of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the awarding of contracts for stationery paper fuel repairs furnishings and supplies

Section 2 The Department of Property and Supplies shall not be authorized to operate said plant but shall at all times hold the same in readiness for operation and shall lease the use of the same for such consideration as may be fixed by the department to any person firm or corporation having a contract for printing for the Commonwealth and such plant and equipment shall be used as an auxiliary plant to expedite the printing of the Commonwealth

Whenever the use of said plant and equipment is not required to expedite the printing of the Commonwealth the department shall have power to lease the use of the same or any part thereof to any person firm or corporation for such time and for such consideration as the department may fix

Section 3 The said plant and equipment shall at all times be under the control of the Department of Property and Supplies and shall be maintained and kept in repair by said department at the expense of the Commonwealth Provided however That the department may provide in any contract of leasing that any person firm or corporation using such plant shall be responsible for any damage happening to such plant during the time he or it is operating the same

Section 4 All moneys collected by the Department for the use of said printing plant and equipment shall be paid by the department into the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth

Section 5 That the sum of .. .. dollars ($.....) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purposes of carrying into effect the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 48, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the home for Widows and Single Women of Reading Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 73, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children in the City of Reading Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars ($3,400) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Friendless Children in the city of Reading Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 123, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania for the purpose of maintenance for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Provided That the sum hereby appropriated shall not be paid if at any time during the said two years satisfactory evidence shall be produced to the Auditor General that articles manufactured are being sold at less than the open market price

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 202, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind Incorporated at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind Incorporated at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 203, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 204, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 224, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 239, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home at Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Aged Colored Women's Home at Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 240, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission of the City of Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically ap-

propriated to the Florence Crittenton Mission of the city of Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 242, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of the city of Williamsport Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand five hundred dollars ($10,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Friendless of the City of Williamsport Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 273, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association New Castle Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven thousand dollars ($7,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Almira Home Association of New Castle Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 371, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 372, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 373, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children of the city of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Friends' Home for Children of the city of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the purpose of maintenance for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third readin

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 413, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($22,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 423, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association of Western Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the George Junior Republic Association of Western Pennsylvania situate in Pine Township near Grove City Mercer County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 431, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 442, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania located in Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 443, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 461, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to be used for the purpose of maintenance of the Davis Temporary Home for Colored Children and Day Nursery located at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 554, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for work outside of Philadelphia County to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 559, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women located at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and

twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 652, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 653, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fourteen thousand dollars ($14,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 684, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 695, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 845, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1093, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1136, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General

Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars ($1,700) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1289, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eight thousand five hundred ($8,500) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Friendless of the city of Scranton for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1293, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Home located at Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1301, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1305, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home of Erie Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Florence Crittenton Home of Erie Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1331, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless situated in the City of Pittsburgh for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1340, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children located at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1342, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1368, (House Bill No. 1072), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital at Easton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1369, (House Bill No. 748), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital Braddock Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1370, (House Bill No. 12), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital West College Avenue York Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1371, (House Bill No. 16), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1372, (House Bill No. 32), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I move to amend as follows: In line 4, page 1, strike out the word "forty" and insert the word "fifty" in lieu thereof; also in same line and at beginning of line 5, strike out "($40,000)" and insert "($50,000)" in lieu thereof.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association, of Washington, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1378, (House Bill No. 100), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital, Oil City, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1379, (House Bill No. 108), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M. Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1380, (House Bill No. 115), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital of Indiana County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1381, (House Bill No. 132), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Altoona Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1382, (House Bill No. 134), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1383, (House Bill No. 162), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital, Ridley Park, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1384, (House Bill No. 164), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1385, (House Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital West Chester Chester County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1386, (House Bill No. 173), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital Kittanning Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1373, (House Bill No. 47), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, at Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1374, (House Bill No. 76), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1375, (House Bill No. 77), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital Franklin Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1376, (House Bill No. 88), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1377, (House Bill No. 92), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Grand View Institution of Oil City Venango County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1, section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the following "nine"; also line 4, by striking out "($6,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "($9,000)."

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives, Oil City, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1378, (House Bill No. 100), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital Oil City Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1379, (House Bill No. 108), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M. Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1380, (House Bill No. 115), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital, of Indiana County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1381, (House Bill No. 132), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, of Altoona, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1382, (House Bill No. 134), entitled:

Altoona Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1383, (House Bill No. 162), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Ridley Park Delaware County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1384, (House Bill No. 164), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association, of Kane, McKean County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1385, (House Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital, West Chester, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1386, (House Bill No. 173), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital, Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1387, (House Bill No. 176), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital, Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1388, (House Bill No. 185), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1389, (House Bill No. 191), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital, at Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1390, (House Bill No. 205), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1391, (House Bill No. 206), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1392, (House Bill No. 235), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association, of Roaring Spring, Blair County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1393, (House Bill No. 240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association, of the City of Pittston, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1394, (House Bill No. 243), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Canonsburg General Hospital Association, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1395, (House Bill No. 250), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association of Monongahela City Washington County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1396, (House Bill No. 255), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1397, (House Bill No. 260), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1398, (House Bill No. 275), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1399, (House Bill No. 277), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1400, (House Bill No. 283), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgome Hospital at Norristown Montgomery County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1401, (House Bill No. 307), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital, Ellwood City, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1402, (House Bill No. 335), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1403, (House Bill No. 345), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1404, (House Bill No. 352), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital, city of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1405, (House Bill No. 362), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1406, (House Bill No. 374), on second reading, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital, of Sayre, Pennsylvania.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1407, (House Bill No. 393), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1408, (House Bill No. 403), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association Incorporated of Allegheny County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association Incorporated of Allegheny County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1409, (House Bill No. 418), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital Chester Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1411, (House Bill No. 440), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the McKeesport Hospital of McKeesport Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance interest on debt and repairs to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical services rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such appropriation of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular ward charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1412, (House Bill No. 450), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1413, (House Bill No. 458), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1414, (House Bill No. 462), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($120,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Mount Sinai Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1, section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "twenty"; also line 5, by striking out "($110,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following "($120,000)."

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1415, (House Bill No. 463), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1416, (House Bill No. 480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, of Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1417, (House Bill No. 481), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1418, (House Bill No. 660), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital of Sharon Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Christian H Buhl Hospital located at Sharon Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1419, (House Bill No. 664), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and its is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred and forty-five thousand dollars ($145,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part day service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1420, (House Bill No. 667), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3.00) per diem for medical and surgical services rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said Hospital who is entitled to free services and

for each day of part-pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3.00) per diem rate as the part of the regular ward charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however that said Hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1, section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "eleven"; also line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the following: "five hundred"; also line 4, by striking out "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "($11,500)."

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois, at DuBois, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1421, (House Bill No. 673), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1422, (House Bill No. 675), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, of Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1423, (House Bill No. 676), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1424, (House Bill No. 678), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1425, (House Bill No. 690), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1426, (House Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1427, (House Bill No. 706), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital Uniontown Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand five hundred dollars ($50,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Uniontown Hospital Uniontown Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1428, (House Bill No. 717), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1429, (House Bill No. 734), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1430, (House Bill No. 739), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1431, (House Bill No. 746), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars ($19,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1, section 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand", the following: "five hundred"; also line 5 by striking out "($19,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "(19,500)"

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital, located at Bellefonte, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1432, (House Bill No. 762), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1433, (House Bill No. 767), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the following purposes namely The sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars ($8,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital That sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a clinic exclusively for crippled children

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof "ten"; also line 4, by striking out the words "five hundred"; also line 5, by striking out the figure "(8,500)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($10,000)"; also line 9, by striking out the word "purpose" and inserting in lieu thereof "following purposes, namely: The sum of eight thousand five hundred

dollars ($8,500), or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose"; also page 2, line 4, by inserting at the end of the section the following: "The sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500), or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a clinic exclusively for crippled children."

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital, East Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1434, (House Bill No. 779), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1435, (House Bill No. 784), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital, in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1436, (House Bill No. 807), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1437, (House Bill No. 846), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1438, (House Bill No. 847), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1439, (House Bill No. 837), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care, treatment, removal, and maintenance of the indigent insane, prior to June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1440, (House Bill No. 879), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1441, (House Bill No. 880), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1442, (House Bill No. 881), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1443, (House Bill No. 889), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1445, (House Bill No. 906), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1446, (House Bill No. 909), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital of New Kensington Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-eight thousand four hundred dollars ($28,400) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Citizens' General Hospital of New Kensington Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1447, (House Bill No. 980), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1448, (House Bill No. 986), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital, of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1449, (House Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1450, (House Bill No. 996), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives, located at Eagleville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1451, (House Bill No. 1044), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1452, (House Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital Bradford Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1453, (House Bill No. 1152), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1454, (House Bill No. 1175), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1455, (House Bill No. 1181), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1456, (House Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital, Renovo, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1457, (House Bill No. 1186), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital Lock Haven Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1458, (House Bill No. 1209), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1459, (House Bill No. 1231), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital located at Frankford Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1460, (House Bill No. 1240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital, Berwick, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1461, (House Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1462, (House Bill No. 1302), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eight thousand seven hundred dollars ($8,700) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Suburban General Hospital located at Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1, section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: ten; also page 1, section

1, line 4, by striking out "seven hundred"; also page 1, section 1, line 5, by striking out "($8,700)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: ($10,000)

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital, of Bellevue, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1463, (House Bill No. 1305), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Northeastern Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1464, (House Bill No. 1308), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1465, (House Bill No. 1405), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital, Pittsville, Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1466, (House Bill No. 1428), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1467, (House Bill No. 1457), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1468, (House Bill No. 1508), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1469, (House Bill No. 1525), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital of Warren Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1470, (House Bill No. 1560), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital Waynesboro Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1471, (House Bill No. 1561), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1472, (House Bill No. 1588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital at McKees Rocks Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1475, (House Bill No. 1636), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1476, (House Bill No. 1637), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1477, (House Bill No. 1675), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1564, (House Bill No. 261), entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1564, (House Bill No. 261), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1565, (House Bill No. 1531), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1565, (House Bill No. 1531), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1566, (House Bill No. 1532), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1566, (House Bill No. 1562), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 220.

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. CLARK offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 220, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 83), entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance, care and treatment of the indigent insane in county and local institutions," as amended; increasing the weekly payments and extending the provisions of said act to poor districts.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none

Mr. EALY, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1316, (House Bill No. 1086), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five, of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

BILL ON THIRD READING POSTPONED FOR THE PRESENT.

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now resume the consideration of Senate Bill No. 580, on third reading postponed for the present, entitled:

An Act authorizing the district attorneys and courts in counties of the fourth class to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties; fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

BILL DROPPED FROM CALENDAR.

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill, No. 580, be dropped from the calendar.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Mr. Arthur James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

House Bill No. 7, entitled:

An Act to provide for the treatment and care of sick or disabled United States Veterans having a legal residence in the State of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1086), entitled "An act regulating the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties containing a population of not less than one hundred ninety thousand nor more than seven hundred thousand inhabitants," by providing that fees charged shall not include State tax.

House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended.

House Bill No. 470, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the merger and consolidation of National banking associations with State banks trust companies or banks and trust companies.

House Bill No. 514, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for any president vice-president cashier treasurer secretary teller bookkeeper clerk employe or agent of any mutual savings bank saving bank bank of discount and deposit trust company title insurance company surety company or safe deposit company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or of any private bank or unincorporated association receiving deposits of money or of any building and loan association incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or authorized to do business therein his or their aiders and abbettors to embezzle abstract or wilfully misapply any of the moneys funds or credits of such institution or to issue certificates of deposit draw any order or bill of exchange make any acceptance assign any note bond draft bill of exchange mortgage judgment or other instrument in writing without authority from the directors of such institution with intent to deceive or defraud or to make a false entry in the books reports or statements thereof with like intent prescribing penalties and authorizing the Banking Commissioner to institute prosecutions" extending the penalties provided by said act to cases where officers directors employes and agents of aforesaid institutions commit certain acts as indiviuals or as officers directors employes or members of corporations or copartnerships with intent to injure or defraud such institutions or to deceive any bank examiner

House Bill No. 376, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and twenty-one) entitled "An act to exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes actual places of religious worship places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit and institutions of purely public charity and repealing prior acts relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," by adding thereto clause fifty; authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

House Bill No. 263, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-six as amended, and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 522), entitled "An act relating to dogs, and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs, providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture; providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show and breeding

purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs, and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners; providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs, and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs, and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth; imposing powers and duties on certain State, county, city, borough, town, and township officers and employes; directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury; and making an appropriation thereof; and providing penalties."

House Bill No. 346, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred and one), entitled "An act relating to the acquisition and holding of property, real and personal, by any literary, scientific, educational, religious, charitable, benevolent or beneficial society, church, congregation, association, or body incorporated, or any trustee or trustees of any trust for charitable or benevolent objects or purposes; fixing the amount of such property which may thus be acquired and held; and providing for the increase of such amount, and a method of procedure for obtaining the right to such increase," by increasing limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations, societies or congregations.

House Bill No. 896, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of taxes erroneously or inadvertently paid to the county treasurer or delinquent tax collector of counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 1004, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the county treasurers of the several counties of this Commonwealth to sell at public sale, all seated lands upon which taxes assessed on such seated lands by authority of any county, borough, town, township, school district and poor district, are delinquent and remain unpaid, and fixing penalties for such delinquency authorizing county commissioners to purchase such lands under certain circumstances.

House Bill No. 1114, entitled:

An Act relating to hearings before the Public Service Commission.

House Bill No. 1057, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph one of section seven of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs and townships of the first class to adopt and enforce zoning ordinances regulating the location and construction and use of buildings the size of courts and open spaces the density of population and the use of land" providing the manner in which the board of adjustment shall be appointed.

House Bill No. 1419, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 34), entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of persons employed in tenement houses and shops where clothing, cigarettes, cigars and certain other articles are made, or partially made, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same, and to provide for the safety and regulating the employment of said persons."

House Bill No. 1420, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 41), entitled "An act to protect the life and limbs of those employed in the construction of new buildings in this Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 1421, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 970), entitled "An act to protect the health and lives of employes in certain occupations, by requiring the use of blowers, or similar apparatus, in connection with certain kinds of machinery, and specifying the equipment to be used in connection therewith; regulating the use of such blowers and apparatus, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

House Bill No. 1422, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 99), entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor constituting a day's work in this State to eight hours."

House Bill No. 1441, entitled:

An Act to repeal section twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 364), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes, and for municipal improvements, and for the removal of nuisances; the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened, and the manner of distributing the proceeds of such sales," in so far as the same relates to counties of the fourth, fifth and sixth classes.

House Bill No. 1503, entitled:

An Act providing for the purchase by the Commonwealth of a building in the City of Harrisburg for the use of the Department of Property and Supplies and making an appropriation therefor.

House Bill No. 1526, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth, except in counties of the first and second class; and revising, amending, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 1552, entitled:

An Act regulating loans by building and loan associations.

House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined.

House Bill No. 908, entitled:

An Act permitting County Commissioners in counties of the seventh class when acting as trustees of property for public purposes to invest moneys in such trust in such securities as are lawful investments for funds in the hands of fiduciaries.

House Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act regulating the quarantining of animals, poultry, premises, localities, and areas in the Commonwealth; defining quarantines and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture, its officers and agents in establishing and enforcing quarantines; and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Mr. Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1117

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has con-

curred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1117, entitled:

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Auditor General or any other agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or resettlement of State taxes

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1157.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the city of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1522.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1522, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in the counties of the sixth class

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred fifteen

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1558.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1558, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 836), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks, establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts," establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein; by the board of magistrates; prescribing their powers and duties, and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO ONE HUNDREDTH AND FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF BRIGADIER GENERAL CASIMIR PULASKI.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate of Pennsylvania, April 8, 1929.

Whereas, On October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, will occur the one hundredth and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero, and

Whereas, The service rendered by him was of great value and assistance to the cause of American Independence and of such high importance that on September fifteenth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven he was appointed Brigadier General of the Continental Army and Chief of Dragoons, and on March twenty-eighth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight he was designated commander of an independent corps known as Pulaski's Legion, and

Whereas, He died on October eleventh, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine of wounds received on October ninth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine at the siege of Savannah, Georgia, and

Whereas, it is but fitting that proper recognition should be given to the memory of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski whose illustrious service in the war for American Independence is well known to all who are familiar with our history, therefore be it

Section 1. Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized to issue a proclamation calling upon the State officials to display the United States Flag on the State Building, and the people of the State of Pennsylvania to display the flag at their homes or other suitable places on October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine in honor of the one hundredth and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero.

Section 2. That October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, shall be designated and known as General Pulaski's Memorial Day, and that the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania is urged to request its observance as provided in this resolution.

Section 3. That there is hereby established a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesqui-centennial Commission (hereinafter referred to as the commission), and to be composed of ten commissioners as follows: Six persons to be appointed by the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, two Senators to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and two Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Pennsylvania. The Commissioners shall serve without compensation therefor from the State of Pennsylvania.

Section 4. The commission is authorized to arrange an appropriate observance and commemoration to take place in the month of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine in the State of Pennsylvania of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski and to participate on behalf of the State of Pennsylvania in such manner as it deems advisable in any other observance or celebration of such anniversary which may be held in the State of Pennsylvania during the year of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Section 5. The members of the commission appointed shall be persons of high standing and character having a known interest in suitably observing and commemorating the events connected with the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero. The Governor may for just cause based upon written charges specifying the alleged mis-

conduct, removed any member of the commission after notice to such member, and a public hearing. Any vacancy caused shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.

Section 6. When the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesqui-centennial Commission shall have finally completed such observance and commemoration of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, which may be arranged for in connection therewith, the Governor on request of the commission shall issue an order declaring the commission dissolved.

Section 7. The commission shall select a chairman from among its members.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO AMENDMENT TO TARIFF LAW.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Whereas, The importation of Bituminous and Anthracite Coal and their products into the United States from European Countries is working a great injury upon the owners and workers of the Bituminous and Anthracite regions of Pennsylvania where thousands of miners are unemployed at the present time, and

Whereas, The importation of Textiles from Asiatic and European Countries into the United States is creating havoc and demoralization among these industries in Pennsylvania, among the owners and the workers thereof, particularly at this time when the industry is in need of a greater domestic market at a fair price for its products, and

Whereas, The importation of Art leaded and Memorial windows for churches and other buildings of similar design is working a great injury to the glass manufacturing industry of the United States, and

Whereas, The above mentioned importations are imposing these hardships upon the industries mentioned and the workers therein, because these importations are made with the exception of textiles, into our country duty free, and

Whereas, The principal points of production and manufacture of coal, textiles and art glass and memorial windows are largely located in the State of Pennsylvania,

Therefore be it resolved, and it is hereby resolved:

That the Senate and House of Representatives of the 1929 Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature memorialize the Congress of the United States and especially the United States Senator and Congressmen from Pennsylvania to use their best offices in an effort to amend the Tarif Law in a manner that will bring adequate protection to the Coal, Textile and Art Glass industries of Pennsylvania from this very destructive foreign competition.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 917.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 917, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred ninety-five, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight), as amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-four), entitled "An act to amend the second section, as amended of, and to supplement, an act, entitled 'A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act, entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, amending the twenty-fourth section, by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth,' approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five; amending the same to provide for the payment of the net proceeds of the entire two per centum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement, including townships among the distributees."

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1165.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1165, (House Bill No. 314), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I would like to ask the Senate to vote this motion down. There is no special reason for referring this bill to a committee. This bill provides, as far as I understand, that the State can appropriate money toward streets in third class cities, second class cities and so forth; and I think it is high time that the men from the townships and boroughs help the cities somewhat, in a financial way, to take care of their streets. I can see no reason whatever why this bill should go back to committee; and if the Senator from Bucks, Mr. Buckman, can give me a good reason, I will listen to it.

Mr. BUCKMAN. It is very kind of the Senator from Lackawanna, Mr. Davis, to even listen to the Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways in a matter of this kind.

This is a part of the road program of this Commonwealth at the present session. This bill seems to have trotted a little faster than I could keep up with it, it go through unnoticed and unintentionally. As far as I am concerned, I have nothing against the bill; in fact, I am for it 100%, but I have a cer-

tain program to follow out, and a certain method, in reference to these road bills, of advancing them on the calendar. They were put back into committee, were to be held only a very short time, and then would be placed before the Senate for final action.

I am just as strongly for this bill as is the Senator from Lackawanna, but it is part of a road program of seven or eight bills, and this bill happened to get on third reading ahead of its mates or companions, and slipped through unintentionally.

I therefore trust that the Senate will sustain my motion to recommit this bill, in order that it may be placed alongside of the other bills which are part of the same program.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I am very glad to know that the Senator from Bucks, Mr. Buckman, is one hundred per cent for this bill. Under those circumstances I certainly will not object to its going to his committee; and I hope he will bring it out in due time,—just as fast as it was placed on the calendar.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The motion was agreed to.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SALUS, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——day of ———, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, (P. L. Act No. ——), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenue derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties;" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil, and gas oil.

BILL INTRODUCED.

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to read a bill in place at this time.

Mr. PARKINSON read in his place and presented to the Chair Senate Bill No. 1583, entitled:

A Joint Resolution directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

RECESS.

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. HUNSICKER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to,

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 934, (Senate Bill No. 1584), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1124, (Senate Bill No. 1585), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, (P. L. 194), entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of peace, and regulating the fees of constables making sales under this act," by further enlarging the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and extending the provisions of said act to aldermen.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1306, (Senate Bill No. 1586), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1366, (Senate Bill No. 1587), entitled:

An Act to amend subdivision three of section three of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1529, (Senate Bill No. 1588), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two, as amended, clause (a) of section seven hundred and four, and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto"

Which was committed to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

House Bill No. 1882, (Senate Bill No. 1589), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, (P. L. 1341), entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County."

Which was committed to the Committee on Repeal Bills.

House Bill No. 1889, (Senate Bill No. 1590), entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes.

Which was committeed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1892, (Senate Bill No. 1591), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 426), entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings."

Which was committed to the Committee on Repeal Bills.

House Bill No. 2070, (Senate Bill No. 1592), entitled:

An Act authorizing the county controllers of counties of the fifth class to have their annual report printed and prepared in pamphlet form for distribution and providing for the payment thereof by the proper county

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 11, (Senate Bill No. 1593), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitiled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties an dciting certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 183, (Senate Bill No. 1594), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 234, (Senate Bill No. 1595), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 236, (Senate Bill No. 1596), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 266, (Senate Bill No. 1597), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 267, (Senate Bill No. 1598), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, for maintenance of said home and payments of expenses of administration, including salaries of officials and clerks, and for repairs, and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 282, (Senate Bill No. 1599), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 285, (Senate Bill No. 1600), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 360, (Senate Bill No. 1601), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 490, (Senate Bill No. 1602), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township, Warren County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 579, (Senate Bill No. 1603), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School, at Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 671, (Senate Bill No. 1604), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 701, (Senate Bill No. 1605), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 722, (Senate Bill No. 1606), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 997, (Senate Bill No. 1607), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195), entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1093, (Senate Bill No. 1608), entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1098, (Senate Bill No. 1609), entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1338, (Senate Bill No. 1610), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1343, (Senate Bill No. 1611), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1357, (Senate Bill No. 1612), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1454, (Senate Bill No. 1613), entitled:

An act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1474, (Senate Bill No. 1614), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 235) entitled "An act to promote the health and efficiency of firemen in cities of the first class, by providing for a two platoon system for the certain officers of the uniformed fire force of the Department of Public Safety of such cities."

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 1534, (Senate Bill No. 1615), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital, of Kane, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1745, (Senate Bill No. 1616), entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or ates sewer ates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 1758, (Senate Bill No. 1617), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1885, (Senate Bill No. 1618), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating law relating thereto."

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1893, (Senate Bill No. 1619), entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1921, (Senate Bill No. 1620), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Which was committed to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 1930, (Senate Bill No. 1621), entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

Which was committed to the Committee on Exposition Affairs.

House Bill No. 1957, (Senate Bill No. 1622), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs

House Bill No. 1973, (Senate Bill No. 1623), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase, or gift, or lease, or condemnation, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata, in whole or in part; to provide for the control, management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2034, (Senate Bill No. 1624), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2038, (Senate Bill No. 1625), entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class, fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments; and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2064, (Senate Bill No. 1626), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws, general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 2132, (Senate Bill No. 1627), entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 278, as follows:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events including provision for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be used for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it shall be lawful for and the right is hereby conferred upon any city to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events including provision for the accommodation for patriotic societies or groups or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city said auditorium to be a memorial to the heroes of the Great War

Section 2 Every such lease shall be for a term of not more than ninety-nine years may provide for a right of renewal for a like term and shall contain provision for the improvement of the real estate by the erection of a suitable building or buildings of dignified and appropriate architecture absolute ownership of which building or buildings shall revert to the city free of any claim or charge at the end of the term of the said lease or any renewal thereof

Section 3 The building so erected may be used for any one or more of the following purposes which are hereby declared in respect of this subject matter to be uses for public purposes As an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events including provision for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups or such other accommodation and features as may be approved from time to time by the city

Section 4 The title to the said property as so improved shall remain in the city and neither the said real estate nor the leasehold estate created by such lease shall be subject to local or other taxation

The lessees shall be exclusively liable for the maintenance and upkeep of the demised premises and shall be solely responsible for the maintenance and operation thereof

Section 5 Any such lease may provide that the lessor shall be entitled to receive a sum equal to the net income of said demised premises after reasonable reserves and proper amortization charges

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—40.

Apple,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Aron,	Earnest,	Krauss,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingärtner,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	
Davis,	Hunsicker,		

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1138, on final passage, entitled:

An Act relating to counties establishing salary boards and prescribing their powers and duties in relation to fixing the number and compensation of appointees in county offices boards bureaus divisions departments courts and institutions and of judges whose compensation is paid from county funds and the compensation of election officers and their clerks taxation and election assessors and registrars and employes and appointees of personal registration commissions in cities whose compensation is paid from the county treasury conferring powers similar to those of salary boards on the legislative bodies which levy the taxes in counties of the first class regulating the use and payment over of fees commissions mileage and taxes by certain county officers for the use of the county

and the Commonwealth defining the powers of detectives requiring counties to pay the premium on bonds the cost of recording commission of county officers and their appointees and to furnish office furniture equipment supplies and services to county officers and courts and providing penalties.

be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1173, (House Bill No. 1346), as follows:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors stockholders officers and clerks of banks and trust companies

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one" as amended by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-one) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled "An act to enable the Governor to appoint Notaries Public and for other purposes therein mentioned" passed the fifteenth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one' so as to permit the taking of acknowledgments and the performing of any act or acts of a notary public by clerks employed by banks banking institutions and trust companies" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 That hereafter any stockholder director officer or clerk in any bank banking institution or trust company may at the same time hold exercise or enjoy the office of notary public Providing That no director or officer in any bank banking institution or trust company shall do or perform any act or acts as notary public or perform any duty or duties of notary public for such bank banking institution or trust company in which he or she may be a director or officer and any act or acts duty or duties performed by any notary public of any bank banking institution or trust company in which he or she may be a director or officer is and are hereby declared invalid. And provided however that [such] no clerk in any bank banking institution or trust company shall [not] be authorized to [protect] protest checks notes drafts bills of exchange or any commercial paper And provided further That the fees of any such notary for the services rendered shall be the property of such notary and in no case belong to or be received by the corporation of which he may be a stockholder director or clerk

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1238 as follows:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the title of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claim within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

An Act requiring person partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner regulating the issuance and revocation of such licenses prescribing certain conditions for the transaction of such business and providing penalties

Section 2 That Section three of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The Insurance Commissioner shall issue adjusters' licenses to persons partnerships associations or corporations applying therefor whom he deems to be trustworthy and competent to transact business as public adjusters in such manner as to safeguard the interests of the public but no license shall be issued to any person partnership association or corporation engaged or interested in or receiving any profit from nor shall the holder of any such license engage or be interested in or receive any profit from any salvage or similar business

No licensed public adjuster shall directly or indirectly act within this Commonwealth as a public adjuster without having first entered into a contract in writing in a form approved by the Insurance Commissioner and executed in duplicate by the public adjuster and the assured or his duly authorized

representative one copy of which contract shall be kept on file by the public adjuster open at all times to inspection without notice by the Insurance Commissioner his deputy or his examiners

Every licensed public adjuster shall keep a full record of his transactions as public adjuster open at all times without notice to the inspection of the Insurance Commissioner his deputy or his examiners showing (1) the name of the assured (2) the date location and amount of the loss (3) the name of the insurer amount expiration date and number of each policy of insurance carried with respect to such loss (4) an itemized statement of all recoveries by the assured from all sources (5) the name or names and addresses of any person or persons soliciting the adjustment and the date when solicited (6) the total compensation received for adjustment and the amount of commission salary or compensation paid to each employee and solicitor and (7) such other information as the Insurance Commissioner may require

A license issued to a corporation partnership or association shall authorize only the officers and directors of the corporation or the members of the partnership or association specified in the license The fee to be paid to the Insurance Commissioner by the applicant for such adjusters' license at the time the application is made and annually thereafter for the renewal thereof shall be one hundred dollars If the applicant is a corporation partnership or association such fee shall be paid for each person specified in the license

Section 3 That Section 4 of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Before any adjuster's license is issued by the Insurance Commissioner there shall be filed in the Insurance Department a written application therefor Such application shall be on form or forms and supplements thereof prescribed by the commissioner and must set forth (a) The name and address of the applicant and if the applicant is a partnership or association the name and address of each member and if the applicant is a corporation the name and address of each of its officers and directors (b) whether any license as agent broker or adjuster has been issued heretofore by the commissioner to the applicant and if the applicant is an individual whether any such license has been heretofore issued to any partnership or association of which he was or is a member or to any corporation of which he was or is an officer or director and if the applicant is a partnership or association whether any such license has been issued heretofore to any member thereof and if the applicant is a corporation whether any such license has been issued heretofore any officer or director of such corporation (c) the business in which the applicant has been engaged for the year next preceding the date of the application and if employed by another the name or names and address or addresses of such employer or employers (d) such other information as the commissioner may require to enable him to determine their trustworthiness and competency to transact the business of public adjusters in such manner as to safeguard the interests of the public

An application for an adjuster's license must be signed and sworn to by the applicant if an individual and if made by a partnership or association by each member thereof and if made by a corporation by each officer and director thereof who is authorized thereby to act as an adjuster

Each person partnership association or corporation receiving such license shall before transacting any business thereunder execute and deliver to the Insurance Commissioner a bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) with such sureties as the Insurance Commissioner may approve conditioned that said public adjuster will faithfully comply with all the requirements of this act

Section 4 That Section seven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 7 If an application for license under this act is refused or if a license is revoked by the commissioner notice thereof shall forthwith be served on the applicant or on the holder of such license either personally or by mail If by mail such service shall be complete if the notice is deposited in the post office postage prepaid directed to the applicant or the holder of such license as the case may be at the place of business specified in the application or license

Within thirty days from the date of such notice the applicant or licensee may apply to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County by petition and rule to show cause why the action of the commissioner should not be set aside and the license be issued or reinstated

Section 5 That Section 8 of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 8 Any person partnership association or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not [exceeding] less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars

Section 6 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1248, as follows:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

Article XX

State [Normal Schools] Teachers Colleges

Section 2001 There shall be thirteen [Normal School] State Teachers College Districts in this Commonwealth as now provided and one State [Normal School] Teachers College in each district

Delaware Chester Bucks and Montgomery Counties shall be the First [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College in West Chester

shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lancaster York and Lebanon Counties shall be the second [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Millersville shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Berks Schuylkill and Lehigh Counties shall be the Third [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Kutztown shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Northampton Carbon Monroe Pike Luzerne Lackawanna and Wayne Counties shall be the Fourth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at East Stroudsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Wyoming Sullivan Susquehanna Bradford Lycoming and Tioga Counties shall be the Fifth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Mansfield shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Dauphin Northumberland Columbia Montour Union Snyder Perry Juniata and Mifflin Counties shall be the Sixth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College of this district

Cumberland Adams Franklin Fulton Bedford Huntingdon and Blair Counties shall be the Seventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Shippensburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Centre Clinton Clearfield Elk Potter and Cameron Counties shall be the Eighth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Lock Haven shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Cambria Indiana Armstrong and Westmoreland Counties shall be the Ninth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Indiana shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Washington Fayette Greene and Somerset Counties shall be the tenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at California shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Allegheny Butler and Beaver Counties shall be the Eleventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Slippery Rock shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lawrence Mercer Venango Crawford and Erie Counties shall be the Twelfth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Edinboro shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Jefferson Clarion Forest Warren and McKean Counties shall be the Thirteenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Clarion shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Section 2002 The [State Normal Schools] Colleges shall be a part of the public school system of the Commonwealth and their purpose the education and [training] preparation of teachers The colleges shall provide proper facilities for instruction in the art and science of teaching for the boarding and lodging of students in residence and other necessary facilities approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 2003 No religious test or qualification shall be required to entitle anyone to become a trustee professor teacher or student in any college

Section 2004 Each college shall provide practice teaching facilities so organized and administered that the students of the college shall acquire therein a practical knowledge of the art of teaching under the instruction and supervision of their proper teachers It shall be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district in this Commonwealth to enter into an agreement between such board of trustees and board of school directors by which all or part of the pupils of such school district may be instructed in the Training School in such college upon terms mutually agreeable to the board of trustees and the board of school directors concerned It shall also be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district or districts to enter into an agreement upon terms mutually satisfactory in accordance with which all or part of the classes of such district or districts may be available for practice teaching facilities for the students of such college Such actions of the said school district or school districts and the boards of trustees of such colleges shall be entered respectively upon the minutes of the said respective boards and must be approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the college to and from the place or places where such practice teaching facilities are available.

Section 2005 The Board of Presidents of the State Teachers Colleges shall consist of presidents of the several colleges The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be the chairman and the Secretary of the State Council of Education shall be the secretary ex-officio thereof The board shall formulate the educational and administrative policies of the Colleges It shall meet annually in the City of Harrisburg and may meet more frequently and at other places by resolution of the Board or on the call of the Superintendent of Public Instruction A majority of all members of the Board shall constitute a quorum and any action favored by a majority of the members shall when approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction be binding upon all of the colleges

Section 2006 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall prescribe and conduct such examinations of students in the several colleges as he may deem necessary to determine and fix the standards of instruction in and of graduation from any of the curriculums of said colleges Each graduate from a college shall receive such a Normal School Certificate or College Diploma as the State Council of Education shall prescribe A Normal School Certificate shall be accepted as full evidence of the qualifications of the holder thereof to teach two annual full school terms in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examinations such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a holder of the College Diploma a provisional College Certificate entitling him to teach for three annual school terms in any public elementary or secondary school in this Commonwealth without further examination such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education

Section 2007 A holder of a State Normal School Certificate who after graduation from college has taught for two school terms in the public elementary schools of this Commonwealth and who presents a certificate of good moral character and of successful teaching for two school terms from the board or boards of school directors in whose employment he has taught countersigned by the proper superintendent or superintendents shall be granted a College Diploma by the State Normal School from which he was graduated signed by the same officers who sign the State Normal School certificates from such college which diploma shall be received as full evidence of his qualifications to teach any of the subjects set forth in his State Normal School certificate or diploma in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examination

Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State Teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are residents of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursuing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there is insufficient room

for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail

Section 2011 It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had this article number twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges not been included therein and that if said article twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges or any part thereof is declared unconstitutional the remainder of this act shall continue in full force and effect

Section 2012 Definitions The word "college" or "colleges" where used in this article shall apply to State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers now existing and such other State Teachers Colleges and State Teachers Training Schools as may hereafter be created or constituted by in and for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 2113 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—40.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schaltz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 435, as follows:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Article three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following section

Section 353 Location of Principal Office Records Securities and Funds Every stock and mutual insurance company association or exchange incorporated or organized under any law of this Commonwealth shall maintain its principal office and keep all its minute-books stocks-books original books of account contracts and all other original books of record and documents and all stocks bonds mortgages and other securities and certificates and evidences of indebtedness constituting the investment of its capital surplus reserves and other funds at a place within this Commonwealth except such part or amount thereof as shall be required to be maintained or deposited in another State or foreign country in order to enable it to comply with the laws of such State or foreign government for the purpose of transacting business therein No cash of said company association or exchange except such as shall be necessary for the transaction of its business or to enable it to comply with the laws of any other State or foreign country for the purpose of transacting business therein shall be kept held or deposited in a banking institution or otherwise in any other State or foreign country except upon the approval of the Insurance Commissioner first obtained in writing

Section 2 That article three of said act be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following section

Section 354 Discrimination Prohibited Penalties Discrimination between individuals of the same class in the amount of premiums or rates charged for any policy of insurance covered by this act or in the benefits payable thereon or in any of the terms or conditions thereof or in any manner whatsoever is prohibited Any person corporation association or exchange violating any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars for each such violation

Section 3 That section four hundred and ten of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 410 Uniform Policy Provisions No policy of life or endowment insurance except policies of industrial insurance where the premiums are payable monthly or oftener shall be issued or delivered by any stock or mutual life insurance company in this Commonwealth unless it contains in substance the following provisions

(a) A provision that all premiums shall be payable in advance either at the home office of the company or to an agent of the company upon delivery of a receipt signed by one or more of the officers of the company who shall be named in the policy

(b) A provision that the insured is entitled to a grace either of thirty days or one month within which the payment of any premium after the first year may be made subject at the option of the company to an interest charge not in excess of six per centum per annum for the number of days of grace elapsing before the payment of the premium during which period of grace the policy shall continue in full force but in case the policy becomes a claim during the said period of grace before the overdue premium or the deferred premiums of the current policy-year if any are paid the amount of such premiums with interest on any overdue premiums may be deducted in any settlement under the policy

(c) A provision that the policy shall be incontestible after it has been in force during the lifetime of the insured two years from its date of issue except for non payment of premiums and for engaging in military or naval service in time of war without the consent in writing of an executive officer of the company

(d) A provision that the policy shall constitute the entire contract between the parties but if the company desires to

make the application a part of the contract it may do so provided a copy of such application shall be endorsed upon or attached to the policy when issued and in such case the policy shall contain a provision that the policy and the application therefor shall constitute the entire contract between the parties

(e) A provision that if the age of the insured has been misstated the amount payable under the policy shall be such as the premium would have purchased at the correct age

(f) A provision that the policy shall participate in the surplus of the company and that beginning not later than the end of the third policy-year the company will annually determine the portion of the divisible surplus accruing on the policy and that the owner of the policy shall have the right to have the dividend arising from such participation paid in cash or applied to the payment of premium or the purchase of paid up additions to the policy as the policyholder may elect

In lieu of the foregoing provisions the policy may contain a provision that the policy shall participate in the surplus of the company and that beginning not later than the end of the tenth policy-year the company will determine the portion of the divisible surplus accruing on the policy and that the owner of the policy shall have the right to have the current dividend arising from such participation paid in cash and that at periods of not more than five years thereafter such apportionment and payment at the option of the policyholder shall be had

Renewable term policies of ten years or less may provide that the surplus accruing to such policies shall be determined and apportioned each year after the second policy-year and accumulated during each renewal period and that at the end of any renewal period or renewal of the policy by the insured the company shall apply the accumulated surplus as an annuity for the next succeeding renewal term in the reduction of premiums

(g) A provision specifying the options to which the policyholder is entitled in the event of default in a premium payment after three full annual premiums shall have been paid

(h) A provision that after three full years' premiums have been paid the company at any time while the policy is in force will advance on proper assignment or pledge of the policy and on the sole security thereof at a specified rate of interest a sum equal to or at the option of the owner of the policy less than the reserve at the end of the current policy year on the policy and on any dividend additions thereto less a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any dividend additions thereto and that the company will deduct from such loan value any existing indebtedness on the policy and any unpaid balance of the premium for the current policy-year and may collect interest in advance on the loan to the end of the current policy-year which provision may further provide that such loan may be deferred for not exceeding six months after the application therefor is made A company may in lieu of the provision hereinabove permitted for the deduction from a loan on the policy of a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any dividend additions thereto insert in the policy a provision that one-fifth of the entire reserve may be deducted in case of a loan under the policy or may provide therein that the deduction may be the said two and one-half per centum or the one-fifth of the said entire reserve at the option of the company

(i) A provision which in event of default in premium payments after premiums shall have been paid for three years shall secure to the owner of the policy a stipulated form of insurance the net value of which shall be at least equal to the reserve at the date of default on the policy and on any dividend additions thereto specifying the mortality table and rate of interest adopted for computing such reserves less a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any existing dividend additions thereto and less any existing indebtedness to the company on the policy Such provision shall stipulate that the policy may be surrendered to the company at its home office within one month from date of default for a specified cash value at least equal to the sum which would otherwise be available for the purchase of insurance as aforesaid and may stipulate that the company may defer payment for not more than six (6) months after the application therefor is made This provision shall not be required in term insurance of twenty years or less

(j) A table showing in figures the loan value if any and the options available under the policy each year upon default in premium payments during at least the first twenty years of the policy if the proceeds of a policy are payable in instalments or as an annuity a table showing the amount of the instalment or annuity payments

(k) A provision that the holder of a policy shall be entitled to have the policy reinstated at any time within three years from the date of default in premium payments unless the policy has been duly surrendered or the extension period expired upon the production of evidence of insurability satisfactory to the company and the payment of all overdue premiums and any other indebtedness to the company upon said policy with interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum per annum

(l) A provision that when a policy shall become a claim by the death of the insured settlement shall be made upon receipt of due proof of death

Any of the foregoing provisions or parts thereof not applicable to single premium or non-participating or term policies shall to that extent not be incorporated therein and paragraph (h) shall not apply to companies of other States and foreign governments Provided however That the policies of an insurance company organized under the laws of any other State or foreign government may contain when issued in this Commonwealth any provision which may be prescribed by the laws of the State or government under which the company is organized and the policies of a life insurance company organized under the laws of this Commonwealth may when issued in any other State Territory or foreign country contain any provision required by the laws of such State Territory or foreign country to be contained in policies issued therein The provisions of this section shall not apply to policies of reinsurance nor to policies of group life insurance

Section 5 4 That Section five hundred and thirty-one of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 531 Licensing of Foreign Mutual Companies A mutual fire mutual marine or mutual fire and marine insurance company of another State [may be] now licensed to transact and transacting in this Commonwealth any class or classes of business mentioned in subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act may continue to transact such class or classes of business and may be relicensed after the passage of this act to transact such class or classes of buiness under the following conditions

If to transact the class of business mentioned in clause (1) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act [when it has a] its surplus over all liabilities including unearned premiums computed in accordance with the laws of this Commonwealth [of] must not be less than one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or [has] it must have continuously transacted business for not less than five years and have a surplus over all liabilities of not less than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

If to transact the classes of business mentioned in clauses (2) and (3) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act its surplus over all liabilities must not be less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)

A mutual fire mutual marine o rmutual fire and marine insurance company of another State applying for admission to do business in this Commonwealth after the passage of this act in order to be licensed to do any one or all of the classes of business mentioned in clauses (1) (2) and (3) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act must have a surplus over all liabilities of not less than the capital and surplus required by this act for domestic stock fire stock marine or stock fire and marine insurance companies organized under this act for the transaction of the same class or classes of business

Section 5 Repealer All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT SENATE BILL NO. 505.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 505, on third reading, entitled:

An Act regulating the compounding, dispensing and preparation of drugs, medicines or poisons; providing for the enforcement thereof, and providing penalties.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, there is no good reason for recommitting this bill for the purpose of amendment, unless it be with a view to killing the bill. I would like to know what objection there is to the passage of this bill.

The PRESIDENT. Does the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, desire to interrogate the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I do.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I would like to know what objection there is to the passage of this bill.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, this bill has been before us off and on during the session, and some of my constituents were violently opposed to it. They came up here, and were assured that the bill would be amended to suit them. They went home leaving the bill in the position in which it now comes out on the third reading calendar, unamended, in accordance with the understanding they had; and as I know it will be detrimental to their interests, I naturally am asking that it be committed back for the purpose of amending it as they wish it to be amended.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I desire further to interrogate the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, permit himself to be interrogated further?

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I desire to further inquire,—if this bill is recommitted and amended, will the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, agree to its being reported out immediately, so that it will again be on the third reading calendar?

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I am not a member of that committee, but it is my intention to have it placed back, after the amendment that my constituents request has been put in. If it had been put in as had been agreed the bill would not now be under discussion. The only reason I am asking to have it recommitted is because the amendment that we were promised was not added to it. It should have been put in,—and then this would not have occurred.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, if the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, will let this bill go over in its order, it might be amended on the floor.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I prefer to have it go back; and my motion is to recommit the bill.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I second the motion.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I, personally, know nothing about the bill, I am not interested in the bill; but the sponsor of the bill is not in the chamber at the present time, and any delay of a bill means its defeat. The least that can be done will be to let it go over,—and it will die a natural death. As to recommitting it for amendment, if there are any who are so much interested in it, they should have the amendments.

I am not interested in the merits or demerits of the bill, but I would just say to the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, that if he will just let it go over in its order it will die a natural death,—if it does not get out of here.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, if the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Leslie, agrees that if it goes over in its order the amendments are requested by my constituents shall be made, I will be very glad to have it go over in its order.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I will be very glad to get in touch with the sponsor of the bill, my colleague, the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Einstein.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I will be very glad to agree to its going over in its order if the amendment will be made to it.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I will agree to one of two things: It will either be amended in accordance with the wish of the Senator from Montgomery, Mr. Boyd, or it will die.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I will withdraw my motion to recommit this bill, and ask tha tit go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 788, as follows:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all counties of the third class of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the district attorney shall have power to appoint additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of the illness of Assistant District attorneys Provided however That the appointment of such additional Assistant District attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions And provided That the salaries

designated for such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the salary or salaries provided in the respective counties for assistant district attorneys

All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 928, as follows:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eleven hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers prescribing their duties providing for their appointment as viewers road juries juries of view and commissioners to view land and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries costs and expenses thereof"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five of the act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers prescribing their duties providing for their appointment as viewers road juries juries of view and commissioners to view land and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries costs and expenses thereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 Whenever hereafter a petition shall be presented to any court judge or judges of this Commonwealth praying the appointment of viewers reviewers or re-reviewers or of a jury of view or of a road jury or of commissioners of view or of any person or body under any designation for the purpose of viewing laying out opening grading altering widening vacating or constructing of roads streets highways sewers or bridges or for the assessment of damages and benefits occasioned by such laying out opening grading altering widening vacating and constructing of roads streets highways sewers or bridges or occasioned by any appropriation of land by municipalities and of other corporations having the power of eminent domain the court shall appoint a board of view of three members one of whom may be elarned in the law from among the board of viewers of the county as such viewers reviewers re-reviewers or jury of view or road jury or commissioners of view

The records filed by such board of view when concurred in by two out of these three members thereof shall have the same force and effect as records filed under existing laws by viewers reviewers re-reviewers or juries of view or road juries or commissioners of view

Appeals from the action of any board of view and exceptions thereto shall be taken and filed in the same manner and with like force and effect as under existing laws

In case of vacancies in a board of view appointed in any case and before its final action the court which appointed the board may fill such vacancies in the board by the appointment of other members of the board of viewers

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie.	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1090, as follows:

An Act providing for the acquisition by cities boroughs and townships jointly or severally by purchase or by the exercise of emnient domain of the works plants property and franchises of water companies or gas and water companies and for the operation thereof after such acquisition

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "municipality" as used in this act shall be construed to include cities boroughs and townships whether located in the same or two or more adjacent counties

The word "corporate authorities" as used in this act shall be construed to mean the council of any city or borough and the township commissioners or township supervisors of any township

It shall be lawful for any municipality or two or more municipalities in which any water company or water and gas company is operating and furnishing water or water and gas to the inhabitants or some of the inhabitants thereof to become the owner or owners of the works plant property and franchises of such company For such purposes the corporate authorities of any two or more municipalities may enter into an agreement as to the manner of acquisition and for the acquisition of the part of such works plant property and franchises located in one municipality by such municipality and the remainder of such works plant property and franchises by the other municipality or municipalities in which such remainder is located or for the acquisition of the entire plant and works in one proceeding by the municipalities joining and also for the maintenance and operation of such works plant property and franchises by such municipalities after their acquisition

Section 2 Any municipality or municipalities may acquire such works plant property and franchises by purchase or by the right of eminent domain and where the corporate au-

thorities of any such municipality or of the municipalities so joining cannot agree with the owners of such works plant property and franchises as to the price to be paid therefor the said corporate authorities may tender a bond with sufficient security to the water company or water and gas company conditioned for the payment of the damages when they shall have been ascertained and if the company shall refuse to accept such bond the municipality or municipalities shall give notice to the company of the time when the same will be presented to court Such bond may be presented to the court and if it shall be approved by such court it shall be filed for the benefit of the company and recovery may be had thereon for the amount of damages assessed

In all proceedings under this act the court of common pleas of the county wherein the interested municipality or municipalities are located shall have jurisdiction provided that where the interested municipalities are located in more than one county the court of common pleas of the county in which are located the interested municipalities having the largest aggregate population according to the latest decennial census shall have jurisdiction except as otherwise provided in section three hereof

Section 3 Where the damages for the taking of any such works plant property and franchises by the right of eminent domain have not been agreed upon either such municipality or municipalities or the water company or water and gas company may present a petition to the court of common pleas for the appointment of viewers from the Board of Viewers of the county Where municipalities located in several counties join such petition shall be presented to the court of common pleas of each of the said counties Thereupon the court of common pleas or each of the said courts of common pleas as the case may be shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers to view the works plant property and franchises of such company and to assess the damage occasioned by the taking thereof Such viewers may be appointed before or after the entry and appropriation of such works plant property and franchises Where viewers are appointed by several courts the viewers appointed from each county shall meet together and constitute the board of viewers

Section 4 The board of viewers shall appoint a time when they shall meet and view the premises affected by the exercise of eminent domain of which notice shall be given to all parties interested at least ten days before the time fixed for the meeting by publication in one or more newspapers of each county and by handbills posted upon the premises

Section 5 The viewers having been sworn or affirmed faithfully justly and impartialy to decide and a true report to make concerning all matters to be submitted to them and in relation to which they are authorized to inquire and having examined the property shall hear all parties interested and their witnesses and shall determine the damages for the works plant property and franchises taken and to whom such damages are payable

Section 6 The viewers shall give notice to all parties to whom damages are allowed or against whom they are assessed and of the place where the viewers will meet and exhibit their findings and hear all exceptions thereto Such notice shall be given in the manner provided by law for the service of a summons in personal actions

Section 7 After making whatever changes are necessary the viewers shall report to the appropriate court of common pleas showing the damages assessed and file therewith a plan showing the works plant property and franchises taken by the proceedings

Section 8 When the report is filed notice thereof shall immediately be given by publication once in the newspapers publishing the notice of the first meeting of the viewers Such notice shall state the date of filing of the report and the amount of damages allowed and shall state that unless exceptions be filed thereto or an appeal to the court of common pleas be taken therefrom within thirty days from the date of filing the reports will be confirmed absolutely

Section 9 Within thirty days after the filing of any such report any municipality interested or any taxpayer on behalf of such municipality or the water company or water and gas company may file exceptions to such report and the court shall confirm modify or change the same or change the amount of damages allowed by the report or refer the report back to the same or to new viewers

Section 10 When the report is filed the prothonotary shall mark it "Confirmed nisi" In case no exceptions are filed thereto as before provided he shall enter a decree as of course that the report is confirmed absoutely

Section 11 Within three months after the confirmation of any report following the filing of exceptions thereto any party interested may appeal from the decree of court below to the superior or supreme court as the case may be

Section 12 Within thirty days after any report of viewers is filed in court any municipality interested or the water company or water and gas company whose property is taken may appeal to the court of common pleas and demand a trial by jury The appeal shall state the grounds upon which it is taken and shall be accompanied by an affidavit that it is not taken for the purpose of delay but because the appellant believes that injustice has been done After verdict and final judgment either party to the proceedings may within three months thereafter appeal to the Superior or Supreme Court as in other cases

Section 13 The amount of damages as finally confirmed shall be paid by the municipality or municipalities joining to the water company or water and gas company entitled thereto

Section 14 The works plant property and franchises of any such water company or water and gas company shall not be acquired under the provisions of this act until the proposed acquisition thereof shall have been first approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as now provided by law in such cases

Section 15 After such works plant property and franchises have been acquired in accordance with this act the municipality or the several municipalities so joining shall have authority to maintain and operate the same and to furnish water or water and gas to the inhabitants of such municipality or municipalities and others in the same manner as such property was maintained and operated by the water company or water and gas company

Section 16 Any of said municipalities shall have power to incur or increase their indebtedness for the purpose of acquiring such works plant property and franchise and the obligations which shall be issued by any such municipality for the acquisition of any water works shall when permitted by the Constitution not be considered a debt of the municipality within the meaning of section eight article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania if the net revenue derived from said property for a period of five years before the acquisition thereof shall have been sufficient to pay interest and sinking fund charges during said period upon said obligations or if the said obligations shall be secured by liens upon the water works properties and shall specifically provide that no municipal liability shall be imposed

Section 17 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of its provisions are declared unconstitutional the decision so holding shall not be construed to impair any other provisions of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been enacted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heeton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,

Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. LESLIE, Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1550, (House Bill No. 1943), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax"

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1486, (House Bill No. 840), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park, Washington Crossing Park, and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1487, (House Bill No. 1500), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1493, (House Bill No. 174), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in (the) Delaware County (Eastern District of the Commonwealth of) Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriatbins reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1495, (House Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Snate Bill No. 1497, (House Bill No. 837), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1498, (House Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) elipileptics institutions under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1499, (House Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1500, (House Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Educational Institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1501, (House Bill No. 900), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School, located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1502, (House Bill No. 973), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital, located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1503, (House Bill No. 945), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital, located at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1504, (House Bill No. 949), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1505, (House Bill No. 964), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1506, (House Bill No. 969), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1507, (House Bill No. 977), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1508, (House Bill No. 983), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1509, (House Bill No. 994), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1510, (House Bill No. 998), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1511, (House Bill No. 99), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1512, (House Bill No. 1000), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1513, (House Bill No. 1001), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1514, (House Bill No. 1002), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1521, (House Bill No. 1499), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1522, (House Bill No. 1505), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of [the] the Harrisburg State Hospital

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1523, (House Bill No. 1516), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1524, (House Bill No. 1517), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1525, (House Bill No. 1524), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1526, (House Bill No. 1527), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1527, (House Bill No. 1528), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1528, (House Bill No. 1530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care, treatment, removal, and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1529, (House Bill No. 1533), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, to pay for the care, treatment, removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1530, (House Bill No. 1549), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant; and fixing the salary of such assistant.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1531), (House Bill No. 1603), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1534, (House Bill No. 1620), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Polk State School

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1553, (House Bill No. 1953), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1554, (House Bill No. 1954), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1561, (House Bill No. 1952), entitled:

A Supplement to the act, approved the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-one), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation, "providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. ARON, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BOYD, from the Committee on Corporations reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1230, (House Bill No. 1696), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, (P. L. 408), entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of

certain corporations," by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger, to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

Also, from the Committee on Corporations reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1231, (House Bill No. 1697), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, (P. L. 408), entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations," as amended; by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger, to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1318, (House Bill No. 1540), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" further defining game and protected and unprotected birds.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1538, (House Bill No. 1855), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

Also, from the Committee of Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 407, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one and three of an act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine, five hundred and eleven, five hundred and twelve, seven hundred and nine, and seven hundred and twenty, and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamplet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto.'"

Mr. LAMB. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LAMB, from the Committee of Public Health and Sanitation, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1356, (House Bill No. 1746), entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARVEY, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1192, (House Bill No. 395), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of, and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled: "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. NORTON, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 904, (House Bill No. 1140), entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all (or part) of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BELL, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1117, (House Bill No. 1466), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abateable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1545, (House Bill No. 1935), entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the

capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1549, (House Bill No. 1940), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EARNEST, from the Commitee on Game and Fisheries reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1321, (House Bill No. 1665), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WOODWARD, from the Committee on Finance reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1489, (House Bill No. 1941), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred and ninety-two), entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation," by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAVIS, from the Committee on Finance reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1491, (House Bill No. 1948), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1547, (House Bill No. 1937), entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act, approved the first day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation;' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports.

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1551, (House Bill No. 1944), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first, second and third sections of an act, entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers,' approved the sixteenth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1537, (House Bill No. 1701), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 366), entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police; creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection; providing for a State Police Force, and defining the powers and duties of the same, including the enforcement of laws relating to game, fish, forestry, and water supply, and certain other laws, and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime, and the apprehension of criminals; providing for the equipment, maintenance, and transportation of such police; providing for barracks and sub-stations therefor; and prescribing penalties," as amended.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1537, (House Bill No. 1701), the bill just reported from committee be recommited to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

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Also, from the Committee on Repeal Bills reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1205, (House Bill No. 1418), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments."

Also, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation reported as committed, or as amended, Senate Bill No. 1204, (House Bill No. 1416), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 270), entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments, mercantile industries, laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same, and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons."

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Finance reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1530, (House Bill No. 1946), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A

further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provsions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab, motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1201, (House Bill No. 1174), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1552, (House Bill No. 1945), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five. (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes, and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1548, (House Bill No. 1538), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved May second one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on or after May first."

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. PARKINSON, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1488, (House Bill No. 1939), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three, four, five, six and seven and section eight as amended, of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-five), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers, bill brokers, note brokers, exchange brokers, merchandise brokers, factors or commission merchants, real estate brokers and agents, and pawnbrokers, whether persons, firms, limited partnerships, or corporations; providing for the collection of said tax, and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1311, (House Bill No. 758), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," fixing the open season for muskrats.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. GELDER, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1473, (House Bill No. 1625), entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the Act; and imposing penalties.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1224, (House Bill No. 1559), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 417), entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons, and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, in whole or in part maintained by State aid, to acquire lands for hospital purposes; and to take waters, streams, lands, property, and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes; prescribing the manner in which said land, streams, property, and materials may be taken, and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking," extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State aid.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1197, (House Bill No. 842), entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 5), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof,' approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county, and prescribing its organization, jurisdiction, and powers therein and otherwise," by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1195, (House Bill No. 521), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. FRAZIER, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

Also, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1323, (House Bill No. 1741), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 954), entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety; by regulating the erection, alteraton, repair, use, occupancy, maintenance, sanitation, and condemnation of dwellings, two-family dwellings, rooming houses and tenements; by regulating the use, maintenance, and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same, the adjoining buildings, and all vacant land, in cities of the first class; providing for their inspection, the abatement of nuisances, the vacating of uninhabitable houses, and the filing of liens; creating a Division of Housing, and Sanitation; and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof, and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith."

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1135, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of county controllers in counties of the fourth class.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), the bill just reported from committee, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SONES, from the Committee on Finance reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the Federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1194, (House Bill No. 520), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

BILLS RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1101, (House Bill No. 535), read the second time at today's session, entitled:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eight-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five).

be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1108, (House Bill No. 1054), read the second time at today's session, entitled:

An act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs, and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third, and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties."

be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to read a bill in place at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. CLARK read in his place and presented to the Chair, Senate Bill No. 1628, entitled:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Chester, and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Also, read in his place and presented to the Chair, Senate Bill No. 1629, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two as amended, and sections, four, five, and six of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 327), entitled "An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine, butterine, and other similar products when colored in imitation of yellow butter; to provide for license

fees to be paid by manufacturers, wholesale and retail and by proprietors of hotels, restaurants, dining rooms and boarding houses for the manufacture or sale of oleomargarine, butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter; and to regulate the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine, butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter; and prevent and punish fraud and deception in such manufacture and sale as an imitation butter; and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act, and the means and the method of procedure for its enforcement; and regulate certain matters of evidence in such procedure," by extending the provisions thereof to persons who act as agents for the sale of, or who handle or distribute oleomargarine, butterine or other similar products.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 412, WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 412, Printer's No. 224, File Folio 2153, entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four), entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise; and providing for the collection of said tax,' exempting wholesale venders or wholesale dealers engaged in the business of processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products" which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 411 WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 411, Printer's No. 276, File Folio 2928, entitled "An act to amend section twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,' as amended; exempting corporations, limited partnerships, and joint stock associations organized for the purpose of the processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products," which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 337, WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 337, Printer's No. 51, File Folio 207, entitled "An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred fifty-eight), entitled 'An act creating a Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for the election of a director by the General Assembly; designating the officers and employes of such bureau; defining their duties, fixing their salaries, abolishing the present Legislative Reference Bureau, and making an appropriation,'" which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1597.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1615.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 708.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 708, entitled:

An Act to prohibit the speeding and racing of certain vehicles to fires, the parking of motor vehicles in the vicinity of fires, and the driving of motor vehicles over lines of hose.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 781 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists, and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties;" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 220.

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), that Senate Bill No. 220, Printer's No. 146, White File Folio 1047, entitled "An act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws eighty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance care and treatment of the indigent insane in county and local institutions" as amended increasing the weekly payment and extending the provisions of said act to poor districts" be recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CO-OPERATION OF COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA WITH FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN MAKING EFFECTIVE PROVISIONS OF THE NORBECK-ANDRESSEN REFUGE ACT.

He also presented extract from the journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows and referred to the Committee on Forestry.

In the House of Representatives, March 25, 1929.

Relating to ccoperation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the Federal Government in making affective the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Act

Whereas The Congress of the United States passed on February eleventh one thousand nine hundred twentny-nine and President Coolidge approved on February eighteenth the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill thereby adopting for the entire nation a policy for the conservation of wild-life supported initially by an appropriation of eight million dollars on a ten-year program

Whereas the policy thus made national has long been notable by reason of its successful development in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the Board of Game Commissioners in wisely administering acts of the General Assembly

Whereas Pennsylvania's representatives in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress gave their full support to the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill and Seth E Gordon former Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners now Conservation Director of the Izaak Walton League of America rendered distinguished service to the cause of Conservation as Secretary of the National Committee on Wild-Life Legislation indefinitely commiting the Federal Government to the establishment of a system of inviolate refuges at Federal expense therefore be it

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That the Board of Game Commissioners the State Forestry Commission the Department of Forests and Waters the Water and Power Resources Board the Board of Fish Commissioners and any and all other officers departments boards or commissions whose advice consent or cooperation may be necessary or of value are hereby urged to take without delay such steps as are advisable in conjunction with the United States Department of Agriculture the Bureau of the Biological Survey or President Herbert Hoover or others to make effective as soon as possible the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Act in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1076.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 9th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) That House Bill No. 1076, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of further consideration.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL NO. 130.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 9th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) That House Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws ir relation thereto" by adding thereto clause fifty authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties."

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 292.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 292, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382) entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter,

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 467.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 468.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 468, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 710.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 710, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 603), entitled "An act authorizing corporations, organized for profit, to purchase hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge, or otherwise dispose of, the shares of capital stock of, or any bonds, securities or evidences of indebtedness created by, any other corporation," by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations, and validating past transactions of such character.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 800.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with approval of the court

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 836.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 857.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 857, entitled:

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson, prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 925.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 1081.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1081, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 1083.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1083, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 1155.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE BILL No. 249 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 249, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 4, line 4, by striking out "authoriezed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "authorized".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 809 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six as amended and sections seven hundred and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representaitves to the foregoing bill.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 15, by removing the bracket before the word "six"; also line 16 by removing the bracket after the figure "($600.00)"; also by striking out the following "five hundred dollars ($500.00)"

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House fo Representatives accordingly.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth which were read as follows:

JUSTICES OF PEACE.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following:

Walter O. Goodbread, of Hyde Park, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in the Borough of Hyde Park, Westmoreland County, vice C. A. Beatty, resigned.

William G. Smith of Wall, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in Wall Borough, Allegheny County, vice James Smith, resigned.

Charles A. Baker of Catawissa, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in the Borough of Catawissa, Columbia County, to fill a vacancy.

Frank A. Eppley of Middlesex, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in the Township of Middlesex, Cumberland County, to fill a vacancy.

JOHN S. FISHER.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

ARMSTRONG COUNTY.

Raymond A. Zeigler, Kittanning.

BERKS COUNTY.

Miss Isabelle G. Gerhard, Reading.
George W. Gillingham, Reading.

LYCOMING COUNTY.

Matthew Edward Toner, Jersey Shore.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

G. E. Kiefer, Easton.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Hugh J. Daly, Phila., 6251 Webster St.

UNION COUNTY.

Frank B. Schnure, Laurelton.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honarable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notareis Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date set opposite their names:

McKEAN COUNTY.

Miss Mildred H. Edgar, Port Allegany, April 14, 1929.
C. W. Catlin, Port Allegany, April 15, 1929.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. BUCKMAN,

That Rule 38 which requires nominations made by the Governor to be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting on the foregoing nominations,

Which was agreed to,

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. BUCKMAN,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILLS NOS. 209, 528 AND 587.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 209, file folio 219, entitled: "An Act to amend sections one two four and seven of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled 'An act authorizing boroughs with the assent of the electors duly obtained at an election to use moneys borrowed for purposes which have proved impracticable or impossible for any other lawful municipal purpose' extending said act to cases where moneys borrowed are in excess of the amount required and authorizing the use with the assent of electors of such excess for other purposes."

Senate Bill No. 528, file folio 1215, entitled: "An Act to amend sections two and three of the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy) entitled 'An act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated or misbranded drugs defining the word "drug" prescribing penalties for violation of this act and the method of its enforcement' as amended."

Senate Bill No. 587, file folio 1003, entitled: "An Act to amend section one thousand and four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled 'An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws' as amended."

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILL NO. 597.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed Senate Bill No. 597, file folio 3915, entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments boards commissions and officers thereof including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools or Teachers Colleges abolishing creating reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments boards and commissions defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers and of the several administrative departments boards commissions and officers fixing the salaries of the Governor Lieutenant Governor and certain other executive and administrative officers providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments boards and commissions and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments boards and commissions shall be determined."

JOHN S. FISHER.

BILLS RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1170, (House Bill No. 1133), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1172, (House Bill No. 1283), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1177, (House Bill No. 1482), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth and city streets connecting such highways suspending in part State-aid highway construction providing for State-aid to certain cities and for the assessment of benefits in certain cases against owners of real estate in such cities authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1181, (House Bill No. 1755), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriations from the Motor License Fund therefor.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), the bill read the second time at to-day's session, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and townships reward roads, and requiring the maintenance and construction thereof by the Department of Highways.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows and laid upon the table.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 674.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 674, file folio 2057, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 380.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 380, file folio 5373, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 311.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 311, file folio 1995, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 669.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 669, file folio 1177, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I move that all bills reported from committees at to-day's session be read the first time.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 407, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one and three of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve seven hundred and nine and seven hundred and twenty and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto.'"

And said bill havnig been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 516, (House Bill No. 125), entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands providing for their adjustment and for granting of patents.'"

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 904, (House Bill No. 1140), entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all (or part) of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of of such lands for taxes," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 948, (House Bill No. 939), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act" entitled "An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations" approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1031, (House Bill No. 313), entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1117, (House Bill No. 1466), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway; providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads; declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such; conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1065, (House Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and

of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other building devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1135, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of county controllers in counties of the fourth class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1178, (House Bill No. 1511), entitled:

A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 566), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1191, (House Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1192, (House Bill No. 395), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1194, (House Bill No. 520), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1195, (House Bill No. 521), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1197, (House Bill No. 842), entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county and prescribing its organization jurisdiction and powers therein and otherwise" by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1201, (House Bill No. 1174), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1204, (House Bill No. 1416), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 276) entitled "An Act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1205, (House Bill No. 1418), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (P. L. 472) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1221, (House Bill No. 1208), entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1224, (House Bill No. 1559), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane in whole or in part maintained by State aid to acquire lands for hospital purposes and to take waters streams lands property and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes prescribing the manner in which said lands streams property and materials may be taken and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking" extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1230, (House Bill No. 1696), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1231, (House Bill No. 1697), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1273, (House Bill No. 1596), entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1285, (House Bill No. 1867), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposits, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1311, (House Bill No. 758), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1316, (House Bill No. 1086), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand two hundred and five and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1318, (House Bill No. 1540), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," further defining game and protected and unprotected birds.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1321, (House Bill No. 1665), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animols and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1323, (House Bill No. 1741), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing alll laws inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three), entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1345, (House Bill No. 155), entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1346, (House Bill No. 1328), entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1348, (House Bill No. 1404), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1350, (House Bill No. 1593), entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1351, (House Bill No. 1653), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1352, (House Bill No. 1654), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admited therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1356, (House Bill No. 1746), entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing, bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor; prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1357, (House Bill No. 1756), entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs;" designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1358, (House Bill No. 1757, entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton, Pennsylvania and Philipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1360, (House Bill No. 1833), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1364, (House Bill No. 1851), entitled:

An Act authorizing Directors of the Poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicible disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1473, (House Bill No. 1625), entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and im-

posing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1481, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 764) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board, also when the adjudication is within said period.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1485, (House Bill No. 789), entitled:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1486, (House Bill No. 840), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park Washington Crossing Park and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1487, (House Bill No. 1500), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of (the) Norristown State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1488. (House Bill No. 1939), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1489, (House Bill No. 1941), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock bonks and savings institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1491, (House Bill No. 1948), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (P. L. 193) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1493, (House Bill No. 174), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in (the) Delaware County (Eastern District of the Commonwealth of) Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1495, (House Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1497, (House Bill No. 837) entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1498, (House Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State penal and correctional institutions mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) epileptics (institutions) under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1499, (House Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1500, (House Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State educational institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1501, (House Bill No. 900), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1502, (House Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1503, (House Bill No. 945), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1504, (House Bill No. 949), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1505, (House Bill No. 964), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1506, (House Bill No. 969), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1507, (House Bill No. 977), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1508, (House Bill No. 983), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurt Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1509, (House Bill No. 994), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1510, (House Bill No. 998), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1511, (House Bill No. 999), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1512, (House Bill No. 1000), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1513, (House Bill No. 1001), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1514, (House Bill No. 1002), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1517, (House Bill No. 1399), entitled:

An Act to amend Section ten hundred and thirty-nine of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycle, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships; and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability, for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation" by providing that when local regulations are made applicable to the entire territory within the municipalities making the same such municipalities shall not be required to erect or place signs giving notice thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1518, (House Bill No. 1456), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth, except in counties of the first and second class, and revising, amending, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," as amended; removing the provisions which except the City of Bradford from the McKean County Poor District, and which saved the existing poor districts in the counties of Centre, Lycoming, Clinton, Northumberland and Susquehanna and the number of districts, the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief, thereby creating in said counties, county poor districts administered by the county commissioners.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale, giving away, transfer, purchasing, owning, possession and use of machine guns; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1521, (House Bill No. 1499), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1522, (House Bill No. 1505), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of (the) the Harrisburg State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1523, (House Bill No. 1516), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1524, (House Bill No. 1517), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1525, (House Bill No. 1524), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1526, (House Bill No. 1527), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossbury State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1527, (House Bill No. 1528), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1528, (House Bill No. 1530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1529, (House Bill No. 1533), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1530, (House Bill No. 1549), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1531, (House Bill No. 1603), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same, authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1534, (House Bill No. 1620), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1537, (House Bill No. 1701), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 366) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1538, (House Bill No. 1855), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," as amended, providing when bonds shall be due.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily prac-

tically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers incuding all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1541, (House Bill No. 1887), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to Adoption"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1543, (House Bill No. 1914), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, (P. L. 279), entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and supplements thereto; providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1545, (House Bill No. 1935), entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1546, (House Bill No. 1936), entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled, "An act defining and regulating public amusements, and places used therefor; requiring and regulating the licensing thereof; restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1547, (House Bill No. 1937), entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1548, (House Bill No. 1938), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act, approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred eighty-four), entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax,' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on and after May first."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1549, (House Bill No. 1940), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1550, (House Bill No. 1943), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1551, (House Bill No. 1944), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the pro-

cedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1552, (House Bill No. 1945), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1553, (House Bill No. 1953), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1554, (House Bill No. 1954), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1555, (House Bill No. 1956), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen, and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1556, (House Bill No. 1957), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred ten of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1557, (House Bill No. 1970), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiducaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1559, (House Bill No. 2024), entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs, bomb shells, explosive substances or noxious liquid gases or substances; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1560, (House Bill No. 1853), entitled:

An Act relating to the compensation of officers and employes of the police and fire bureaus and park commission in cities of the first class and providing for an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minmum compensation of such employes

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1561, (House Bill No. 1952), entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 761) en-

titled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1580, (House Bill No. 1946), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab, motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and and the payment of the tax.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. president, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, it seems to me that the Senator from Bucks, Mr. Buckman, is very strong on making motions when it suits him. I understand that we have a lot of work to finish up this week, and I cannot see why we should adjourn when we have work to do. We should come back here to-night to finish up our work.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I should like to interrogate the Senator from Lackawanna, Mr. Davis.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Lackawanna, Mr. Davis, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, yes.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, what work have we before us now?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, the House will convene at eight o'clock, and the Senate will have work here until 12 o'clock, if we want to come here and do it.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, it is impossible for the House to send any work to the Senate that will engage the attention of the Senate. All they could do would be to send some bills in here, which we could refer to committees; and certainly there can be no occasion to have a night session for that purpose. The calendar is cleared, and there is no reason in the world for a night session.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I am not going to say any more. I know the reason for this motion. I am going to ask the Senator from Bucks, Mr. Buckman, to include that in his motion (handing paper to Senator Buckman).

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I withdraw the former motion made by me, and now move that in respect to the memory of our esteemed friend, former colleague and former presiding officer, the late Hon. E. E. Beidleman, the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 6.33 p. m. until 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 10, 1929.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

TUESDAY, April 9, 1929.

The House met at 11.00 o'clock A. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph. D., offered the following prayer:

O God our heavenly Father, Thou who are our refuge and strength and a present help in time of trouble, we bow to Thee this morning in humility and in profound sadness. We thank Thee, O Father, that Thou didst raise in our midst Thy servant, the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman. He was a perfect proof of Thy wisdom in the choice of men, a prominent attorney, a former member of this House and of the Senate, a Lieutenant-Governor, a kind friend and neighbor, and above all a good Samaritan in this city and Commonwealth. The angel of death has entered into this home so suddenly and has turned this home of joy into one of sorrow, but may we truly say this morning as Thy people, not my will O Lord but Thy will be done. We thank Thee for his noble example, for his exalted patriotism, for his official integrity and wise statesmanship. We thank Thee O Lord that he loved this Commonwealth and was willing to sacrifice and serve for the ennobling not only of this Commonwealth but for all classes and conditions of men. We thank Thee that he took an interest in the widows and orphans, rich and poor, high and low, educated and uneducated, and was a man among men. Now, dear God, in Thine all-wise-Providence, Thou hast seen fit to take the soul of this our dear brother out of this world into eternity so suddenly, may we all be aware that there is merely a step between us and death. And now we pray Thee that Thou wilt comfort and sustain the bereaved widow and daughter in their home. We pray Thee that they may look to Thee for strength, succor and comfort, and above all we pray that Thou wilt comfort the aged father and mother whose hearts are almost broken this morning. Especially do we pray for Thy comfort for them in their loss of a faithful and devoted son, and may they rely on Thee and on Thy mercy for the comfort of every good and perfect

gift. So teach us to employ our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom, and may the ennobling example of this dear brother and friend be an incentive to the rising generation. May we never forget the memory of his wonderful work. O Lord hear us now as our hearts are sad. We pray that Thou wilt not forsake Thy children when they come to Thee in death. "O death where is thy sting, O grave where is thy victory?" The sting of death is folded up in victory; thanks be to God who giveth us victory through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. We ask all these things in the name of the crucified and risen Saviour and Redeemer, the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mr. McAlinn, seconded by Mr. Boggs, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

BILL INTRODUCED AND REFERRED.

By Mr. FLYNN, HOUSE BILL No. 2296.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. HEFFRAN, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

Mr. MEMOLO, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

Mr. WOOD, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

Mr. EVANS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1890, entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process.

Mr. BOWERS, from the Committee on Counties and Townships reported as committed, House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2067, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful for any alderman, justice of the peace or magistrate to refuse or neglect to return each bail deposited with him for the appearance of any defendant in a criminal proceeding at the same time that the transcript of the proceedings is returned.

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2133, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to construct dams of more than one hundred feet in height declaring such dams if built to be a nuisance and abatable as such and requiring applicants for permits to built certain dams to furnish proof of their financial responsibility.

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1694, (Senate Bill No. 831), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 761), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

Mr. MARCUS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1491, (Senate Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or the borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

Mr. MARCUS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2147, (Senate Bill No. 378), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants, tenants in common, or coparceners.

Mr. MARCUS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2049, (Senate Bill No. 1026), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

Mr. GOEHRING, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2048, (Senate Bill No. 1015), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

Mr. HEFFRAN, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2291, (Senate Bill No. 1251), entitled:

An Act authorizing the district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

Mr. HAGMAIER, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2290, (Senate Bill No. 1249), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

Mr. PEELOR, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2295, (Senate Bill No. 1299), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford county.

Mr. PEELOR, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2044, (Senate Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

Mr. RHODES, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1682, (Senate Bill No. 402), entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

Mr. MUSMANNO, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2175, (Senate Bill No. 698), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the re-assessment between the periods of the triennial assessment, of property and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

Mr. READER, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1573, (Senate Bill No. 670), entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns and townships; providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth; fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Elections, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2043, (Senate Bill No. 444), entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2288, (Senate Bill No. 1239), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county, borough, township, school and poor taxes.

Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1493, (Senate Bill No. 196), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending, and consolidating the laws relating to borough," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2108, (Senate Bill No. 687), entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and works for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects.

Mr. EVANS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2286, (Senate Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurer's sales and sheriff's sales for the non-payment of taxes.

Mr. TAHL, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2176, (Senate Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation."

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1695, (Senate Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

Mr. STERLING, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, House Bill No. 513, (Senate Bill No 84), entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters o

corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

Mr. STERLING, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1029, (Senate Bill No. 375), entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

Mr. DITTER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2157, (Senate Bill No. 1127), entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds, or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully taken, killed, or caught to be personal property and the subjects of larceny.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2118, (Senate Bill No. 990), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2047, (Senate Bill No. 991), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

Mr. SOWERS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2045, (Senate Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to, collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer, and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2149, (Senate Bill No. 833), entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed or merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Miss GRIMES, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2289 (Senate Bill No. 1246), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers, in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million, to designate and appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary" and the amendments thereto.

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 1575 (Senate Bill No. 704), entitled:

An Act supplementing the act, approved the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 21), entitled "An act defining optometry; and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and making certain exceptions; and providing a Board of Optometrical Education, Examinations, and Licensure, and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained; and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act; and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board, and providing penalties for violations thereof; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2275, (Senate Bill No. 433), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2282, (Senate Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2285, (Senate Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2193, (Senate Bill No. 106), entitled:

A further supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1737, (Senate Bill No. 498), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

Mr. STADTLANDER, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1992, (Senate Bill No. 834), entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, and composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2033, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction, and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

Mr. RHODES, from the Committee on Judiciary General, re-reported as amended, House Bill No. 1684, (Senate Bill No. 480), entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries, prescribing penalties, giving rights of subrogation against plaintiffs in judgments and repealing prior legislation.

(MR. FLYNN IN THE CHAIR).

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1890, entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to other than the defendant in the execution or process.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships; and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2067, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful for any alderman, justice of the peace or magistrate to refuse or neglect to return each bail deposited with him for the appearance of any defendant in a criminal proceeding, at the same time that the transcript of the proceedings is returned.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2133, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to construct dams of more than one hundred feet in height; declaring such dams, if built, to be a nuisance and abatable as such; and requiring applicants for permits to build certain dams, to furnish proof of their financial responsibility.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1694, (Senate Bill No. 831), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1491, (Senate Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils, providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and drainage of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State or the borough, county and State and validating municipal liens therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2147, (Senate Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants, tenants in common, or co-parceners.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2049, (Senate Bill No. 1026), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2048, (Senate Bill No. 1015), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2291, (Senate Bill No. 1251), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2290, (Senate Bill No. 1249), entitled:

An Act to provide for appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2295, (Senate Bill No. 1290), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-one) entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset" in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2044, (Senate Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1682, (Senate Bill No. 402), entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2175, (Senate Bill No. 698), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the reassessment between the period of the triennial assessment, of property, and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1573, (Senate Bill No. 670), entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2043, (Senate Bill No. 444), entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2288, (Senate Bill No. 1239), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county, borough, township school and poor taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1493, (Senate Bill No. 196), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to dred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one boroughs," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hun two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2108, (Senate Bill No. 687), entitled:

An Act providing for the establishment on certain conditions of certain industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2286, (Senate Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurers' sales and sheriffs' sales for the non-payment of taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2176, (Senate Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1695, (Senate Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1,000) dollars to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 513, (Senate Bill No. 84), entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1029, (Senate Bill No. 375), entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2157, (Senate Bill No. 1127), entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully killed or caught to be personal property and the subject of larceny.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered. To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2118, (Senate Bill No. 990), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2047, (Senate Bill No. 991), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2045, (Senate Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2149, (Senate Bill No. 833), entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers composed of trust companies or banking companies or both under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2289, (Senate Bill No. 1246), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers, in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary," and the amendments thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2275, (Senate Bill No. 433), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine), entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders of the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2282, (Senate Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2285, (Senate Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2198, (Senate Bill No. 106), entitled:

A further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1737, (Senate Bill No. 468), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of Common Pleas, and the judges of the Orphan's Court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1992, (Senate Bill No. 834), entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers and composed of trust companies or banking companies or both to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2033, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction, and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Whereas, The importance of Bituminous and Anthracite Coal and their products into the United States from European Countries is working a great injury upon the owners and workers of the Bituminous and Anthracite regions of Pennsylvania where thousands of miners are unemployed at the present time, and

Whereas, The importation of Textiles from Asiatic and European Countries into the United States is creating havoc and demoralization among these industries in Pennsylvania, among the owners and the workers thereof, particularly at this time when the industry is in need of a greater domestic market at a fair price for its products, and

Whereas, The importation of Art leaded and Memorial windows for churches and other buildings of similar design is working a great injury to the glass manufacturing industry of the United States, and

Whereas, The above mentioned importations are imposing these hardships upon the industries mentioned and the workers therein, because these importations are made with the exception of textiles, into our country duty free, and

Whereas, The principal points of production and manufacture of coal, textiles and art glass and memorial windows are largely located in the State of Pennsylvania,

Therefore be it resolved, and it is hereby resolved:

That the Senate and House of Representatives of the 1929 Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature memorialize the Congress of the United States and especially the United States Senator and Congressmen from Pennsylvania to use their best offices in an effort to amend the Tariff Law in a manner that will bring adequate protection to the Coal, Textile and Art Glass industries of Pennsylvania from this very destructive foreign competition.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Whereas, On October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, will occur the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero, and

Whereas, The service rendered by him was of great value and assistance to the cause of American Independence and of such high importance that on September fifteenth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven he was appointed Brigadier General of the Continental Army and Chief of Dragoons, and on March twenty-eighth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight he was designated commander of an independent corps known as Pulaski's Legion, and

Whereas, He died on October eleventh one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine of wounds received on October ninth, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine at the siege of Savannah, Georgia, and

Whereas, It is but fitting that proper recognition should be given to the memory of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski whose illustrious service in the war for American Independence is well known to all who are familiar with our history, therefore, be it

Section 1. Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized to issue a proclamation calling upon the State officials to display the United States Flag on the State Building, and the people of the State of Pennsylvania to display the flag at their homes or other suitable places on October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine in honor of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero.

Section 2. That October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, shall be designated and known as General Pulaski's Memorial Day, and that the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania is urged to request its observance as provided in this resolution.

Section 3. That there is hereby established a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesqui-centennial Commission (hereafter referred to as the commission), and to be composed of ten commissioners as follows: Six persons to be appointed by the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, two Senators to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and two Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Pennsylvania. The commissioners shall serve without compensation therefor from the State of Pennsylvania.

Section 4. The commission is authorized to arrange an appropriate observance and commemoration to take place in the month of October, one thousand nine hunderd and twenty-nine in the State of Pennsylvania of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski and to participate on behalf of the State of Pennsylvania in such manner as it deems advisable in any other observance or celebration of such anniversary which may be

held in the State of Pennsylvania during the year of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Section 5. The members of the association appointed shall be persons of high standing and character having a known interest in suitably observing and commemorating the events connected with the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, Revolutionary War Hero. The Governor may for just cause based upon written charges specifying the alleged misconduct, remove any member of the commission after notice to such member, and a public hearing. Any vacancy caused shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.

Section 6. When the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesqui-centennial Commission shall have finally completed such observance and commemoration of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski which may be arranged for in connection therewith, the Governor on request of the commission shall issue an order declaring the commission dissolved.

Section 7. The commission shall select a chairman from among its members.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 284.

A Supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 778) entitled "An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of associations lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans' organizations labor union foundation federation or any other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act" conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 379.

An Act to amend paragraph two, section nine, article four and paragraph three, section fourteen, article four of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith;" as amended.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows viz:

SENATE BILL No. 1029.

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts expenditures or payments heretofore made ratified or approved by boards of school directors and providing for and directing in the manner herein provided the stay of execution and upon certain conditions as to costs the satisfaction of judgments of surcharge entered on account of such contracts payments or expenditures.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 967, Printer's No. —, File Folio —, entitled "An act to amend section six hundred and ninety-nine of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amendign and consolidating the law relating thereto,' as amended by prohibiting the stopping filling up confining paving or otherwise interfering with any drain ditch watercourse or drainage facilities in any township of the first or second class without the approval of the township commissioners or supervisors by making certain provisions with regard to the approval and filing of plans thereof

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8th, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 835, Printer's No. 652, White File Folio 4039, entitled "An act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four six ten fourteen sixteen seventeen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-five and twenty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten) entitled 'An act allowing and regulating boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions establishing a State Athletic Commission making an appropriation therefor and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes and prescribing penalties'" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8th, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 933, 561 Printer's No., White File Folio 3359, entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh

day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine) entitled 'An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor' providing additional methods [or] of postponing such liens and validating certain postponements" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 158.

An Act to amend sections twenty, thirty, forty, one hundred and sixty, one hundred and sixty-three, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and eighty-five, two hundred and fifty-eight, and to correct the printing of section two hundred and three, of an act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 448), entitled "An act relating to fish; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

HOUSE BILL No. 227.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide for the protection of insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics and the appointment of a guardian for the said insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics unable to care for their own property authorizing the guardian to support the wife and children of the said insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics defining the powers of the guardian and authorizing the sale of real estate of the ward as amended extending jurisdiction to cases where the real or personal estate of such persons is located in the county

HOUSE BILL No. 715.

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 207), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefore; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of Assembly."

HOUSE BILL No. 69.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred six) entitled "An act relating to the organization and jurisdiction of orphans' courts and to establish a separate orphans' court in and for counties having more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and to provide for the election of judges thereof" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 905.

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 81.

An Act directing the Recorder of Deeds of each county of the Commonwealth to refuse for record all deeds or other transfers of real estate or interest in real estate unless a certificate is attached to said instruments, giving the precise residence of the grantee or grantees named therein, and requiring a list thereof to be delivered to the proper Board of Revision of Taxes or other officials charged with the assessment of real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 53.

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 1059.

An Act to amend section three and paragraph (a) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An Act relating to the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution and the fees costs and expenses therein" by providing that in no such proceedings shall it be necessary to join the spouse of any interested party.

HOUSE BILL No. 1282.

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five), entitled "An act defining commodities; regulating the sale thereof; and providing penalties for violation hereof," as amended by the act of May fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

HOUSE BILL No. 1587.

An Act for the election of the president, members of town council and auditors in incorporated towns of the Commonwealth; regulating the manner of voting for such officers; and repealing inconsistent general, local and special laws.

HOUSE BILL No. 1361.

An Act to amend sections eight fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the Courts of Common Pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions."

HOUSE BILL No. 226.

An Act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," by adding thereto section four hundred and fifteen; permitting certain stock insurance companies heretofore organized to come within provisions of this act.

HOUSE BILL No. 581.

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 581) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by making the city solicitor of said cities an elective officer.

HOUSE BILL No. 1021.

An Act to provide for the taking of tax duplicates by sureties on the bonds of delinquent or defaulting tax collectors and the appointment by such sureties of a collector for the collection of taxes due on such duplicates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1131.

An Act supplementary to the laws of the Commonwealth relating to guardians and committees of minors weak-minded persons lunatics and habitual drunkards and regulating the filing and notice of accounts and the compensation and removal of guardians and committees of veterans and of minor children and incompetent dependents of veterans.

HOUSE BILL No. 1752.

An Act to fix the salaries of certain county officers in counties of the second class.

HOUSE BILL No. 1553.

An Act regulating the granting of loans by building and loan associations where the security, in whole or part, is to be a mortgage or lien on real estate, providing penalties and fixing the time during which indictments under this act may be found and prosecuted.

HOUSE BILL No. 1613.

An Act to amend section fifteen of an act, approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 67), entitled "An act regulating the practice, bail, costs and fees on appeals to the Supreme Court and Superior Court;" removing the distinction against private corporations in the matter of giving bail in such appeal.

HOUSE BILL No. 302.

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-seven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1118.

An Act to cede jurisdiction to the United States over the tracts of lands and buildings occupied by the Army Air Depot and Flying Field located in and adjacent to the Borough of Middletown, Dauphin County.

HOUSE BILL No. 1143.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act relative to the management and control of the Blair County Jail" by providing that the keeper of said jail shall or shall not reside therein as the county commissioners may determine

HOUSE BILL No. 1445.

An Act to amend clause fifty-three of section twelve hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs

HOUSE BILL No. 1726.

An Act providing for the payment of counsel fees out of moneys recovered for counties townships boroughs school districts or poor districts upon appeals from the county auditors' settlements of the accounts of public officers

HOUSE BILL No. 1785.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1727.

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in certain counties of the third class having a population of less than three hundred thousand fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the county assessors in such counties

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1522.

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in the counties of the sixth class

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out after the word "be" the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Talbot,

Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kirkbride	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davidson,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davis,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.
Dunn,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1117.

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Auditor General or any other agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or resettlement of State taxes

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 4, by striking out after the word "the" the words "Auditor General" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Revenue".

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out at the beginning of said line the words "Auditor General" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Revenue".

Amend section 1, page 2, line 11, by striking out at the beginning of said line the words "Auditor General" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Revenue".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—139.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shrom,
Adams, P. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Simms,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shorte,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Zlesenheim,
Fockler	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1553.

A Supplement to the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 836), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks, establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts," establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein; by the board of magistrates; prescribing their powers and duties, and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 4, by striking out at the beginning of said line the words "there is hereby" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "On the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty there shall be."

Amend section 7, page 4, line 9, by adding thereto the following: "and it shall be the duty of any magistrate before whom there has been made an information charging any person or persons with the crime of homicide robbery burglary arson or rape before proceeding with a hearing of such charge to notify the District Attorney of the county or one of his assistants of the time fixed for such hearing."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Braham	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1157.

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the city of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 16, by striking out after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred."

Amend section 2, page 2, line 22, by inserting after the "bracket" the words "on the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Hart,	Millar,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P G.,	Harter,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Hartsock,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baily,	Haws,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Heffernan,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Hefferon,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Heffner,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Heffran,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Henderson,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hermansen,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Himes,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hoffman,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Holcombe,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Black,	Holmes,	Peck,	Stein,
Boggs,	Howe,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Braham,	Huester,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Jones,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Kahle,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Katz,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Burns,	King,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Post,	Turner,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Powell,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Landis,	Purucker,	Walker,
Davis,	Leidich,	Reader,	Washington,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Way,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Donnell,	Lose,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Rice,	Welty,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Evans,	Marcus,	Riddle,	White,
Fish,	Mathay,	Rieder,	Wike,
Fox,	McAlee,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Gicking,	McCallister,	Royle,	Wilson,
Goehring,	McCann,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Greeby,	McClure,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Griffith,	McDonald,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Gross,	McGregor,	Schrock,	Wood,
Gwynne,	McKay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Haines,	Meredith,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Harding,	Metzinger,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Harkins,	Michel,	Sheely,	Hess,
		Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet

Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 28, by inserting after the word "applied" the words "for."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Erdley,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,
Adams, P. G.,	Evans,	Lose,	Rice,
Aston,	Fish,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,
Baily,	Flynn,	Lowe,	Rieder,
Baker,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Ronemus,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Fox,	Lynch,	Royle,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Fuller	Marcus,	Sautter,
Baldrige,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schreck,
Barton,	Gicking,	McAlee,	Schrock,
Batchelor,	Goehring,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Bausher,	Goodnough,	McCallister,	Scott W. H.,
Bechtel,	Greeby,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Behm,	Grenet,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Bell, F. A.,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Bell, W. T.,	Grimes,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Bicker,	Gross,	McKay,	Simon,
Bickett,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Black,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Blumberg,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Boggs,	Harding,	Michel,	Stark,
Bowers,	Harkins,	Millar,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Hartsock,	Moore, D. G.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.	Storb,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Muldowney,	Storer,
Burns,	Hefferon,	Mumford,	Tahl,
Catania,	Heffner,	Munley,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Heffran,	Musmanno,	Turner,
Clark, J. G,	Hermansen,	Myers,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Nothnagle,	Washington,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	O'Neill,	Way,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Patterson, F. W.	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Peck,	Welty,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peelor,	Wettach,
Davis,	Huester,	Pennock,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Jones,	Perry,	Wike,
Denne,	Kahle,	Peters,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Katz,	Pethick,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	King,	Pierce,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Powell,	Wright,
Ede,	Landis,	Purucker,	Yerg,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Reader,	Zieserheim,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Reilly,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 917 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. STERLING asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 917, Printer's No. 716, White File Folio 4633, entitled "An act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) as amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-four) entitled 'An act to amend the second section as amended of and to supplement an act entitled "A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two percentum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth" approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five amending the same to provide for the payment of the net proceeds of the entire two percentum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement including townships among the distributees,'" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1529, as follows:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seven hundred and two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" which was amended by the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-three) entitled "An act to amend section seven hundred and two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto' further protecting the ruffed grouse" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 702 Hunting on Sunday and at Night It is unlawful for any person to hunt for or shoot at or chase or catch or kill or attempt to shoot at or chase or catch or kill with or without dogs any game upon the first day of the week commonly called Sunday or to hunt for or shoot at or catch or kill or attempt to hunt for or shoot at or catch or kill any game between one-half hour after sunset of one day and one-half hour before sunrise eastern standard time of the day following except that wild turkeys and ruffed grouse shall be hunted for and killed only between sunrise and sunset and that raccoons [may] shall be hunted for and killed [at any

time either day or night during the open seasons Sundays excepted] only between one hour before sunset and one hour after sunrise except raccoons taken in traps

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be liable to the fine hereinafter provided

Section 2 That clause (a) of section seven hundred and four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

(a) Unlawful Methods and Devices

It is unlawful for any person to shoot at or to shoot for game unless the same is plainly visible to him or to dig cut or smoke live game out of its den or place of refuge

It is unlawful to hunt for or catch or take or kill or wound or attempt to catch or take or kill or wound game of any kind [excepting raccoons] through the use of what is commonly known as an automatic gun or an automatic firearm of any kind or a swivel gun or an air-rifle or the apparatus known as a silencer or from an automobile or vehicle or boat or craft of any kind propelled by any mechanical power or to set lay or prepare for use or to use any trap snare net birdlime deerlick pitfall turkey blind turkey call or turkey pen or to make use of or to take advantage of any artificial light battery or other contrivance or device or to make use of any method or device not specifically permitted by this act for the purpose of catching or taking or wounding or killing game

It is unlawful to hunt for or catch or take or kill or wound or attempt to catch or take or kill or wound raccoons except in the manner provided in the preceding section

Section 3 That section seven hundred and eighteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 718 Training of Dogs on Certain Game During the period between one hour before sunrise and ten o'clock post meridian eastern standard time dogs when accompanied by and under control of their owner or handler may be trained upon any game in this State excepting elk or deer or wild turkey from the twentieth [fifteenth] day of August [October] to the last day of February next following Sundays excepted so long as no firearms usually raised at arm's length and fired from the shoulder are carried and no injury is inflicted upon said animals or birds This section does not prohibit the training of dogs on raccoons during the nighttime Nor does this section prohibit the holding of field meets or trials for dogs with led game animals at any time or season of the year or field meets where bird dogs are permitted to work on liberated or native wild game birds in exhibition or contest at any time during the day only from the twentieth day of August to the thirty-first day of March inclusive of the year following Sunday excepted when a permit for such field meet of either kind or class has been applied for to the board of game commissioners and issued by the board and a fee of twenty dollars ($20) has been paid by the applicant to the Executive Secretary of the board whose duty it shall be to supervise the holding of such field meet and to enforce the terms of the permits therefor and the rules and regulations of the board for the holding of such meets "Under control" is hereby defined to mean within call except when actually on a trail or track of legal game

Any person who shall train a dog or dogs or permit a dog or dogs under his control to pursue or follow upon the track of any small game contrary to the foregoing provisions shall be liable to a fine of ten dollars for each offense

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McGregor	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Fockler,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baily,	Fox,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baker,	Fuller,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Gelnett,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Gicking,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Grenet,	Myers,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Grimes,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Gross,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Bicker,	Gwynne,	Peck,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hagmaier,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haines,	Pennock,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Harding,	Perry,	Storer,
Boggs,	Harkins,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hart,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Braham,	Harter,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hartsock,	Post,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Powell	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Purucker,	Walker,
Burke,	Hefferon,	Reader,	Washington,
Burns,	Heffran,	Reed,	Way,
Catania,	Himes,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Rice,	Welty,
Clovis,	Howe,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Conner,	Huester,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Jones,	Riddle,	White,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Rieder,	Wike,
Davis,	King,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Linton,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Lose	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Ede,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	McCann,	Sheely,	Hess,
Evans,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—1.

Bell, F. A.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1366, entitled:

An Act to amend subdivision three of section three of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	Lowe,	Riddle,
Aston,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Rieder,
Baily,	Fox,	Lynch,	Ronemus,
Baker,	Fuller,	Marcus,	Royle,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Sautter,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Gicking,	McAlee,	Schilling,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Barton,	Goodnough,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Bausher,	Grenet,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Behm,	Grimes,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	McKay,	Shortz,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bickett,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Black,	Harding,	Michel,	Sowers,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Boggs,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Bowers,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Moore, D. G.,	Steedle,

Brown, E.,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Heffner,	Munley,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffran,	Musmanno,	Tahl,
Catania,	Henderson,	Myers,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Himes,	O'Neill,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Patterson, F. W.,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Peck,	Way,
Conner,	Holmes,	Peelor,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pennock,	Wells,
Davidson,	Huester,	Perry,	Wettach,
Davis,	Jones,	Peters,	White,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Pethick,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Katz,	Pierce,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	King,	Pitts,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Powell,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Purucker,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Landis,	Reader,	Wright,
Ede,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affrmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1963, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful for the county commissioners of any county of the second class to appropriate or spend any of the public funds for the maintenance of any bookkeeping, accounting or fiscal system, substantially duplicating that required to be maintained by the county controller of such county; making it unlawful for the county commissioners and the county controller of such county to sign and countersign any warrant for any such expenditure; excepting and limiting the right of the county commissioners of such county to employ and pay an accountant or statistician and the right to maintain in the several fee offices of such county a system of books, records and accounts of their respective fees and other financial transactions; and providing penalties.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2070, entitled:

An Act authorizing the county controllers of counties of the fifth class to have their annual reports printed and prepared in pamphlet form for distribution and providing for the payment thereof by the proper county

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McDonald	Shertz,
Aston,	Fockler,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baily,	Fox,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baker,	Fuller,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gicking,	Millar,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	Miller H. A.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Grimes,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Myers,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Haines,	Peck,	Storb,
Black,	Harding,	Pennock,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Hart,	Peters,	Tahl,
Bowers	Harter,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Pitts,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Post,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Powell,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	Purucker,	Washington,
Burke,	Heffran,	Reader,	Way,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Reed,	Weaver,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Rice,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kahle,	Richards, R.,	White,
Cooke,	Katz,	Riddle,	Wike,
Davidson,	King,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Ronemus	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Root,	Wilson,
Denne,	Leidich,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Lose,	Schreck,	Wood,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Schrock,	Wright,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Erdley,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Evans,	McCann,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1892, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

And said bill having been read at length the third ti sidered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,

Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fuller,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1889, entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gelnett	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.	Goodnough,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker	Wettach,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo.	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Hart,	Munley.	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hartzock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer.
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peeler,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker.
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way.
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post.	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1124, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, (P. L. 194), entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of peace, and regulating the fees of constables making sales under this act," by further enlarging the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and extending the provisions of said act to aldermen.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Muhmanno,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peeler,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Powell,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1882, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred and forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harstock,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J.G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1885, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Barton,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gross,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
		Shaffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 490, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township, Warren County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldridge,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick	Walker,

Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1096, entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goehring,	McCann,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grenet,	McKay,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Behm,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W H.,	Stein,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Storb,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Katz,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Linton,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lowe,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lucas,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Fox,	Mathay,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1098, entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeagel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fish,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1357, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffron,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 722 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Fockler,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Holmes,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Root,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Lose,	Royle,	Wood,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wright,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Hess,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Erdley,	McAlee,	Scott,, J. G.,	
Evans,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 579, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School, at Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,

Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Munley	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2034, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Fox,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Michel,	Sowers,
Barton,	Griffith,	Millar,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Behm	Harding,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Braham,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Washington,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Burke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Burns,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Catania,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Cooke,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Erdley,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Evans,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1474, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 235) entitled "An act to promote the health and efficiency of firemen in cities of the first class, by providing for a two platoon system for the certain officers of the uniformed fire force of the Department of Public Safety of such cities."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,

Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Cooke,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1893, entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 234, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Fockler,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Fox,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Fuller,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Smith, H J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grenet,	Millar,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 285, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.	Harter,	Mumford	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott,, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2095, entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State or Semi-State institutions

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend line 3 of the title on page 1 by striking out the words "or semi-State"; also section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "proportion" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "part"; also line 6, by striking out the words "and semi-State"; also lines 9 and 10 by striking out the word "respective"; also line 11 by inserting after the word "shall" the word "have"; also line 11 by striking out the word "propertion" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "amount"; also page 2 by inserting before the word "persons" the words "person or".

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1534, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital, of Kane, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams P. G.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Paterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kleckner	Reyburn,	White,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,

Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 267, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, for maintenance of said home and payments of expenses of administration, including salaries of officials and clerks, and for repairs, and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Eckett,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yeagel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlee,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 183, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Barton,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2038, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Folcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 671, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,

Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 236, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grenet,	McKay,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 282, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Memolo,	Shellenberger
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Aston,	Fockler,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baily,	Fox,	Michel,	Simon,
Baker,	Fuller,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Grenet,	Munley,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Gross,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Haines,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Harding,	Peck,	Storb,
Black,	Harkins,	Pennock,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Harter,	Peters,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Braham,	Haws,	Pitts,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Post,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Powell,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Purucker,	Washington,
Burke,	Heffran,	Reader,	Way,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Reed,	Weaver,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Rice,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kahle,	Richards, R.,	White,
Cooke,	King,	Riddle,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kohr,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,

Dengler,	Leidich,	Root,	Wilson,
Denne,	Linton,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Wright,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Erdley,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Evans,	McKay,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1951, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—1[illegible]

Adams, E. C.,	Haines,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Harding,	Millar,	Shortz,
Aston,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baily,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith H J.,
Baldrige,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffran,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Himes,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Black,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Stein,
Boggs,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Braham,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Howe,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown E. P.,	Huester,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Jones,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Burns,	Katz,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Catania,	King,	Post,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Voltz
Clark, J. G.,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Walker,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Reader,	Washington,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reed,	Way,
Davidson,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Davis,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lowe	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Lucas,	Riddle,	White,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Wike,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Evans,	Mathay,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Fish,	McAlee,	Royle,	Wilson,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Schrock,	Wood,
Gochring,	McDonald,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Goodnough,	McGregor,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Grenet,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Griffith,	Memolo,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gross,	Meredith,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Hagmaier,			

NAYS—2.

Donnell, Patterson, F. W.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1758, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,
Aston,	Fockler,	Marcus,	Schreck,
Baily,	Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Baker,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheely,
Barton,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	McKay,	Simon,
Behm,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Haines,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stein,
Bowers,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Mumford,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Tahl,
Burke,	Heffner,	Myers,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Turner,
Catania,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Wells,
Conner,	Howe,	Perry,	Welty,
Cooke,	Huester,	Peters,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pethick,	White,
Davis,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Wike,
Dengler,	Katz,	Pitts,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	King,	Post,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reader,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Landis,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wood,
Ede,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,
Aston,	Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Baily,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Behm,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Black,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Boggs,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Braham,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Peck,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Way,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Perry,	Weaver,
Conner,	Howe,	Peters,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Huester,	Pethick,	Wells,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pierce,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	King,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Rieder,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Hess,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Speaker.
Fish,	Lucas,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1454, entitled:

An act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 266, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,
Aston,	Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,
Baily,	Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,

Baker,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Barton,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Behm,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Black,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Braham,	Haws,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Perry,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Peters,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Pethick,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Post,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 997, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195), entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,
Aston,	Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,
Baily,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Behm,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Haws,	Munley,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Burke,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Voltz,
Catania,	Himes,	Peck,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Perry,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Howe,	Peters,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Pethick,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Katz,	Post,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Powell,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Hess, Speaker.
Fish,	Lynch,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1996, (Senate Bill No. 939), as follows:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof" restricting the powers therein conferred in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record to the orphans' court of such counties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 In counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record the power conferred upon the court of common pleas by the preceding sections shall in such counties in so far as the same relate to the books of records and indices belonging to offices of the clerk of the orphans' court and the register of wills be exercised [jointly] solely by said [court of common pleas and] orphans' court

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d	Greeby,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reyburn,	White,
Clovis,	King,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ede,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wright,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1805, (Senate Bill No. 710), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 603), entitled "An act authorizing corporations, organized for profit, to purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge, or otherwise dispose of, the shares of capital stock of, or any bonds, securities or evidences of indebtedness created by, any other corporation" by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations, and validating past transactions of such character.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pcelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Peck,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Root,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1496, (Senate Bill No. 292), entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382), entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,

Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1800, (Senate Bill No. 468), entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	King,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Zeisenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2059, (Senate Bill No. 857), entitled:

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Bally,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	Katz,	Reilly,	White,
Davidson,	King,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wood,

Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1799, (Senate Bill No. 467), entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1921, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Fuller,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Grimes,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Behm,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Heffernan	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Black	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Burke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Catania,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Cauffiel,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Conner,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Dunn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Eaches,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Ede,	McAlinn,	Scott J. G.,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fish,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McGregor,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1930, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the cele-

bration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bildrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Calrk, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dengler,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Embardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—1.

Donnell,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1745, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom; for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H.A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S.H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell., W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T.J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W.H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2064, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,

YEAS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1973, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Barton,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the sponsor of this bill.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Mathay, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MATHAY. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, does this bill make a change in the rate of taxation?

Mr. MATHAY. This cuts the tax from ten per cent to five per cent.

Mr. TURNER. It reduces the tax on bequests for charitable purposes?

Mr. MATHAY. From ten per cent to five per cent. That is all it does.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finaly.

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harding,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Hart,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Pierce,	Way
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn	White,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2132, entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finances and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Barton,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stark
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Stevenson
Bowers,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Heffran,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burns,	Henderson,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Katz,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Linton,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wood
Ederer,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1495, (Senate Bill No. 249), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.

Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gronet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. J.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hays,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F.W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Woldemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Evans	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Hess,
	McCallister,	Schrock,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1990, (Senate Bill No. 809), entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six, as amended, and sections seven hundren and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonweal'h of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Embardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2050, (Senate Bill No. 1081), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gronet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,

Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffron,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2052, (Senate Bill No. 1083), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor	Tahl,
			Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1995, (Senate Bill No. 925), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,

Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1739, (Senate Bill No. 836), entitled:

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.
Aston,	Fuller,	McCallister	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baker,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffron,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz	Speaker.
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2114, (Senate Bill No. 800), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house or correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with the approval of the court.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride	Reed,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,		Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 701, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2170, (Senate Bill No. 1155), entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gochring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Braham,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Holmes,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	King,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—2.

Donnell, Patterson, F. W.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 360, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,

Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferman,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sauter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILSON presented the report of the Committee on Conference on House Bill No. 247, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

which was laid over under the rules for printing.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bills numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 717. (HOUSE BILL No. 2297).

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers and pressure vessels; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Referred to the Committee on Manufacturers.

SENATE BILL No. 783. (HOUSE BILL No. 2298).

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 790. (HOUSE BILL No. 2299).

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 535), entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary Local.

SENATE BILL No. 103. (HOUSE BILL No. 2300).

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 126. (HOUSE BILL No. 2301).

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 221. (HOUSE BILL No. 2302).

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 275. (HOUSE BILL No. 2303).

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 456. (HOUSE BILL No. 2304).

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets in the City of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 465. (HOUSE BILL No. 2305).

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary Local.

SENATE BILL No. 526. (HOUSE BILL No. 2306).

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 564. (HOUSE BILL No. 2307).

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

Referred to the Commitee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 588. (HOUSE BILL No. 2308).

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 601. (HOUSE BILL No. 2309).

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvana Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks County, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor

Referred to the Commitee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 694. (HOUSE BILL No. 2310).

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 808. (HOUSE BILL No. 2311).

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 830. (HOUSE BILL No. 2312).

An Act to amend article three of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" by adding section three hundred and twenty thereto providing double compensation for injuries to minors under eighteen years of age injured while employed illegally and for death resulting from such injuries.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 937. (HOUSE BILL No. 2313).

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 938. (HOUSE BILL No. 2314).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1023. (HOUSE BILL No. 2315).

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provsions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," permitting school boards in school districts of the first class to provide for sabbatical years at half pay for certain teachers and employes.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL No. 1037. (HOUSE BILL No. 2316).

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 1088. (HOUSE BILL No. 2317).

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1243. (HOUSE BILL No. 2318).

An Act providing for the acquisition by the Commonwealth of the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, at Downingtown, Pennsylvania, and the management of the said school thereafter; and making an appropriation

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1257. (HOUSE BILL No. 2319).

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and

eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorprated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

SENATE BILL No. 1258. (HOUSE BILL No. 2320).

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, Philadelphia.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1259. (HOUSE BILL No. 2321).

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh, and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL No. 1290. (HOUSE BILL No. 2322).

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 459), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1295. (HOUSE BILL No. 2323).

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1297. (HOUSE BILL No. 2324).

An Act regulating the operation and speed of motor boats and boats propelled by motors on lakes having an area not exceeding five hundred acres.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1302. (HOUSE BILL No. 2325).

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing, and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies, associations or exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws," by adding thereto section six hundred and eight further regulating the licensing of insurance agents.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 1303. (HOUSE BILL No. 2326).

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1307. (HOUSE BILL No. 2327).

An Act to amend Section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL No. 1327. (HOUSE BILL No. 2328).

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 73) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1343. (HOUSE BILL No. 2329).

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family of Emsworth Allegheny County Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1344. (HOUSE BILL No. 2330).

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (P. L. 756), entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify, amend, and revise the election and primary election laws; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 7.

An Act to provide for the treatment and care of sick or disabled United States Veterans having a legal residence in the State of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 444.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1086), entitled "An act regulating the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties containing a population of not less than one hundred ninety thousand nor more than seven hundred thousand inhabitants," by providing that fees charged shall not include State tax.

HOUSE BILL No. 469.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 470.

An Act providing for and regulating the merger and consolidation of National banking associations with State bank trust companies or banks and trust companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 514.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for any president vice-president cashier treasurer secretary teller bookkeeper clerk employe or agent of any mutual savings bank saving bank bank of discount and deposit trust company title insurance company surety company or safe deposit company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or of any private bank or unincorporated association receiving deposits of money or of any building and loan association incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or authorized to do business therein his or their aiders and abbettors to embezzle abstract or wilfully misapply any of the moneys funds or credits of such institution or to issue certificates of deposit draw any order or bill of exchange make any acceptance assign any note bond draft bill of exchange mortgage judgment or other instrument in writing without authority from the directors of such institution with intent to deceive or defraud or to make a false entry in the books reports or statements thereof with like intent prescribing penalties and authorizing the Banking Commissioner to institute prosecutions" extending the penalties provided by said act to cases where officers directors employes and agents of aforesaid institutions commit certain acts as indiviuals or as officers directors employes or members of corporations or copartnerships with intent to injure or defraud such institutions or to deceive any bank examiner

HOUSE BILL No. 376.

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and twenty-one) entitled "An act to exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes actual places of religious worship places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit and institutions of purely public charity and repealing prior acts relating thereto" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 130.

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," by adding thereto clause six, authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 263.

An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owner or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties"

HOUSE BILL No. 34(

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and one) entitled "An act relating to the acquisition and holding of property real and personal by any literary scientific educational religious charitable benevolent or beneficial society church congregation association or body incorporated or any trustee or trustees of any trust for charitable or benevolent objects or purposes fixing the amount of such property which may thus be acquired and held and providing for the increase of such amount and a method of procedure for obtaining the right to such increase" by increasing limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations societies or congregations.

HOUSE BILL No. 896.

An Act providing for the refund of taxes erroneously or inadvertently paid to the county treasurer or delinquent tax collector of counties of the second class.

HOUSE BILL No. 1004.

An Act authorizing and empowering the county treasurers of the several counties of this Commonwealth to sell at public sale, all seated lands upon which taxes assessed on such seated lands by authority of any county, borough, town, township, school district and poor district, are delinquent and remain unpaid, and fixing penalties for such delinquency authorizing county commissioners to purchase such lands under certain circumstances.

HOUSE BILL No. 1014.

An Act regulating the appointment of persons to public positions in counties and cities of the first class

HOUSE BILL No. 1057.

An Act to amend paragraph one of section seven of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 957), entitled "An act authorizing boroughs and townships of the first class to adopt and enforce zoning ordinances regulating the location, construction, and use of buildings, the size of courts and open spaces, the density of population, and the use of lands;" providing the manner in which the board of adjustment shall be appointed.

HOUSE BILL No. 1419.

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 34), entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of persons employed in tenement houses and shops where clothing, cigarettes, cigars and certain other articles are made, or partially made, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same, and to provide for the safety and regulating the employment of said persons."

HOUSE BILL No. 1420.

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 41), entitled "An act to protect the life and limbs of those employed in the construction of new buildings in this Commonwealth."

HOUSE BILL No. 1421.

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 970), entitled "An act to protect the health and lives of employes in certain occupations, by requiring the use of blowers, or similar apparatus, in connection with certain kinds of machinery, and specifying the equipment to be used in connection therewith; regulating the use of such blowers and apparatus, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 1422.

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 99), entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor constituting a day's work in this State to eight hours."

HOUSE BILL No. 1441.

An Act to repeal section twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one. (P. L. 364), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes, and for municipal improvements, and for the removal of nuisances; the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened, and the manner of distributing the proceeds of such sales," in so far as the same relates to counties of the fourth, fifth and sixth classes.

HOUSE BILL No. 1503.

An Act providing for the purchase by the Commonwealth of a building in the City of Harrisburg for the use of the Department of Property and Supplies and making an appropriation therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 1526.

An Act to amend section two hundred and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth, except in counties of the first and second class; and revising, amending, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1532.

An Act regulating loans by building and loan associations.

HOUSE BILL No. 1594.

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined.

HOUSE BILL No. 908.

An Act permitting County Commissioners in counties of the seventh class when acting as trustees of property for public purposes to invest moneys in such trust securities as are lawful investments for funds in the hands of fiduciaries.

HOUSE BILL No. 929.

An Act regulating the quarantining of animals, poultry, premises, localities, and areas in the Commonwealth; defining quarantines and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture, its officers and agents in establishing and enforcing quarantines; and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 130 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. FRED A. BELL asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 130, Printer's No. 988, File Folio 5639, entitled "An act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight), entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation, regulation and government of cities of the third class, regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto,' by adding thereto clause fifty, authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions, and to provide penalties," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 220, Printer's No. 146, File Folio 1047, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 83), entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance, care and treatment of the indigent insane in county and local institutions" as amended increasing the weekly payments and extending the provisions of said act to poor districts."

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

NORBECK-ANDRESSEN ACT.

Mr. EDERER asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up Resolution No. 20, file folio 4595, which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, March 25, 1929.

Relating to cooperation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the Federal Government in making effective the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Act

Whereas The Congress of the United States passed on February eleventh one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and President Coolidge approved on February eighteenth the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill thereby adopting for the entire nation a policy for the conservation of wild-life supported initially by an appropriation of eight million dollars on a ten-year program

Whereas The policy thus made national has long been notable by reason of its successful development in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the Board of Game Commissioners in wisely administering acts of the General Assembly

Whereas Pennsylvania's representatives in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress gave their full support to the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill and Seth E. Gordon former Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners now Conservation Director of the Izaak Walton League of America rendered distinguished service to the cause of Conservation as Secretary of the National Committee on Wild-Life Legislation in definitely committing the Federal Government to the establishment of a system of inviolate refuges at Federal expenses therefore be it

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That the Board of Game Commissioners the State Forestry Commission the Department of Forests and Waters the Water and Power Resources Board the Board of Fish Commissioners and any and all other officers departments boards or commissions whose advise consent or cooperation may be necessary or of value are hereby urged to take without delay such steps as are advisable in conjunction with the United States Department of Agriculture the Bureau of the Biological Survey or President Herbert Hoover or others to make effective as soon as possible the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Act in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEATH OF THE HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it becomes my solemn duty to announce to this House the death of a former member of this House, and a former Lieutenant-Governor of this Commonwealth, the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, of Harrisburg. Mr. Beidleman died suddenly this morning at 5.30 o'clock. He was for many years one of the prominent citizens of this Commonwealth, widely known and loved by the people of this Commonwealth and of this city. I therefore ask the indulgence of this House to make the following motion.

Mr. Speaker, I move that a committee of five members of the House be appointed, including the Chief Clerk, to make suitable arrangements for attendance at the funeral of the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, and that the Chief Clerk of this House be authorized to arrange for a floral tribute to be sent as an expression of the sympathy of this House.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I feel certain that the announcement of the sudden death of our former Lieutenant-Governor, Edward E. Beidleman, has come as a distinct shock to his numerous friends and admirers throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and that into hundreds of homes throughout the county the announcement of his death has come with a shock and a sense of a personal bereavement. It is not my purpose at this time to speak upon the character and upon the services of the former Lieutenant-Governor, the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman. I shall, however, ask that opportunity when a resolution is presented in accordance with the motion which is now made. I simply arise to second the motion of my colleague from Dauphin, Mr. Rice, and I trust that this motion may be adopted by this House by a rising vote.

The motion was unanimously agreed to by a rising vote.

The SPEAKER. May the Chair suggest that the members of the House stand with bowed heads for a moment in silence in respect to the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, late Lieutenant-Governor of the Commonwealth.

The House stood with bowed heads for a moment in memory to the late Honorable Edward E. Beidleman.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, a meeting has been called of the Aeronautic Committee and I just wish to dwell upon that announcement for a moment as it is vitally important at this time that every member of that committee make known his wishes. We have made arrangements for a sort of field day to-morrow for the committee and a few invited guests to make a trip to the flying field at Middletown to view the planes, and have also made special arrangements for flights for those who desire. It is not compulsory for any member of that committee to fly but there will be the opportunity for those who desire to do so.

The announcement has been made that we would leave here at 2.00 o'clock. I wish to correct that because we have had to set the time at 1.00 o'clock to be at the flying field at 1.30, because they have hired planes to help on the flights and it is necessary for us to do our reviewing of the field and the plant and complete the flights before 3.30, and that cannot be done if we arrive there at 2.30. I ask every member of that committee to report at the time set so that all these arrangements can be completed and that we do not fall down on the job, because these planes have been ordered from Bolling Field and we want to be there in full force.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. The Chair declares a recess until 4.00 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 4.00 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. EMHARDT, from the Committee on Judiciary Special, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1959, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the commissioning of policemen for corporations, associations, copartnerships and individuals; defining the powers and liabilities of such policemen and their employes; and providing penalties.

Mr. BAKER, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1968, entitled:

An Act providing that any order of the juvenile court of any county of the second class or action of any of its probation officers touching the custody of any child under the jurisdiction of said court calculated to affect the liability of said county for the support or maintenance of said child shall, before order to effect the county's liability for the same, be certified or reported by the clerk, chief probation officer, or such other persons as said court shall designate, to the county commissioners of such county with full details, within five days after said order is made or action taken; and repealing inconsistent legislation.

Mr. SAMUEL H. MILLER, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed House Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana.

Mr. BICKETT, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the filing registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fees and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

Mr. GELNETT, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2145, (Senate Bill No. 207), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." as amended.

Mr. BAKER, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2274, (Senate Bill No. 384), entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, manitenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State

Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Mr. SOWERS, from the Committee on Aeronautics, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2046, (Senate Bill No. 985), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

Mr. EVANS, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2292, (Senate Bill No. 1252), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 93), entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine and one, (P. L. twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures of land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment.

Mr. WOOD, from the Committee on Aeronautics, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1259, (Senate Bill No. 407), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

Mr. DITTER, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2285, (Senate Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four and to repeal section two of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 894), entitled "An act relating to and regulating the plotting by cities of the first class of parks and parkways in built-up sections thereof by limiting the provisions thereof to parks.

Mr. LOUCKS, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1988, (Senate Bill No. 562), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2327, (Senate Bill No. 1307), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. NOTHNAGLE, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2120, (Senate Bill No. 1014), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; providing for the enumeration of all deformed, crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

Mr. WAY, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2280, (Senate Bill No. 927), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

Mr. ASTON, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2305, (Senate Bill No. 465), entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberation of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

Mr. STERLING, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2156, (Senate Bill No. 1094), entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for

the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

Mr. GICKING, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2299, (Senate Bill No. 790), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 535), entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class, to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties; fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Mr. GELNETT, from the Committee on Aeronautics, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 1443, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section .

Mr. BICKETT, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1989, (Senate Bill No. 807), entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

Mr. MEMOLO, from the Committee on Appropriations, re-reported as amended, House Bill No. 1006, entitled:

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Aeronautics, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1258, (Senate Bill No. 406), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

Mr. GODDNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2300, (Senate Bill No. 103), entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2301, (Senate Bill No. 126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2302, (Senate Bill No. 221), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2303, (Senate Bill No. 275), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2304, (Senate Bill No. 453), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets, in the city of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers, Pennsylvania National Guard.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2307, (Senate Bill No. 504), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2308, (Senate Bill No. 588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania, for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2309, (Senate Bill No. 601), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks county, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick"; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2310, (Senate Bill No. 694), entitled:

An Act making an appropriatoin to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2311, (Senate Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2320, (Senate Bill No. 1258), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania museum and school of industrial art, Philadelphia.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2330, (Senate Bill No. 1344), entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 753) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriation reported as committed, House Bill No. 987, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school distric such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed t legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legal incurred.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriation reported as committed, House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Sta Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for t purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highw on Presque Isle Peninsula.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriation re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 797, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the oficers of the Co monwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and ninete (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act r quiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for tra portation to or from foreign countries and providing penaltie as amended providing for the method of reimbursement such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and considerati of House Bill No. 1959, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the commissioning policemen for corporations, associations, co-partnerships a individuals; defining the powers and liabilities of such polic men and their employes; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and considerati of House Bill No. 1968, entitled:

An Act providing that any order of the juvenile court of a county of the second class or action of any of its probating c ficers touching the custody of any child under the jurisdicti of said court calculated to affect the liability of said coun for the support or maintenance of said child shall, in ord to affect the county's liability for the same, be certified reported by the clerk, chief probation officer, or such oth person as said court shall designate, to the county comm sions of such county, with full details, within five days aft said order is made or action taken; and repealing inco sistent legislation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and considerati of House Bill No. 2011, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved t eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seve teen, (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of t public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescrib and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by re ulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug hab by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists a registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for t enforcement of this act, and penalties," as amended; defini drugs to include mari juana.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2145, (Senate Bill No. 207), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough ,or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2274, (Senate Bill No. 384), entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads, and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provision of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2046, (Senate Bill 985), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2292, (Senate Bill No. 1252), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 93), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws, twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein, and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures or land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1259, (Senate Bill No. 407), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers of counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2283, (Senate Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four and to repeal section two of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four), entitled "An act relating to and regulating the plotting by cities of the first class of parks and parkways in built-up sections thereof" by limiting the provisions thereof to parks.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1988, (Senate Bill No. 562), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2327, (Senate Bill No. 1397), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2120, (Senate Bill No. 1014), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the enumeration of all deformed crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2280, (Senate Bill No. 927), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1989, (Senate Bill No. 807), entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing

for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats, principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same ,and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions; providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2305, (Senate Bill No. 465), entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2156, (Senate Bill No. 1094), entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus sand and materials.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2299, (Senate Bill No. 790), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1258, (Senate Bill No. 406), entitled:

An Act authorizing the county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2300, (Senate Bill No. 103), entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2301, (Senate Bill No. 126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2302, (Senate Bill No. 221), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2303, (Senate Bill No. 275), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2304, (Senate Bill No. 456), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania for the use of the Armory at Broad

and Callowhill Streets in the City of Philadelphia by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2307, (Senate Bill No. 564), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction improvement maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2308, (Senate Bill No. 588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania, for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2309, (Senate Bill No. 601), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township Berks County to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control management supervision restoration and improvement thereof authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2310, (Senate Bill No. 694), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2311, (Senate Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Manage of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideratio of House Bill No. 2320, (Senate Bill No. 1258), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvan Museum and School of Industrial Art, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideratio of House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum the Holy Family of Emsworth Allegheny County Pennsylvani

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideratio of House Bill No. 2330, (Senate Bill No. 1344), entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved th fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seve (P. L. 756) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Electio Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election an primary election laws defining its powers and duties an making an appropriation" continuing the Commission create thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance o the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideratio of House Bill No. 987, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school district such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed th legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideratio of House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpost of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1060, 653 Printer's No., White File Folio 4051, entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four), entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions' extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 917, Printer's No. 716, White File Folio 4633, entitled: "An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) as amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the second section as amended of and to supplement an act entitled 'A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth' approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five amending the same to provide for the payment of the net proceeds of the entire two per centum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement including townships among the distributees".

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL 415.

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 672.

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto." as amended.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 412, Printer's No. 224, File Folio 2153, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax," exempting wholesale venders or wholesale dealers engaged in the business of processing and curing of meats their products and by-products.

which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 411, Printer's No. 276, File Folio 2229, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of July Anno Dominn one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended exempting corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations organized for the purpose of the processing and curing meats their products and by-products.

which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 337, Printer's No. 51, File Folio 207, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 158), entitled "An act creating a Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for the election of a director by the General Assembly; designating the officers and employes of such bureau, defining their duties; fixing their salaries; abolishing the present Legislative Reference Bureau; and making an appropriation."

which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 453.

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims; and repealing existing laws.

HOUSE BILL No. 1462.

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands, waters, materials or other property or rights, or for injury thereto, in cases where there is a disputed, doubtful or defective title, or where any party interested is absent, unknown, not of full age, of unsound mind, or is an unincorporated association, or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county, and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons.

HOUSE BILL No. 1642.

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on nonresident operators or nonresident owners of motor vehicles operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said nonresident upon whom civil process may be served, and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit.

HOUSE BILL No. 1132.

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 998), entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases, mental defect, epilepsy, and inebriety; regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics; governing the transfer, discharge, interstate rendition, and deportation of mental patients; providing for the payment by individuals, counties, or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission, care, and discharge of mental patients; and imposing penalties," by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen, four hundred and fifteen for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

HOUSE BILL No. 1348.

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to nuncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor"

HOUSE BILL No. 10.

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertently paid for wholesale liquor licenses and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 760.

An Act to amend section sixty-two and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquital on the grounds of insanity.

HOUSE BILL No. 1218.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are or have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines or members of the enlisted nurse corps designated as 'deceased service men' defining the term 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 975.

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

HOUSE BILL No. 1277.

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road.

HOUSE BILL No. 341.

An Act providing for the location, care and maintenance of graves of soldiers, sailors, marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps, and for the compilation and preservation of records relating to such soldiers, sailors, marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps, and their burial places, by county commissioners at the expense of the counties; and imposing certain duties upon persons, firms, corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries conferring certain duties on the Department of Military Affairs.

HOUSE BILL No. 1640.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy-

two (1 Smiths Laws 370) entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same for the better security of rents and for other purposes therein mentioned."

HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1703.

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington and Newton, in the county of Luzerne," as amended; enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the County of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District

HOUSE BILL No. 1781.

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page 194) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture furnishings and equipment

HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 1774.

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 781.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out after the word "of" the word "June" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July" also in the next to the last line, by striking out after the word "Revenue" the words, 'the list of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, 'information concerning".

Amend section 1, page 2, line 5, by striking out at the beginning of said line the word "June" and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "July".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely.
Baily,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Myers,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peck,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Perry,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Peters,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Post,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Fde,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
		Schwartz,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1076 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. WHEELER asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 1433, File Folio 8835, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located and making an appropriation

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

Teh House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2028, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) is hereby specifically appropriated for the two fiscal years beginning the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties" as amended

Section 2 Upon the approval of this act the State Treasurer after deducting from the entire amount appropriated for salaries and office expenses and for the unorganized counties shall divide the balance into two equal parts

The one part hereinafter referred to as the second part shall be held intact for distribution on and after the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty in the manner hereinafter provided

The other part shall upon the approval of this act be distributed among the several counties organized under the Mothers' Assistance System according to a budget for each county prepared by the Secretary of Welfare after taking into consideration the following basis of distribution

(1) The number of families receiving assistance on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight (2) in addition provision for other eligible families which could not be aided from the fund available for the past biennium the number of additional families needing aid in each county to be determined by the following formula

In the counties where the number of eligible families on the waiting list the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight was greater than the number representing the average yearly increase of families aided during the biennium ending the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight allowance may be determined by the former number In counties where the average yearly increase of families aided is the greater number allowance may be determined by this number rather than by the eligible waiting list The apportionment to each county shall be based upon the average grant per family prevailing in such county during the year ending the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight

Section 3 On the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty the State Treasurer shall set aside out of the second part to each county organized at the beginning of the biennium under the Mothers' Assistance System a sum equal to that apportioned to it under the preceding section by the Secretary of Welfare provided the amount so set aside to any county together with the unexpended balance of the amount apportioned to the county during the first year shall constitute the State's assistance during the second year to such county

Section 4 No county shall receive its allotment of the State appropriation available for any year under the method of distribution provided by this act unless such county has accepted the provisions of the act of July tenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) as amended and has placed at the disposal of the board of trustees a sum equal to the amount available from the State appropriation for such year No county shall receive any sum from the State under sections two and three of this act unless such county shall appropriate a like sum for the same purpose

Section 5 Out of the amount hereinbefore appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be set apart to be apportioned to the counties heretofore unorganized under the Mothers' Assistance System At the beginning of the first for each of the counties unorganized prior to the first year of the biennium the State Treasurer shall set aside the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine equal parts of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) At the beginning of the second fiscal year of the biennium the State Treasurer shall set aside for the counties which have organized during the first fiscal year the amounts designated by the Secretary of Welfare who shall on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty reapportion to the counties organizing during the first fiscal year the balance remaining on that date of the sum set aside for the unorganized counties the reapportionment to be determined by the need as presented by the counties

Section 6 Out of the amount hereinbefore appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be set apart and applied for the payment of the salaries of the State supervisor of the Mothers' Assistance Fund and of such assistants clerks and other employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the supervisor for the traveling hotel and other expenses of the supervisor and her assistants for the cost of making special investigations and for incidental contingent and other expenses of every kind and description necessary for the proper administration of the Mothers' Assistance System

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1623, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) is hereby specifically appropriated out of the Motor License Fund for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the construction and improvement of State-aid highways in accordance with existing law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1812, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($375,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the central offices of said Department and the offices of the various organized police forces of the cities boroughs and townships of the Commonwealth maintaining night offices

Said appropriation shall be paid out by requisition of the Department of State Police after approval by the Governor on the Auditor General and by warrant of the Auditor General drawn on the State Treasurer in the usual manner

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1891, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the purpose of establishing a chair for instruction of men and women in the profession business or occupation of detectives and for the purpose of teaching those enrolled in such course finger printing comparing handwriting psychology and other subjects as are immediately relative to the scientific detection of criminals

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 992, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society for the two fiscal years commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium located at Rossmere Lancaster County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1861, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the Department of Property and Supplies

Whereas Taxes imposed by the State on liquid fuels are collected on fuels which are consumed by aircraft and

Whereas Said taxes are at present paid into the Motor License Fund and used for the purpose of developing the highways of the Commonwealth and

Whereas Aircraft like motor vehicles furnish a means of transportation but are required to have special ports for their taking off and landing and are not materially benefited by the development of the highways and

Whereas The aircraft industry is developing rapidly and it is highly important that the Commonwealth should aid in establishing and maintaining proper ports and facilities for air transportation therefore

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) is hereby specifically appropriated out of the Motor License Fund to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of acquiring in the name of the Commonwealth by purchase contract lease or condemnation such land or water within the Commonwealth suitable for intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities as the State Aeronautics Commission shall recommend Such fields and facilities upon their acquisition shall be turned over to the State Aeronautics Commission to be maintained improved and operated by it

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bil No. 2126, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Military Affairs of the Commonwealth for the payment of claims against the Department for materials and labor furnished in the construction and maintenance of rifle ranges for use of the National Guard and soldiers of the United States which remain unpaid by reason of the failure of the Federal Government to make payments for the use thereof or for any other reason whatsoever

Section 2 Payments shall be made out of such appropriation by the State Treasurer on warrant of the Auditor General on requisition of the Adjutant General after audit and approval of claims for such services material and labor by the said Adjutant General

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be laid aside for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1155, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 497, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association at Carbondale Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Saint Joseph's Hospital Association at Carbondale Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1504, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four million five hundred thousand dollars ($4,500,000) is hereby appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies to be by it used in purchasing plans and causing specifications to be prepared for and erecting and constructing an additional office building in Capitol Park to be located east of the South Office Building and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding such building when constructed

Section 2 The Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized to purchase from the architects who prepared the same the plans for said building now in the possession of the Department of Property and Supplies and to cause said architects to prepare specifications and such further detailed plans and drawings as may be necessary to enable contracts to be awarded and the building constructed The plans for the said building shall be approved by the Governor

Section 3 The Department of Property and Supplies shall pay for all plans specifications supervision and architectural and engineering fees out of the appropriation made by this act

Section 4 If the appropriation made by this act shall be insufficient for the completion of the building authorized hereunder it shall be lawful for the Department of Property and Supplies to award a contract or contracts for the construction of as much of the building as can be paid for out of the appropriation made by this act

Section 5 The work of constructing the said building shall be done under one or more contracts in the discretion of the Department of Property and Supplies but any and all contracts shall be awarded after advertising for bids once a week for four successive weeks in at least twelve newspapers published in different part of the Commonwealth The Secretary of Property and Supplies shall have power to reject any and all bids and to readvertise for bids in like manner as above provided Before any contract is entered into the Secretary of Property and Supplies shall require from the contractor a bond to the Commonwealth in such sum as the Secretary shall deem sufficient conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms of the contract The contract and bond shall be approved by the Attorney General

Section 6 As the work on the erection and construction of such office building advances the secretary may from time to time make payments to any contractor on account of his contract At no time however prior to the completion and acceptance of the work covered by any contract shall the total payments on account to any contractor exceed ninety per centum (90) of the total cost of work done thereunder

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1163, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of nine hundred thousand ($900,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge with the approaches thereto and memorial pylons in the city of Harrisburg to commemorate the services of the soldiers and sailors of the Commonwealth in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Sidney F Ross and J. E. Greiner now on file in the Department of Property and Supplies All Supervision Architectural and Engineering Fees and any other necessary expense shall be paid from the funds made available by this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 156, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated for the payment of the cost of painting and securing a portrait of the Honorable Robert Von Moschzisker Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania which after completion shall be hung in an appropriate place in the State Capitol building

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 13, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons of York Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons of York Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 136, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of forty-five thousand five hundred dollars ($45,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the instruction maintenance and employment in handicraft of inhabitants of the State of Pennsylvania and to aid in the necessary expenses of the same for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 150, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fourteen thousand dollars ($14,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind in the City of Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first nineteen hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance and that the further sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) is hereby specifically appropriated for the purpose of purchasing books in the Moon or raised letter type for the Blind and other supplies during the same period

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 165, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($22,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives located at Sixty-fifth and Vine Streets in the City of Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 338, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars ($6,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Home Society of Pennsylvania Incorporated located at one hundred and thirty-five Penwood Avenue in the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance and the prosecution of its work to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 372, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home of Johnstown Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Christian Home of Johnstown Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 422, as follows:

An Act providing for the acquisition by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission in the name of the Commonwealth of the Albert Gallatin Homestead in Springhill Township Fayette County and for its management maintenance and preservation as an historic memorial providing for the acceptance of gifts and bequests and making an appropriation

WHEREAS Albert Gallatin Secretary of the Treasury of the United States for the period from one thousand eight hundred and one to one thousand eight hundred and thirteen obtained a grant known as "Friendship Hill" located in Springhill Township Fayette County Pennsylvania and while Minister to the Court of France built his home on said property and for some years thereafter maintained the same as his residence for which reason and the further reason that Lafayette visited there in the month of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five and that many other persons prominent in National and State affairs visited there "Friendship Hill" has become historically famous and it is desirable and proper for the Commonwealth to own and preserve said property as an historic memorial to one of its distinguished citizens and

WHEREAS There are installed in said homestead numerous articles of personal property furniture etc which belonged to Albert Gallatin and by reason of said ownership have become extremely valuable for historical purposes and

WHEREAS There have been planted on said property more than eighty thousand conifer and other valuable tree plantings and three hundred and fifty acres of said property are timbered with virgin oak and four acres of said property are underlaid by the Pittsburgh seam of bituminous coal now therefore

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purpose of properly perpetuating and preserving the Albert Gallatin homestead known as "Friendship Hill" and located in Springhill Township Fayette County as a shrine for the people of the Commonwealth and the Nation the Pennsylvania Historical Commission is hereby authorized to negotiate with the owner thereof and to require in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania said Gallatin homestead consisting of approximately six hundred acres together with the buildings thereon erected and the contents of the mansion house Said property upon its acquisition shall be preserved and maintained as an historic place and shall be known as the "Albert Gallatin Memorial"

Section 2 The title to said property shall before its acquisition be approved by the Department of Justice After the property has passed into the possession of the Commonwealth the Pennsylvania Historical Commission shall have full control and supervision thereof and shall have power to adopt and carry into effect plans for its restoration or improvement and rules and regulations for the preservation and use thereof

Section 3 The Pennsylvania Historical Commission is authorized to receive for the Commonwealth gifts or bequests of relics and other objects of historical interest for public exhibition and to receive and accept for the Commonwealth gifts and bequests of moneys and securities for the endowment of the work of the Commission in connection with said memorial in accordance with the instructions of the donors The Commission in conjunction with the Auditor General and State Treasurer shall constitute a body of trustees for the care of such moneys and securities invest the same and employ the income thereof for the maintenance and improvement of said memorial or as may have been specified by the respective donors The State Treasurer shall be the custodian of all such moneys and securities held by said trustees

Section 4 The sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Historical Commission for the purpose of acquiring said property

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HIMES. Mr. Speaker, I move this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for further consideration.

Mr. McGREGOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2158, (Senate Bill No. 1140), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentiaries

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to

an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of February one thousand eight hundred thirty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifty-five) entitled "An act relative to the Western and Eastern Penitentiaries and to the Philadelphia County Prisons" and the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act providing for the payment quarterly by counties of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentiaries" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 9 And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid That the expenses of [maintaining and] keeping the convicts in the said Eastern and Western Penitentiaries shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted and the said expense shall be paid to the [said inspectors] Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by [them] the duly authorized agents of the Department of Revenue at said penitentiaries on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay same to the Department of Revenue Provided That the said orders shall not be presented to the said treasurers before the [first Monday of May in each and every year] thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the last day of each calendar month thereafter [And provided also That] and at the aforesaid periods of time the said [inspectors] agents of the Department of Revenue shall [annually on or before the first Monday of February] together with such orders transmit by the public mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for convicts confined in said penitentiaries an account of the expense of keeping [and maintaining] said convicts which account shall be sworn or affirmed to by them [and attested by the clerk] and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to [collect and retain monies for the payment] promptly pay to the Department of Revenue the amount of said orders when presented Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the respective boards of trustees of the several penitentiaries [and] And provided also That all salaries of the wardens or superintendents their deputies and assistants the guards and other officers engaged in managing [of] the said penitentiaries or holding positions of authority over the inmates therein shall be paid by the State [and it shall be the duty of the inspectors to transmit to the Auditor General the names of the persons by them appointed and the salaries agreed to be paid to each of them under the provisions of this act which sums shall be paid] in the usual manner [by warrants drawn by the Governor upon the Treasurer of the Commonwealth] provided by law for the payment of moneys from the State Treasury

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1 by striking out lines 4 to 11, inclusive.

Amend page 2 by striking out lines 1 to 29, inclusive.

Amend page 3 by striking out lines 1 to 25, inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the expenses of keeping the convicts in the State penitentiaries shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted The said expenses shall be paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by the duly authorized agents of said Department at said penitentiaries on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agents of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for convicts confined in said penitentiaries during such calendar month accounts of the expense of keeping said convicts which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to by them and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the respective boards of trustees of the several penitentiaries And provided also That all salaries of the wardens or superintendents their deputies and assistants the guards and other officers engaged in managing the said penitentiaries or holding positions of authority over the inmates therein shall be paid by the State and shall not be included in computing the cost of keeping convicts in said penitentiaries

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentiaries.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, by striking out the first five lines of the title.

Amend page 1 by striking out at the beginning of line 6 of the title the words "[as amending providing]" and inserting in lieu thereof "Providing."

Amend page 1, line 8, of the title, by striking out after the word "in" and before the word "penitentiaries" the word "[the]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2159, (Senate Bill No. 1141), entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing

for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seven) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled 'An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons' by making further provisions for the disposition of products made in such institutions and authorizing boards of trustees of State institutions to use the proceeds of sales of such product for certain purposes" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 3 Supplies manufactured articles goods and products so made manufactured or produced may be sold or exchanged to or with the Commonwealth or any county city borough or township thereof or any State institution or any educational or charitable institution receiving aid from the Commonwealth In the case of State institutions or hospitals the proceeds of any sales or products under the provisions of this act [may with the approval of the Department of Welfare be expended by such board of trustees for the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of employes the purchase of supplies or equipment or any other expenses of any kind or description necessary for the proper conduct of any work of such board of trustees] shall be collected by the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasury Provided however That such board of trustees shall keep an accurate record of the dates quantities and prices of all sales [and of the dates and purposes of all expenditures] made hereunder which records shall at all times be subject to examination and audit by the Auditor General of this Commonwealth

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 3, line 4, by striking out the word "or," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of."

Amend page 3, line 9, by striking out after the word "of" the word "any," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the."

Amend page 3, line 16, by striking out the word "records," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "record."

Amend page 3 by adding after line 18 the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2160, (Senate Bill No. 1142), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-four of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 24 Whenever any convicted inmate shall be sentenced either to the county prison of the county wherein such Industrial Home shall be established or to either of the penitentiaries of the Commonwealth it shall be lawful for the authorities of the [proper penal institution] county prison to draw annually a warrant or the duly authorized agents of the Department of Revenue at the said penitentiaries to draw monthly a warrant payable to the Department of Revenue upon the treasurer of the county from which said inmate was originally sentenced for the costs and expenses of her maintenance and the treasurer upon whom such warrant may be drawn shall forthwith pay the same

Section 2 That section twenty-five of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 The [board of managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue shall cause to be kept an ac-

count of the expense of the support and maintenance of each person committed to the Industrial Home with the county from which she was sent and bills for the same shall be forwarded [periodically] by said agents promptly after the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the last day of each calendar month thereafter to the commissioners of the proper county [deducting first from said bills any amount which has been received from the labor of the prisoner referred to] together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of the proper county and it shall be the duty of the county [officers] treasurer to pay promptly the [balance] amount due on said account [within thirty days from the receipt of this statement] to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer Provided That the aforesaid bill and order rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the counties by the board of trustees of the said Industrial Home for Women

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "of," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to."

Amend page 2, line 9, by inserting after the word "thirty" the word "years."

Amend page 3, line 6, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the words "the same" thusly "[the same]."

Amend page 3, line 6, by inserting before the word "shall" the following such expenses for each calendar month."

Amend page 3, lines 7 and 8, by striking out the following "thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the."

Amend page 3, lines 8 and 9, by striking out the following: "each calendar."

Amend page 3, line 9, by inserting before the word "month" the word "such."

Amend page 3 by inserting after line 24 the following:

"Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home, for Women, authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings, providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act," providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 6, of title, by striking out the word "of," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to."

Amend page 1, line 8, of title, by inserting after the word "thirty" the word "years."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2161, (Senate Bill No. 1143), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three(Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents" as amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled 'An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents' requiring building and loan associations to pay the cost of examinations by the Department of Banking" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 9 Maintenance of Department—(a) Expenses—All moneys derived by the department from fees assessments charges penalties and otherwise shall be paid by the Secretary through the Department of Revenue into the State Treasury for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be available for the use of the department upon requisition of the secretary All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the department for the purpose of paying the salaries of the secretary the deputies the examiners and the other employs of the department the expenses of the department including the rental and furniture of such rooms or quarters as the secretary may deem necessary outside of the Capitol and for the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the department as may be required to furnish

them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the department and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and the officers and employes of the department operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the secretary from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisitions not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any such requisition

(b) Assessments of Expenses upon Corporations and Individuals—All the expenses incurred in and about the conduct of the business of the department including the cost of the regular examinations of corporations and persons under the supervision of the department the compensation of the secretary deputies examiners and other employes of the department together with all other general or overhead expenses of the department shall be charged to and paid by the corporations and persons subject to the supervision of the department in equitable proportions at such times and in such manner as the secretary shall by general rule or regulation annually prescribe

Provided however That building and loan associations shall be examined at least once in each year and more frequently if the condition of any building and loan association shall be such that in the opinion of the Secretary of Banking an additional examination is necessary and provided further That the Secretary of Banking may upon the request of any building and loan association appoint a certified public accountant to make at the expense of the association the annual examination instead of an examiner of the department and the building and loan association making such request shall be entitled to and furnished with a copy of the report of the examination

Provided however That the charge for examination of building and loan associations shall not exceed the expenses incurred in connection with such examination including a proportionate part of the salary of the examiner or other employe engaged in such examination but not including departmental overhead properly chargeable to building and loan supervision for which an appropriation shall be made by the General Assembly

The expenses incurred in connection with any special examination or investigation of any corporation or person including a proportionate part of the salary of any examiner or other employe of the department engaged in such examination or investigation shall be charged to and paid by such corporation or person

On failure or refusal of any such corporation or person after thirty days' written notice to pay any sum lawfully assessed or charged against it or him by the secretary under the provision of this clause the secretary may at his option bring an action at law to recover the same

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, line 4, by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "and."

Amend page 2, line 9, by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "and."

Amend page 2, line 17, by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "and."

Amend page 5, line 10, by striking out the word "provision," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisions."

Amend page 5, line 11, by striking out the following "[may at his option]."

Amend page 5, line 11, by inserting before the word "bring" the following "shall call upon the Department of Justice to."

Amend page 5 by inserting after line 12 the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the Table of Contents" as amended.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 9, of the title, by striking out the words "this provision," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "its provision."

Amend page 1, line 9, of the title, by striking out the word "the," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "The."

Amend page 1, line 10, of the title, by striking out the word "act," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Act."

Amend page 1, line 10, of the title, by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "and."

Amend page 1, line 11, of the title, by striking out the word "the."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2162, (Senate Bill No. 1144), entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and the neighborhood thereof from damage from gunpowder to incorporate an association for the establishment of a House of Refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to se-

cure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and the neighborhood thereof from damage from gunpowder to incorporate an association for the establishment of a house of refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital" as amended or supplemented by the act approved the thirty-first day of January one thousand eight hundred fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws six) entitled "A further supplement to the act incorporating the House of Refuge of Western Pennsylvania passed April twenty-second one thousand eight hundred fifty" and the act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred nineteen) entitled "A supplement to an act to incorporate an association for the establishment of a House of Refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital approved the twenty-second day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 19 That the children received by said [managers] board of trustees under the conviction of or commitment by any court [within the said western district] shall be clothed maintained and instructed by the said [managers] trustees at the public expense of the proper county from which they came and the accounts of said children shall be kept and the counties billed therefor by the [said managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue in the same manner that the accounts of convicts in the penitentiaries are now directed to be kept [by the inspectors thereof] and the counties billed therefor and the treasurer of the proper county shall promptly pay the amount thereof to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1 by striking out the first eight lines of the title.

Amend page 1, line 9, of the title, by striking out [Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Providing."

Amend page 1, line 10, of the title by inserting after the word "payment" the following: "by the counties to the Department of Revenue."

Amend page 1, line 10, of the title, by striking out after the word "of" the word "[maintenance]."

Amend page 1, line 10, of the title, by striking out after the word "charges" the words "[by counties]," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for clothing maintaining and educating pupils at the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza."

Amend page 1 by striking out line 11 of the title.

Amend page 1 by striking out lines 4 to 9, inclusive.

Amend page 2 by striking out lines 1 to 29, inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the children received by the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza under the conviction of or commitment by any court shall be clothed maintained and instructed by the said Board at the public expense of the counties from which they came The said expenses shall be paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by the duly authorized agent of said Department at said Training School on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay the same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agent of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for children in said school during such calendar month accounts of the expense of clothing maintaining and educating said children which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the Board of Trustees of said School.

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty (P. L. 538) entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and the neighborhood thereof from damage from gunpowder to incorporate an association for the establishment of a house of refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2163, (Senate Bill No. 1145), entitled:

An Act creating a fund for the purpose of rebuilding, restoring and replacing real and personal property of the Commonwealth damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty and for insuring the Commonwealth against losses of public moneys due to embezzlement or theft thereof by or malfeasance of State Officers and employes; and, prohibiting the purchase of insurance or surety bonds for the above purposes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Insurance for further study.

Mr. EDERER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2164, (Senate Bill No. 1146), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

The first section was read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notices of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The expenses of the keeping of any convict transferred under the provisions of this act in the penitentiary to which transferred shall continue to be borne by the county in which such convict was convicted and the same paid to the [inspectors of that penitentiary] Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer in like manner as such county had borne and paid the expenses of keeping such convict in the penitentiary from which transferred and as provided by law for the payment of the expenses of keeping convicts in the Eastern and Western Penitentiaries and the [inspectors of] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue at the penitentiary to which a convict is transferred shall accordingly render the account of such expenses to the county commissioners of the county in which the convict was convicted together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of said county

It shall be the duty of the warden of the penitentiary from which any convict is transferred under the provisions of this act immediately upon such transfer to give notice in writing of the transfer to the county commissioners of the county in which the convict was convicted and to the clerk of the court which sentenced the convict who shall enter and file the same of record

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "notices," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "notice."

Amend page 2, line 21, by striking out the following "the Eastern and Western," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State."

Amend page 3 by inserting after line 7 the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 48) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 1, of title, by inserting after the word "amend" the following: "section three of."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2165, (Senate Bill No. 1147), entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth"

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Such person or persons as may be so transferred or retransferred shall be subject to the same term of imprisonment as that imposed upon them at the time of sentence under law as attached to sentence at the time the same was imposed either as to parole or as to commutation by reason of good behavior The expenses of transferring retransferring and keeping such prisoners so transferred or retransferred shall continue to be borne by the county in which such person was convicted and the same shall be paid to the authorities having charge of the transferred or retransferred prisoner by the said county from time to time as bills are rendered Provided That where any prisoner is transferred to a State penitentiary or correctional institution said expenses shall be paid by said county to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer in like manner as provided by law for the payment of the expenses of keeping convicts in the Eastern and Western penitentiaries

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, line 24, by striking out the following "the Eastern and Western," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State."

Amend page 2 by inserting after line 25 the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 144) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 1, of the title, by inserting after the word "amend," the following: "section four of."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2166, (Senate Bill No. 1148), entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled 'An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof' by making money paid in premiums by subscribers available for the payment of expenses for administering the State Fund and by increasing the salary of the assistant managers" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 11 The money paid in premiums by subscribers is hereby made available for the expenses of administering the Fund including the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the board as may be required to furnish them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the board and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and the officers and employes of the board operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the Fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine The Board shall keep an accurate account of the money paid in premiums by the subscribers and the disbursements on account of injuries to the employes thereof and on account of administering the Fund and if at the expiration of any years there shall be a balance remaining after deducting such disbursements the unearned premiums on undetermined risks and the percentage of premiums paid or payable to create or maintain the surplus provided in section nine of this act and after setting aside and adequate reserve so much of the balance as the Board may determine to be safely distributable shall be distributed among the subscribers in proportion to the premiums paid by them and the proportionate share of such subscribers as shall remain subscribers to the Fund shall be credited to the instalment of premiums next due by them and the proportionate share of such subscribers as shall have ceased to be subscribers in the Fund shall be refunded to them out of the Fund in the manner hereinafter provided

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 11, by striking out the word "June," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July."

Amend page 2, line 11, by striking out the word "managers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "manager."

Amend page 2, line 22, by inserting after the words "fund and" the following "operated by."

Amend page 2, line 23, by striking out the following: "operating said vehicles."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2167, (Senate Bill No. 1149), entitled:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 17 The [managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue shall cause to be kept [by the clerk] an account of the cost of the support and maintenance of each convict with the county from which he is sent to the reformatory which said account shall [annually] monthly be approved by the said [managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue and if the same be true and correct shall be sworn to by [at least three of said managers] said agent and shall promptly after the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the last day of each calendar month thereafter be sent to the commissioners of the proper county [first deducting from the said cost the amount received from the labor of the said convict if any and for the balance the said managers shall sixty days thereafter draw their draft on the proper officers of the counties respectively for the amount so found to be due which draft it shall be the duty of the said county officers to pay] together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of the proper county who shall accept and promptly pay the amount thereof to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer Provided That the aforesaid account and order rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the counties by the board of trustees of the reformatory

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, lines 8 and 9, by striking out the following: "thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and the."

Amend page 2, line 10, by striking out the word "thereafter."

Amend page 2 by inserting after line 26 the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2174, (Senate Bill No. 258), entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2179, (Senate Bill No. 931), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars ($2,750,000) is hereby specifically appropriated for the two fiscal years beginning the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties" as amended

Section 2 Upon the approval of this act the State Treasurer after deducting from the entire amount appropriated for salaries and office expenses and for the unorganized counties shall divide the balance into two equal parts

The one part hereinafter referred to as the second part shall be held intact for distribution on and after the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty in the manner hereinafter provided

The other part shall upon the approval of this act be distributed among the several counties organized under the Mothers' Assistance System according to a budget for each county prepared by the Secretary of Welfare after taking into consideration the following basis of distribution

(1) The number of families receiving assistance on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight (2) in addition provision for other eligible families which could not be aided from the fund available for the past biennium the number of additional families needing aid in each county to be determined by the following formula

In counties where the number of eligible families on the waiting list the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight was greater than the number representing the average yearly increase of families aided during the biennium ending the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight allowance may be determined by the former number In counties where the average yearly increase of families aided is the greater number allowance may be determined by this number rather than by the eligible waiting list The apportionment to each county shall be based upon the average grant per family prevailing in such county during the year ending the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight

Section 3 On the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty the State Treasurer shall set aside out of the second part to each county organized at the beginning of the biennium under the Mothers' Assistance System a sum equal to that apportioned to it under the preceding section by the Secretary of Welfare provided the amount so set aside to any county together with the unexpended balance of the amount apportioned to the county during the first year shall constitute the State's assistance during the second year to such county

Section 4 No county shall receive its allotment of the State appropriation available for any year under the method of distribution provided by this act unless such county has accepted the provisions of the act of July tenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-three) as amended and has placed at the disposal of the board of trustees a sum equal to the amount available from the State appropriation for such year No county shall receive any sum from the State under sections two and three of this act unless such county shall appropriate a like sum for the same purpose

Section 5 Out of the amount hereinbefore appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be set apart to be apportioned to the counties heretofore unorganized under the Mothers' Assistance System At the beginning of the first year of the biennium the State Treasurer shall set aside for each of the counties unorganized prior to the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine equal parts of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) At the beginning of the second fiscal year of the biennium the State Treasurer shall set aside for the counties which have organized during the first fiscal year the amounts designated by the Secretary of Welfare who shall on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirty reapportion to the counties organizing during the first fiscal year the balance remaining on that date of the sum set aside for the unorganized counties the reapportionment to be determined by the need as presented by the counties

Section 6 Out of the amount hereinbefore appropriated the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be set apart and applied for the payment of the salaries of the State supervisor of the Mothers' Assistance Fund and of such assistants clerks and other employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the supervisor for the traveling hotel and other expenses of the supervisor and her assistants for the cost of making special investigations and for incidental contingent and other expenses of every kind and description necessary for the proper administration of the Mothers' Assistance System

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2183, (Senate Bill No. 22), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Harrisburg Hospital Harrisburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2184, (Senate Bill No. 36), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eighty thousand dollars ($80,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day or part day service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend line 4, section 1, by striking out the word "eighty," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred"; also line 5, of said section, by striking out "($80,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "($100,000)."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital, of West Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2185, (Senate Bill No. 37), entitled:

An act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital, of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2186, (Senate Bill No. 44), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital, located at Bethlehem, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2187, (Senate Bill No. 64), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Punxsutawney Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2188, (Senate Bill No. 89), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2189, (Senate Bill No. 90), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2190, (Senate Bill No. 92), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred sixty-one thousand dollars ($161,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania (embracing the Medico-Chirurgical Polyclinic and Diagnostic hospitals of Philadelphia) for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical services rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part day service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular ward charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however that said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of such hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2191, (Senate Bill No. 93), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2192, (Senate Bill No. 94), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2193, (Senate Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2194, (Senate Bill No. 96), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children Before They Are of School Age at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars ($92,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children Before They Are of School Age in Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of instruction operation and maintenance and such necessary additions extensions alterations equipment and repairs as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the Board of Trustees of said school

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2195, (Senate Bill No. 102), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2196, (Senate Bill No. 104), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2197, (Senate Bill No. 105), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2199, (Senate Bill No. 113), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School Downingtown Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School of Downingtown Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the following purposes

For the purpose of maintenance the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars ($56,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

For the renewal of stock and farming implements the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2200, (Senate Bill No. 114), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2201, (Senate Bill No. 116), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2202, (Senate Bill No. 121), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several fire companies of the City of Harrisburg.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2203, (Senate Bill No. 128), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School Scotland Franklin County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($315,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Solders' Orphans' School located at Scotland Franklin County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of instruction operation and maintenance and such necessary equipment and repairs as

may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the Board of Trustees of said school

And said bill having been read at length the second time time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2204, (Senate Bill No. 130), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2205, (Senate Bill No. 131), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred sixty thousand dollars ($160,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the commission constituted under the provisions of the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey of certain toll bridges over the Delaware River" and the amendments thereto for the purpose of paying the Commonwealth's share of acquiring toll bridges across the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey in accordance with the provisions of said act

Section 2 The appropriation herein made shall be available for the purposes for which made until such toll bridges shall have been acquired and shall not be held or construed to have lapsed for the reason that said money was not used within a specified time after the passage of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2206, (Senate Bill No. 132), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2207, (Senate Bill No. 135), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the State debt.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2208, (Senate Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2209, (Senate Bill No. 137), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be used by said Commission in the payment of the cost of the construction, reconstruction, relocation, alteration, or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporations at, above, or below grade of public highways, exclusive of State highways designated as primary routes; and regulating the expenditures of the amount hereby appropriated.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2210, (Senate Bill No. 138), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2211, (Senate Bill No. 140), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2212, (Senate Bill No. 181), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2213, (Senate Bill No. 186), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association of Punxsutawney Jefferson County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Adrian Hospital Association of Punxsutawney Jefferson County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2214, (Senate Bill No. 199), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2215, (Senate Bill No. 200), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the exhibition and distribution of biological and geological collections and educational material among the public and other free schools of this Commonwealth and for the preparation installation and exhibition of such collections and exhibitions for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine payment to be made on requisition approved by the Department of Public Instruction

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2216, (Senate Bill No. 222), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2217, (Senate Bill No. 241), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2218, (Senate Bill No. 262), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2219, (Senate Bill No. 271), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2220, (Senate Bill No. 289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2221, (Senate Bill No. 301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2222, (Senate Bill No. 328), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2223, (Senate Bill No. 396), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2224, (Senate Bill No. 403), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2225, (Senate Bill No. 418), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital, Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2227, (Senate Bill No. 428), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2228, (Senate Bill No. 441), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital, Germantown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2229, (Senate Bill No. 446), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Center County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2230, (Senate Bill No. 447), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2231, (Senate Bill No. 448), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2232, (Senate Bill No. 452), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2233, (Senate Bill No. 453), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2234, (Senate Bill No. 454), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2235, (Senate Bill No. 457), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2226, (Senate Bill No. 421), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2236, (Senate Bill No. 471), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2237, (Senate Bill No. 475), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital, of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2238, (Senate Bill No. 481), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital, located at Danville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2239, (Senate Bill No. 484), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital, located at Torrance, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2240, (Senate Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property, included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township, Berks County, from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2241, (Senate Bill No. 550), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2242, (Senate Bill No. 577), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2243, (Senate Bill No. 654), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for hospital maintenance.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2244, (Senate Bill No. 655), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2245, (Senate Bill No. 656), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seventy-three thousand five hundred dollars ($73,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the South Side Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2246, (Senate Bill No. 677), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, at Mount Airy, Philadelphia, to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2247, (Senate Bill No. 683), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2248, (Senate Bill No. 696), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2249, (Senate Bill No. 823), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eight hundred eighty-two thousand dollars ($882,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alterations improvements and repairs to plant the improvement of land and for the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and live stock

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2250, (Senate Bill No. 827), as follows:

An Act making an Appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred ninety-five thousand dollars ($195,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance minor repairs and replacements

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2251, (Senate Bill No. 828), as follows:

An Act making an Appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one million one hundred seventy-eight thousand dollars ($1,178,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alterations improvements and repairs to plant the improvement of land and for the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and live stock

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2252, (Senate Bill No. 829), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one million five hundred sixty-seven thousand two hundred dollars ($1,567,200) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alteration improvements and repairs to plant the improvement of land for the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and live stock

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2253, (Senate Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Torrance State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2254, (Senate Bill No. 844), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2255, (Senate Bill No. 843), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2256, (Senate Bill No. 849), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Warren State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2257, (Senate Bill No. 850), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2258, (Senate Bill No. 851), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2259, (Senate Bill No. 853), entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2260, (Senate Bill No. 854), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2261, (Senate Bill No. 855), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one million two hundred twenty-seven thousand dollars ($1,227,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alterations improvements and repairs to plant the improvement and for the purchase of apparatus equipment and furnishings

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2262, (Senate Bill No. 856), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Truste of Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repr sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Gene Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of t same That the sum of seven hundred twenty-four thousa dollars ($724,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza Pennsylvania f the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand ni hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenan gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alterations impro ments and repairs to plant the improvement of land and f the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and li stock

And said bill having been read at length the second tin and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consider tion of House Bill No. 2263, (Senate Bill No. 858), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy Pennsylvan

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repr sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Gene Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of t same That the sum of two hundred eighty-eight thousa dollars ($288,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy Pennsylvania f the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand ni hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenanc gratuities clothing and parole expenses for alterations impro ment and repairs to plant the improvement of lands and f the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and li stock

And said bill having been read at length the second tin and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consider tion of House Bill No. 2264, (Senate Bil No. 859), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Truste of the Danville State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second tin and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consider tion of House Bill No. 2265, (Senate Bill No. 860), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Truste of the Allentown State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second tin and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2266, (Senate Bill No. 861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2267, (Senate Bill No. 957), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Shamokin State Hospital, at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2268, (Senate Bill No. 1019), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of said hospitals.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2269, (Senate Bill No. 1038), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 3 by striking out after the word "for" the following: "fixing his salary to be paid by the county," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary."

Amend section 2, page 1, line 10 by striking out the following "a salary of five hundred dollars per annum to be paid out of the county treasury." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such salary as may be fixed by the Salary Board of the proper county provided however the same shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per annum said salary to be paid monthly upon warrants drawn by the County Commissioner upon the Treasurer of said county."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Braham	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burns,	Holmes,	Post,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Roncmus,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.	Hess,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 4, page 7, line 29 by inserting after the word: "hun-" a strike-out bracket.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Barton,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wilson,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wood,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ede,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Zeisenhelm,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz	Speaker.
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1703.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 3, page 1, line 1, by inserting after the word "assessor" the following: "from and after the first day of January nineteen hundred and thirty".

Amend section 3, page 2, line 1 by inserting after the word "assessors" the following; "from and after said date"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Zeisenhelm,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If there is no objection the Chair will declare a recess until 8.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 8.00 o'clock P. M.
The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 973, White File Folio 5533, entitled:

An act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acqquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships where such forests are located" be recalled from the Governor for further consideration

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 9, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 130, Printer's No. 988, File Folio 5639, entitled:

"An act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight), entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation, regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto,' by adding thereto clause fifty, authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions, and to provide penalties,"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 278.

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events including provisions for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation.

Said bill having been recalled from the governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 6, by striking the words "and/or;" amend line 7 by striking out the words "and/or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or."

Amend section 2, page 2, line 1, by striking out the words "and/or;" amend line 3 by striking out the words "and/or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or."

Amend section 3, page 2, line 19, by striking out the words "and/or;" amend line 20 by striking out the word "accommodation" and insert in lieu thereof the word "accommodation;" amend line 21 by striking out the words "and/or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or;" also in same line strike out the word "accommodations" and insert in lieu thereof the word "accommodation."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—169.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schreck,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Howe,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Jones,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Dietrich,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Landis,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wright,
Evans,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Root,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 90.

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in certain securities.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2271, (Senate Bill No. 1139), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery solicting subscriptions to or orders for undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

The first section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-six of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 26 The Commission shall charge and collect the following fees and shall daily pay all fees received into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

(a) For the filing of any original or renewal application the sum of ten ($10.00) dollars

(b) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of a dealer forty ($40.00) dollars except as hereinafter provided

(c) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of an agent or salesman ten ($10.00) dollars

(d) For each and every registration certificate issued to a dealer after the first day of July of any year twenty ($20.00) dollars

For copies of any papers filed in the office of the commission or for the certification thereof the commission shall charge such fees as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 That section twenty-seven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 27 Upon and after the effective date of this act all moneys derived from fees assessments or charges under this act shall be paid by the commission into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be available for the use of the commission in the administration of this act upon requisition of the commission All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the commission for the purpose of paying the salaries and expenses of the commission and of all employes appointed as may now or hereafter be provided by law for the administration of this act including any special deputy attorney or attorneys general or other counsel or attorneys assigned to or employed for the commission and all other expenses necessary and proper for the administration of this act including equipment and maintenance of and supplies for such offices or quarters as the commission may occupy [and] rentals for such offices outside the Capitol Buildings the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the commission as may be required to furnish them motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the commission and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of said fund and the officers and employes of the commission operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the Fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the commission from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisition not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any requisition therefor

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 3, line 17 by inserting after the word "fund" the following: to be known as the "Securities Commission Fund"

Amend page 3, line 19 by inserting after the word "commission" the following: subject to the approval of the Department of Banking

Amend page 4, line 1 by inserting after the word "outside" the word "of"

Amend page 4, line 6 by striking out the word "employes" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "employes"

Amend page 4, line 8 by inserting in front of the words "the officers" the following: "operated by"

Amend page 4, line 9 by striking out the following: [operating said vehicles]

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 7 of the title by inserting after the word "for" the word "or"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to,

nd said bill having been read at length the second time
l agreed to as amended,
)rdered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

greeably to order,
he rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of
Whole being in this case dispensed with,
he House proceeded to the second reading and considera-
n of House Bill No. 2273, (Senate Bill No. 378), entitled:

n Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
ia to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May
nty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,
tled "An act to provide for cooperative agricultural exten-
work between the agricultural colleges in the several states
ving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July
nd, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supple-
tary thereto, and the United States Department of Agri-
ure."

nd said bill having been read at length the second time
agreed to,
rdered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

greeably to order,
he rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of
Whole being in this case dispensed with,
he House proceeded to the second reading and considera-
of House Bill No. 2277, (Senate Bill No. 816), entitled:

Act to amend sections one two and seven of the act ap-
oved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hun-
ed nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six)
ititled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of
iblic Grounds to acquire property for the Commonwealth
proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of
ch property has either been authorized by law or deter-
ined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and
uildings under existing laws and an appropriation made
erefor" by adding to the purposes for which land may be
quired and by substituting the Department of Property
id Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the
ency for exercising the right of eminent domain

he first section was read as follows:

ction 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-
natives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General
mbly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the
e That section one of the act approved the fifteenth day
uly one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws
r hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the
rd of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to
ire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in emi-
domain where the purchase of such property has either
authorized by law or determined by the Board of Com-
ioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws
an appropriation made therefor" be and the same is hereby
nded to read as follows
ction 1 That whenever in the judgment of the [Board of
missioners of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department
roperty and Supplies with the approval of the Governor it
mes necessary to purchase additional land for the purpose
lding the same to any of the public lands parks arsenals
ories hospitals normal schools teachers' colleges penal or
ctional institutions or other [public] institutions of the
monwealth or when such purchase has been authorized
aw for new institutions and an appropriation has been
a. for such purpose the said [Board of Public Grounds and
ildings] Department of Property and Supplies shall have the
l to purchase or condemn such lands as hereinafter pro-
d

C the question,
Vill the House agree to the section?
M. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the fol-
w g amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.
The amendments were read by the Clerk as folows:

Amend page 2, line 13 by inserting before the word "addi-
tional" the words "or condemn"
Amend page 2, line 14, by inserting after the word "land"
the words "with or without buildings thereon"
Amend page 2, line 15, by inserting after the word "lands"
the word "or"
Amend page 2, line 15, by inserting after the word "parks"
the words "or for use as sites for or in connection with"
Amend page 2, line 15, by inserting after the word "armories"
the words "military reservations intermediate landing fields"
Amend page 2, line 16, by striking out after the word
"schools" the word [teachers'] and inserting in lieu thereof
the word "teachers"
Amend page 2, line 18, by inserting after the word "pur-
chase" the words "or condemnation"
Amend page 2, line 18, by striking out at the end of the line
the words [for new insti-]
Amend page 2, line 19, by striking out at the beginning of
the line the word [tutions]

On the question,
Will the House agree to the amendments?
They were agreed to.
On the question.
Will the House agree to the section as amended?
It was agreed to.

The second section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 That section two of the said act be and the same
is hereby amended to read as follows
Section 2 In any case where the [Board of Commissioners
of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department of Property
and Supplies and the owners of the property which the said
[Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings
have] department with the approval of the Governor has de-
termined to purchase or the purchase of which has been au-
thorized by law are unable to agree upon the amount to be
paid therefor or where by reason of the absence or incapacity
of any owner or owners thereof no agreement can be made the
said [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings
acting through the superintendent thereof] department acting
for the Commonwealth and through the Attorney General or
any owner or owners of the land to be acquired may present
a petition to the court of commn pleas of the cunty in which
the property is located to have the value thereof judicially de-
termined

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 That section seven of the said act be and the
same is hereby amended to read as follows
Section 7 The [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds
and Buildings] Department of Property and Supplies shall
have the right upon the filing of any report of viewers to
enter upon and take possession of the property to be acquired
without the filing of any bond or other security where an
appropriation has been made for the purchase of such prop-
erty

On the question,
Will the House agree to the section?
Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the fol-
lowing amendment.
The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.
The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 3, line 21, by inserting after the word "pur-
chase" the words "or condemnation"

On the question,
Will the House agree to the amendment?
It was agreed to.
On the question,
Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend sections one, two, and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain, where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws, and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes for which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency for excercising the right of eminent domain.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2278, (Senate Bill No. 848), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2279, (Senate Bill No. 922), entitled:

An Act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers or accredited colleges and universities; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2284, (Senate Bill No. 1131), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital, of the City of Pittsburgh.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2287, (Senate Bill No. 1186), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2294, (Senate Bill No. 1255), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Pennsylvania State College for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry and for the purchase of necessary equipment.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence, bills numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1089. (HOUSE BILL No. 2331).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 596. (HOUSE BILL No. 2332).

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 792. (HOUSE BILL No. 2333).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 794. (HOUSE BILL No. 2334).

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 974. (HOUSE BILL No. 2335).

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concern-

ing townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1021. (HOUSE BILL No. 2336).

An Act authorizing counties severally or jointly to provide for the collection of tolls on toll bridges, heretofore or hereafter acquired, for the purpose of redeeming bonds issued for such acquisition and rebuilding of such bridges, and for the purpose of reimbursing such counties for the amount of county moneys expended in acquiring such bridges and rebuilding the same, including also maintenance.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1292. (HOUSE BILL No. 2337).

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1329. (HOUSE BILL No. 2338).

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1332. (HOUSE BILL No. 2339).

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county boards of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1335. (HOUSE BILL No. 2340).

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1339. (HOUSE BILL No. 2341).

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1341. (HOUSE BILL No. 2342).

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 431, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation ti the Bethel Orphanage located at Osceola Tioga County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Bethel Orphanage located at Osceola Tioga County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 436, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home at Chester Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Boarding Home at Chester Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 464, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home Harrison Valley Potter County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Northern Tier Home Harrison Valley Potter County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 478, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home of Brookville Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home of Brookville

Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 753, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania at Hawkins Station Allegheny County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania located at Hawkins Station Allegheny County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 799, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars ($6,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 808, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Home of Harrisburg Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 809, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the United Charities of Hazleton for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the following purposes namely

For the purpose of maintenance the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 887, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital of Erie Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital of Erie Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 888, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless of the City of Erie Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fourteen thousand five hundred dollars ($14,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Erie Home for the Friendless of the city of Erie Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 890, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children Pottsville Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Benovelent Association's Home for Children Pottsville Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 952, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 973, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged Meadville Crawford County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pensylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged located at Meadville Crawford County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 978, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Penneylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1070, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pensylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Baby Welfare Association of number five hundred and fifty-one North Fifth Street Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1123, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1130, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance of the work of said society and any of its auxiliary branches incorporated and unincorporated

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1149, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission near the City of Bradford Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Beacon Light Mission located near the city of Bradford Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1170, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children Termon Avenue Twenty-seventh Ward Pittsburgh Pennsylvania or its successors

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Colored Children the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Colored Children Termon Avenue Twenty-seventh Ward Pittsburgh Pennsylvania or its successors for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1172, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home of Western Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania or its Successors

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Curtis Home of Western Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania or its successors for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1232, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home located at Wissinoming Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Old Ladies' Home located at Wissinoming Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1353, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies located in the city of Pittsburgh for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1365, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle of Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Florence Crittenton Circle of Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1429, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three thousand two hundred dollars ($3,200) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby

pecifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend ociety of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years eginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty- ine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to w

And said bill having been read at length the second time nd agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of e Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera- on of House Bill No. 1480, as follows:

n Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People located at LaMott Montgomery County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre- ntatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General ssembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the me That the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars 1,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby pecifically appropriated to the Julia White Priscilla Home r Aged Colored People located at LaMott Montgomery Coun- Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first e thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time id agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of e Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera- on of House Bill No. 1489, as follows:

n Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre- ntatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General ssembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the me That the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars 5,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby pecifically appropriated to the Children's Home of Easton nnsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Chil- en) for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand ne hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time nd agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of e Whole being in this case dispensed with.

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera- on of House Bill No. 1507, as follows:

n Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre- ntatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General ssembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the me That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars 3,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby pecifically appropriated to the Home for Widows and Single omen of Lebanon and Lebanon County Pennsylvania for the o fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hun- ed and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be id according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1536, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children of Lancaster Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Friendless Children for the city and county of Lancaster for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1591, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home of New Brighton Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Beaver County Children's Home of New Brighton Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1661, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women of Easton Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women located at Easton Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1915, as follows:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 18 (a) If the inspector or deputy shall find in or on any land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place plants plant products or other material infested or infected with any plant pest or has reason to believe that such infestation or infection exists he shall notify in writing the owner or person having charge of such land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place or both of them to that effect and shall state whether the infestation or infection be capable of successful treatment and the owner or person having charge shall within ten days after receipt of such notice or within such longer or shorter period as the notice may state cause the removal or destruction of such plants plant products or other material if incapable of successful treatment otherwise cause them to be treated as the inspector may direct From receipt of such notice and until destruction or treatment as specified has been completed to the satisfaction of the inspector such land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place shall be considered under quarantine No damages shall be awarded to the owner for the loss or destruction of such plants plant products or other material under this act "Except as provided under (c) of this section" Such plants plant products or other material shall be deemed to be a public nuisance

(b) In case the owner or person in charge shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of paragraph (a) of this section within the time specified he shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act and thereafter the inspector under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture may proceed to treat or destroy or cause to be treated or destroyed the plants plant products or other material The expense thereof or such portion of it as the Secretary of Agriculture may direct shall be collected or obtained from the person or persons so refusing or neglecting in an action or actions brought against him or them either jointly or severally in the same manner as the debts of like amount are now recoverable The amount of such expenses when collected shall be paid into the State Treasury Provided That such portion of the amount so collected and paid into the State Treasury as shall represent the expenditures thereon by the United States Government in cooperation with the Secretary of Agriculture as provided hereafter in this act shall be paid to the United States Government and for such purposes any such moneys paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated

(c) If under the provisions of this section the Secretary of Agriculture shall require or cause to be destroyed or removed any growing and living plant or plants of the common red cedar (Juniperus virginiana) or of the European barberry (Berberis vulgaris) or of cultivated currants and gooseberries (Ribes species) other than nursery stock upon any land the grower of which was in no way responsible for the existence of the condition which in the opinion of the Secretary of Agriculture or his representatives necessitated such destruction or removal the Secretary of Agriculture shall upon claim duly filed and approved by him pay to such grower or other person entitled thereto compensation for such plants so required or caused to be removed or destroyed in an amount not in excess of seventy per centum of the value of the plants so required or caused to be removed or destroyed as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture

Section 2 The sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of paying claims for plants destroyed in accordance with the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1927, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Franklin County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Aid Society of Franklin County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2066, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars ($6,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2153, (Senate Bill No. 959), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2155, Senate Bill No. 1027), entitled

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1950, as follows:

An Act to amend section one section two as ameided part of section four as amended and section eight of an act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eleven) entitled "An act establishing a court for the County of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the service of its writs process or warrant by the proper officers of the County or City of Philadelphia regulating the procedure therein and appeal therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof" by providing for a judge to hold a Traffic Court conferring exclulve jurisdiction over certain traffic offenses and providing for the proper dispositions of fines and moneys collected

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of an act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eleven) entitled "An act establishing a court for the county of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the services of its writs process or warrants by the proper officers of the County or City of Philadelphia regulating the procedure therein and appeals therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in the County of Philadelphia there shall be and hereby is created a court of record to be known as the Municipal Court of Philadelphia It shall consist of a president judge and one associate judge for each two hundred thousand of population or fractional part thereof in excess of one hundred thousand in such county such population to be determined from time to time by the latest census of the United States and one additional associate judge at large

Section 2 That section two of the said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eleven) entitled "An act establishing a court for the County of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the service of its writs process or warrants by the proper officers of the County or City of Philadelphia regulating the procedure therein and appeals therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof" which was further amended by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty) entitled "An act to amend part of section two as amended part of section four and part of section nine as amended of an act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eleven) entitled "An act establishing a court for the county of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the service of its writs process or warrants by the proper officers of the County or City of Philadelphia regulating the procedure therein and appeals therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof by providing for the election of a president judge and conferring certain powers heretofore exercised by the president judge upon the board of judges of the municipal court" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 The judges of said court shall be learned in the law and shall be elected by the duly qualified electors of said county for terms of ten years if they so long behave themselves well

The president judge and the associate judges shall receive the salaries now provided by law payable by the State in the same manner that the salaries of the judges of the courts of common pleas are paid The term of office of the judges of the court shall begin on the first Monday of January following their election

The first judges of the said court shall be elected at the general election held in November one thousand nine hundred thirteen

In the event of a vacancy in the office of judge or when by reason of a new United States census more judges are to be chosen or when an additional judge or judges are provided for by amendment of this act the Governor shall appoint judges to hold office until the first Monday of January succeeding the next municipal election at which election the vacancies shall be filled and the additional judges caused by such increase in population or by amendment to this act shall be elected to the full term of ten years from the first Monday of January next following such election

On the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four and every five years thereafter the judges of said court shall elect one of their number as president judge who shall hold such office for a term of five years

It shall be unlawful for any judge of the said court to practice law during his continuance in office

Section 3 That paragraph three of section four of said act which was amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act amending section nine and section four of an act entitled 'An act establishing a court for the county of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the service of its writs process or warrants by the proper officers of the county or city of Philadelphia regulating the procedure therein and appeals therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen by regulating the appointment and salary of probation officers and regulating the payment of fees and moneys in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

All fees or other sums received by any clerk or employee of said court shall be paid into the treasury of the County of Philadelphia except moneys in pursuance of an order of the court in (a) proceeding against a husband or father where it is charged that without reasonable care he has separated himself from his wife or child or children or both or (b) in a proceeding against a person wherein it is charged that being of full age he or she has neglected to maintain his or her parents who are not able to work or are not of sufficient ability to maintain themselves or (c) in a proceeding for the custody of children or (d) in a proceeding under the act commonly known as The Vehicle Code and all ordinances and police regulations adopted in pursuance thereof in all of which cases the moneys shall be paid by the clerk to the person or persons or public officer entitled thereto immediately after receipt thereof by the clerk or at such periodic intervals as is elsewhere provided by statute

Section 4 That section eight of the said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 8 The president judge shall have power to oversee and direct the business of the court He shall assign the various judges to the duties to be performed by them He shall at appropriate intervals not less than once a month except in July and August hold meetings of all judges of said court for the purpose of promoting the speedy administration of the business of the court and for other purposes

The president judge of the court shall designate one member of the court to hold a juvenile court The said judge shall be assigned to said court for a period of one year or longer in the discretion of the president judge

The president judge of the court shall designate one member of the court to hold traffic court The said judge shall be assigned to said court for a period of one year or longer in the discretion of the president judge

The said municipal court shall have exclusive [illegible] of all proceedings brought for violatons iwithin the County of Philadelphia of the act commonly known as the Vehicle Code wherever the penalty is recoverable by summary conviction and

is not greater in amount than twenty-five dollars ($25.00) and costs or imprisonment for ten (10) days and shall also have exclusive jurisdiction of all proceedings brought for violations of ordinances of council of the City of Philadelphia and police regulations duly adopted in pursuance of said act irrespective of the penalty thereof

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, at the request of the sponsor I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. WILLIAM B. SMITH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1949, as follows:

A Supplement to an act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eleven) entitled "An act establishing a court for the County of Philadelphia prescribing its jurisdiction and powers providing for the service of its writs process or warrants by the proper officers of the County or City of Philadelphia regulating the procedures therein and appeals therefrom and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended providing for a Traffic Violations Bureau as a part of the said Municipal Court of Philadelphia prescribing its functions and authority authorizing the receipt of voluntary payments from traffic offenders regulating the disposition of the funds received and the duties of oficers of said bureau with regard to reports and returns thereof and providing fines and penalties for violations thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That there is hereby established as a part of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia a bureau to be known as a Traffic Violations Bureau which shall keep records of traffic offenses and which shall have the power in the case of first offenses against those provisions of the act commonly known as "The Vehicle Code" where exclusive jurisdiction thereof is by law vested in the said Municipal Court and which shall have the power also in the case of first offenses against city ordinances and police regulations duly established under the authority of said act to accept voluntary payments from offenders in no case to exceed ten ($10) dollars in lieu of fines and penalties imposed as provided in said act or said ordinances or police regulations In the case of second offenses the said Traffic Violations Bureau shall have the power to accept voluntary payments from offenders in no case to exceed twenty-five ($25) dolars in lieu of fines and penalties imposed as provided in said act or said ordinance or police regulations In the case of third and subsequent offenses the said Traffic Violations Bureau shall have no power to accept voluntary payments from offenders

Section 2 All voluntary payments collected by the Traffic Violations Bureau for violations of the said Vehicle Code shall be paid to the State Treasurer to be placed in a deposit fund to be available for the use of the State Highway Department as in said act provided except those collected for violations of the provisions as to speed weight or for violations of city ordinances or police regulations which voluntary payments shall be paid to the Treasurer of the City of Philadelphia to be used by such city for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof and sworn statements of all voluntary payments so collected shall be made upon blanks furnished by the State Highway Department or by the City Treasurer in cases where such payments are payable to said City Treasurer by the officer or officers of the Traffic Violations Bureau imposing or receiving the same to the Commissioner Said reports shall be made monthly not later than the tenth day of the month following the receipt of such fine or penalties Any officer of the Traffic Violations Bureau who shall fail to make such monthly reports or returns or either of them shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than five hundred ($500) dollars or to suffer imprisonment a period of not more than sixty (60) days or both

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. WILLIAM B. SMITH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2104, as follows:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it shall be unlawful to kill slaughter dress or prepare for human food any animal suspected or known to be affected with a transmissible disease expect in an establishment that is equipped with ample and proper facilities for the sterilizing with steam or boiling water of tools instruments floors equipment condemned carcasses parts and offal including a tanking system for rendering and reducing diseased and condemned carcasses parts and offal

Section 2 It shall be unlawful to handle skin butcher cut up dress or prepare for the making of fertilizers animal feeding or other uses any animal or the meat or other parts of an animal that died from natural causes disease or accident in any room of an establishment where animals are slaughtered dressed and prepared for human food or in any room in an establishment where meats or meat food products are prepared or handled for human food

Section 3 This act shall be effective on and after the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

Section 4 Any person firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before an alderman magistrate or justice of the peace of competent jurisdiction be sentenced for each offense to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500.00) and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment of such fine and costs be sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding three months

Section 5 This act shall be enforced by the Department of Agriculture and it shall be unlawful for any person to hinder impede or interfere with any officer agent or employe of said Department while engaged in performing duties imposed by this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1813, as follows:

n Act to amend sections on three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundren and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty-three) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty-three) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same [That within thirty days after the beginning of the disability of an employee because of any personal injury caused by an accident occurring in the course of his employment the employer whether a person firm or corporation] That every employer of labor except of agricultural labor and domestic servants whether a person partnership or corporation including the Commonwealth and all governmental agencies created by it within eight days after an accident which causes personal injury to an employe in the course of his or her employment of sufficient severity to cause death permanent injury or temporary disability continuing beyond the day shift or turn in which the accident occurred shall make report of such accident to the Department of Labor and Industry [Such report] Provided however That in the case of fatal accidents such report shall be made within forty-eight hours All reports shall set forth the name and address and [nature of the] business of the employer the name address sex age nationality [and] occupation and salary or wage of the employee the date day of week hour place and [character] cause of the accident and the nature of the injury and the duration or probable duration of the disability [or probable disability] as far as the same can be ascertained Such employed [shall also] upon request of the Department of Labor and Industry shall also make such further report as may be reasonably [be] required by [it] the Department

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 Reports made in accordance with this act shall not be evidences against the employer in any proceeding either under the Workmen's Compensation Law of one thousand nine hundred and [thirteen] fifteen or otherwise

Section 3 That section five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 This act shall not apply to casual employments nor to accidents resulting in disability continuing [less than two days] only during the day shift or turn in which the accident occurred

Section 4 All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2010, as follows:

An Act authorizing private counsel to participate in or conduct criminal trials with the approval of the district attorney and court

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That private counsel may participate in or conduct the trial of criminal cases in the respective counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania upon the approval of the district attorney and the court

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with ,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2071, as follows:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (amphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifteen) entitled "An act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and twelve) entitled 'An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act," is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 3 The owner or operator of any well or wells which produce oil or gas from the strata known as the "Bradford Sand" "Ball Town Sand" "Clarendon Sand" "Cherry Grove Sand" "Kane Sand" "First Second and Third Sand" and Haskell Sand" shall be permitted to allow such wells to remain open for the purpose of introducing air gas water or other liquid pressure upon said "Bradford Sand" "Ball Town Sand" "Clarendon Sand" "Cherry Grove Sand" "Kane Sand" "First Second and Third Sand' and "Haskell Sand" for the purpose of recovering the oil and gas contained therein provided that the introduction of such pressure of air gas water or other liquid into said "Bradford Sand" "Ball Town Sand" "Clarendon Sand" "Cherry Grove Sand" "Kane Sand" "First Second and Third Sand" and "Haskell Sand" shall be through casing or tubing which shall be so anchored and packed that no other oil or gas bearing said above or below said "Bradford Sand" "Ball Town Sand" "Clarendon Sand" "Cherry Grove Sand" "Kane Sand" "First Second and Third Sand" and "Haskell Sand" shall be affected by the introduction of such pressure

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. READER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. WRIGHT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 925, as follows:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" which was amended by an act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled 'An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof' providing for the distribution of the assets of private bankers in the case of insolvency" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That except as provided in section eight (8) no individual partnership or unincorporated association shall hereafter engage directly or indirectly in the business of receiving deposits of money for safe-keeping or for the purpose of transmission to another or for any other purpose without having first obtained from a board consisting of the State Treasurer the Secretary of the Commonwealth the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking—hereinafter referred to as the "Board"—a license to engage in such business Before receiving such license the applicant shall file with the [Commissioners of Banking] Secretary of Banking a written statement in the form to be prescribed by the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking and verified under oath showing the amount of the assets and liabilities of the applicant designating the place where the applicant proposes to engage in business the names and addresses of all partners or members of the unincorporated association that the applicant is a citizen or if the applicant shall constitute a partnership or unincorporated association that a majority of the members thereof having a controlling interest in the business of such partnerships are citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania In addition thereto there shall be presented to the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking a bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania executed by the applicant and by a surety or sureties approved by the board conditioned upon the faithful holding of all moneys that be deposited with the applicant in accordance with the terms of the deposit and the repayment of such moneys so deposited upon the faithful transmission of any money which shall be delivered to such applicant for transmission to another and in the event of the insolvency or bankruptcy of the applicant upon the payment of the full amount recoverable under the conditions of such bond to the assignee receiver or trustee of the applicant as the case may require for the benfit of the persons making such deposits and of such persons as shall deliver money to the applicant for transmission to another The penalty of the bond shall be a sum fixed by the board which shall not be more than fifty thousand dollars nor less than ten thousand dollars In lieu of the aforesaid bond the applicant may deposit and the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking shall accept money and securities consisting of bonds of the United States or of this Commonwealth or any municipality thereof or other securities approved by the board The money and securities so deposited shall be held in the conditions specified in the aforesaid bond If securities be deposited in lieu of the aforesaid bond and shall be accepted as hereinafter provided the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking shall cause to be made an examination of the financial standing and moral character of the applicant as to whether the statements contained in the application are true and to this end the application shall be advertised by the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking at the expense of the applicant once a week for at least three weeks in two newspapers of general circulation and in the legal periodical if any in the county where applicant purposes to do business or nearest county where such newspapers are published After such advertisement the board may in its discretion approve or disapprove the application In the event of his approval he shall accept the money securities and bond if there be one and hold them for the purpose herein set forth and shall issue a license authorizing the applicant to carry on the aforesaid business at the place designated in the application and to be specified in the license certificate for such license the licensee shall pay a fee of fifty dollars Such license shall not be transferred or assigned It shall not authorize the transaction of business at any place other than that described in the license certificate except with the written approval of the board Immediately upon the receipt of the license certificate issued by the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking pursuant to this article the licensee named therein shall cause such license certificate to be posted and at all times conspicuously displayed in the place of business for which it is issued so that all persons visiting such place may readily see the same It shall be unlawful for any person or partnership or unincorporated association holding such license certificate to post such certificate or to permit such certificate to be posted upon premises other than those designated therein or to which it has been transferred pursuant to the provisions of this article or knowingly to deface or destory any such license certificate If it shall be established to the satisfaction of the board in accordance with rules and regulations by it prescribed that an unexpired license certificate issued in accordance with the provisions of this article has been lost or destroyed without fault on the part of the holder the board shall issue a duplicate license therefor The moneys and securities deposited with the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking as herein provided and the money which in case of default shall be paid on the aforesaid bond by any applicant or the surety thereof shall constitute a trust fund for the benefit of the depositors of the licensee and of such persons as shall deliver money to such licensee for transmission to another and such beneficiaries shall be entitled to an absolute preference as to such moneys or securities over all general creditors of the licensee Such moneys and securities shall be in the event of the insolvency or bankruptcy of the licensee be delivered by the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking on the order or judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction to the assignee receiver or trustee of the licensee designated in such order or judgment In case of the insolvency of any such individual partnership or unincorporated association acting as a private banker the distribution of the money funds property and assets (other than the proceeds from the said bond or securities deposited) of the individual partnership or unincorporated association shall be made and preferred in the following order First To the payment of all depositors of the individual partnership or unincorporated association whether the deposits be subject to immediate check or only payable after specified notice or at the expiration of a fixed period whether or not such notice has been given or such period expired at the time of such distribution Bona fide holders for value of certified checks or of certificates of deposit issued by such private banker or of checks or drafts of such private banker given in exchange for or in payment of checks or drafts of depositors of such private banker drawn thereon not exceeding the balance to the credit of such depositor shall also be treated and considered as depositors within the meaning of this clause Second To the payment and discharge of all the remaining liabilities of such individual partnership or unincorporated association Third The residue if any shall be distributed to the individual or the partners or members of such partnership or unincorporated association according to their respective legal rights The [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking shall cause to be printed annually on the first day of January and distributed upon application a list of all licenses granted and remaining unrevoked The [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking shall from time to time pay over to each such licensee all moneys received by him as interest upon any moneys or securities deposited in accordance with the provisions of this article [All moneys or securi-

ies deposited with the Commissioner of Banking hereunder shall be turned into the State Treasury and] All moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking hereunder shall be immediately turned into the State Treasury and receipted for by the State Treasurer to the Secretary of Banking and upon their approval by the Board they shall be receipted for by the State Treasurer to the depositor and to be subject to withdrawal only upon the warrant of the [Commissioner of Banking] Secretary of Banking and all interest coupons on any securities deposited with the State Treasurer shall be surrendered when due to the owners of said securities upon their request

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 229, as follows:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred one) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation" increasing the compensation of assigned judges

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred one) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 The said judges assigned as aforesaid shall be paid as compensation for so presiding the sum of [twenty] thirty dollars per day and car-fare and no more No payment shall be made for days consumed in such service of more than expenses and car-fare unless said judge so assigned actually presides in open court either at argument hearing or trial and no such judge shall preside in another district while an outside judge is sitting in his own district

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2083, entitled:

An act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney general to the Department of Revenue

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same That section two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-one)" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 Every trustee committee guardian or other person nominated or appointed to take charge of the estate of any lunatic feeble-minded or any other person who is an inmate of any home asylum or other institution maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth shall within three months after his appointment make a true and full report under oath to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue showing the amount and character of said estate and every year thereafter report to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue what if any changes there are in said estate and every executor or administrator of any deceased inmate of any asylum home or institution maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall within three months after letters testamentary or of administration have been isssued make a true full and complete report under oath of the extent and character of such estate Whenever any fiduciary or person aforesaid shall file in any court an account of his administration of such property or estate he shall file a duplicate of such account with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue and no such account shall be confirmed except upon due proof to the proper court of the filing of such copy with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue Such fiduciary or person shall also notify the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue when where and by whom such account will be audited and there shall be no confirmation of the report of an auditor auditing such account or final adjudication thereof by any court except after due proof to the proper court of the giving of such notice Any fiduciary or person aforesaid who shall fail to make any report to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue hereby required shall be personally liable for such amount due the Commonwealth which amount may be recovered by suit in the same manner as other debts are recoverable

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "lunatic' and adding thereafter the word "insane" thusly: "[lunatic] insane."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "any," which is found between the word "or" and "other," thusly "[any]."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 19, by inserting after the word "any" the following words: "State-owned mental hospital or any."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20, by inserting before the word "maintained" the following words: "wherein said inmate is."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "in whole or," thusly: "[in whole or]."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 28, by inserting in front of the word "asylum" the following words: "mental hospital."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 28, by inserting after the word "institution" the words: "who is."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 28, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "in whole or," thusly: "[in whole or]."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 28, by inserting after the word "Pennsylvania" the following words: "as aforesaid."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 22, by inserting after the word "suit" the following words: "brought in the name of the Commonwealth through the Department of Justice."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 That Section four of said act as amended by said act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 The court of common pleas of the county of the residence of any inmate of any home hospital asylum or other institution maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall upon the application of the [Attorney General] on behalf of the Department of Revenue make an order for the payment of maintenance to the Commonwealth upon the trustee committee guardian or other person who has charge of the estate of any such inmate or against the husband wife father mother child or children of any person so maintained and any order made against the husband wife father mother child or children shall be in such amount as the court in its discretion deems proper taking into consideration their ability to pay for said maintenance and said court may also upon like application direct any trustees committee guardian or other person having charge of any such estate to file with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue the statement required by the second section of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the question?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 28, by inserting after the words "inmate of" the following words: "a State-owned mental hospital or."

Amend section 2, page 3, line 29, by inserting after the word institution the following words: "wherein said inmate is."

Amend section 2, page 3, line 29, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the words "in whole or," thusly: "[in whole or]."

Amend section 2, page 4, line 2, by inserting after the words "Attorney General" the following words:: 'Department of Justice acting."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 Section five of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 The sworn statement of the superintendent steward or other person in whose custody are kept the records of any hospital home asylum or other institution not owned by the State wherein persons are maintained [in whole or] in part at the expense of this Commonwealth and a statement of the Department of Revenue issued under its seal on behalf of any State-owned institution wherein persons are maintained in whole or part at the expense of the Commonwealth shall be received as prima facie evidence in any court of this Commonwealth of the amount expended by the Commonwealth for the support or maintenance of any such person in any proceeding brought to recover the amount of such maintenance

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 3 page 4 line 26 by striking out the words "whole or"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend bill by adding on page five section 4 as follows: "Section 4 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the attorney general to the Department of Revenue

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The Speaker. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend last line of the title by striking out the words "attorney general" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Attorney General."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1754, as follows:

An Act to amend section two as amended and section three of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty) entitled "An act concerning divorces" requiring additional facts to be set forth in libels regulating the serv-

ce of subpoenas and providing for the effect of the findings of fact by the master and the court below on appeal

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty) entitled "An act concerning divorces" which was amended by section one of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws twenty) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' as amended authorizing prothonotaries and clerks of the court of common pleas to take affidavits to petitions and libels and valiating prior proceedings in which such affidavits were taken" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid That if any person hath been or shall be injured as aforesaid the husband or the wife may exhibit his or her petition in the proper county where the injured party resides in term time or to one of the judges of the same court in the vacation at least thirty days before the next term setting forth therein particularly and specially the cause of his or her complaint including a statment giving the last known address of the respondent and if no address be so known then a statement that the address of the respondent is unknown and shall together with such petition or libel also exhibit an affidavit on oath or affirmation taken before one of the same judges or the prothonotary or clerk of the court of common pleas or any person in the county legally authorized to take acknowledgments that the facts contained in the said petition or libel are true to the best of his or her knowledge and belief and that the said complaint is not made out of levity or by collusion between the said husband and wife and for the mere purpose of being freed and separated from each other but in sincerity and truth for the causes mentioned in the said petition or libel and thereupon a subpoena shall issue from the said court signed by one of the judges thereof directed to the party so complained against commanding him or her to appear at the next or any subsequent court of common pleas to answer the said petition or libel Such subpoena shall be served by the sheriff of the county or if the respondent is not within the county the sheriff shall deputize the sheriff of any county of this or any other State or territory of the United States where the respondent may be found to serve said subpoena but the service of a subpoena on the respondent by the sheriff of any county of any other State shall be deemed to be only for the purpose of notice to the respondent and shal not be construed to bring the respondent within the jurisdiction of the court and] Upon due proof at the return of the said subpoena that the same shall have been served personally upon the said party [whenever found] within the Commonwealth or that a copy had been given to him or her on or before the return day of the same the said court shall and may make such preparatory rules and orders in cause that the same may be brought to a hearing and determined at the term to which said process may be returnable or afterwards at which hearing the court may determine the same ex parte if necessary but either of the parties who shall desire any matter of fact that is affirmed by the one and denied by the other to be tried by a jury may take a rule upon the opposite party to be allowed by a judge or the court of common pleas to show cause why the issues of fact set forth in the said rule shall not be tried by a jury which said rule shall be served upon the opposite party or his or her counsel Upon the return of said rule after hearing the court may discharge it or make it absolute or frame issues itself and only the issues as ordered by the court shall be tried accordingly but such rules shall not be made absolute when in the opinion of the court a trial by a jury cannot be had without prejudice to public morals When neither of the parties takes a rules as aforesaid or when after hearing the rule is discharged the court may proceed to hear the cause or may upon motion of either party appoint a master to take the testimony and return the same to the court together with a report of the proceedings had before his findings of fact and conclusions of law and his opinion of the case such terms as it may order authorize and direct the master to take testimony of witnesses in any other country State or territory subject of the United States or in any foreign country The findings of the fact by the master when confirmed by the court or the findings of facts by the courts below shall have the same weight as the findings of fact by a master in chancery and shall not be set aside on appeal except for plain error And the said court shall have power to adopt rules regulating the proceedings before the master and fixing his fees

Whenever heretofore any subpoena in divorce has been regularly issued according to law and the sheriff of the proper county has served such subpoena personally or caused the such subpoena to be served personally on the respondent therein any time prior to the return day thereof or whenever the sheriff of the proper county has at any time prior to such return day made oath to a return of non est inventus to such subpoena whether such sworn return be filed with the prothonotary before or after such return day—in all cases such personal service shall be deemed lawful and valid and such return of non est inventus and all proceedings in divorce otherwise valid in law based on such service or such return are hereby validated and made good in law

All petitions and libels heretofore exhibited to any of the courts of common pleas as provided for in this act in which the accompanying affidavit or affirmation was taken before the prothonotary or clerk of the court of common pleas be and the same are hereby validated and declared lawful and no decree of divorce heretofore or hereafter granted in which the affidavit or affirmation to the petition or libel was taken as hereinbefore provided shall be declared void but all such decrees be and the same are hereby validated and declared lawful

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid That if upon the return of the said subpoena proof shall be made that the said party could not be found in the [said county] State even though served in another State an alias subpoena shall issue returnable the first day of the next or any subsequent term or as may be otherwise provided by law and be served personally in manner aforesaid and if so served the same proceedings shall be had as are directed and authorized in the second section of this act and if on the return of the said alias subpoena proof shall be made that the said party could not be found in the [said county] State the sheriff of the [same] county shall cause notice to be published in one or more newspapers printed within or nearest to the said county for four weeks successively prior to the first day of the then next term of said court requiring the said party to appear on the said day to answer to the said complaint at which term or any subsequent term the same proceedings shall be had as are authorized and directed by the second section of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1879, as follows:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all cases of appeals from any final judgment

order or decree of the Public Service Commission the appellants and the said Commission and intervening appellees by writing filed may agree that any part of the evidence appearing in the transcript as certified and filed shall be considered as excluded therefrom upon the review of the case by the Superior Court If they cannot agree the appellant may file with the Public Service Commission a brief statement of the questions to be argued on the appeal in a general way and of the evidence appellant does not intend to print by reason of the fact that it has no relation to or connection with the questions to be argued Copies of the said statement shall be served upon all intervening appellees If no objections are made within ten days thereafter the consent of all parties will be presumed If objection is made the Public Service Commission shall decide what evidence need not be printed by the appellant Any intervening appellee may at his own expense print such parts of the evidence not printed by the appellant as he considers have relation to or connection with the questions to be argued or the Superior Court may order any part or all of the evidence to be printed by appellant whenever said court shall deem it necessary so to do

Section 2 In all cases of appeals from the Public Service Commission the Superior Court shall direct what part of the costs shall be paid by the appellant the Public Service Commission and by the intervening appellees respectively

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1854, as follows:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and opeartions of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions up which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth (hereinafter called "domestic corporation") are owner by a corporation created and existing under the laws of any other state (hereinafter called "foreign corporation") the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation but the court in which any such action or proceeding is instituted or prosecuted may on the application of any defendant require the plaintiff or plaintiffs to file a surety bond in such sum as the court may fix conditioned for the payment of the costs of such action or proceeding if imposed upon the plaintiff or plaintiffs and for the payment to such defendant domestic corporation of such reasonable attorneys' fees as the court may fix if it deem the action to have been instituted without probable cause and in any such action such foreign corporation shall not be a necessary party but it may at its option intervene and be heard

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2074, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof' by including instruments and devices for weighing at coal mines" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 That all county and city inspectors so appointed shall be supplied at the expense of their respective counties and cities with standard tests of weights and measures in conformity with those established by the Government of the United States or the Bureau of Standards of the State and the laws of this Commonwealth to ensure the accuracy of these tests they shall be compared with the standard tests to be purchased by the Secretary of Internal Affairs and when so compared and their correctness established they shall be so stamped or marked in such manner as may be established by the rules and regulations hereinbefore referred to to be put in force by said Secretary of Internal Affairs and approved by the Governor of the Commonwealth

Each inspector shall report in writing at least once every month to the chief of the State Bureau of Standards upon blanks furnished by the chief Such report shall contain (1) The number of tests made since the last preceding report (2) The number of weights measures and balances found by such tests to be correct (3) The number of weights measures and balances found by such tests to be false (4) The number of prosecutions instituted by such inspector since the last preceding report together with the name of the accused the title of the court where the prosecution was instituted and the result of such prosecution (5) Such other matters as the chief may from time to time prescribe

The inspectors shall take charge of and safely keep the proper standards They shall be furnished by the chief of the Bureau of Standards of this Commonwealth with full specifications of tolerance and allowance to be used by them in the performance of their duties Each inspector shall have

ower within his respective jurisdiction to test all instruments and devices used in weighing or measuring anything old or to be used including instruments and devices for weighing at coal-mines and including weighing machines and scales installed in places frequented by the public which scales or weighing machines by whatever means purport to indicate the weight of any person or object placed thereon upon the deposit of a coin and seal the same if found to be correct Such test shall include all appliances connected or used with such instruments or devices For the purpose of making such test each inspector at any reasonable time shall without formal warrant may enter upon any vendor or dealer or the agent or servant of such vendor or dealer to stop any vehicle used in delivering any commodity which is weighed or measured as delivered He may condemn and mark as condemned or may seize any false or illegal instrument or device used or intended to be used in weighing or measuring If he shall seize any such instrument or device he shall retain possession thereof until it shall have been used as evidence in any prosecution under the laws of this Commonwealth relating to weights and measures or to the sale of commodities After the determination of such prosecution the false or illegal instrument or device shall be destroyed unless otherwise ordered by the proper court

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 22, by striking out the word "includ-" and inserting in lieu thereof "includ-."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2063, as follows:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster County prison" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 13 The said inspectors shall each of them receive for their service [twenty-five] five hundred dollars per annum to defray the expenses of their necessary attendance on the duties of their offices

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1905, as follows:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed providing for notice to owners if known and to the Department of Revenue providing for the payment of charges of such seizure advertising and sale and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all municipalities of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law pending their being reclaimed or sold by the public authorities If any motor vehicle so stored bears a Pennsylvania registration or if the owner is known a notice of such storing shall immediately be sent by registered mail to the person firm or corporation in whose name the same is registered or to the owner

Section 2 All such motor vehicles if not reclaimed by their owners within sixty (60) days after being taken or seized by the public authorities and so placed in storage shall be advertised by such municipality for sale in one public newspaper of the county in which such motor vehicle is so taken or seized once a week for two (2) weeks which advertisement shall set forth the name of the car model manufacturer's number and engine number the State in which registered and the number on the registration plate if the motor vehicle bears a registration and the time and place of sale A copy of every such notice shall be mailed to the Department of Revenue After the sale of any motor vehicle in accordance with this act a record of each such sale setting forth the name of the car the model manufacturer's number engine number registration plate number and State of registration if any and the name of the purchaser shall be sent by mail by the municipality to the Department of Revenue in order to facilitate the titling of such motor vehicle

Section 3 If the owner of such motor vehicle shall reclaim same before sale he it or they shall reimburse said municipality for all charges and expenses incurred by the municipality for the storage thereof

Section 4 If such motor vehicle shall be sold the proceeds of the same shall first be applied to the costs and expenses of storage advertising and sale and any balance if any remaining shall be retained by the Treasurer of the municipality in a special fund for a period of six (6) months to be given to the owner upon legally proving his right thereto and after said period the same shall be turned over to the general fund of said municipality

Section 5 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2137, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four (Three Smith Laws one hundred and seventy-seven) entitled "An act for the prevention of vice and immorality and of unlawful gaming to restrain disorderly sports and dissipation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four (Three Smith Laws one hundred seventy-seven) entitled "An act for the prevention of vice and immorality and of unlawful gaming and to restrain disorderly sports and dissipation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Asembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the first day of August next if any person shall do or perform any worldly employment or business whatsoever on the Lord's Day commonly called Sunday works of necessity and charity only excepted or shall use or practice any unlawful game hunting shooting sport or diversion whatsoever on the same day and be convicted thereof every such person so offending shall for every such offense forfeit and pay four dollars to be levied by distress or in case he or she shall refuse or neglect to pay the said sum or goods and chattels cannot be found whereof to levy the same by distress he or she shall suffer six days imprisonment in the house of correction of the proper county Provided always That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit the dressing of victuals in private families bake-houses lodging-houses inns and other houses of entertainment for the use of sojourners travellers or strangers or to hinder watermen from landing their passengers or ferrymen from carrying over the water travellers or persons removing with their families on the Lord's Day commonly called Sunday nor to the delivery of milk or the necessaries of life before nine of the clock in the forenoon nor after five of the clock in the afternoon of the same day during the months of November December January February March and April and before ten of the clock in the forenoon nor after five of the clock in the afternoon of the same day during the months of May June July August September and October

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HIMES. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Law and Order for the purpose of further consideration.

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the mover on this motion.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Armstrong permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. HIMES. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. SOWERS. Is there any reason why this bill should be recommitted.

Mr. HIMES. Mr. Speaker, I merely asked it to be recommitted upon request.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I ask that this motion be voted down. I cannot see why this bill should be recommitted. It only came out of the committee a day or two ago.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, it seems to me that this bill certainly should be left on the calendar because it says, "For the prevention of vice and immortality." Now, I am certain from what I have seen of my friend, Mr. Sowers, that he does not want to live forever, and there are a lot of people in this House that we hope do not live forever, so I do not think this bill ought to be sent back to the committee.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER declares the yeas appear to have it.

Whereupon a division was called for, seventy-three members voting in the affirmative and sixty-five in the negative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2086, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from the contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights for taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) and the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases as used in this act unless a meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meanings

1 "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allo under the provisions of this act

2 "Retirement Association" shall mean the State employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

3 "Retirement Board" shall mean the State employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

4 "Secretary of the Commonwealth" shall mean the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

5 "State Treasurer" shall mean the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

6 "State employe" shall mean any person holding a State office under the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or employed by the year or by the month by the State Government of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in any capacity whatsoever; and shall include also any attorney solicitor investigator appraiser and clerk employed by the year or by the month in the office of any register of wills howsoever appointed whose compensation is actually paid from Commonwealth monies But the term "State employe" shall not include judges and it also shall not include those persons defined as employes in section one paragraph seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by section one paragraph seven of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) excepting such officers and employes of the Department of Public Instruction as are not members of or who may withdraw from the public school employes' retirement association provided by said act and no member shall be deprived of credit for prior service as a State employe because of the fact that such service was rendered while he or she was a member of the public school employes' retirement association

The term "State employe" shall also include all State officers and employes regularly employed by the year or by the month at a fixed annual or monthly compensation when the General Assembly is not in session but who during a legislative session instead of a fixed annual or monthly salary or compensation are paid upon a diem basis or by a fixed salary or compensation from the legislative session

In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is a State employe as defined in this paragraph and its decision shall be final

7 "Head of Department" as applied to State employes shall mean the head of the department or branch of service not a department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of which the State employe is a member

8 "Member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall be a member of the retirement association established by this act

9 "Original member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a state employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight

Any such State employe who shall become an original member of the association after the approval of this amendment including those who having heretofore become a new member thereof shall become an original member under the provisions hereof shall pay to the retirement association a sum equal to all the back payments which such person would have made had he or she become a member of the retirement association when the retirement system was established Such back payments may be spread over a period of years by having each regular pay roll deduction of such person increased by not less than one-third of the amount thereof which deduction increase shall be credited to such back payments owing and shall be continued until the amount thereof shall be paid in full

10 "New member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall have become a State employe and a member of the retirement association at a date subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four

11 "Contributor" shall mean any person who has [an account in the annuity savings fund] accumulated deductions in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings account

12 "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

13 "Prior Service" shall mean all service completed not later than the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-three

14 "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

15 "Superannuation Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

16 "Superannuation Retirement Age" shall mean as applied to State employes sixty years of age

17 "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earnable by a contributor as a State employe for the five years of service immediately preceding retirement

18 "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and [credited to his or her individual account in] paid into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account together with the regular interest thereon

19 "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

20 "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

21 "Members Annuity" shall mean payment for life derived from contributions made by the contributor as provided in this act

22 "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the member's annuity

23 "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

24 "Member's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any member's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

25 ["Expense Fund"] "State Employes' Retirment Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

26 "Contingent Reserve [Fund] "Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

27 "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

28 "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account Number Two" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

29 "Member's Annuity Saving [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

30 Member's Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 12, by striking out before the word "contributions" the word "the."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word "for," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "from."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 2, by inserting before the word "meaning" the word "different."

Amend section 1, page 4, line 27, by inserting before the word "diem" the word "per."

Amend section 1, page 5, line 18, by inserting a light-faced bracket before the word "any" thusly: "[any."

Amend section 1, page 6, line 3, by inserting a light-faced bracket after the word "full" thusly: "full]."

Amend section 1, page 7, line 1, by striking out the word "redited," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "credited."

Amend section 1, page 7, line 10, by inserting before the word "members" the numerals "21."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 That section four of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

THE RETIREMENT BOARD

Section 4 (1) Within sixty days following the enactment of this law a retirement board shall be constituted within the Department of State [and Finance] which shall consist of the following

(a) The Secretary of the Commonwealth who shall be chairman thereof

(b) The State Treasurer

(c) One member who shall be appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who shall serve until his successor is appointed

(d) Two members of the retirement association elected from among their number in a manner to be approved by those persons named in paragraph (a) (b) and (c) of this section—one to serve for one year one for two years and whose successors shall be elected for a term of three years from among the members of the retirement association in a manner to be approved by the retirement board

A vacancy occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired term by the appointment of a successor in the same manner as his or her predecessor Until the establishment of the retirement association and the election of two representatives therefrom the person named in paragraphs (a) (b) and (c) of this section are empowered to perform the duties of the retirement board

(2) The expenses of the administration of this act by the retirement board exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act shall be paid by the Commonwealth by biennial appropriations from the general fund made on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board The members of the retirement board shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed from [the expense fund] the aforesaid appropriations for any necessary expenditures and no contributor shall suffer loss of salary or wages through serving on the retirement board

(3) The [retirement board shall elect from its membership a chairman and] Secretary of State subject to the approval of the Governor shall appoint a secretary an actuary and such medical clerical and other employes as may be necessary

(4) The compensation of all persons [employed by the retirement board] so appointed shall be fixed by [said retirement board] the Secretary of State with the approval of the Governor Provided That after the Executive Board of this Commonwealth shall have established applicable standards of the persons employed by the retirement board shall conform to such standards

(5) Subject to the limitations of this act and of law the retirement board shall from time to time establish rules and regulations for the administration of the [funds] fund and ledger accounts created by this act and for the transaction of its business

(6) The retirement board shall keep in convenient form such data as shall be necessary for acturial valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

(7) In the years nineteen hundred twenty-seven and nineteen hundred thirty and in every fifth year thereafter the actuary of the retirement board shall make an acturial investigation into the mortality and service experience of the contributors and beneficiaries as defined in this act and shall make a valuation of the various funds accounts created by this act and on the basis of such investigation and valuation the retirement board shall—

(a) Adopt for the retirement system one or more mortality tables and such other tables as shall be deemed necessary

(b) Certify the rates of deduction from salary necessary to pay the annuities authorized under the provisions of this act and

(c) Certify the rate of contribution expressed as a percentage of salary of new members at various ages which shall be made by the Commonwealth to the State Employes' Retirement Fund and credited to the contingent reserve [fund] account

(8) Immediately after the passage of this act the actuary of the retirement board shall make such investigation of the mortality service and salary experience of the State employes as he shall recommend and the retirement board shall authorize for the purpose of determining upon the proper tables to be prepared and submitted to the retirement board for adoption On the basis of such investigation and recommendation the retirement board shall adopt such tables and certify such rates as are required in subsections (a) (b) and (c) of paragraph seven immediately preceding On the basis of such tables the actuary of the retirement board shall immediately after the first day of January nineteen hundred twenty-four make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

(9) The retirement board shall publish annually a report showing the condition of the Fund and the various [funds] accounts created by this act and setting forth such other facts recommendations and data as may be of use in the advancement of knowledge concerning State employes' pensions and annuities and said retirement board shall submit said report to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and shall file copies in the offices of the Secretary of State of the State Insurance Department and of the head of each department for use of the State employes and the public

(10) Each member of the retirement board shall take an oath of office that he or she will so far as it devolves upon him diligently and honestly administer the affairs of said retirement board and that he or she will not knowingly violate or wilfully permit to be violated any of the provisions of law applicable to this act Such oath shall be subscribed by the member making it and certified by the officer before whom it is taken and shall be immediately filed in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth

(11) The retirement board shall keep a record of all its proceedings which shall be open to inspection by the public

(12) The retirement board shall perform such other functions as are required for the execution of the provisions of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word "BOADR," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "BOARD."

Amend section 2, page 8, line 20, by inserting after the word "board" the following: "to be known as the State Employes' Retirement Board."

Amend section 2, page 9, line 3, by striking out the word "paragraph," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "paragraphs."

Amend section 2, page 9, line 11, by striking out the word "as," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "[is] as."

Amend section 2, page 9, lines 28 and 29, by striking out the following: "[State subject to the approval of the Governor]."

Amend section 2, page 9, line 29, by inserting after the word "shall" the following: "with the approval of the Governor."

Amend section 2, page 10, line 5, by striking out the word "State," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the Commonwealth."

Amend section 2, page 10, line 16, by striking out the word "acturial," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "actuarial."

Amend section 2, page 10, line 21, by striking out the word "turial," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "tuarial."

Amend section 2, page 10, line 23, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "funds" thusly: "[funds]."

Amend section 2, page 11, line 4, by striking out the word "rate," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "rates."

Amend section 2, page 11, line 9, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "publish," and inserting thereafter the words "prepare and have published," thusly: "[publish] prepare and have published."

Amend section 2, page 11, lines 24 and 25, by striking out with light-faced brackets the word "report," and inserting immediately after the words "financial statement," thusly: [report] financial statement."

Amend section 2, page 12, line 1, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "report" and inserting immediately thereafter the words "financial statement," thusly: "[report] financial statement."

Amend section 2, page 12, line 3, by inserting before and after the word "State" light-faced brackets and inserting immediately thereafter the words "the Commonwealth," thusly: [State] the Commonwealth."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 That section six of the said act as amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

MANAGEMENT OF [FUNDS] THE FUND

Section 6 (1) The members of the retirement board shall be trustees of the [several funds] Fund created by this act and shall have exclusive control and management of the said [unds] Fund and full power to invest the same subject however to all the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by this act upon the making of investments and subject also to the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by law upon fiduciaries in making investments and subject to like terms conditions limitations and restrictions said trustees shall have full power to hold purchase sell assign transfer or dispose of any of the securities and investments in which any of the moneys in the [funds] Fund created by this act shall have been invested as well as of the proceeds of said investments and of any moneys belonging to said [funds] Fund

(2) The retirement board shall annually allow regular interest on the mean amount for the preceding year [in] to the credit of each of the [funds] accounts created in accordance with the provisions of this act [with the exception of the expense fund] The amount so allowable [shall be due and payable to such funds and] shall be annually credited thereto by the retirement board

(3) The State Treasurer shall be the custodian of the [several funds] Fund created by this act

(4) All payments from the [funds] Fund created by this act shall be made by the State Treasurer only upon [warrant] warrants drawn by the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions signed by the chairman of the retirement board and countersigned by the secretary of the retirement board and no [warrant] requisition shall be drawn except by order of the retirement board duly entered in the record of its proceedings

Provided That no [warrant] requisition shall be signed by the chairman of the retirement board for any State annuity created under any of the provisions of this act unless the contributor entitled to the annuity shall during his or her lifetime certify himself or herself in readiness to advise and consult with his or her successor or associates and to perform such duties as he or she shall be called upon to perform of a character similar to those which he or she performed at the time of retirement as shall be reasonable in view of his or her physical condition residence and occupation

(5) For the purpose of meeting disbursements for annuities and other payments in excess of the receipts there [may] shall be kept [an] available [fund] by the State Treasurer an amount not exceeding ten per centum of the total amount in the [several funds] Fund created by this act on deposit in any bank or banks in this Commonwealth organized under the laws thereof or under the laws of the United States or with any trust company or companies incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth Provided Said bank or trust company or companies shall furnish adequate security for said [funds] deposit And provided That the sum so deposited in any one bank or trust company shall not exceed twenty-five per centum of the paid-up capital and surplus of said bank or trust company

(6) Except as herein provided no trustee or any person connected with the retirement board shall have any interest direct or indirect in the gains or profits of any investment made by the retirement board nor as such directly or indirectly receive any pay or emoluments for his or her services And no trustee or person connected with said retirement board directly or indirectly for himself or herself or as an agent or partner of others shall borrow any of its funds or deposits or in any manner use the same except [to make such current and necessary payments as are authorized by the retirement board] as provided in this act nor shall any trustee or person connected with said retirement board become surety or become in any manner an ogligor for moneys loaned by or borrowed of said retirement board

(7) By the name of "The State Employes' Retirement System" all of the business of the system shall be transacted [all of] its [funds] Fund invested all [warrants] requisitions for money drawn and payments made and all of its cash and securities and other property shall be held

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 3, page 12, line 27, by inserting after the word "FUND" the words "AND ACCOUNTS."

Amend section 3, page 12, line 29, by inserting after the word "be" the word "the."

Amend section 3, page 13, lines 6 and 7, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "fiduciaries" and inserting immediately thereafter the words "administrative departments, boards, commissions and officers of the State Government," thusly: "[fiduciaries] administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government."

Amend section 3, page 15, line 4, by striking out the word "investment" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "investments."

Amend section 3, page 15, line 10, by striking out the light-faced bracket before the word "to," thusly ["["].

Amend section 3, page 15, line 12, by striking out the light-faced bracket after the word "board," thusly: ["]"].

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fourth section was read as follows:

Section 4 That paragraph six of section seven of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

(6) The State Treasurer on receipt from the heads of the department of the vouchers for deductions from the salaries of members provided for in paragraph five of this section shall pay each of the amounts so deducted into the [members' annuity savings fund] Fund created by this act and he shall

transmit to the secretary of the retirement board monthly or at such less frequent intervals as the retirement board shall designate a detailed statement of all amounts so paid in and credited by him to the [members' annuity savings fund] Fund created by this act The secretary of the retirement board shall cause each of such amounts so deducted to be credited [in] to the members' annuity savings [fund] account together with regular interest to an individual account of the member from whose compensation the deduction was made

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 4, page 15, line 26, by striking out the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "departments."

Amend section 4, page 16, line 2, by inserting after the word "act" the following: "through the Department of Revenue."

Amend section 4, page 16, line 2, by inserting a light-faced bracket before the word "and," thusly: "[and."

Amend section 4, page 16, line 6, by striking out the light-faced bracket before the word "members," thusly: ["["].

Amend section 4, page 16, line 6, by striking out the following: ["Fund created by this act."]

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fifth section was read as follows:

Section 5 That section eight of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT [FUNDS] FUND AND ACCOUNTS

Section 8 (1) The [funds] Fund and accounts created hereby are—the [expense fund] State Employes' Retirement Fund the contingent reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account number two the members' annuity savings [fund] account and the members' annuity reserve [fund] account

(2) The [expense fund shall consist of such amounts as shall be paid by the Commonwealth on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board to defray the expenses of the administration of this act exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of other benefits provided for in this act] State Employes' Retirement Fund on and after the first day of july one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall consist of moneys in the several separate funds in the State Treasury set apart to be used under the direction of the State Employes' Retirement Board for the retirement of members of the State employes' retirement association which on the aforesaid date shall be consolidated into one special fund to be known as the "State Employes' Retirement Fund" and thereafter the Treasury Department shall credit to the State Employes' Retirement Fund all moneys received by it from the Department of Revenue arising from contributions from the Commonwealth and members of the retirement association as hereinafter provided and all interest earned by the investments or moneys of said fund Upon the consolidation of the Separate funds as aforesaid there shall be established and maintained by the retirement board for acturial purposes the several hereinafter named ledger accounts equivalent to and which shall stand in lieu of the several separate funds hereby abolished and all credits to each abolished fund shall be credited by the retirement board to the ledger account hereinafter created to stand in place of said fund

(3) In the month of January nineteen hundred and twenty-six for a period covering the twelve months next preceding and semi-annually thereafter covering the six months next preceding the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall pay into [a fund to be known as the contingent reserve fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue on account of each new member of the retirement association who was a contributor for one or more months of such respective periods such amounts as shall be certified by the retirement board as necessary to provide by such method of payment during the prospective service as State employe of such new member the State annuity reserve requird at the time of retirement for the disability of superannuation State annuity allowable by the said Commonwealth under the provisions of this act or required at the time of discontinuance of service under paragraph four of section eleven of this act which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the contingent reserve account The amount so certified by the retirement board shall be computed to bear a ratio to the salary earnable by such new member during the period for which the amount is certified which shall remain constant during his or her entire period of prospective active service and shall be based on such mortality and other tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board and on regular interest

(4) Upon the retirement of a new member an amount equal to his or her State annuity reserve shall be transferred by the retirement board from the contingent reserve [fund into a fund] account to the credit of a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve [fund] account His or her State annuity shall be [paid from] charged to said State annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the fund created by this act Should said new member be subsequently restored to active service his or her State annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account Should the State annuity of any such new member be otherwise reduced or discontinued in accordance with the provisions of this act his or her State annuity reserve or such proportionate part of his or her State annuity reserve as corresponds to the amount of the reduction of his or her State annuity shall be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account

(5) The actuary after making the first valuation required shall determine the present value of the liability on account of all State annuities payable to original members and the percentage of the total compensation paid to all members during the preceding year which is equivalent to one twenty-fifth of the said liability The [treasurer] Commonwealth shall pay into [a fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue [to be known as State annuity reserve fund number two] annually beginning with the month of June nineteen hundred and twenty-five and until the accumulated reserve equals the present value of said liability the amount as certified [to him] by the retirement board which shall be equal to the per centum determined in accordance with this section of the total compensation paid to all members for service during the preceding year which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve account number two Each annual payment shall be at least three per centum greater than the preceding annual payment Provided That in every case the amount shall be sufficient when combined with that in the [fund] Fund to the credit of the aforesaid account to provide the pensions payable by the Commonwealth during the year then current to original members then retired or to be retired as provided in this act Upon the retirement an original member his or her State annuity shall be [paid from] charged to the State annuity reserve [fund] account number two and paid from the Fund created by this act

(6) There shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as [The] the members' annuity savings [fund shall consist] account the amounts of the accumulated deductions from the salaries of contributors made under such rules and regulations as the retirement board shall prescribe as follows

From the salary of each member who is a contributor there shall be deducted and paid into the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue such per centum of his or her earnable salary as shall be computed to be sufficient with regular interest to procure for him or her on superannuation retirement a members' annuity equal to one one-hundred-sixtieth (1,160) or if the member shall so elect one one-hundredth (1,100) of his or her final salary for each year of service after the thirty-first day of December nineteen

hundred twenty-three except that if the deduction so computed shall exceed five per centum of his or her earnable salary and the member shall so elect there shall be deducted five per centum of his or her earnable salary And further provided That a beneficiary restored to service shall not be required to contribute at a per centum rate of his or her earnable salary which is greater than the per centum thereof which he or she was required to contribute prior to his or her retirement The rate per centum of said deduction from salary shall be based on such mortality and other tables as the retirement board shall adopt together with regular interest and shall be computed to remain constant during the prospective service of the contributor

(7) Upon the retirement of a contributor a credit equivalent to the amount of his or her accumulated deductions shall be transferred from the members' annuity savings [fund] account to [a fund] a ledger account to be known as the members' annuity reserve fund account His or her members' annuity shall be [paid out of] charged to said members' annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said contributor be subsequently restored to active service his or her members' annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from the members' reserve [fund] account to the members' annuity savings [fund] account

(8) No contributor shall be required to continue to contribute to the [members' annuity savings fund] State Employes' Retirement Fund after he or she shall have become eligible for superannuation retirement if he or she shall have already completed ten years of service all contributions made thereafter to said [fund] Fund shall be voluntary

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 5, page 16, line 26, by inserting before the word "other" the word "the."

Amend section 5, page 16, line 29, by inserting before the word "moneys" the word "all."

Amend section 5, page 17, line 12, by striking out the word "fund," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Fund."

Amend section 5, page 17, line 15, by striking out the word "actuarial," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "actuarial."

Amend section 5, page 19, line 28, by inserting a light-faced bracket before the word "at" thusly: "[at."

Amend section 5, page 20, line 1, by inserting a light-faced bracket after the word "be" thusly "be]."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The sixth section was read as follows:

Section 6 That section nine of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

STATE GUARANTY

Section 9 Regular interest charges payable the creation and maintenance of reserve in the funds created by this act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the maintenance of members' annuity reserves and State annuity reserves as provided for in this act and the payment of all retirement allowances and other benefits granted by the retirement board under the provisions of this act are hereby made obligations of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania All income interest and dividends derived from deposits and investments authorized by this act shall be used for the payment of the said obligations of the Commonwealth The retirement board shall prepare and submit to the [Legislature] Budget Secretary on or before the [thirty-first] first day of [January] November of each odd numbered year an itemized estimate of the amounts necessary to be appropriated by the Commonwealth to the [various funds] State employes' retirement fund to complete the payment of the said obligations of the said Commonwealth accruing during the biennium beginning July first of the same year and it shall be the duty of [said] the Legislature an appropriation sufficient to provide for such obligations of the Commonwealth and the amounts so appropriated shall be included in the general appropriation bill and shall be paid by the State Treasurer into the [various funds] Fund created by this act upon warrants of the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions presented by the retirement board [For the biennium beginning June first nineteen hundred twenty-three is hereby appropriated to the expense fund created by section eight paragraph two of this act such sum not to exceed fifty thousand dollars as shall be certified to the State Treasurer by the retirement board as necessary to meet the expense of establishing the retirement system constituted by the provisions of this act]

On th question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 6, page 22, line 7, by striking out the word "reserve," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "reserves."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 7, by striking out the word "funds," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Fund."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 23, by striking out the words "employes' retirement fund," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Employes' Retirement Fund."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 24, by striking out the word "the."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 25, by striking out the word "July," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 25, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "same," and inserting immediately thereafteh word "following," thusly "[same] following."

Amend section 6, page 22, line 26, by inserting after the word "Legislature" the following: "to make."

Amend section 6, page 23, line 1, by inserting after the word "Treasurer" the following: "through the Department of Revenue."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The seventh section was read as follows:

Section 7 That section eleven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

WITHDRAWAL

Section 11 (1) Should a contributor by resignation or dismissal or for any other reason than death or retirement upon disability under section twelve or for superannuation under section thirteen cease to be a State employe he or she shall be paid on demand from the Fund created by this act (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to [the credit of] his or her individual [account] credit in the annuity savings [fund] account or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity or a deferred annuity which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should a State employe so separate from his service as State employes' retirement fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored and his obligations as a member of the retirement association shall begin again

3 Should a member be discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service he shall be paid as he may elect as follows

(a) The full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings [fund] account or

(b) All annuity of equivalent actuarial value to his accumulated contributions and in addition a State annuity beginning immediately having a value equal to the present value of a State annuity beginning at the retirement age of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of years of prior service plus one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of his years of service as a member

4 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deduction shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 7, page 23, line 15, by inserting after the word "contributor" the following: "before reaching superannuation retirement age."

Amend section 7, page 23, line 26, by striking out the word "associaiton" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "association."

Amend section 7, page 24, line 1, by inserting after the word "as" the following: "State employe return within five years and restore to the."

Amend section 7, page 24, line 1, by striking out the words "employes' retirement fund" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Employes' Retirement Fund."

Amend section 7, page 24, line 10, by striking out the word "dductions" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "deductions."

Amend section 7, page 24, line 13, by striking out the word "All" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "An."

Amend section 7, page 24, line 23, by striking out the word "deduction" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "deductions."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The eighth and ninth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 8 That section sixteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE SUPERVISION

Section 16 The [various funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act shall be subject to the supervision of the State [Department of] Insurance Department

Section 9 That section seventeen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

EXEMPTION FROM EXECUTION

Section 17 The right of a person to a member's annuity a State annuity or retirement allowance to the return of contributions any benefit or right accrued or accruing to any person under the provisions of this act and the moneys in the [various funds] Fund created under this act are hereby exempt from any State or municipal tax and exempt from levy and sale garnishment attachment or any other process whatsoever and shall be unassignable except as in this act specifically otherwise provided

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1583, as follows:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poorhouse by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" increasing the compensation of directors

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poorhouse by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 18 That the compensation of the treasurer collector steward or superintendent matron physician and other assistants shall be fixed by the directors and that the compensation of the commissioners created by this act shall be one dollar per day for each day necessarily spent to be paid out of the funds of this corporation and that the compensation of the directors shall be [one] five dollars per day for all time necessarily spent in the exercise of their official duties to be paid out of the funds of this corporation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1884, as follows:

An Act to further amend section thirteen of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships to the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligatio

and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State-aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section thirteen of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State-aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 13 All work of construction building or rebuilding of highways excepting that of repairing and maintenance done under the provisions of this act may be by contract and shall be according to plans and specifications to be prepared in every case by the State Highway Department and in awarding any contract the work shall be given to the lowest responsible bidder with the option on the part of the State Highway Commissioner to reject any or all bids if the prices named for the work or materials to be used are higher than the estimated cost or for any other reason appearing to said commissioner Every person firm or corporation before being awarded any contract for the construction or improvement of any State highway or State-aid highway under the provisions of this act shall furnish a bond with sufficient surety or sureties acceptable to the State Highway Commissioner in a sum equal to fifty per centum of the contract price of the work conditioned that the contractor shall well and truly and in a manner satisfactory to the State Highway Commissioner complete the work contracted for and shall save harmless the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania from any expense incurred through the failure of said contractor to complete the work as specified or from any damages growing out of the carelessness of said contractor or his servants and shall well and truly pay for all ma-

terial furnished and labor performed in [and about the construction of said highway] the prosecution of the work contracted for whether or not the said labor or materials enter into and become component parts of the structure work or improvement contemplated and any person firm or corporation who has furnished labor or materials used in the [construction or improvement of any State highway or of any State-aid highway under the provisions of this act] prosecution of the work contracted for whether or not the said labor or materials enter into and become component parts of the structure work or improvement contemplated and payment for which has not been made shall have the right to intervene and be made a party to any action instituted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the bond of the contractor and to have their rights and claims adjudicated in such action and judgment rendered thereon subject however to the priority of the claim and judgment of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania If the amount of the liability of the surety on said bond is insufficient to pay the full amount of said claims and demands then after paying the full amount due the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the remainder shall be distributed pro rata among said interveners If no suit should be brought by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania within six months from the completion of said contract and final settlement with the Commonwealth then the person or persons supplying the contractor with labor and materials shall upon application therefor and furnishing affidavit to the State Highway Department that labor and materials for the prosecution of such work have been supplied by him or them and that payment for the same has not been made be furnished with a certified copy of said contract and bond upon which he or they shall have a right of action and shall be and are hereby authorized to bring suit in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for his or their use and benefit against said contractor and his sureties and to prosecute the same to final judgment and execution Where suit is instituted by any of such creditors on the bond of the contractor it shall not be commenced until after the complete performance of said contract and final settlement thereof with the Commonwealth and shall be commenced within one year after the performance and said final settlement of said contract and not later Where suit is so instituted by a creditor or creditors no other action shall be brought by any other creditor but any other creditor may file his claim in the action first brought and be made party thereto within one year from the completion of the work under said contract and not later If two or more actions be brought on the same day the action in which the largest claim is demanded shall be regarded as the first action Any creditor who has brought an action within one year as aforesaid but after suit brought by another creditor or on the same day may intervene in the suit first brought within the year notwithstanding the fact that the intervention in such case be after the expiration of the year provided said intervention be made within thirty days after the expiration of the year If the recovery on the bond should be inadequate to pay the amounts found due to all of said creditors judgment shall be given to each creditor pro rata of the amount of the recovery The surety on said bond may pay into court for distribution among said claimants and creditors the full amount of the surety's liability to wit the penalty named in the bond less any amount which said surety may have had to pay to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by reason of the execution of said bond and upon so doing the surety will be relieved from further liability In all suits instituted under the provisions of this act such personal notice of the pendency of such suits informing them of their right to intervene as the court may order shall be given to all known creditors and in addition thereto notice shall be given by publication in some newspaper of general circulation published in the county or town where the contract was performed once a week for at least three successive weeks Provided however That when such suit has been begun within three weeks of the end of year within which suit may be brought said notice by publication shall be only for the period intervening between the time of instituting such suit and the end of the year

The State Highway Commissioner however is hereby authorized and empowered in his discretion to construct build or rebuilt by the agents servants and employes of the State Highway Department any highway or highways for the construction building or rebuilding of which he may contract under the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2085, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three hundred nine of the act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 309 The superintendent of any State or licensed school for mental defectives may receive and detain any mentally defective person resident of this State under twenty years of age and incapable of being properly educated and trained in the public schools whose condition of mental defect and whose need of and fitness for care in a school for mental defectives shall have been certified to by a qualified physician and whose admission shall be applied for by a parent guardian or relative of such person or by any other responsible person having custody of such mentally defective person or being liable for his support

The said application shall be made on forms prescribed by the department and shall state the name sex age and residence of said mentally defective person and such other facts as may be required by the department If the facts or any of them are unknown to the applicant it shall be so stated in the application

If the said application is for the admission of a person to a school owned and controlled by the Commonwealth it shall be endorsed by the poor authorities of the county in which the said person resides if there be such authorities in said county otherwise by the directors or overseers of the poor district in which said person resides

But before any person shall be admitted to any school for mental defectives under the provisions of this section the consent of the managers or superintendent thereof to such admission shall have been obtained

The poor authorities of any county or the overseers of the poor district therein endorsing an application for the admission of a person to said school shall state whether or not such person has an estate of sufficient value or a parent or parents of sufficient financial ability to defray the expenses in whole or in part of supporting such person in said school and if there be such means of support in part only then the amount per month which the parents or parent or legal guardian

such person may be able to pay and the person or persons who make the application for such admission shall therein make statement under oath as to such means of support Before (Said) said managers or superintendent (in accepting) shall accept an application for the admission of any person the Department of Revenue shall fix the amount if any which shall be paid for such support according to the ability of such parents or parent of the person or according to the value of such person's estate if any and shall require payment for such support so far as there may be ability to pay as a condition to the admission or retention of said person Said amount may at any time be changed by said Department of Revenue upon receiving further information concerning such means of support When neither the said person nor his parent or parents are of sufficient financial ability to defray the expense in whole or in part of his support in said school the ascertainment of the facts shall be as hereinbefore stated and the poor authorities or directors or overseers of the poor endorsing the application shall agree to pay to the Department of Revenue as collection agency of the school an amount for clothing as may be required for the comfort and advantage of said person at an annual rate to be establishd by the Department of Revenue All support at the school shall be provided for by annual appropriations at such per capita rates as shall be appropriated by the General Assembly on the application of the trustees or managers after submission of the same to and approval by the Department of Welfare provided however That in any judicial district in which there is a municipal court vested with the exclusive jurisdiction over proceedings concerning children suffering from epilepsy nervous and mental defects then admission of mentally defective or epileptic children to any State or municipal institution from said judicial district shall be exclusively vested in said court

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 8, by inserting after the word "epilepsy" the word "and."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 15, by striking out the word "providing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "imposing."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by striking out "censes" and inserting in lieu thereof "censed."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 3, by striking out the word "forms" and inserting the following: "a form."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 21, by inserting after the word "therein" the word "in"

Amend section 1, page 4, line 3 by striking out the word "(Said)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Said" in light-faced brackets, thusly, [Said]

Amend section 1, page 4, lines 3 and 4 by striking out the words "(in accepting)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "in accepting" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [in accepting]

Amend section 1, page 4, line 12 by inserting after the word "said" the words "managers and superintendent" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [managers and superintendent]

Amend section 1, page 4, line 24 by inserting after the word "Revenue" the words "trustees or managers of the school after submission of the same to and approval by the department" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [trustees or managers of the school after submission of the same to and approval by the department]

Amend section 1, page 4, line 24 by inserting after the word "All" the word "other"

Amend section 1, page 4, line 28 by inserting before the word "Department" the word "department" in light-faced brackets, thusly, [department]

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 That section five hundred four of said Act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 504 Whenever any person is maintained as a patient in any mental hospital wholly or in part at the expense of the Commonwealth the Department of Revenue through any agents authorized by (him) it may investigate the financial ability of such patient or of the person liable for the support of such patient to defray the expenses in whole or in part of his care and maintenance in such hospital If upon investigation by the Department of Revenue or its agents or as a result of information coming to said department or its agents from other source it appears that the patient's estate or the financial ability of his relative liable for his support are such that the full cost of his support and maintenance or at least a part thereof can be paid then the Department of Revenue shall require the payment of same If said patient was admitted upon voluntary application or if said patient was committed by order of court the Department of Revenue through the Attorney General shall ask the court to revise its order so as to provide for the payment of the support or maintenance in full or in part as the case may be

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 2, page 5, line 11 by inserting before the word "Department" the words "Attorney General" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [Attorney General]

Amend section 2, page 5, line 12 by striking out the word "(him)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "him" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [him]

Amend section 2, page 5, lines 17 to 19 by striking out the portion beginning after the word "agents" and ending on line 19 after the word "source," thusly, [or as a result of information coming to said department or its agents from other source]

Amend section 2, page 5, line 20 by striking out the words "his relative" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the person or persons"

Amend section 2, page 5, line 24 by striking out the word "If" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "if"

Amend section 2, page 5, line 26 by striking out the words "Attorney General" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "Department of Justice"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 That section five hundred five of said Act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 505 The Court of common pleas or other court of record of the county in which any mental patient resided prior to his admission to any mental hospital maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth shall have the power upon the application of the Attorney General on behalf of the Department of Revenue to make an order conformable to the provisions of this article for the payment of maintenance to the Commonwealth upon the trustee committee guardian or other person who has charge of the estate of such patient or against the husband father wife mother or child of any patient so maintained in such amounts respectively as the court in its discretion may deem proper taking into consideration the ability of the patient or the person liable for his support to pay for such maintenance and the court may also upon like application direct any trustee committee guardian or other person having charge of any such estate to file with the Department of Revenue the statement required by the

second section of the act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feebleminded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 3, page 6, line 7 by striking out the word "the" found before the word "power"

Amend section 3, page 6, line 7 by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the words "Attorney General", thusly, [Attorney General]

Amend section 3, page 6, line 8 by inserting before the word "on" the words "Department of Justice acting"

Amend section 3, page 6, line 18 by striking out the word "trustee" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "trustees"

Amend section 3, page 6, line 20 by inserting in front of the word "Department" the words "Attorney General" enclosed in light-faced brackets, thusly, [Attorney General]

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fourth section was read as follows:

Section 4 That section five hundred nine is hereby added to Article V of the said act as follows

Section 509 All moneys due to the Commonwealth from the estate of a mental patient or the persons liable under existing laws for such patient's support for the care and maintenance including clothing of such patient in a mental hospital owned and operated by the Commonwealth shall be collected by the Department of Revenue as collection agency of such institution and shall be promptly transmitted by the Department of Revenue to the State Treasurer For amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties or poor districts under existing laws for the care and maintenance including clothing of the criminal insane indigent and partly-indigent insane in a mental hospital owned and operated by the Commonwealth the Department of Revenue shall promptly after the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and the last day of each calendar month thereafter transmit to the county commissioners of the several counties a certified account of the expenses of the care and maintenance including clothing of insane prisoners or indigent and partly-indigent inmates as the case may be together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the proper fiscal officer of the county or poor district who shall accept and promptly pay same to the Department of Revenue Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties or poor districts that shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties or poor districts by the boards of trustees of the aforesaid institution And provided further That said orders drawn for the payment of the care and maintenance including clothing of the indigent and partly-indigent insane shall be of such amounts as are now or shall hereafter be fixed by law

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 4, page 7, line 9 by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"

Amend section 4, page 7, lines 16 to 18 by striking out the following words: "thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and the"

Amend section 4, page 7, line 18 by striking out the word "thereafter"

Amend section 4, page 7, line 22 by inserting before the word "together" the following words: "for such calendar month"

Amend section 4, page 7, line 24 by striking out the words "proper fiscal officer" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "county commissioners"

Amend section 4, page 7, line 24 by inserting in front of the word "poor" the words "treasurer of the"

Amend section 4, page 8, line 3 by striking out the word "institution" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "institutions"

Amend said act on page 8 by adding as follows: "Section 5 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend the title, page 1, line 3 by striking out the word "article" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Article"

Amend the title, page 1, line 15 by striking out the word "providing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "imposing"

Amend the title, page 1, last line by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" the following words: "by counties poor districts and individuals"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 342, as follows:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section seven of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be and the same is hereby proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof

That section seven of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 7 The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law

Authorizing the creation extension or impairing of liens

Regulating the affairs of counties cities townships wards boroughs or school districts

Changing the names of persons or places

Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases

Authorizing the laying out opening altering or maintaining roads highways streets or alleys

Relating to ferries or bridges or incorporating ferry or bridge companies except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form boundaries between this and any other State

Vacating roads town plats streets or alleys

Relating to cemeteries graveyards or public grounds not of the State

Authorizing the adoption or legitimation of children

Locating or changing county seats erecting new counties or changing county lines

Incorporating cities towns or villages or changing their charters

For the opening and conducting of election or fixing or changing the place of voting

Granting divorces

Erecting new townships or boroughs changing township lines borough limits or school districts

Creating offices or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in counties cities boroughs townships election or school districts

Changing the law of descent or succession

Regulating the practice or jurisdiction of or changing the rules of evidence in any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts aldermen justices of the peace sheriffs commissioners arbitrators auditors masters in chancery or other tribunals or providing or changing methods for the collection of debts or the enforcing of judgments or prescribing the effect of judicial sales of real estate

Regulating the fees or extending the powers and duties of aldermen justices of the peace magistrates or constables

Regulating the management of public schools the building or repairing of school houses and the raising of money for such purposes

Fixing the rate of interest

Affecting the estates of minors or persons under disability except after due notice to all parties in interest to be recited in the special enactment

Remitting fines penalties and forfeitures or refunding moneys legaly paid into the treasury

Exempting property from taxation

Regulating labor trade mining or manufacturing

Creating corporations or amending renewing or extending the charters thereof

Granting to any corporation association or individual any special or exclusive privilege or immunity or to any corporation association or individual the right to lay down a railroad track

Nor shall the General Assembly indirectly enact such special or local law by the partial repeal of a general law but laws repealing local or special acts may be passed

Nor shall any law be passed granting powers or privileges in any case where the granting of such powers and privileges shall have been provided for by general law nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the same or give the relief asked for

Provided however that the General Assembly may pass any local or special law pertaining to the relief of honorably discharged soldiers sailors or marines who served in the United States Army Navy or Marine Corps in any war in which the United States was engaged and requiring State employment bureaus to grant preference to them in placing persons in employment and providing for preference in their employment in all contracts for public work to be entered into by the State or any municipality or political subdivision thereof and granting them preference and special privilege in appointment to positions under any civil service law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2002, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefore and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents"

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgags of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and

suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organiaztion of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and fifty-five) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 41 (a) 1 When a fiduciary shall have in his hands any moneys the principal or capital whereof is to remain for a time in his possession or under his control and the interest profits or income whereof are to be paid away or to accumulate or when the income of real estate shall be more than sufficient for the purpose of the trust such fiduciary may invest such moneys in the stock or public debt of the United States or in the public debt of this Commonwealth or in bonds or certificates of debt now created or hereafter to be created and issued according to law by any of the counties cities boroughs townships school districts or in poor districts of this Commonwealth or in ground rents in this Commonwealth or in bonds of one or more individuals secured by a mortgage or mortgages on real estate in this Commonwealth which may be either a single bond secured by a mortgage or one or more bonds of an issue of bonds secured by mortgage or deed of trust to a trustee for the benefit of all bondholders (or in ground rents in this Commonwealth) or in trust certificates certifying that the holder thereof is the owner of an undivided interest in a deposit of securities in which trust funds may be invested hereunder which certificates are guaranteed as to payment of principal and interest by a corporation incorporated under the laws of this State authorized to guarantee mortgages and which securities are deposited with a trustee for the benefit of the holders of such certificates Provided That nothing herein contained shall authorize any fiduciary to make any investment contrary to the directions contained in the will of the decedent in regard to the investment of such moneys

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 4, line 15 by striking out the word "in".

Amend section 1, page 4, lines 13 and 17 by underscoring the words "or in ground rents in this Commonwealth."

Amend section 1, page 4, line 13 by underscoring the letter "a"

Amend section 1, page 4, line 18 by underscoring the words "or mortgages"

Amend section 1, page 4, line 23 by striking out the parenthesis before and after the words "or in ground rents in this Commonwealth" and inserting in lieu thereof light-faced brackets.

Amend section 1, page 4, line 23 by underscoring the word "or" at the end of said line.

Amend section 1, page 4, lines 24 to 29, both inclusive, by underscoring the entire said lines.

Amend section 1, page 5, line 1 by underscoring the entire said line.

Amend section 1, page 5, line 2 by underscoring the words "the holders of such certificates."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1912, as follows:

An Act authorizing the recording of deeds and other instruments by photographic process

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any recorder of deeds or other officer now or hereafter required by law to record deeds and other instruments is hereby authorized to record any deed or other instrument whether containing illegible writing and signatures or not by any approved photographic process Such recording shall for all purposes be of the same forces and effect as if such instrument had been recorded by hand with ink typewritten or printed

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General for the purpose of further study.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1913, as follows:

An Act providing for the registration of deeds and other instruments from photostatic copies thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it shal be lawful for recorders of deeds or other officials now or hereafter required by law to file with registrars of deeds or boards of assessment of any county city borough or township transcripts or copies of deeds or other instruments for purposes of assessments of taxes or transfer for taxation to file in lieu thereof a photostatic copy of such deed or other instrument Such photostatic copy shall be identified by the date of record or filing the official serial number or term and certified by the official seal of such recorder of deeds or other officer Such registrar of deeds or board of assessment shall forthwith cause to be stamped or certified in an official manner on the original deed the registration by such registrar or board of assessment and shall deliver to such recorder of deeds or other official or their duly authorized representative such original deed or other instrument to be recorded or filed by such recorder of deeds or other officer

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General for the purpose of further study.

Mr. WELTY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1966, as follows:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties" as amended by providing that certain contracts shall be awarded in the presence of the controller and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this section

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section ten of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties" which was last amended by the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to amend section ten of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties' which now applies to all counties having a population of one hundred thousand and over by changing the amount above which contracts must be advertised" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 10 That from and after the passage of this act all contracts made by the commissioners of said county involving an expenditure exceeding one hundred dollars shall be in writing and shall immediately after their execution be filed with the controller but no contract shall be made nor the payment thereof certified by the controller for over three hundred dollars unless when made with the lowest and best bidder after due notice to be published by the controller when directed by the commission if he approve the purpose of the proposals invited all bids to be received by the controller under seal and to be in his possession opened by the commissioners and the contracts awarded in the presence of the controller of which awards the controller shall keep a record and he shall certify no warrants for contracts not made agreeably thereto Any person violating any of the provisions of this section or attempting or assisting in the violation thereof or performing or attempting to perform any contract made in violation thereof or entering into or performing or attempting to enter into or to perform one of two or more contracts in small amount with intent to violate the provisions thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or to undergo an imprisonment of not more than six months or both in the discretion of the court

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special for the purpose of further study.

Mr. DUNN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1897, as follows:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibusses having pneumatic tires

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the fee for annual registration of each motor buss and each motor omnibus with pneumatic tires shall be according to horse-power and seating capacity and the following classes

Class	Seating Capacity and Horse-Power	Fee
A	5 passengers or less—40 horse-power or under	$20.00
B	More than 5 passengers—40 horse-power or under	$20.00 plus $2.00 for each seat over 5 seats
C	5 passengers or less—over 40 horse-power	$40.00
D	More than 5 passengers—over 40 horse-power	$40.00 plus $4.00 for each seat over 5 seats

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed The annual registration fees herein

vided shall be in force on the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1922, as follows:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto section eighteen

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be and the same is hereby proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof

That article eight of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section to be known as section eighteen

Section 18 The General Assembly may in the taxation of liquid fuels or sales thereof provide for the taxation of all liquid fuels or all sales thereof or such only as are used or sold for particular purposes

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2056, as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 495 The board of township commissioners in townships of the first class may enact ordain survey lay out widen straighten vacate and relay all roads streets lanes and alleys and parts thereof within the township upon the petition of a majority in interest of the owners of property through whose lands any such road street lane or alley passes or upon whose land it abuts or without petition of the owners of the abutting property if in the judgment of the board of commissioners it is necessary for the public convenience

Section 2 That section four hundred and ninety-eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 498 After such hearing and a consideration of the matter should the board of commissioners or a majority thereof decide in favor of [granting the prayer of the petition] exercising the power conferred by section four hundred and ninety-five of this article they shall make written report together with a draft or survey of the road street lane or alley fixing the width thereof and noting the improvement along the line thereof and the names of the owners of property through which the same shall pass or whereon it shall abut Such report and draft shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions

Section 3 That section five hundred of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 500 Upon favorable action on such [petition] matter by the board of commissioners and after the expiration of the term allowed for filing exceptions or upon the order of the court in case the compensation for the damages or benefits accruing therefrom have not been agreed upon the court of quarter sessions or any law judge thereof in vacation on application by petition by the board of commissioners or any person interested shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers and shall appoint a time not less than twenty nor more than thirty days thereafter when said viewers shall meet upon the line of the improvement and view the same and the premises affected thereby

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1638, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits"

The first section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order that the Commonwealth may receive the benefit of section three hundred and one (b) of the Federal Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six or any other legislation of a similar kind or enacted for a like purpose which grants a credit on the Federal estate tax for inheritance taxes and transfer inheritance taxes paid to the state governments additional transfer taxes for State purposes are hereby imposed upon the transfer in trust or otherwise of any property taxable under the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of this Commonwealth approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of

certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" Such taxes shall be imposed as estate taxes and shall be collected in accordance with the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of the Commonwealth in the following cases viz Whenever in any estate the total tax paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other states or territory at the rates fixed under the inheritance tax law shall be less than the total credit allowed by the Federal law for taxes paid to the states then the tax imposed by this act upon the transfer of such property shall be an amount equal to the difference between the total credit allowable by the Federal law for taxes payable to the state governments and the total taxes actually paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the inheritance tax laws [and the portion of the increased tax so imposed which shall be chargeable to each of the respective beneficiaries shall be ascertained by multiplying the total amount of such increase in tax by a fraction the numerator of which shall be the amount actually paid or payable by the respective beneficiary to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws and the denominator of which shall be the total taxes paid by all beneficiaries to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws]

Every executor administrator or person in actual or constructive possession of the property of an estate subject to the tax imposed by this act shall within thirty days after the filing of his return with the Federal Government file a copy of such Federal return with the register of wills of the proper county The Commonwealth shall have authority in any estate taxable under this act to make a personal estimate for the payment of taxes to the Commonwealth on account and to make an appraisement of the taxes due by any estate under this act when the amount of the Federal tax has been finally determined

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title by adding at the end thereof the following: "defining such taxes as estate taxes; imposing duties upon executors, administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estate; and regulating the making of appraisements in such estates."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2075, as follows:

An Act regulating the sale and fixing the weight of bread providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and prescribing penalties for violation thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That except as provided in the following section bread shall not be manufactured for sale sold or offered or exposed for sale otherwise than by weight and shall be manufactured for sale sold or offered or exposed for sale within this Commonwealth only in units of one pound one and one-half pounds or multiples of one pound No such loaf of bread shall have a variation from the standard or marked weight as hereinafter provided for more than one ounce per pound under such standard or marked weight When multiple loaves are baked each unit of the loaf shall conform to the weight required by this section The weights herein specified shall mean net weights not more than twelve hours after baking or not more than twelve hours after the sale and delivery of such loaves by the manufacturer or by his servant or agent Such weights shall be determined by the average weight of not less than six loaves provided that such average weights shall be determined by the weight of at least twelve loaves whenever such number of loaves is available at the time and place of such weighing and provided further that bread found upon any premises occupied for the manufacture of bread for sale or any bread found in the wagons trucks baskets boxes or other delivery vehicles or receptacles owned or controlled by the manufacturer of such bread and being transported or delivered for sale shall for the purposes of this section be deemed to have been baked within twelve hours unless such bread is marked designated or segregated and sold or offered for sale as stale bread

Sections 2 Unit weights as defined in the preceding section shall not apply to rolls or to fancy bread weighing less than four ounces nor to stale bread nor to loaves bearing in plain position a plain statement of the weight of the loaf and the name of the manufacturer thereof Such information shall be stated in case of wrapped bread upon the wrapper of each loaf and in the case of unwrapped bread by means of a pan impression or other mechanical means or upon a label not larger than one by one and three quarters inches nor smaller than one by one and one half inches No label attached to an unwrapped loaf shall be larger than provided herein nor shall any such label be affixed in any manner or with any gum or paste which is unsanitary or unwholesome When an inspection of bread is made at any bakery by any inspector of weights and measures the manufacturer of such bread or his servants or agents shall upon request of the official making such inspection inform him whether such bread is manufactured for sale in any of the standard unit weights prescribed by the preceding section and if not so manufactured for sale in such standard unit weights shall furnish such official with samples of the labels or wrappers intended to be used on all such loaves of other than standard unit weights

Section 3 The city and county inspectors of weights and measures shall be charged with the enforcement of this act They may seize without warrant any bread which they may deem necessary to be used as evidence of violation of law giving a receipt therfor and such bread shall be returned to the owner or forfeited as the court may direct

Section 4 Any person or any member or agent or employe of any association copartnership or corporation violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a summary offense and upon conviction thereof before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than fifty dollars for the

first offense and not less than fifty dolars nor more than one hundred dollars for each subsequent offense and costs of prosecution and upon failure to pay such fine and costs of prosecution shall be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of ten days for each such offense

Section 5 The act approved the first day of April one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven (3 Sm L page 294) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of selling loaf-bread and to repeal certain existing laws respecting the same" is hereby specifically repealed

All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with.

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2082, as follows:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any administrative department board commission or officer of the State Government authorized by law to make investments of funds in the custody or under the control of such department board commission or officer excepting only the moneys in the State Sinking Fund may lawfully invest such funds in any of the following securities

(a) Bonds or other obligations of the United States

(b) Bonds or other obligations of this Commonwealth or of any other state

(c) Bonds or other obligations of any county city borough township incorporated district school district poor district or other political subdivision of this Commonwealth or of any other state

(d) Ground rents on real estate within this Commonwealth and

(e) Mortgages on or bonds of individuals secured by mortgages on Pennsylvania real estate

Section 2 The Board of Finance and Revenue may invest the moneys in the State Sinking fund in and only in bonds of the United States or of this State

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1437, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" which was last amended by the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eleven) entitled "An act to amend section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended increasing the compensation of township supervisors" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 235 Supervisors who do not act as superintendents or roadmasters shall receive from the township road funds as compensation not less than two dollars and fifty cents nor more than four dollars for each semi-monthly meeting which they attend The amount of the compensation shall be determined by the township auditors The township auditors shall also allow to the supervisors compensation for making a semi-annual inspection of the roads and bridges The compensation of supervisors when overseeing or working on roads shall be fixed by the township auditors and shall be not less than two nor more than six dollars per day

Supervisors will also be allowed actual traveling expenses and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as supervisors Said expenses to be paid monthly by the treasurer after a duly itemized and verified statement of same has been filed with the secretary of the board

On th question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, lines 20 to 25, by underscoring the entire said lines, both inclusive.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1762, as follows:

An Act exempting cash registers accounting machines and the appurtenances thereto loaned leased hired or conditionally sold from levy or sale on execution or distress for rent

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter all cash registers accounting machines and the appurtenances thereto loaned leased or hired to any

person or person residing or engaged in business within this Commonwealth or to any corporation or corporations doing business therein or conditionally sold to any such person persons corporation or corporations under a contract of sale reserving title in the vendor until paid for shall be exempt from levy and sale on execution or distress for rent so long as the title thereto remains in the owner lessor or conditional vendor Provided That the name and address of the owner lessor or conditional vendor of such cash registers accounting machines and the appurtenances thereto be marked on or be attached to such cash registers and the accounting machines on a conspicuous part thereof or that the owner lessor or conditional vendor of such cash registers accounting machines and appurtenances or his its or their agent or agents shall have given written notice to the landlord or his its or their agent at the time of such loaning leasing hiring or conditional selling or within ten days after the same are placed in the premises that the same are loaned leased hired or sold under reservation of title

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1183, as follows:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Secretary of Highways is hereby authorized and empowered to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways for the purpose of preventing snow from drifting on said highways and thereby facilitating public travel and avoiding danger or inconvenience to the traveling public

Section 2 The several counties of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized to acquire land along or adjacent to State highways for the purpose of placing thereon live snowbreaks the acquisition of such land to be in the same manner and subject to the same requirements and restrictions as now provided for the acquisition of land for the relocation of State highways

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1144, as follows:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" and further amended by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 434 Rewards shall be granted by the Commonwealth for improvements only of the character herein set forth namely (a) For grading and draining a section of road at less than one-fourth mile in length (b) for graveling or cindering or using other approved materials on a graded and drained road not less than one-fourth mile in length (c) for constructing a road with broken stone base or traffic bound macadam road and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved material top not less than one-fourth mile in length (d) for macadamizing a road or for constructing a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (e) for a bituminous surface-treated road (f) for constructing a concrete brick or bituminous surface road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (g) for the erection and construction of bridges of three feet or more span constructed of concrete or stone or a combination of concrete and stone or a steel bridge with a floor constructed of a material approved by the State Highway Department (h) for the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes

Whenever any improvements of the character mentioned in this section have been completed by any township of the second class the State will pay as a reward the following sums namely One—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three set forth in subdivision (a) Fifty per centum of the cost of thousand dollars per mile Four—For roads of the character making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) fifty per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) fifty per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars per mile Seven—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) fifty per centum of contract price and not in any case to exceed Fifty per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—for the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) fifty per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provisions for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payments are made under clause one

The aforesaid rewards shall be based upon roads the improvements of which shall be of a width of not less than sixteen feet and corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of reward shall be made as the width of the improved road is reduced or increased but no reward shall be paid for the improvement of any road of less width than twelve feet

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 869, as follows:

An Act requiring deeds and other instruments in writing transferring any interest in real estate to be signed and acknowledged by grantors and grantees and accompanied by photostatic copies of all signatures when entered for record in the office of the recorder of deeds in counties of the first class and imposing certain duties upon such recorder of deeds

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it is unlawful for the recorder of deeds of any county of the first class within the Commonwealth to accept for recording or record any deed or other instrument in writing hereafter executed transferring any interest in real estate unless such deed or other instrument in writing shall be signed and acknowledged by the grantor or grantors and by the grantee or grantees named therein and a photostatic copy of all the signatures contained thereon shall be made by the recorder of deeds

Section 2 The said recorder of deeds shall cause all such photostatic copies of signatures to be filed in his office in some manner whereby the same can be easily and readily obtained for examination by any person or persons interested but he shall not permit the same to be removed from his office without the order of a court of record therefor The recorder of deeds is authorized to charge and collect a fee of fifty cents for making such photostatic copy of each deed which shall be paid by the person leaving such deed for recording

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. JOS. F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. HARDING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2077, entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

The first section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the term "commodities" as used in this act shall be construed to mean articles of food other than liquids which are capable of being measured by dry capacity measure and which have been at any time prior to the passage of this act sold by dry capacity measure in this State

The term "dry capacity measure" within the meaning of this act shall be construed to the bushel half-bushel peck half-peck quarter peck quart pint half-pint and similar measures

The term "original standard container" as used in this act shall be construed to mean and include only barrels boxes baskets hampers or similar containers the dimensions or capacity of which is established by law of this State or by act of Congress the contents of which have not been removed or repacked and upon which is plainly and conspicuously marked the net quantity of contents thereof in terms of weight measure or numerical count

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 From and after the taking effect of this act all commodities heretofore commonly offered for sale or sold by dry measure or by basket barrel or container of any kind except as hereinafter provided shall be offered for sale or sold upon the basis of avoirdupois net weight or by numerical count and it shall thereafter be unlawful for anyone to use or employ any dry capacity measure basket barrel or container of any kind as a means of determining the amounts or quantities of any such commodities offered for sale or sold Provided however That the provisions of this act shall not be construed to apply to fruits and vegetables sold in the original standard container nor to vegetables which by common custom are offered for sale or sold by the bunch nor shall the provisions of this act be construed to apply to fresh berries and to other small fruits which are customarily offered for sale and sold by the box basket or other receptacle except however when such fresh berries or such other small fruits are offered for sale or sold in bulk in which case the provisions of this act shall apply to the extent that such fresh berries and such other small frutis shall be offered for sale and sold by avoirdupois net weight only Provided further however That all fresh berries and such other small fruits when offered for sale or sold shall be so offered or sold in boxes baskets or receptacles of uniform size to hold one quart or one pint dry measure only which said boxes baskets or other receptacles shall be uniformly and evenly filled throughout

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 14, by striking out the word "nulawful" and insert "unlawful."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third, fourth and fifth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 3 The city and county inspectors of weights and measures are hereby charged with the enforcement of the provisions of this act

Section 4 Any person firm association copartnership or corporation or the members agents officers or employes of any firm association copartnership or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction thereof in summary proceedings before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars or more than fifty dollars for the first offense and not less than fifty or more than one hundred dollars for each subsequent offense and costs of prosecution and upon non-payment of such fine and costs to be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of ten days

Section 5 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whoe being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1689, (Senate Bill No. 718), entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of

the first and second and second A classes granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Definitions Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That as used in this act "Department" shall mean the Department of Labor and Industry of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

"Elevator" shall mean all the machinery construction apparatus and equipment directly used in raising and lowering a car cage or platform vertically between permanent rails or guides and shall include all elevators dumb waiters escalators gravity elevators hoists and other lifting apparatus

"Establishment" shall mean any room building or place within this Commonwealth where persons are employed or permitted to work for compensation of any kind to whomever payable except private dwellings

"Freight elevator" shall mean an elevator used for the carrying of freight in which no person other than the regular operator and three designated persons may be carried at any one time

"Inspector" shall mean an inspector examined and authorized by the Department of Labor and Industry to inspect elevators and lifting apparatus in this Commonwealth

"Passenger elevator" shall mean an elevator used for carrying persons or material

"Person" shall mean any individual firm partnership unincorporated association corporation or municipality

Wherever the singular is used in this act it shall include the plural and wherever the masculine gender is used it shall include the feminine and neuter

On the question,

Wil the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Section 1, page 1, line 8, strike out the word "directly"

Section 1, page 1, line 12, insert the words "or lowering" before the word "apparatus"

Section 1, page 2, line 4, insert the words "and any place of business to which the public has access" following the word "payable"

Section 1, page 2, line 5, insert the words "constructed and" following the second word "elevator" and before the word "used"

Section 1, page 2, line 6, insert the word "materials" following the word "of," and strike out the words "freight in which no person other than the regular operator and three designated persons may be carried at any one time."

Section 1, page 2, line 12, insert the words "constructed and" following the second word "elevator" and before the word "used"

Section 1, page 2, line 13, strike out the words "or materials" after the word "persons"

On the question,

Wil the House agree to the amendment?

They were agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second and third sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 General requirement Every elevator as described in Section one of this act shall be so constructed equipped maintained and operated with respect to the supporting members elevator car shaftway guides cables doors and gates safety stops and mechanisms locking mechanisms electrical apparatus and wiring mechanical apparatus counterweights and all other appurtenances as to safely sustain the load which the said elevator is designed and intended to carry Provided That nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to elevators located in cities of the first second and second A classes

Section 3 Rules and regulations To carry out the provisions and the intent and purpose of this act the Department shall have power and its duty shall be to make alter amend or repeal rules and regulations for the construction installation maintenance operation and inspection of elevators used or destined for use in this Commonwealth and shall make specifications for the construction and equipment of such elevators No elevator shall be permitted to be installed and used in this Commonwealth which does not comply with the rules and regulations herein provided for

The fourth section was read as follows:

Section 4 Examination of inspectors and fees therefore No person shall inspect elevators for the Department unless he has passed a written examination prescribed by the Department Application for examination shall be made in writing upon a form furnished by the Department and shall be accompanied by an examination fee of ten dollars If the applicant is successful in passing the said examination a commission and credential card shall be issued upon the payment of an additional fee of five dollars All inspectors shall be required to secure a new credential card each year by application to the Department which application shall be accompanied by a fee of two dollars The Secretary may suspend any commission for due cause but no commission may be revoked until the inspector has been granted a hearing

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Section 4, page 3, line 12, correct the word "therefore" to read "therefor"

Section 4, page 3, line 13, strike out the words "for the Department" following the word "elevators"

Section 4, page 3, line 19, strike out the words "commission and credential card" and insert in their place the words "certificate of competency and a commission"

Section 4, page 3, line 24, insert the words "of Labor and Industry" following the word "Secretary"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fifth section was read as follows:

Section 5 Inspection of insured elevators If an elevator is insured by a company authorized to insure elevators in this Commonwealth against loss from accident the inspection may be made by an employe of such company and the only fee collectible shall be the certificate fee of one dollar hereinafter provided for in this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the folowing amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Section 5, page 4, line 2, insert the words "by the Commonwealth" following the word "collectible"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The sixth, seventh and eighth sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 6 Inspection of uninsured elevators If such elevator is not so insured the inspection shall be made by an inspector in the employ of the Department and there shall be a fee charged for each inspection as hereinafter provided for in this act

Section 7 Frequency of inspections Every passenger elevator and escalator shall be inspected four times in every twelve months freight elevators including gravity elevators shall be inspected at least twice in every twelve months dumb waiters hoists and other lifting apparatus shall be inspected at least once in every twelve months building hoists shall be inspected at the time of erection at each and every building

Section 8 Issuance of certificates Every inspector shall forward to the Department a full report of each and every inspection made of any elevator showing the exact condition of the said elevator If this report indicates that the said elevator is in a safe condition to be operated the Department shall issue a Certificate of Operation for a capacity not to exceed that named in the said report of inspection which certificate shall be valid for thirteen months after the date of inspection No elevator may be lawfully operated without having such a certificate conspicuously posted in the elevator car cage or platform

The ninth section was read as follows:

Section 9 Discontinuance of operation If any elevator be found which in the judgment of the inspector is dangerous to life and property or is being operated without the operating certificate required by this act such inspector may require the owner or user of such elevator to discontinue its operation within twenty-four hours and such inspector shall immediately report all facts in connection with such elevator to the Department and he shall place a notice in the elevator car to this effect In the event a certificate has been issued for such elevator the said certificate shall be suspended and not renewed until such elevator shall have been placed in a safe condition In such case where an elevator has been placed out of service the owner or user of such elevator shall not again operate the same until repairs have been made and permission given by the said inspector to resume operation of the said elevator

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Section 9, page 5, line 2, strike out the word "the" before the word "inspector" and insert in its place the word "an"

Section 9, page 5, line 2, insert the words "in the employ of the Department" following the word "inspector"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The tenth section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 10 Fees for inspection The fee for the certificate of operation for all insured and uninsured elevators shall be one dollar When elevators are inspected by inspectors of the Department the following fees shall be charged in addition to the certificate fee

For passenger elevators fees not exceeding twelve dollars per annum

For freight elevators including gravity elevators fees not exceeding six dollars per annum

For dumb waiters hoists and other lifting apparatus fees not exceeding three dollars per annum

For building hoists fees not exceeding three dollars for each inspection

The eleventh section was read as follows:

Section 11 Approval of plans and fees therefor Before any elevator shall be erected and installed or undergo repairs amounting to one-half or more of the original value of the said elevator detailed plans and specifications of the said apparatus in duplicate shall be submitted to the Department for approval If the said plans are approved a permit for the erection or repair of such elevator shall be issued by the Department and a final inspection shall be made of the apparatus when installed or repairs completed before final approval shall be given by the Department The elevator shall not be operated until such final inspection and approval be given

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Section 11, page 6, line 3, strike out the words "and fees therefor"

Section 11, page 6, line 14, add the words "unless a temporary permit be granted by the Department" following the word "given"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 12 Registration of elevators The owner or user of every elevator in this Commonwealth except as exempted from the provisions of this Act in Section 2 shall prior to December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine register with the Department of Labor and Industry every elevator operated by him giving the type capacity and description name of manufacturer and purpose for which each is used. Such registration shall be made on forms to be furnished by the Department

Section 13 Disposition of fees collected All fees provided for by this act shall be paid by cash money order or certified check to the Department of Labor and Industry who shall transmit the same to the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 14 Enforcement It shall be the duty of the Department of Labor and Industry to enforce the provisions of this act

Section 15 Procedure in prosecutions Prosecutions for violations of the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the Department may be institutted by the Department and shall be in the form of summary proceedings before an alderman magistrate or justice of the peace Upon conviction after a hearing the penalties hereinafter provided for shall be imposed and shall be final unless an appeal be taken to a court of proper jurisdiction in the manner prescribed by law

Section 16 Penalties Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the Department as herein provided for or who shall fail or neglect to pay the fees herein provided for shall for the first offense be penalized by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ten days and for each subsequent offense shall be penalized by a fine of not

more than two hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty days Any person who shall continue to operate his elevator or other lifting apparatus after notice to discontinue its use as set forth in Section 9 of this act shall be penalized in a like action by a fine of five dollars for each day the said elevator or lifting apparatus has been operated after the service of the said notice in addition to the fines above set forth

All fines collected under this act shall be forwarded to the Department of Labor and Industry who shall transmit the same to the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 17 Repealer Section 12 of an act approved the second day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to regulate the employment in all kinds of industrial establishments of women and children employed at wages or salary by regulating the age at which minors can be employed and the mode of certifying the same and by fixing the hours of labor for women and minors to provide for the safety of all employes in all industrial establishments and of men women and children in school-houses academies seminaries colleges hotels hospitals storehouses office buildings public halls and places of amusement in which proper fire-escapes exits and extinguishers are required to provide for the health of all employes and of men women and children in all such establishments storehouses and buildings by proper sanitary appliances and to provide for the appointment of inspectors office clerks and others who with the Chief Factory Inspector shall constitute the Department of Factory Inspection to enforce the same and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof fixing the term and salaries of the Chief Factory Inspector and his appointees" and all other acts or parts of act inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second and second A classes; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1688, (Senate Bill No. 679), entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry; and abolishing the Department of Factory Inspection; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1979, (Senate Bill No. 683), entitled:

An Act to control regulate and license the sale possession and carrying of pistols revolvers machine guns automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to prohibit the manufacture sale possession or carrying of certain other dangerous firearms weapons and substances within this State to prohibit the possession and use of silencers to provide for confiscation and destruction of certain weapons in certain cases to prohibit the ownership or possession of certain weapons by certain classes of persons providing for licenses to persons to possess or carry concealed pistols revolvers machine guns and automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to provide for license and registration of dealers in pistols and revolvers and regulation of sales thereunder requiring persons in possession of pistols and revolvers and certain other firearms to apply for licenses providing for costs of licenses to individuals and dealers to prescribe penalties for commission of certain crimes while armed with certain weapons and penalties for other violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations thereof to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

The first to the twenty-fourth sections, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or imports into the State or keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any instrument or weapon of the kind commonly known as a sling-shot billy handy-billy sand-club sand-bag metal knuckles or bludgeon shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided however that nothing in this act shall prohibit police officers special police officers peace officers or law enforcement officers from carrying any wooden club baton or any equipment authorized by the properly constituted authorities for the enforcement of law or ordinance in any town municipality county and city in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or who imports into the State or who keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any machine gun automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun or shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches in length or rifle having a barrel of less than fifteen inches in length shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided further that nothing in this section referring to machine guns and automatic rifles shall prohibit the manufacture for and the sale to the United States Government or political sub-divisions thereof or to Foreign Governments or the possession and use of the same by members of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or of the National Guard or organized reserve or to the Post Office Department of the United States or to duly appointed or elected law enforcement officers nor to banking institutions established under the laws of this State or of the United States or the public carriers who are engaged in the business of transporting mail money securities or other valuables provided further however that a permit to possess and carry concealed such machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot guns and riot guns is first secured by the banking institutions or public carriers above referred to in accordance with the provisions of this act for the licensing of pistols and revolvers

Section 3 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect any person who shall within this State manufacture

sell purchase or possess except for military or police purposes any muffler silencer or device for deadening or muffling the sound of a firearm when discharged shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year

Section 4 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect any person except a duly appointed or elected law enforcement officer or a member of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or of the National Guard or organized reserves who possesses or carries on or about his person or in a vehicle a bomb bomb-shell except for blasting or other commercial use or who with the intent to use the same unlawfully against the person or property of another possesses or carries any explosive substance or any noxious liquid gas or substance except fixed ammunition shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 5 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect no unnaturalized foreign born person or no person who has been convicted in this State or elsewhere of a crime of violence shall own or have in his possession or under his custody or control any pistol revolver or other firearm "Crime of Violence" as used in this act means any of the following crimes or an attempt to commit any of the same murder manslaughter rape mayhem aggravated assault and battery assault with intent to kill robbery burglary breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 6 If any person shall commit or attempt to commit any crime of violence within this State while armed with any of the weapons mentioned in sections one two and four hereof or while armed with any pistol revolver or other firearm upon conviction of such crime of violence or of an attempt to commit such crime of violence he may in addition to the punishment prescribed for the crime of which he has been convicted be punishable by separate or solitary confinement at labor for not less than one nor more than three years Such additional period of imprisonment shall commence upon the expiration or other termination of the sentence imposed for the crime of which he stands convicted and shall not run concurrently with such sentence

Section 7 Except as otherwise provided in this act it shall be unlawful for any person within this State to possess or have in his custody or control or within any vehicle in which he is an occupant any pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun without having a license to possess or carry concealed such firearm as hereinafter provided in section nine hereof Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding three years or both or either at the discretion of the court and if he has been convicted previously of any crime of violence or of any crime made punishable by this act he is guilty of a felony and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 8 The unlawful possession upon or about the person or within the vehicle of the carrier of any of the firearms weapons instruments appliances bombs pistols and revolvers mentioned in the preceding sections shall be a nuisance and such articles and substances shall be surrendered to the magistrate justice of the peace alderman or other committing authority before whom said person shall be taken except that in any city the same shall be surrendered to the head of the police force or police department thereof The officers to whom the same may be so surrendered except upon certificate of a judge of a court of record or of the district attorney of the county that the preservation thereof is necessary or proper to the ends of justice shall annually between the first and tenth days of January in each year destroy or cause to be destroyed such weapons and articles to such extent that the same shall become and be wholly and entirely ineffective for the use and purpose for which they were manufactured provided that in the event of any pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot gun or riot gun having been stolen and is thereafter recovered from the thief or his transferee the same shall not be destroyed but shall be restored to the lawful owner thereof as soon as its use as evidence has been served after identification of the weapon and proof of ownership thereof

Section 9 It shall be lawful for the Direct r of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class and in any other city or county of this State for the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of such county upon proof before either of aforesaid persons that the person applying therefor is of good moral character and good repute and has a bona fide residence or place of business within the jurisdiction of the said licensing authority and that good cause exists for the issuance thereof to issue to such person a separate license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or both or (two) to carry concealed a pistol or revolver for a period of five years from the date of such license or to issue said license when circumstances warrant for both purposes Such persons as may have been licensed to possess a pistol or revolver may not by reason thereof carry the same concealed and such weapon shall be kept and maintained at his place of residence or place of business as required by the licence except upon such emergency as may arise requiring the temporary removal therefrom or the protection of persons or property therein

Such persons a may have been licensed to carry concealed a pistol or revolver may by reason thereof possess the same at his place of business or place of residence as the circumstances require All applications for such licenses shall be filed in writing signed by the applicant and shall state the name occupation residence and business address of the applicant his age height weight color of eyes hair and reason for desiring a license to possess or carry concealed such weapon Any license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or (two) to carry concealed such weapon issued upon such application shall set forth the foregoing data and shall in addition have affixed thereto a photograph of the licensee A permit to possess and carry concealed a machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun or riot gun by any banking institution or public carrier authorized so to do by section two of this act shall be issued by the licensing authority of this section in like manner When such licenses are issued by a clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county a record thereof shall be kept in the office of the clerk of quarter sessions when issued by police authorities such record shall be maintained in the office of the authority by whom issued Such applications and licenses shall be uniform throughout the State upon forms prescribed and furnished by the attorney general Provided however that no license to either possess or carry concealed any of the firearms mentioned in this section shall be issued to a person under the age of eighteen years

Section 10 The Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class or the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county as referred to in section nine hereof shall hereafter be designated for brevity as licensor

Section 11 Every person firm or corporation engaged or desiring to engage in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferrer is a retail dealer wholesale dealer pawnbroker or otherwise shall submit a sworn application for a license and registry to the proper licensor of his county which shall be put in such form as the Attorney General may determine which application shall state the principal place of business of the applicant wherever situated and the location of the principal place of business in this State the address of the applicant and such other additional information as the Attorney General may require and if the licensor is satisfied that the applicant is of good repute he shall register the applicant and issue to him a registry certificate certifying to the fact that the dealer has been registered for the current calendar year as a dealer in pistols or revolvers

If the licensor declines or fails to so register the applicant he shall immediately give notice of the fact to the applicant and upon request of such applicant filed within ten days after the receipt of such notice shall fix a time and place for hearing of which ten days' notice shall be given to the applicant or to other persons interested to offer evidence relating to the dealers repute If satisfied as aforesaid as a result of said hearing the licensor shall thereupon register the dealer Any dealer aggrieved by any decision of the licensor may file within thirty days thereafter in the court of quarter sessions of his county a petition against the licensor officially as defendant alleging therein in brief detail the action and decision complained of and praying for a reversal thereof Upon service of summons upon said defendant returnable within three days from its date the licensor shall within one week from such return date file an answer in which he shall allege by way of defense the grounds of his decision and such other grounds which shall in the meantime accrue or be discovered All allegations of the answer shall be determined to stand denied without further pleading and upon application of either party the cause shall be advanced and heard without delay Mere technical irregularities in procedure of such licensor shall be disregarded The court's decision shall consult only the rights of the plaintiff and the protection of the public and the licensor shall prosecute no proceedings to obtain a reversal modification or vacation of a judgment rendered in favor of the plaintiff A judgment sustaining a refusal of the licensor to grant or renew a registration shall not bar after one year a new application by the plaintiff for registration and license nor shall a judgment in favor of the plaintiff prevent such licensor from thereafter revoking or refusing to renew such registration for any proper cause which may thereafter accrue or be discovered The court shall have full power to dispose of all costs and appeals may be taken as in other cases as provided by law

This section shall not apply to wholesale dealers of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers nor to agents messengers and other employes of common carriers whose duties require them to protect moneys valuables and other property in the discharge of such duties from carrying any such weapons while actually engaged in such duties

Section 12 Every person firm or corporation in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferrer is a wholesale dealer retail dealer pawnbroker or otherwise except as hereinbefore provided shall keep a register in which shall be entered the time of sale the date of sale the names of the salesman making the sale the place where sold the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identication on such pistol or revolver together with serial number date name and address of licensee appearing upon the license to possess or to carry concealed such firearm which license shall be exhibited to the dealer at the time of the purchase Such register shall be prepared by and obtained from the State printer and shall be furnished by the State printer to said dealers on application in duplicate and shall be in form prescribed by the Attorney General The purchaser of any such firearm shall sign and the dealer shall require him to sign his name and affix his address to said register in duplicate and the salesman shall affix his signature in duplicate as a witness to the signatures of the purchaser Any person signing a fictitious name or address or making false statements is guilty of a misdemeanor The duplicate sheet of such register shall on the evening of the day of sale be placed in the mail postage prepaid and properly addressed to the Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of police department or police force of the city of the first or second class wherein the sale was made provided that where the sale is made in any other city or county said duplicate sheet shall be mailed to the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the county wherein the sale is made A violation of any of the provisions of this section by any person engaged in the business of selling leasing or transferring such firearms is a misdemeanor

Section 13 A duly licensed retail dealer may sell a pistol or revolver and a manufacturer may sell a machine gun or automatic rifle to such persons as shall have been issued licenses which licenses must be exhibited at the time of purchase and said dealer upon effecting a sale shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun subject to the following conditions for breach of any of which the license of retail dealer shall be subject to forfeiture in addition to the penalty designated in the license

1 The business shall be carried on only in the building designated in the license

2 The license or a copy thereof certified by the issuing authority shall be displayed on the premises where it can easily be read

3 No pistol or revolver shall be delivered

(a) On the day of the application for the purchase and when delivered shall be securely wrapped and unloaded

(b) Unless the purchaser either is personally known to the seller or shall present clear evidence of his identity and shall exhibit his license to possess or carry concealed such firearm

4 No pistol or revolver or imitation thereof or placard advertising the sale or other transfer thereof shall be displayed in any part of said premises where it can readily be seen from the outside

A violation of any of the provisions of this section is a misdemeanor

Section 14 Any person who in purchasing or otherwise acquiring possession of a pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun in applying for a license to possess or carry the same concealed gives false information or offers false evidence as to his identity or signs a fictitious name or address to any application for a license or to any dealer in purchasing or otherwise securing possession of a pistol revolver shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 15 No person firm or corporation shall sell deliver or otherwise transfer any pistol revolver or other firearm to any person prohibited by section five hereof from owning or possessing such firearms nor any pistol or revolver to a minor If any sale purchase or transfer is not consummated within seventy-two hours of the time of application for sale purchase or transfer is made such application for sale purchase or transfer shall be null and void. Any violations of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor

Section 16 Any person who without being licensed as above provided engages in the business of selling or otherwise transferring or who advertises for sale or offers or exposes for sale transfer or delivery or who sells any pistol revolver automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun is guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 17 No person shall change alter or remove or obliterate the name of the maker model manufacturer's number or other mark or identication on any pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle And on the trial of an indictment for a violation of the provisions of this section the jury may infer that the person in possession of such firearm has changed altered removed or obliterated the identification marks of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle

Section 18 This act shall not apply to antique pistols or revolvers or other firearms unsuitable for use as firearms Provided however that all pistols or revolvers possessed as curiosities and ornaments which are capable of use as firearms with cartridges now being manufactured shall be registered under the provisions of this act and the owner or possessor thereof shall be issued one license and each pistol or revolver owned or possessed shall be inventoried by manufacturer's number caliber make model and other marks of identification of said license

Section 19 Any violation of any provisions of this act which is designated as a misdemeanor and for which no punishment has been provided shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) or imprisonment not exceeding three years either or both at the discretion of the court

Section 20 Wherever the pronoun "he" occurs in this act it shall be construed as including both male and female persons

Section 21 All persons in possession of a pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun described in this act at the time of its taking effect shall be required to obtain a license to possess or carry the same concealed in accordance with the provisions of this act within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act and

failure to procure such license will render such person or persons liable to the provisions and penalties of this act Upon the issuance of said license the licensor shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun

Section 22 The fees under the provisions of this act shall be as follows

1 For receiving application and issuing license to possess or carry concealed a pistol revolver or other firearms fifty cents

2 For filing and indexing any registration or license fifty cents

3 For receiving application and issuing collectors' license five dollars

4 For issuing or refusing dealar's license or registry or for hearings thereon ten dollars

All such fees shall be paid by the applicant for license whether the same be granted or not and shall be paid to the County Treasurer of the several counties The County Commissioners of the several counties shall supply all necessary assistance to the licensing authorities Provided however That no fee shall be charged for registering any pistol revolver or other fireaarm in the possession of any person at the time of the passage of this act the registration of which is required under the provisions of this act where such registration is made within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act

Section 23 In any prosecution under this act it shall not be necessary to negative any of the exemptions of this act in any complaint information or indictment or at trial The burden of proving any exemption under this act shall be upon the defendant

Section 24 Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to or to affect the possession or transportation of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to members of the army navy or marine corps of the Unted States or the National Guards or to organizations which are by law authorized to receive such weapons from the United States or this State nor to officers or employes of the United States authorized to carry a pistol revolver or other firearms Nothing in this act shall apply to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers

The twenty-fifth section was read as follows:

Section 25 The provisions of this act in so far as the same relate to pistols or revolvers shall not apply to persons over the age of twenty-one years holding hunters' licenses of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Such persons shall be entitled to have and possess pistols or revolvers to carry the same openly when and where hunting and to transport the same to and from the place of hunting for the purpose of hunting Such persons shall also be entitled to purchase pistols or revolvers upon presentation to the retail dealer of their hunting licenses together with a certificate of good character issued by the licensor as defined in section ten hereof Said licensor shall only issue said certificate of good character upon the sworn statement of two reputable citizens that the applicant for such certificate is a law abiding person who has never been convicted of any crime of violence as defined in section five hereof Nothing in this section shall relieve any person firm or corporation from the duties imposed in section twelve hereof

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 25, page 18, line 7, by inserting after the word "ing" the following: "and target shooting."

Amend section 25, page 18, line 8, by inserting after the word "hunting" where it appears the second time in said line, the following: "or to and from the place of target shooting."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill is commonly known as the firearms bill, introduced in the Senate by Senator Salus, having been originated by the Crimes Commission which was appointed by the Governor of this Commonwealth. The Crimes Commission has met every reasonable request for amendment of this act, both from the point of view of the manufacturer of firearms, as well as from the point of view of the seller of firearms. The amendment offered now by my friend, Mr. Peters, was submitted to the chairman of the Crimes Commission, as well as to the general membership of that Commission, and after careful consideration it was determined that the amendment was not a reasonable one. I am told further that the source from which the amendment comes, namely, the man or men who are interested in trap shooting, also spoke with the chairman of the Crimes Commission and that none of them were able to present a more convincing reason for the introduction of this amendment. It seems to me, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, that the work of this Commission should be kept intact as nearly as may be possible, and for that reason I ask you that you vote down the amendment.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were not agreed not.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the section?

It was agreed to.

The twenty-sixth, twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 26 All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed provided however that this act shall not repeal or in any manner affect any of the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing laws relating thereto"

Section 27 The repeal of any acts or parts of acts of assembly shall not affect any prosecutions pending on the date of passage of this act nor prevent the institution of any prosecutions for violation of any of the provisions of said acts committed prior to the passage of this act but all such pending prosecutions shall be terminated and all such violations shall be prosecuted in the same manner

Section 28 If any provisions of this act shall be held by any court to be unconstitutional such judgment shall not affect any other section or provision of the same It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been passed had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

An Act to control, regulate and license the sale, possession and carrying of pistols, revolvers, machine guns, automatic rifles, automatic shot guns and riot guns; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession, or carrying of certain other dangerous firearms, weapons and substances within this State; to prohibit the possession and use of silencers; to provide for confiscation and destruction of certain weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership or possession of certain weapons by certain classes of persons; providing for licenses to persons, to possess or carry concealed pistols, revolvers, machine guns and automatic rifles, automatic shot guns and riot guns; to provide for license and registration of dealers in pistols and revolvers and regulation of sales thereunder; requiring persons in possession of pistols and revolvers and certain other firearms to apply for licenses; providing for costs of licenses to individuals and dealers; to prescribe penalties for commission of certain crimes while armed with certain weapons; and penalties for other violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations thereof; to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1819, (Senate Bill No. 60), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges, the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries, investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents, as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1936, (Senate Bill No. 590), entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee; and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 508, (Senate Bill No. 41), entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1498, (Senate Bill No. 705), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2051, (Senate Bill No. 1082), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Education for the purpose of further study.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2119, (Senate Bill No. 992), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ninth

day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population does not exceed ten thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than ten thousand and does not exceed twenty thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than twenty thousand and does not exceed thirty thousand inhabitants shall be [six] nine hundred and [twenty-five] dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than thirty thousand and does not exceed forty thousand inhabitants shall be one thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than forty thousand and does not exceed fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than fifty thousand and does not exceed sixty thousand inhabitants shall be fifteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than sixty thousand and does not exceed seventy thousand inhabitants shall be eighteen hundred and seventy-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than seventy thousand and does not exceed eighty thousand inhabitants shall be twenty-five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than eighty thousand and does not exceed ninety thousand inhabitants shall be thirty-one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than ninety thousand and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be five thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than two hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be six thousand dollars per year

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. ASTON. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend bill, page 3, line 8, by inserting a light-faced bracket before the word "one" and after the word "million" and insert "three hundred and fifty thousand."

Amend bill, page 3, line 9, by inserting after the word "year" the following: "and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2053, (Senate Bill No. 1084), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldier Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions of the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools" which was amended by the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws seventeen) entitled 'An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes as erection and equipment and the maintenance of the children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools' approved the twenty-seventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three Provided that in certain cases pupils may remain at the Soldiers' Orphan Industrial Schools after attaining the age of sixteen years" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 6 The said Commission under such rules and forms of application as it may adopt shall be and is hereby authorized to admit to said Soldiers' Orphan Schools or to the Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School soldiers orphans of parents residents of this State for a continuous period of not less than five years prior to their application who shall be under fourteen years of age to be educated and maintained therein until they shall severally become [sixteen] eighteen years of age unless sooner discharged for cause by order of the Commission

Provided That in the case of pupils at the Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School reaching the age of [sixteen] eighteen between the first day of [January] December in any year and the thirtieth day of June of the [same] following year the said pupil [may] shall at the discretion of the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools remain at the school until the thirtieth day of June following the date at which he or she may reach the age of [sixteen] eighteen

Provided further That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section one, page 2, line 12, by striking out the word "of," and inserting in lieu thereof "to."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20, by striking out the word "buliding" and inserting in lieu thereof "building."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 7, by inserting after the word "Pennsylvania" the word "Soldiers."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agred to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphans' Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools" as amended.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GEO. W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 13, by inserting after the word "Soldiers" the word "Orphans'."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2107, (Senate Bill No. 585), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789), entitled: "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1803, (Senate Bill No. 558), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any department or division thereof and counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life health and accident insurance for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employes and providing for the payment of the cost thereof

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any department or division thereof and any county city borough incorporated town township schol district or poor district may make contracts of insurance with any insurance company authorized to transact business within the Commonwealth insuring its employes or any class or classes thereof under a policy or policies of group insurance covering life health or accident insurance and may contract with any company granting annuities or pensions and authorized to transact business within the Commonwealth for the pensioning of such employes and for any of its purposes may appropriate out of its treasury any money necessary to pay premiums or charges or portions thereof incident to the carrying of such policies or contracts

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. ROGER RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the entire line.

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the words "division thereof and."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 Nothing contained in the foregoing section shall be construed to repeal any act of assembly now providing for the granting of pensions or retirement remuneration to any of the employes of the Commonwealth or any such county city borough incorporated town township school district or poor district

The title was read as follows:

An act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any department or divisions thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident insurance for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. ROGER RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the words "the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any de-."

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out the words "partment or division thereof and."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2117, (Senate Bill No. 976), entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual metings of members of any such company.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1825, (Senate Bill No. 197), as follows:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and Certificates discharging such liens shall be filed by the collector of internal revenue in the office of the prothonotary of the county or counties in this State within which the property subject to such lien is situated

Section 2 When a notice of such tax lien is filed the prothonotary shall forthwith upon the payment to him of the requisite fees provided for such similar services enter the same in an alphabetical Federal Tax Lien Index showing on one line the name and the residence of the taxpayer named in such notice the collector's serial number of such notice the date and hour of filing and the amount of tax with the interest penalties and costs He shall file and keep all original notices so led in numerical order in a file or files and designated Federal Tax Lien Notices

Section 3 When a certificate of discharge of any tax lien issued by the collector of Internal Revenue or other proper officer is filed in the office of the prothonotary where the original notice of lien is filed said prothonotary shall enter the same with date of filing in said Federal Tax Lien Index on the line where notice of the lien so discharged is entered and permanently attach the original certificate of discharge to the original notice of lien

Section 4 Said Federal Tax Lien Index and file or files for said Federal Tax Lien Notices shall be furnished to the prothonotary of such county in this State in the manner now provided by law for the furnishing of books in which deeds are recorded

Section 5 This act is passed for the purpose of authorizing the filing of notices of liens in accordance with the provisions of section three thousand one hundred and eighty-six of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended

Section 6 This act shall be so interpreted and construed as to effectuate its general purpose to make uniform the law of those states which enact it

Section 7 This act may be cited as the Uniform Federal Tax Lien Registration Act

Section 8 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1798, (Senate Bill No. 434), entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2177, (Senate Bill No. 789), entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments become necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2178, (Senate Bill No. 791), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class, and fixing their salaries, payable by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1806, (Senate Bill No. 712), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1985, (Senate Bill No. 309), entitled:

An Act conferring and imposing certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole

The first section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Board of Pardons of this Commonwealth shall have jurisdiction to supervise the conduct during the period of parole of all prisoners released on parole from the State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the Attorney General may appoint for the work of the Board hereunder a Supervisor of Paroles and such field agents as may be necessary whose compensation shall be fixed as provided by law in the case of other employes of the Department of Justice .

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 The Board of Pardons shall have the following powers and duties (a) It shall establish standards to govern the selection of field agents for the supervision of prisoners on parole and to govern the supervision of prisoners on parole (b) It shall prepare and furnish to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory forms upon which shall be recorded a detailed statement concerning every prisoner paroled from said institutions (c) It shall consider ways and means of co-ordaining the pardon and parole work of the State (d) It shall keep itself informed concerning methods used in preparing and selecting parolees in the penal institutions of the State and shall recommend to the Governor for presentation to the Legislature recommending whatever changes it deems advisable for the improvement of the parole system as a whole (e) It shall cause to be furnished to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory such information as may be requested by them to determine the time that prisoners shall be continued on parole to determine the kind and character of employment offered to applicants for parole and the reliability of the intended employer

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 2, page 4, line 5, by striking out the word "to" before the word "prepare"

Amend section 2, page 4, line 13, by striking out the word "parolees" and inserting in lieu thereof "paroles."

Amend section 2, page 4, line 16, by striking out the word "recommending."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 3 All employes of the Department of Justice assigned to the Board of Pardons hereunder shall co-operate with the police officers of the State and of its several political subdivisions by supplying them with complete information concerning the character and business responsibility of any proposed employer of any paroled prisoner and concerning any such prisoner who has failed to observe the conditions of his parole At the request of the board of trustees of any of the penitentiaries or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory it shall direct the field parole agents under its supervision to secure detailed information concerning the personal family social and industrial history of any prisoner and his probable environment during parole and shall submit such information to said board within a reasonable time

Section 4 The Board of Pardons shall invite a representative of each State penitentiary and of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory to sit with it whenever it is considering any matters which this act requires it to consider

Section 5 Every prisoner of a State penitentiary or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory hereafter released on parole shall be committed to the custody of such person as shall be designated by the Board of Pardons and shall make such reports in writing and fulfill such conditions as the Board may direct

Section 6 Nothing in this act shall apply to dependent neglected incorrigible or delinquent children

Section 7 Nothing herein contained shall be construed to derogate from the power of the judges of the courts of quarter sessions and of the courts of oyer and terminer or other court of record having jurisdiction of the several judicial districts of the Commonwealth after due inquiry to release on parole any convict confined in the county jail house of correction or workhouse in their respective districts as provided in section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand fifty-nine) entitled "An act extending the powers of judges of courts of quarter sessions and of oyer and terminer in relation to releasing prisoners in jails and workhouses on parole" its amendments and supplements and nothing herein shall be construed to derogate from the power of boards of trustees of State penal institutions to make recommendations for paroles to the Board of Pardons or from the paroling power to the Board of Pardons or of the Governor and nothing herein contained shall be construed to derogate from the power and authority of the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon to parole inmates

Section 8 All acts or parts of acts general special or local inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

An Act conferring and imposing certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1983, (Senate Bill No. 307), as follows:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Board of Pardons and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole and fixing the penalty for such violation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the

same That whenever it shall appear to the State Board of Pardons that a person who has been sentenced under the provisions of the act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand fifty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the release on probation of certain convicts instead of imposing sentences the appointment of probation and parole officers and the payment of their salaries and expenses regulating the manner of sentencing convicts in certain cases and providing for their release on parole their conviction of crime during parole and their rearrest and reconviction for breach of parole and extending the powers and duties of boards of prison inspectors of penitentiaries" and its amendments and released on parole by commutation containing a condition that the convict shall be subject to the terms of said act has violated the terms of his or her parole it shall cause a warrant to be issued for the arrest of said person which warrant shall give all officers authorized by law to make arrest full authority to apprehend and detain said convict And such officer upon the arrest of said convict shall notify the Board of Pardons who shall notify the warden of the penitentiary from which said convict was released on parole to send an officer to return him to said penitentiary The Board of Pardons or its duly authorized representative shall forthwith submit to the trustees of said penitentiary a report of violations of parole of said convict

Section 2 Upon said convict being returned to the penitentiary he or she shall be given an opportunity to appear before its board of trustees and if said board after considering the report of the Board of Pardons shall find that said parole has not been broken it shall notify the Board of Pardons whereupon the prisoner shall be released and continue subject to the terms of said parole But if it be found that said parole has been broken said board shall declare such convict delinquent after which a full report of the said case shall be forwarded immediately to the Governor who thereupon may issue his mandate reciting the date of commutation for the recommitment of such convict for breach of parole to the penitentiary of original commitment to be imprisoned in said penitentiary for the remainder of a period equal to the unexpired maximum term of such prisoner as originally sentenced (computing the same from the date of arrest for breach of parole) unless sooner released on parole or pardoned but if the Governor shall disapprove the finding of the board of trustees the said prisoner shall be released upon the conditions of his original parole

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1984, (Senate Bill No. 308), entitled:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles and the effect of such violations

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever an inmate of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon is paroled and thereafter when on parole shall in any manner violate the same the State Board of Pardons or the board of trustees of the said Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory shall cause a warrant to be issued for the arrest of said person which warrant shall give all officers authorized by law to make arrests full authority to apprehend and detain said inmate and such officer upon the arrest of said inmate shall notify the Board of Pardons Paroles who shall notify the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory from which said inmate was released on parole to send an officer to return him to said reformatory The Board of Pardons or its duly authorized representative shall forthwith submit to the trustees of said reformatory a report of violation of parole of said inmate Upon his return he shall be given a hearing by the board of trustees and if said board shall find that said parole has not been broken it shall notify Board of Pardons whereupon the prisoner shall be released and continue subject to the terms of said parole But if it be found that said parole has been broken said prisoner may be required to serve the unexpired term of his possible maximum sentence at the discretion of the board of trustees and the time from the date of his declared delinquency to the date of his return to the reformatory shall not be counted as any part or portion of such sentence

The cost of executing such warrant shall be paid by the board of trustees

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 3, by striking out the word "paroles."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2113, (Senate Bill No. 464), entitled:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all necessary expenses incurred by the district attorneys of any county of this Commonwealth or his assistants or any officer or other person or persons directed by him in the investigation of crime or suspected crime or matters relating thereto and the apprehension and prosecution of persons charged with or suspected of the commission of crime shall be paid by the respective counties when properly audited as provided by law if authorized by the county commissioners out of moneys in the county treasury upon the approval of the bill of expense by the district attorney of their respective counties And in cases where a defendant is convicted and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and trial all expenses of the district attorney including investigations and preparation in connection with such prosecution shall be considered a part of the costs of the cases and be paid by the defendant

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. ASTON. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 11, by striking out the words "if authorized."

Amend section 1, page 1, line 12, by striking out the words "by the county commissioners."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1991, (Senate Bill No. 810), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1827, (Senate Bill No. 971), entitled:

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 352—Proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2148, (Senate Bill No. 784), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Manufacturers for the purpose of additional study.

Mrs. KIRKBRIDE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2116, (Senate Bill No. 956), entitled:

An Act authorizing counties to pay damages for land taken for the relocation of State highways in boroughs.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. ROGER RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads for the purpose of additional study.

Mr. REYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1999, (Senate Bill No. 1020), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval: providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the

enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2121, (Senate Bill No. 1016), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth in eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purposes of legislation and the regulation of their affairs counties of this Commonwealth now in existence and those hereafter erected shall be divided into eight classes as follows

Those having a population of one million [five] eight hundred thousand inhabitants and over shall constitute the first class

Those having a population of eight hundred thousand and more but less than one million eight hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the second class

Those having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand and more but less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the third class

Those having a population of one hundred fifty thousand and more but less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fourth class

Those having a population of one hundred thousand and more but less than one hundred fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fifth class

Those having a population of fifty thousand and more but less than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the sixth class

Those having a population of twenty thousand and more but less than fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the seventh class

Those having a population of less than twenty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the eighth class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2171, (Senate Bill No. 1156), as follows:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" is hereby amended and supplemented to read as follows

Section 1 That corporations organized or hereafter to be organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of supplying water power to the public and other corporations owning or controlling water power may develop electric power for commercial purposes by means of water power and shall have authority to supply current and power to the public [individuals firms and corporations] in the city borough township or district where such corporations may be located and to such persons partnerships and corporations residing therein or adjacent thereto as may desire the same at such prices as may be agreed upon and shall have authority to make erect and maintain the necessary buildings machinery and apparatus for developing power and current and to distribute the same [to any place or places] with the right to enter upon any public road street lane alley or highway for such purposes and to alter inspect and repair its system of distribution Provided no such company shall enter upon any street or alley in any city borough or township of this Commonwealth until after the consent to such entry of the councils of the city or borough or supervisors of the township in which such street or alley may be located shall have been obtained Provided further That any such company heretofore organized and already supplying current and power in a city borough township or district shall have the right to continue to supply the same in such city borough township or district and to such persons partnerships and corporations residing therein or adjacent thereto as may desire the same but no water power company shall commence to supply current and power in any city borough township or district where it is not already serving without first securing a Certificate of Public Convenience from The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1395, (Senate Bill No. 561), as follows:

An Act to enable city county poor ward school borough and township tax collectors their executors and administrators if they are deceased or either surety or surities if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes to collect taxes for the payment of which they have become personally liable without having collected the same by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants or by the expiration of their terms of office and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all cases in which the period of the limitation of the warrants of the duplicates of the county

State dog poor road city township ward school and borough tax collectors have expired and in case where the power and authority of said tax collectors have expired or shall expire during the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine by virtue of the expiration of their terms of office and said tax collector or collectors have or shall become personally liable for the taxes contained in said duplicates and warrants or any part thereof by reason of the personal payment or otherwise by the said tax collector or collectors of said taxes or any part thereof without having recovered or collected the same from the person or persons against whom they have been levied and assessed or without having recovered or collected the same from the person or persons owning the property against which the said taxes have been levied and assessed the said duplicates and warrants and the power and authority of the said tax collectors in all such cases are hereby revived and extended for a period of two years after the passage of this act and the said tax collector or collectors their executors or administrators if they are deceased or either surety or sureties if the said surety or sureties have paid the said taxes are hereby empowered to proceed and collect said taxes from all such persons who have not paid them residing in said district within which said taxes are assessed as well as from all persons who may remove or have removed from said city ward township or townships or boroughs and have neglected to pay the taxes as aforesaid assessed with the like effect as if said warrant or warrants have not expired or the term of office of said tax collector had not expired Provided That the provisions of this act shall not apply to warrants issued prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four and that nothing in this act shall release any bondsman or security Provided That this act shall not apply to cities having special laws on this subject Providing also That no collector or the sureties thereof who take advantage of this act shall be permitted to plead the statute of limitations in any action brought to recover the amount of any duplicate or warrant so extended or renewed Provided further That no statute of limitations shall prevent the collection of any tax for which the warrants and powers and authorities of the said tax collectors have been so as aforesaid extended renewed and revived

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2110, (Senate Bill No. 975), entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an Insurance Department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1683, (Senate Bill No. 410), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three as amended and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme Superior common pleas orphans' municipal and county court permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected and in certain cases for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement and for filling the vacancies caused thereby providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise and repealing certain acts" except so far as it relates to retired judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to further amend paragraph six of section one of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' by extending its provisions to certain employes in offices of registers of wills" and which was also amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of

departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association and enlarging the class of employes entitled to become such members" is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases are used in this act unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meaning

1 "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allowances under the provisions of this act

2 "Retirement Association" shall mean the State employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

3 "Retirement Board" shall mean the State employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

4 "Secretary of the Commonwealth" shall mean the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

5 "State Treasurer" shall mean the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

6 "State employe" shall mean any person holding a State office under the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or employed and paid [by the year or by the month] on a yearly or monthly basis by the State Government of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in any capacity whatsoever and shall include also any attorney solicitor investigator appraiser and clerk employed by the year or by the month in the office of any register of wills howsoever appointed whose compensation is actually paid from Commonwealth moneys and shall also include all judges of the several courts of this Commonwealth whose salaries are paid by the Commonwealth But the term "State employe" [shall not include judges and it also] shall not include those persons defined as employes in section one paragraph seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by section one paragraph seven of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) excepting such officers and employes of the Department of Public Instruction as are not members of or who may withdraw from the public school employes' retirement association provided by said act and no member shall be deprived of credit for prior service as a State employe because of the fact that such service was rendered while he or she was a member of the public school employes' retirement association

The term "State employe" shall also include all State officers and employes regularly employed by the year or by the month at a fixed annual or monthly compensation when the General Assembly is not in session but who during a legislative session instead of a fixed annual or monthly salary or compensation are paid upon a per diem basis or by a fixed salary or compensation from the legislative session

In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is a State employe as defined in this paragraph and its decision shall be final

7 "Head of the Department" as applied to State employes shall mean the head of the department or branch of service not a department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of which the State employe is a member

8 "Member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall be a member of the retirement association established by this act

9 "Original member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a State employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before October first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Any such State employe who shall become an original member of the association after the approval of this amendment including those who having heretofore become a new member thereof shall become an original member under the provisions hereof shall pay to the retirement association a sum equal to all the back payments which such person would have made had he or she become a member of the retirement association when the retirement system was established Such back payments may be spread over a period of years by having such regular pay roll deduction of such person increased by not less than one third of the amount thereof which deduction increase shall be credited to such back payments owing and shall be continued until the amount thereof shall be paid in full

Original member of the retirement association shall also mean any judge in service on the date when this act becomes effective who shall elect to become a member of the retirement association at any time during the term for which he was elected or appointed when this act becomes effective

10 "New member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall have become a State employe and a member of the retirement association at a date subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four and in the case of a judge shall mean any judge who is not an original member and who is elected re-elected or appointed to the office or judge subsequent to the date when this act takes effect

11 "Contributor" shall mean any person who has an account in the annuity savings fund

12 "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

13 "Prior service" shall mean all service as a State employe completed not later than the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-three and in the case of judges shall mean all service completed prior to becoming a member of the retirement association

14 "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

15 "Superannuation retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

16 "Superannuation Retirement Age" shall mean as applied to State employes sixty years of age

17 "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earnable by a contributor as a State employe for the five years of service immediately preceding retirement

18 "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and credited to his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund together with the regular interest thereon

19 "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

20 "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

21 "Member's Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the contributor as provided in this act

22 "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the member's annuity

23 "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

24 "Member's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any member's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

25 "Expense Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

26 "Contingent Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

27 "State Annuity Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

28 "State Annuity Reserve Fund Number Two" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

29 "Member's Annuity Saving Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

30 "Member's Annuity Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 8, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the words "date when this act becomes effective," and inserting in lieu thereof "on the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty."

Amend section 1, page 8, line 7, by inserting after the word "was" the word "then."

Amend section 1, page 8, lines 7 and 8, by striking out the words "when this act becomes effective."

Amend section one, page 8, lines 16 and 17, by striking out the words "date when this act takes effect," and inserting in lieu thereof "second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second, third and fourth sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 That section three of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act to amend section three of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guarantee by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 3 A State employes' retirement association is hereby organized the membership of which shall consist of all State employes as defined in paragraph six of section one of this act who by written application to the Retirement Board shall either as an original member or a new member elect to be covered by the retirement system Any State employe who becomes a State employe subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four except as provided in paragraphs nine and ten of section one of this act as to judges shall during the first twelve months of employment as a State employe have the option of membership but after the first twelve months of such employment as a State employe membership as a new member shall be compulsory Provided however, That neither the Governor nor the Lieutenant Governor nor the head or deputy heads of any administrative department nor the members of any independent administrative board or commission or of any departmental administrative board or commission or of any advisory board or commission nor the secretary to the Governor nor the budget secretary nor any person over the age of fifty years shall be compelled to become members of said State employes' retirement association

Section 3 That section eleven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Withdrawal

Section 11 1 Should a contributor before reaching superannuation retirement age by resignation or dismissal or for any other reason than death or retirement upon disability under section twelve or for superannuation under section thirteen cease to be a State employe he or she shall be paid on demand (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity or a deferred annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should a State employe so separate from his or her service as State employe return within five years and restore to the annuity savings fund his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored and his obligations as a member of the retirement association shall begin again

3 Should a member be discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service but before reaching superannuation retirement age he or she shall be paid as he or she may elect as follows

(a) The full amount of the accumulated deduction standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund or

(b) An annuity of equivalent actuarial value to his or her accumulated contributions and in addition a State annuity beginning immediately having a value equal to the present value of a State annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his or her final salary for each year of total service and in addition thereto if an original member of the retirement association of a further State annuity of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his or her final salary for each year or prior service as certified to said original member in the certificate issued to him or her by the retirement board under the provisions of section ten of this act [multiplied by the number of years of prior service plus one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of his years of service as a member]

4 Should a judge discontinue service voluntarily or not voluntarily after having completed twenty years of total service but before reaching superannuation retirement age he or she may elect (in addition to the elections otherwise provided for by this act for State employes) to take at the time of retirement an annuity calculated in accordance with clause three (b) of this section as provided for in the case of State employes retiring not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service or he or she may elect to take a deferred annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age calculated in accordance with section thirteen (2) as provided for in the case of State employes retiring for superannuation but in no event shall the total State annuity exceed fifty per centum of his or her final salary

[4] 5 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deductions shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

Section 4 The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme Superior common pleas orphans' municipal and county court permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties and providing for

the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected and in certain cases for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement and for filling the vacancies caused thereby providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise and repealing certain acts" be and the same is hereby repealed except in so far as it applies to judges retired or entitled to retirement thereunder prior to the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and except also in so far as applies to judges who started their term of service prior to the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and who may at any time during or at the expiration of that term elect to retire under the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen or whom the Governor may retire thereunder at any time during such term as to such judges the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen shall not be repealed but shall remain in force in its entirety but any such judge shall not be entitled to retire thereunder who joins the retirement association and any such judge who elects to retire under the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen may not join the retirement association

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections one, and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties;" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, common pleas, orphans', municipal, and county court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby: providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 2, fourth line from end, by striking out the word "now."

Amend title, page 2, fourth line from end, by inserting after the word "office" the following: "on a named date."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2115, (Senate Bill No. 932), as follows:

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2142, (Senate Bill No. 455), entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

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PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

SHORT TITLE

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The General County Law"

Section 2 This act does not apply to counties of the first class Except where otherwise specifically limited this act applies to all counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes This act does not include any provisions and shall not be construed to repeal any acts relating to

(a) The procedure for the collection of municipal and tax claims by liens

(b) The amount and method of incurring and increasing the indebtedness of counties

(c) The assessment of property for taxation and the collection of taxes

(d) Conduct of elections

(e) Poor districts except as specifically provided herein

(f) The giving of county consent to public service corporations

(g) State roads State-aid roads township and private roads

(h) Validation of elections bonds resolutions and accounts of corporate officers

(i) Collections by county officers of moneys for the Commonwealth and the issuance of State licenses

(j) The government and regulation of jails prisons and other correctional institutions and the commitment thereto and the maintenance and care of prisoners or inmates therein

(k) Civil and criminal procedure except special provisions covering actions by or against counties or county officers

(l) Joint county and municipal buildings and works

(m) County libraries except law libraries

(n) The recording of deeds mortgages or other instruments in writing

(o) Court criers and tipstaves official court stenographers and interpreters and court room employes

(p) The clerk or clerks of the court for the county of Allegheny

(q) The rebinding re-indexing and transcribing of records in county offices

(r) The salaries and compensation of county officers and their appointees and salary boards

(s) The fees of county officers

Section 3 EFFECT OF ACT ON EXISTING LAWS The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws shall be construed as a continuation of such law and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any provision of law shall not revive any law heretofore repealed or superseded nor affect the existence or class of any county heretofore created The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested nor affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

All resolutions regulations and rules made pursuant to any act of assembly repealed by this act shall continue with the same force and effect as if such act had not been repealed All local acts of assembly applying to particular counties not specifically repealed shall continue in force and any provisions of this act inconsistent therewith shall not apply to the counties affected by such local laws

All acts and parts of acts of assembly relating to counties or to particular classes of counties in force at the time of the adoption of this act and not repealed hereby shall remain in force in the same manner and with the same effect as prior to the adoption of this act

Section 4 HOLDING OF OFFICE Any persons holding office under any act of assembly repealed by this act shall continue to hold such office until the expiration of the term thereof subject to the conditions and salary attached to such office prior to the passage of this act

Section 5 REFERENCE TO OTHER ACTS Whenever in this act reference is made to any act by title such reference shall also apply to and include any codifications wherein the provisions of the act referred to are substantially reenacted

Section 6 CONSTITUTIONALITY The provisions of this act shall be severable and if any of its provisions are held to be unconstitutional the decision of the court shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted by the general assembly had such unconstitutional provisions not been included therein

Section 7 LEGISLATION ACCORDING TO CLASS The affairs of counties are herein and shall hereafter be legislated for and regulated by general laws applicable to all counties or to particular classes as herein fixed and appointed All laws adopted by the general assembly for one or more of the classes herein fixed and appointed shall be deemed to be general laws

Section 8 PROCEEDINGS FOR RECOVERY OF PENALTIES Unless herein otherwise specially provided in every

case in which any pecuniary penalty or forfeiture is imposed by this act the proceeding for the recovery of the same shall be by indictment in the court of quarter sessions or by civil action as debts of equivalent amount are by law recoverable Aldermen or justices of the peace shall not have jurisdiction of any suit or action for the recovery of any penalty imposed by this act for official misconduct Such suit or action when brought in the court of common pleas shall have preference for trial over all other actions

ARTICLE II

ENUMERATION CORPORATE POWERS CLASSIFICATION AND TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF COUNTIES

(a) Division of the State into Counties Corporate Powers

Section 21 ENUMERATION OF COUNTIES The State shall be divided into the following named counties as now by law established to wit Philadelphia Bucks Chester Lancaster York Cumberland Berks Northampton Bedford Northumberland Westmoreland Washington Fayette Franklin Montgomery Dauphin Luzerne Huntingdon Allegheny Mifflin Delaware Lycoming Somerset Greene Wayne Adams Centre Beaver Butler Mercer Crawford Erie Warren Venango Armstrong Indiana Jefferson McKean Clearfield Potter Tioga Cambria Bradford Susquehanna Schuylkill Lehigh Lebanon Columbia Union Pike Perry Juniata Monroe Clarian Clinton Wyoming Carbon Elk Blair Sullivan Forest Lawrence Fulton Montour Snyder Cameron and Lackawanna

Section 22 GENERAL POWERS Each county shall have capacity as a body corporate to

(a) Sue and be sued by the name of the county of .....

(b) Take and hold real estate within its limits and also personal property Such real and personal estate shall be taken and held only for the benefit of inhabitants of the county and for such objects and purposes as county rates and levies are authorized by law to be laid for

(c) Make such contracts as may be necessary for carrying into execution the laws relating to counties

Section 23 VESTING OF CORPORATE POWER The corporate power of each county shall be vested in a board of county commissioners

Section 24 COUNTY SEAL Each county shall have a seal which shall be in the custody of the commissioners thereof The official acts of the commissioners shall be authenticated therewith There shall be engraved upon such seal the same device as is engraved on the great seal of the State together with the name of the county

(b) Classification

Section 31 COUNTIES DIVIDED INTO EIGHT CLASSES For the purposes of legislation and the regulation of their affairs counties of this Commonwealth now in existence and those hereafter erected shall be divided into eight classes as follows

Those having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants and over shall constitute the first class

Those having a population of eight hundred thousand and more but less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the second class

Those having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand and more but less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the third class

Those having a population of one hundred fifty thousand and more but less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fourth class

Those having a population of one hundred thousand and more but less than one hundred fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fifth class

Those having a population of fifty thousand and more but less than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the sixth class

Those having a population of twenty thousand and more but less than fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the seventh class

Those having a population of less than twenty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the eighth class

Section 32 ASCERTAINMENT AND CHANGE OF CLASS The classification of counties shall be ascertained and fixed according to their population by reference from time to time to the last preceding decennial United States census Whenever it shall appear by any such census that any county has attained a population entitling it to an advance in classification as herein prescribed it shall be the duty of the Governor under the great seal of this Commonwealth to certify that fact accordingly which certificate shall be forwarded to the recorder of deeds of the proper county and be recorded in his office

(c) Fixing and Relocating Lines and Boundaries

Section 36 COMMISSION TO SURVEY AND MARK LINE BETWEEN TWO ADJOINING COUNTIES If such petition of a taxpayer or of the commisisoners of any county presented to the court of quarter sessions of any two adjoining counties it shall appear to such courts that the county line between such counties or any part thereof should be surveyed and marked a commission of three surveyors to designate survey and mark the same shall be appointed

The respective courts of quarter sessions of such counties shall each appoint one surveyor and the two surveyors so appointed shall appoint one surveyor If any of the said surveyors so appointed shall refuse to serve remove from the State die resign or shall be incapacitated and unable from any cause to perform the duties required the appointment of substitutes shall be made in conformity with the provisions of this section for the original appointment of such surveyor

Section 37 COMPENSATION AND EXPENSES ASSISTANTS The surveyors composing such commission shall each receive a compensation of ten dollars per day for all time necessarily spent in the discharge of their duties and in addition thereto shall be reimbursed the necessary expenses paid by them respectively while engaged upon the work of such commission The commission may employ as assistants an axeman and two chain-carriers at a compensation of two dollars a day each who shall likewise be reimbursed the actual necessary expenses paid by them respectively while employed by such commission The necessary expenses of advertising the meeting of the commissioners pursuant to the direction of this act and in procuring and setting the monuments needful to mark in a permanent manner such county line and the expenses of the commission shall be paid by such counties jointly in equal parts upon presentation of properly itemized bills duly verified by affidavit of the person claiming payment or some one on his behalf

Section 38 OATH ORGANIZATION AND DUTIES The members of such commission shall take and subscribe an oath to perform their duties impartially and with fidelity Such commission shall meet and organize within two months of its appointment It shall select from its membership a chairman and also a secretary who shall keep a full record of the proceedings and work of the commission Before entering upon its duties it shall appoint by advertisement in not more than two newspapers published in each of said counties a time and place of meeting when and where parties interested shall be heard After such hearing it shall without unreasonable delay ascertain the location and survey and mark with suitable monuments of a permanent character the existing county line between such counties if it shall consider such old county line a proper one

Section 39 ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW COUNTY LINE When the commission has ascertained located and determined said line if it appears to it that the existing county line from any cause whatever has become inconvenient for any purpose or improper difficult to ascertain or not related to the natural or other land marks the commission shall report these facts or any of them to the courts of quarter sessions of the counties interested with a recommendation that a new county line be established in whole or in part Thereupon if said courts of quarter sessions shall be of opinion that it is to the interest and advantage of the respective counties that a new county line be established they may direct said commission to fix and determine such new county line and to mark the same with suitable monuments Notice shall be given to the owners of all lands which will be affected by the proposed change of the time when the recommendation of the commission for a new county line will be considered by each of said courts

Section 40 REPORT OF COMMISSION The commission or a majority thereof shall make a report in writing and attach thereto a map or draft showing the courses and distances of the line ascertained and designated by them as the existing county line or where they may have been directed

to fix and determine a new county line such map or draft in lieu thereof shall show the courses and distances of such new county line In either case said map or draft shall also show the lands through which said line passes and the buildings in close proximity thereto together with the roads and streams crossed by or near to such line Duplicate copies of such report and map signed by the members of the commission or a majority of them shall be filed in the court of quarter sessions of each of such counties and if approved by such courts shall be ordered recorded in the records thereof The line so ascertained surveyed and fixed and so marked shall thenceforth be the boundary line between such counties The clerk of the court of quarter sessions shall certify the approval of the court on one of the copies of the report and map filed in his office and immediately transmit the same by mail to the Secretary of Internal Affairs to be by him deposited in his department

Section 41 PROCEDURE FOR TRANSFER OF PORTION OF ONE COUNTY TO ANOTHER Where a part of the county or a borough which constitutes a part of a county is so located that it is to the best interest of such part of a county or borough so located and of the inhabitants thereof and of the inhabitants of the adjoining county or city that such part of a county or borough be annexed to an adjoining county the court of quarter sessions of the county wherein such part of borough is then situate may on petition decree such alterations of the boundaries of the county as shall be for the best interest of the inhabitants aforesaid and of the inhabitants of the adjoining county or city The term "part of county" as used in this act shall not include an area greater than two hundred and fifty acres nor an area containing a population of over two thousand inhabitants

Section 42 CONTENTS OF PETITION The petition shall not be considered unless it shall

(1) Be signed by not less than two-thirds of the qualified electors of the part of the county or borough so located and

(2) Be signed by not less than two-thirds in number and interest of the owners of real estate in such part of a county or borough the valuation to be as shown by the triennial assessment for county purposes last preceding the presentation of the petition The owners of an undivided interest shall be regarded as one person

(3) Be verified as to the genuineness of the signatures by a qualified elector of the county

Section forty-three was read as follows:

Section 43 NOTICE HEARING When the petition is presented the court shall fix a day for hearing it and direct that notice of the presentation of the petition and of the day of hearing shall be given to the commissioners of the counties affected by the proposed change of boundaries If one of the counties affected is coterminous with a city the notice shall also be given to the council of the city The counties or city or both may file answers to said petition and if any city to which said part of a county or a borough would be attached for municipal and school purposes answers that by ordinance it has taken action against the change of said boundary the proceedings shall be dismissed by the court On the day fixed for hearing or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit the court shall hear all parties in interest and shall make such degree as to the court shall seem right and proper

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 43, page 17, line 13, by striking out the word "answeres" and insert in lieu thereof "answers."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 44 to 211, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 44 APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR When the court decrees an alteration of the boundaries of any such counties it shall appoint an auditor who shall conduct such hearings and make such investigations as the court may direct Notice of such hearings and investigations shall be given by the auditor as directed by the court When the auditor shall complete the hearings and investigations he shall report to the court

Section 45 REPORT OF AUDITOR The report of the auditor shall include

(1) The total assessed valuation of the subjects of taxation in the county from which a part is to be taken

(2) The total assessed valuation of the subjects of taxation in the part proposed to be taken from such county

(3) The total amount of indebtedness of the county from which a part is to be taken

(4) The value of all real property to be transferred from one county to another by reason of the alteration of boundaries

(5) An adjustment of the indebtedness and of the property of the counties affected by the alterattion of boundaries

(6) A form of decree altering the boundaries as aforesaid and adjusting the indebtedness of the counties affected

Section 46 PROCEEDINGS ON DECREE The decree shall be confirmed nisi by the court If exceptions are not filed thereto within ten days from the date of the decree or if an appeal therefrom is not taken within ten days the decree shall be absolute It shall thereupon be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the counties affected by the change Upon such recording the boundaries of the respective counties shall be fixed according to the decrees The decree absolute shall be enforced as decrees in equity are enforced

Section 47 TRANSFER OF TERRITORY TO OTHER COUNTY Where county boundaries are changed as hereinbefore provided and a part of a county or a borough becomes part of another county if the county to which said part of a county or borough is transferred constitutes a city the part or borough so transferred shall become a part of the city and be subject to the government of the city and the local government theretofore existing shall cease and the property and assets of such local government or of the school district thereof shall become the property and assets of the city and the city school district to which it is attached

ARTICLE III

COUNTY OFFICERS

(a) General Provisions

Section 51 ENUMERATION OF ELECTED OFFICERS In each county there shall be the following officers elected by the qualified electors of the county (a) three county commissioners (b) three auditors or in all counties where the office of auditor has heretofore or shall hereafter be abolished one controller (c) one treasurer (d) one county surveyor (e) one coroner (f) one recorder of deeds (g) one prothonotary (h) one clerk of the court of quarter sessions and of the court of oyer and terminer (i) one clerk of the orphans' court (j) one register of wills (k) one sheriff (l) one district attorney and (m) two jury commissioners All such offices shall remain as now constituted in each county

All such officers shall be elected at the municipal election next preceding the expiration of the terms of the officers now in office and quadrennially thereafter and shall hold their offices for a term of four years from the first Monday of January next after their election and until their successors shall be duly qualified This section does not create any office in any county where such office does not now exist

Section 52 INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES No county officer shall at the same time serve as a member of council of any city borough or town nor as school director of any school district

No member of Congress from this state nor any person holding or exercising any office or appointment of trust or profit under the United States shall at the same time hold

or exercise any county office in this state to which a salary fee or perquisites are attached

Section 53 OATH OF OFFICE All county officers their deputies assistants and clerks shall before entering on the duties of their respective offices or employments take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support obey and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this Commonwealth and that I will discharge the duties of my office (or employment) with fidelity that I have not paid or contributed or promised to pay or contribute either directly or indirectly any money or other valuable thing to procure my nomination or election (or appointment) except for necessary and proper expenses expressly authorized by law that I have not knowingly violated any election law of this Commonwealth or procured it to be done by others in my behalf that I will not knowingly receive directly or indirectly any money or other valuable thing for the performance or non-performance of any act or duty pertaining to my office (or employment) other than the compensation allowed by law"

The foregoing oath shall be administered by some person authorized to administer oaths and shall be filed in the office of the prothonotary of the county in which the same is taken Any person refusing to take said oath or affirmation shall forfeit his office and any person who shall be convicted of having sworn or affirmed falsely or of having violated said oath or affirmation shall be guilty of perjury and be forever disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit within this Commonwealth

Section 54 OFFICIAL BONDS The sureties to be furnished on the bonds of all county officers and of all deputies clerks and assistants required by this or any other act of assembly to give bond to the county shall be one or more surety companies authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania which have been approved by the Insurance Commissioner of the Commonwealth The premiums for such bonds shall be paid out of the county treasury Such bonds shall be approved by the court of common pleas Each of said bonds shall be conditioned for the faithful discharge by such officer his deputies and appointees of all trusts confided in him and of all duties required of him by law for the faithful accounting and payment according to law of all money received by him and shall be taken in the name of the proper county and shall be for the use of the county and of the Commonwealth and for the use of such other party or parties for whom he shall collect or receive money as the interest of each shall appear in case of a breach of the conditions thereof The custody of each of said bonds shall belong to the county controller except the bond of the county controller the custody of which shall belong to the county commissioners In counties where the office of controller has not been established the custody of all bonds belong to the county commissioners except the bond of the commissioners and their chief clerk the custody of which shall belong to the prothonotary A copy of any of said bonds certified by the county controller or of the chief clerk to the county commissioners or by the prothonotary as the case may be shall be competent evidence thereof in any judicial proceeding Nothing herein contained shall affect the bonds required by law to be given by any county officer to the Commonwealth

Section 55 OFFICERS TO HAVE COMMISSIONS RECORDED It shall be the duty of every county officer receiving a commission from the Governor immediately after receiving such commission to deliver the same to the recorder of deeds by whom the same shall be recorded at the expense of such officer No such officer shall execute any of the duties of the office to which he has been elected or appointed until after said commission has been so left for recording

Section 56 OFFICES RECORDS AND PAPERS TO BE KEPT AT COUNTY SEAT The commissioners auditors controller treasurer sheriff recorder of deeds prothonotary clerk of courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer clerk of the orphans' court register of wills recorder of deeds and district attorney shall keep their respective offices and all public records and papers belonging thereto at the county seat and in such building as may be erected or appropriated for such purpose under a penalty in each case of five hundred dollars to be recovered by action of debt one-half thereof to be paid to the treasurer of the county to be applied by him to the payment of the erection or repairs of such buildings and the other half thereof to be for the use of him who shall first sue for the penalty The county commissioners shall furnish each of such officers with an office in the county building or other building at the county seat

Section 57 OFFICE FURNITURE STATIONERY ET CETERA The county commissioners shall at the cost of the county furnish the office furniture equipment and supplies blank books blanks dockets books for records stationery postage fuel light and janitor and telephone service required for each of the county officers whose offices are located in the county buildings or at such other places at the county seat as may be designated by the court and all supplies used by the public in connection with such offices

Section 58 OFFICERS TO SECURE RECORDS BOOKS ET CETERA FROM PREDECESSORS All persons elected or appointed to any county office shall demand and receive all records books drafts plans papers seals or other official documents belonging to such office from the person or persons who held the office immediately before his election or appointment or from the heirs executors or administrators of such person

Every person detaining from any person duly commissioned to any office any records books drafts plans papers seals or other documents belonging to such office after reasonable demand therefor is made shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to undergo imprisonment until such records books drafts plans papers seals or other documents so found to be in his her or their possession shall be delivered to the proper officer or until sooner discharged by order of the court and to pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars one-half to be paid to the officer from whom the documents were detained and the other half to the use of the county

Section 59 DEPUTIES TO ACT IN CERTAIN CASES Whenever any county officer is authorized or required to appoint a deputy or deputies such deputy or principal deputy where there are more than one shall during the necessary or temporary absence of his principal perform all the duties of such principal and also in case of a vacancy until a successor is qualified except in the case of a vacancy in the office of Sheriff where the coroner shall act as hereinafter provided

No person temporarily succeeding to any county office by reason of the death or removal of the duly elected or appointed officer shall execute any of the duties of such office until he has first taken oath and filed the bond required of the principal officer

Section 60 VACANCIES NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR In case of a vacancy happening by death resignation or otherwise in any county office created by the Constitution or laws of this Commonwealth and where no other provision is made by said Constitution or by the provisions of this act to fill said vacancy it shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint a suitable person to fill such office who shall continue therein and discharge the duties thereof until the first Monday of January next succeeding the first municipal election which shall occur three or more months after the happening of such vacancy Such appointee shall be confirmed by the Senate if in session

Section 61 COUNTY OFFICIALS TO FURNISH INFORMATION TO HEADS OF THE GOVERNMENTAL DEPARTMENTS It shall be the duty of all county officers to furnish on application therefor to the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth such information and copies of such records or documents contained in their respective offices as in the opinion of such head of department may be necessary or pertinent to the work of his respective department The officer so furnishing information shall receive for his services in copying and forwarding the same such reasonable compensation as the Auditor General may determine Such compensation shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of moneys not otherwise appropriated upon warrant from the Auditor General

All county officers shall also furnish such information as may be requested by the Chief of the Bureau of Municipalities of the Department of Internal Affairs or his duly authorized deputy

Section 62 PENALTY FOR NEGLECT OR REFUSAL TO PERFORM DUTIES If any county officer neglects or refuses to perform any duty imposed on him by the provisions of this act or by the provisions of any other act of assembly or by any rule of court or other provisions of law he shall for each such neglect or refusal be guilty of a misdemeanor and

on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars

Section 63 ABSCONDING OFFICERS The office of any county officer absconding from the county shall be vacant to all intents and purposes

Section 64 COMMISSIONERS TREASURER AND CONTROLLER NOT TO BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS It is unlawful for any county commissioner treasurer or controller to be in any wise either directly or indirectly personally interested in any contract to which the county is a party or in the construction of any public work or improvement made or undertaken under the authority of the county commissioners or to receive any reward or gratuity from any person so interested Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) and shall by decree of the court be removed from office

(b) State Associations

1 Commissioners Solicitors and Chief Clerks

Section 71 ORGANIZATION ANNUAL MEETINGS PURPOSE The county commissioners together with the county solicitor and chief clerk to the county commissioners of each county are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State Association with the authority to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the Commonwealth as they may designate for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in the discharge of their duties and for the purpose of providing for a uniform and economical method of administering the affairs of the respective counties

Section 72 EXPENSES TO BE PAID BY COUNTY TIME LIMIT ON MEETINGS The actual expenses of the county commissioners county solicitor and chief clerk attending such meeting of said State Association including traveling expenses and hotel bills actually paid by them expenses of committees together with the necessary expenses of the convention including printing and the employment of stenographers shall be paid by the various counties by orders drawn on the County Treasurer The time spent in attending said meetings shall not be more than four days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expenses herein mentioned as the necessary expenses of the convention shall not be more than fifty dollars to any county per annum

(2) County Controllers

Section 76 FORMATION AUTHORIZED PURPOSE County controllers may form a State Association of county controllers and may hold meetings thereof for the purpose of discussing the various questions which arise in the discharge of their duties and for such other purposes as will conduce to greater efficiency in their respective offices

Section 77 MEETINGS The association of county controllers may meet at the same time and place as the State Association of County Commissioners solicitors and chief clerks and may meet in joint session with them if mutually agreed upon It shall however have a separate session on at least two days of the annual meeting

Section 78 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS LENGTH OF MEETINGS EXPENSES Each controller or deputy controller and the solicitor to the controller shall be allowed his expenses actually and necessarily incurred in going to attending and returning from the annual meeting of the association The time spent in attending the meeting exclusive of the time employed in traveling shall not exceed four days These expenses shall be paid by the respective counties The expenses of the annual meeting of the association including printing committee expenses and stenographers shall be paid by the counties having controllers but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars per annum for each county in addition to the traveling expenses hereinbefore provided for

3 Sheriffs

Section 81 FORMATION OF STATE ASSOCIATION AUTHORIZED The sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State Association with power to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the State as they may designate for the purpose of securing more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and improving their service to the public

Section 82 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS LENGTH OF MEETINGS EXPENSES Except in counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes each sheriff or deputy sheriff or solicitor representing any sheriff shall be allowed all reasonable expenses including hotel bills and traveling expenses actually incurred in going to attending and returning from any annual meeting of the Association which shall be paid by the county of which he is an officer by orders drawn on the treasurer thereof The time spent in attending such meeting shall not be more than three days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expense of the annual meetings of the Association including any necessary amount for printing committee meetings and stenographic service shall except in counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes be paid by the proper counties but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars for each county the sheriff of which is a member of said association in any county of the sixth seventh or eighth class the sheriff of which may be a member of said association the county commissioners may allow like expenses to such sheriff or his representative for attending any such annual meeting and may join with the other counties aforesaid in sharing the expenses of such meetings to the extent aforesaid

4 District Attorneys

Section 86 FORMATION PURPOSE The district attorneys of the several counties of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State association with the authority to hold meetings at such times and places within the Commonwealth as they may designate not to exceed one meeting in each year for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in the discharge of their duties and for the purpose of providing for a uniform and economical method of administering the affairs of their respective offices

Section 87 EXPENSES TIME LIMIT The actual expenses of the district attorneys attending such meetings of said State association including traveling expenses and hotel bills actually paid by them shall be paid by the various counties out of the county funds by orders drawn on the county treasury The time spent in attending such meetings shall not be more than two days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom

5 Probation Officers

Section 91 ATTENDANCE ON STATE ASSOCIATION OR CONFERENCE OF PROBATION AND PAROLE The probation officers of the several counties of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized as a part of their official duties to attend the annual meeting of the State Association or Conference of Probation and Parole for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in connection with the work of their official positions and ascertaining uniform and economical methods of administering their work

Section 92 EXPENSES MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION The actual expenses of the said probation officers in attending the said annual meeting including traveling and hotel expenses actually paid by them together with a membership subscription in said association or conference said subscription not exceeding five dollars per annum shall be paid by the county treasurer upon warrant of the county commissioners in the same manner as is provided for the payment of the compensation and expenses of such officers

6 Registers of Wills

Section 95 FORMATION PURPOSE The registers of wills of the several counties of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselve into a State association with power to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the State as they may designate for the purpose of securing more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and improving their service to the public

Section 96 EXPENSES TIME LIMIT Each register of wills or deputy register of wills or person representing any register of wills shall be allowed all reasonable expenses including hotel bills and traveling expenses actually incurred going to attending and returning from any annual meeting of the association but not in excess of fifty dollars in any one year which shall be paid by the county of which he or she is an officer by order

drawn on the treasurer thereof The time spent in attending such meetings shall not be more than three days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expenses of the annual meeting of the association including any necessary amount for printing committee meetings and stenographic services shall be paid by the proper counties but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars for each county the register of will of which is a member of said association

(c) Commissioners

Section 101 ELECTION VACANCIES Three county commissioners shall be elected in each county in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and every fourth year thereafter In the election of commissioners each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons The three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected Any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioners shall be filled for the balance of the unexpired term by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur by the appointment of an elector of the county who voted for the commissioner whose place is to be filled

Section 102 BOND OF COMMISSIONERS The county commissioners shall before entering upon their official duties each give bond for the faithful discharge of all duties enjoined upon them by law and for the faithful and legal appropriation of all county and other moneys which said commissioners have any authority to draw out of the county treasury upon checks or orders given by them or over which they have control Such bonds shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds of the county Except in counties of the second class the amount of such bonds shall be fixed by the court of common pleas at such sum as the court shall deem sufficient not less than two thousand dollars each In counties of the second class the amount of such bonds shall be ten thousand dollars each

Section 103 ELIGIBILITY No county commissioner shall be eligible to serve as member of the board of health during his continuance in office

Section 104 ORGANIZATION The county commissioners shall meet on the first Monday of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and on the first Monday of January every fourth year thereafter in the office provided for them at the county seat for the purpose of organization

Section 105 QUORUM Two of the commissioners shall form a board for the transaction of business and when convened in pursuance of notice or according to adjournment shall be competent to perform all the duties appertaining to the office of county commissioners

Section 106 CERTIFIED COPIES OF PROCEEDINGS TO BE EVIDENCE Copies of the proceedings of the commissioners and of all records in their possession certified by their chief clerk under the county seal shall be admitted in evidence in any of the courts within this Commonwealth

Section 107 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The commissioners shall respectively have power to administer oaths and affirmations in all cases arising in the performance of the duties of their office

Section 108 EXPENSES The county commissioners shall be allowed their expenses necessarily incurred and actually paid in the discharge of their official duties or in the performance of any service office or duty imposed upon county commissioners

Section 109 CHIEF CLERK The county commissioners shall appoint a chief clerk who shall hold his office for a term of four years In case of a vacancy by death resignation or removal for cause his successor shall serve for the unexpired time for which he was appointed The chief clerk shall enter into a bond for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum as may be designated by the Commissioners He shall receive such salary as the salary board or the county commissioners in counties where there is no salary board shall determine

Section 110 DUTIES AND POWERS OF CHIEF CLERK The chief clerk shall keep the books and accounts of the board of county commissioners record and file their proceedings and papers attest all orders and warrants issued by them and perform all other duties pertaining to his office as chief clerk He shall have general power ot administer oaths and affirmations pertaining to the business of the commissioner's office

(d) Auditors

Section 121 ELECTION AND VACANCIES In each county where the office of controller has not been established three county auditors shall be elected in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and every fourth year thereafter In the election of auditors each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons The three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected Any casual vacancy in the office of county auditors shall be filled for the balance of the unexpired term by the court of common pleas of the county by the appointment of an elector who voted for the auditor whose place is to filled

Section 122 ELIGIBILITY No person shall be eligible to the office of county auditor who within two years shall have been treasurer of the county No person holding the office of county auditor shall at the same time be county treasurer

Section 123 MEETINGS QUORUM The auditors shall assemble at the county seat on the first Monday of January in each year and at such times as they may find necessary for the performance of the duties required of them by law Any two auditors when duly convened shall be a quorum for the purpose of transacting any businesss

Section 124 COUNSEL COMPENSATION The auditors may employ a competent attorney-at-law to act as their counsel and attorney Such attorney shall be paid out of the funds of the county such reasonable compensation for his services as the board of auditors and the president judge of the court of common pleas may approve

(e) Controller

Section 131 ELECTION AND TERM At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the controller now in office and quadrennially thereafter the qualified electors of each county of the second third fourth and fifth classes and of every other county where the office of controller has been or may hereafter be established shall elect one citizen of the county who shall serve as controller for the term of four years from the first Monday of January following his election or until his successor shall be qualified if he so long shall behave himself well

Section 132 ELIGIBILITY No person holding office under the United States shall be eligible to the office of county controller during his continuance in such office nor until one year thereafter The county commissioners county treasurer prothonotary register of will clerk of the courts recorder of deeds sheriff and district attorney and their chief clerks or deputies shall be ineligible during their continuance in such office and for two years thereafter to the office of county controller The controller shall always be eligible to re-election or appointment

Section 133 BOND OF CONTROLLER Before entering on the duties of his office the controller shall give bond to the county for which he is appointed or elected in the sum of fifty thousand dollars in counties of the second class and twenty thousand dollars in all other counties conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties and those of his deputy

Section 134 DEPUTY CONTROLLER AND CLERKS The controller shall appoint a deputy controller and may appoint one or more of the clerks employed in his office to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons pertaining to the business of the office with the same force and effect as if administered by the controller or deputy controller

Section 135 SOLICITOR TO THE CONTROLLER The county controller may designate and appoint one persons learned in the law to act as his solicitor Such solicitor shall advise upon all such legal matters as may be submitted to him and shall conduct any litigation desired by the county controller He shall hold office at the pleasure of the controller He shall receive such salary as may be fixed by law or by the salary board

Section 136 ESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICE OF CONTROLLER BY DECREE OF COURT IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH SEVENTH and EIGHTH CLASSES The office of controller may be established in any county of the sixth seventh or eighth class by petition to the court of common pleas of such county of twenty-five per centum of the number of electors who voted at the general or municipal election as the case may be next preceding the date of such petition The petition shall include the signatures of a majority of

the board of county commissioners the clerk of the courts coroner county treasurer prothonotary recorder of deeds and register of wills of the county Upon presentation of such petition the court shall direct that at the next municipal election and quadriennially thereafter the electors of such county shall choose a citizen of the county for the office of controller in place of the county auditors Such person shall serve for a term of four years or until his successor is qualified if he shall so long behave himself well Upon the filing of such decree the prothonotary shall transmit certified copies thereof to the county commissioners the sheriff and to the Governor Upon receipt thereof the sheriff shall give at least thirty days public notice by proclamation in addition to any other notice required by law Such proclamation shall be printed three times in every newspaper of general circulation in the county and shall contain a notice that a citizen of said county is to be elected at the next ensuing municipal election for the office of county controller Such controller shall be nominated and elected in compliance with the provisions of the general election laws

Section 137 APPOINTMENT BY GOVERNOR DUTIES OF AUDITORS ABOLITION OF OFFICE OF AUDITOR Whenever the office of controller is established in any county under the provisions of the preceding section of this act or by change in class of such county the Governor shall appoint a suitable person to act as controller of said county until his successor in office is duly elected and installed Upon the appointment of a controller as provided in this section the county auditors then in office shall proceed to audit all accounts as is now or may hereafter be required by law and shall file a report of such audit with the controller so appointed not later than three months after the controller assumes his office whereupon the said office of county auditor shall be abolished and cease to exist in said county

(f) Treasurer

Section 141 ELECTION OF COUNTY TREASURER At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the county treasurer in office in any county and quadriennially thereafter the qualified electors of each county shall elect a suitable person to serve as county treasurer for a term of four years and who shall enter upon the duties of his office on the first Monday of January next after his election and perform all the duties enjoined by law on the several county treasurers of this Commonwealth The election shall be held and returns of election made in the manner prescribed by law in the case of county commissioners and the validity of the election or return be subject to like trial and examination in case of a contest

Section 142 ELIGIBILITY No judge clerk or prothonotary of any court register of wills recorder of deeds county commissioner county controller or county auditor shall be eligible to serve as county treasurer during their continuance in office No county treasurer shall be eligible for the term next succeeding the one for which he may be elected

Section 143 BOND Each county treasurer shall before entering upon the duties of his office give bond conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of his office for a just account of all moneys that may come into his hands on behalf of the county for the delivery to his successor in office of all books papers documents and other things held in right of his office and for the payment to him of any balance of money belonging to the county remaining in his hands The amount of such bond in counties of the second class shall be two hundred thousand dollars In all other counties the amount thereof shall be fixed by the county commissioners In the event that the treasurer and commissioners take office at the same time the amount of the treasurer's bond shall be fixed by the new board of commissioners

Section 144 REMOVAL FROM OFFICE If the county commissioners believe the county treasurer is embezzling wasting using or improperly managing the public moneys committed to his charge they may petition the court of quarter sessions setting forth the facts complained of If the court believes said complaint well founded it shall make an order for the removal of such treasurer from office

Section 145 BOND IN FAVOR OF COMMONWEALTH Each county treasurer shall also before entering upon the duties of his office give bond with sufficient security to be approved of by at least two of the judges if there is more than one judge of the court of quarter sessions in the county and in such penalty as the said judges shall deem sufficient conditioned for the faithful discharge of all duties enjoined upon him by law in behalf of the Commonwealth and for the payment according to law of all moneys received by him for the use of the Commonwealth which bond shall be taken by and acknowledged before the recorder of deeds of the same county and recorded in his office at the cost of the county treasurer and the original bond shall be forthwith transmitted to the Auditor General

Copies of the record of such bond duly certified by the recorder of deeds for the time being shall be good evidence in any action brought against such treasurer or his sureties on such bond according to its form and effect in the same manner as the original would be if produced and offered in evidence

Section 146 REMOVAL FROM OFFICE FOR FAILURE TO TRANSMIT BOND TO AUDITOR GENERAL APPOINTMENT TO FILL VACANCY If any county treasurer shall fail to transmit to the Auditor General within one month after his appointment the bond required by this act to be given by him for the use of the Commonwealth the Auditor General shall give notice thereof to the county commissioners who shall forthwith proceed to remove such treasurer from office in the manner provided by section one hundred and forty-four

Section 147 WHEN AUDITOR GENERAL TO DELIVER UP BOND OF TREASURER It shall be the duty of the Auditor General at the request of any person who may be authorized for that purpose to deliver up the bonds and obligations entered into by the county treasurers of the several counties of the State for the faithful performance of their duties after the Auditor General and State Treasurer shall be fully satisfied that the said county treasurer has settled his accounts and paid all demands due the Commonwealth Provided Such bond shall be held by the Auditor General one year after the settlement of said accounts

Section 148 MISAPPLICATION OF FUNDS COLLECTED FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES Whenever any moneys are collected by law in any county for any special purpose and paid into the hands of the treasurer of such county it shall be unlawful for such treasurer to apply such moneys or any part thereof to any other purpose than that for which such moneys were collected Every such misapplication shall be a misdemeanor upon conviction whereof such treasurer shall be punished by a fine of not less than the amount so misapplied and by imprisonment for not less than three months nor more than one year

Section 149 DEPUTY IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES That the county treasurer in counties of the second class is hereby authorized to appoint in lieu of a chief clerk a deputy county treasurer who shall perform such duties as shall be prescribed by the county treasurer. The salary of the deputy county treasurer shall be fixed by the salary board and shall be paid by the county from the county treasury in the manner provided by law

Section 150 COMPENSATION IN CERTAIN COUNTIES In counties where no annual salary is fixed by law for the county treasurer he shall receive in full compensation for his services on behalf of the county a certain amount per centum on all moneys received and paid by him which rate shall be settled from time to time by the county commissioners with the approbation of the county auditors

(g) Solicitor

Section 151 APPOINTMENT QUALIFICATIONS TERM COMPENSATION The county commissioners may appoint a county solicitor who shall be an attorney at law admitted and qualified to practice in the courts of this Commonwealth He shall hold his office during the term of the commissioners appointing him and except where otherwise provided by law shall receive such compensation as the commissioners may determine He shall before entering upon the duties of his office file with the county commissioners an agreement to pay all fees attorney's fees and commissions received from every source as county solicitor into the county treasury.

Section 152 DUTIES He shall commence and prosecute all suits brought or to be brought by the county wherein or whereby any rights privileges properties claims or demands of the county are involved as well as defend all actions or suits brought against the county and shall perform all duties now

enjoined by law upon county solicitors and shall do all and every professional act incident to the office which may be required of him by the commissioners

Section 153 STENOGRAPHER In counties of the third class the county solicitor may with the consent of the county commissioners employ a stenographer as an assistant in his office who shall receive such salary as may be fixed according to law

(h) Surveyor

Section 160 ELECTION OF COUNTY SURVEYOR The qualified voters of each county shall at the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the county surveyor then in office and quadrennially thereafter elect one competent person being a practical surveyor to act as county surveyor for the proper county for a term of four years

Section 161 QUALIFICATIONS DUTIES AND COMPENSATION VACANCIES The county surveyor shall be a practical surveyor and shall do and perform all the duties and have and receive all the emoluments formerly pertaining to the respective deputies of the surveyor-general

Any vacancy occasioned by death resignation removal or otherwise shall be filled by the court of quarter sessions by the appointment of a competent person being a practical surveyor to fill such vacancy during the balance of the unexpired term

Section 162 REMOVAL BY COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS The courts of quarter sessions of the respective counties shall have power on cause shown to remove the county surveyor for neglect refusal incompetency or inability to perform the duties of his office and shall also remove him upon his conviction of any infamous crime or misdemeanor

(i) Engineer

Section 166 APPOINTMENT TERM COMPENSATION The county commissioners of any county may appoint a registered professional engineer who shall be styled the county engineer Such engineer shall serve for a term of four years and shall receive such compensation as the county commissioners shall fix

Section 167 DUTIES The county engineer shall prepare plans specifications and estimates of all engineering work undertaken by the county and shall whenever required furnish the commissioners with reports information or estimates on any such work and in general shall perform all such duties with reference to any county engineering work as the county commissioners may from time to time prescribe

(j) Board of Viewers

Section 171 NUMBER OF MEMBERS QUALIFICATION The board of viewers in counties of the second class shall consist of not less than six nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be learned in the law and members of the bar of the county In each county of the third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes said board shall consist of not less than three nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be surveyors or members of the bar of the county The judges of the court of common pleas shall in each case determine within the aforesaid limits the total number of members of which the board shall be composed fixing and determining such number as shall be deemed necessary for the proper performance of the duties imposed upon the board The court may also from time to time change the total number of members within above limits

Section 172 QUALIFICATIONS Each member of the board of viewers must be at least twenty-five years of age must be a freeholder must be a qualified elector of the county must have resided therein for five years immediately prior to his appointment and must not be engaged in any public employment of profit The office of any member of the board shall be vacant immediately upon his ceasing to be a resident of the county in which he was appointed or upon his ceasing to possess any of the qualifications above required The court of common pleas shall from time to time determine summarily any facts thus bringing about a vacancy in the office.

Section 173 APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS VACANCIES The members of the board of viewers shall be appointed by the judges of the court of common please all vacancies happening from any cause shall be filled by appointment by the judges of the court of common pleas In counties having more than one court of common pleas the judges of all courts of common pleas shall meet as a body and shall make such appointment In judicial districts which comprise more than one county such appointment for each county shall be made by the judge or judges of the judicial district in which said county is situate

Section 174 TERM OF OFFICE REMOVAL Each of the members of the board of viewers shall be appointed for a term of three years from the date of his appointment whether such appointment be to fill an original or partly expired term Members may be reappointed from time to time when vacancies occur All appointments shall be subject to the power of the court of common pleas at any time for causes to them satisfactory to remove members of said board before the expiration of their respective term of office and to appoint successors

Section 175 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS Any member of any board of viewers shall have general power to administer oaths and affirmations to other viewers of the same county to witness before them and to other persons pertaining to the business and duties of the board of viewers

Section 176 CLERKS AND STENOGRAPHERS The board of viewers may employ such stenographers and clerical asisstants and at such salaries as shall be authorized by the salary board or by the county commissioners in counties where there is no salary board

(k) Sheriff and Coroner

1 Sheriff

Section 180 ELECTION OF SHERIFF At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of office of the sheriff of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a sheriff who shall hold office for a term of four years from the first Monday of January succeeding such election and until his successor is elected and qualified

Section 181 NOT ELIGIBLE TO SUCCEED HIMSELF No sheriff shall be eligible for the term next succeeding the one for which he was elected

Section 182 RECOGNIZANCES Every sheriff whether elected or appointed to fill a vacancy before he is commissioned or executes any of the duties of his office shall enter into a recognizance and become bound in a bond with at least two sufficient sureties in the sums and manner hereafter mentioned The form of such recognizance shall be as follows to wit You (A B C D and E F) do acknowledge that you owe unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the sum of.... ..... to be levied and made of your several goods and chattels lands and tenements upon condition that if you (A B) shall and do without delay and according to law well and truly serve and execute all writs and process of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to you directed and shall and do from time to time upon request to you for that purpose made well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the several suitors and parties interested in the execution of such writs and process their lawful attorneys factors agents or assigns all and every sum and sums of money to them respectively belonging which shall come to your hands and shall and do from time to time and at all times during your continuance in the office of sheriff of the County of... ..... well and faithfully execute and perform all and singular the trusts and duties to the said office lawfully appertaining then this recognizance to be void or else to be and remain in full force and virtue

Such recognizance shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds and shall continue to be a lien on the real estate owned by the sheriff at the date of said recognizance for the term of ten years from said date The expiration of the lien of any sheriff's recognizance upon the real estate owned by him shall not release such sheriff his administrator or executor from liability to answer any claim which may be established for damages occasioned by official delinquency or misconduct of said sheriff

Section 183 FORM OF SHERIFF'S BOND The form of the bond to be given by the sheriff and his sureties shall be as follows to wit "Know all men by these presents that we (A B C D and E F) are held firmly bound into the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in the sum of .....dollars to be paid to the said Commonwealth for the uses intents and purposes declared and appointed by law to which payment well

and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals dated.....day of..... .....Anno Domini..... The conditions of the above obligation is such that if the said (A B) shall and do without delay according to law well and truly serve and execute all writs and process of the said Commonwealth to him directed and shall and do from time to time upon request to him for that purpose made well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the several suitors and parties interested in the execution of such writs or process their lawful attorney factors agents or assigns all and every sum and sums of money to them respectively belonging which shall come to his hands and shall and do from time to time and at all times during his continuance in the said office well and faithfully execute and perform all and every of the trusts and duties to the said office appertaining then this obligation to be void or else to be and remain in full force and virtue"

Section 184 AMOUNT OF SHERIFF'S BOND The recognizance and bond of the sheriff of the several counties shall be taken in the following sums

Counties of the second class sixty thousand dollars

Counties of the third class fifteen thousand dollars

Counties of the fourth class sixty thousand dollars

Counties of the fifth class twenty-five thousand dollars

Counties of the sixth class twenty-five thousand dollars

Counties of the seventh class having a population of more than thirty thousand fifteen thousand dollars

Counties of the seventh class having a population of less than thirty thousand ten thousand dollars

Counties of the eighth class having a population of more than ten thousand ten thousand dollars

Counties of the eighth class having a population of less than ten thousand eight thousand dollars

Section 185 UNFINISHED BUSINESS It shall be the duty of every outgoing sheriff in any county to hand over to his successor in office all unfinished and unexecuted writs and process whatsoever whose duty it shall be to receive and execute the same as if said writs and process had been originally issued and directed to him as well as to carry out and complete all other official acts of his predecessor

Whenever any real estate shall be sold under any execution by a sheriff and the officer who shall make the sale shall die resign or be removed from office or if the term of his office shall expire before any deed shall be executed and acknowledged by him in due form of law for such real estate his successor in office shall have the same power and be under the same duty to execute a deed for such real estate to the purchaser thereof as the sheriff selling such real estate under execution if he were still in office which deed so executed shall be as effectual in law as if the title had been completed by the former sheriff

No court order shall be necessary in any event to authorize an incoming sheriff to carry out his duties as prescribed by this act

Section 186 SHERIFF MAY ACT BY DEPUTY Whenever the sheriff is or shall be required by law to act in person under any writ or inquisition condemnation inquiry of damages lunacy or habitual drunkard proceedings partition proceedings or by virtue of any other writ or process issued by the courts of this Commonwealth the said sheriff may act either in person or by a regularly appointed deputy sheriff

Section 187 CHIEF DEPUTY The sheriff of each county shall appoint by deed duly recorded in the office for recording deeds a chief deputy whose appointment shall be revocable at pleasure on recording in said office a written revocation thereof The chief deputy during his continuance in office shall have full power and authority to perform any duty incumbent upon such sheriff with like effect in law as if such official act had been done by the sheriff in person regardless of the ability or temporary disability of such sheriff to act while such sheriff continues in office Nothing in this section shall operate to relieve such sheriff or his sureties from liability upon their official bond

Section 188 SOLICITOR IN THIRD AND FOURTH CLASS COUNTIES In all counties of the third and fourth classes the sheriff may appoint one person learned in the law as his solicitor Said solicitor shall advise the sheriff upon all legal matters that may be submitted to him and shall conduct any litigation connected with the sheriff's office when requested so to do by the sheriff The solicitor shall hold office for the term for which the sheriff was elected The salary of such solicitor shall be fixed according to law and shall be paid by the county

Section 189 DEPUTIES AND CLERKS IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH CLASS The sheriff in counties of the sixth class may appoint such deputies and clerks as may be necessary to properly transact the business of his office and shall have power to discharge them from time to time The compensation of such deputies and clerks shall be fixed by the salary board

2 Coroner

Section 201 ELECTION BOND At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of office of the coroner of the county and quadriennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a coroner who shall hold office for a term of four years from the first Monday of January succeeding such election and until his successor is elected and qualified The coroner of each county whether elected or appointed to fill a vacancy before he is commissioned or executes any of the duties of his office shall enter into a recognizance and become bound in a bond in one-fourth of the sum required from the sheriff of the county Such bond shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds The condition of such bond shall be that the coroner will "well and truly perform all and singular the duties to the office of coroner appertaining" Such bond shall be a security to the Commonwealth and to all persons whomsoever for the faithful discharge and due performance of all the duties required by law from such coroner

Section 202 DEPUTIES The coroner may appoint one or more deputies to act in his place and stead as he may deem proper and necessary Such deputy or deputies shall have the same powers as the coroner In counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes such deputies shall receive the same fees as the coroner

Section 203 DUTIES WITH RESPECT TO COUNTY MORGUES The coroner of each county in which a county morgue has been or may hereafter be established shall make general rules and regulations for its government and control and shall appoint suitable persons for each morgue so established to have charge of the same and who shall be removable at the pleasure of the coroner The number of such persons and the salary of each shall be fixed by the salary board or in counties where there is no salary board by the county commissioners

Section 204 CORONER TO ACT AS SHERIFF IN CASE OF VACANCY If any sheriff shall be legally removed from his office or shall die before expiration of the term for which he was commissioned the coroner of the county shall execute the office of sheriff and perform all things thereunto appertaining until another sheriff is commissioned and notice thereof is given to such coroner

Section 205 VACANCIES If any person elected to the office of coroner shall neglect or refuse for the space of three months next after such election to assume the duties of said office and to comply with the requirements of the acts of assembly in such cases the office shall be vacant and it shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint and commission some suitable person to fill such vacancy during the remainder of the term No fees shall hereafter be charged on commissions issued to the coroner

3 General Provisions

Section 211 NOT TO EXERCISE OFFICE UNTIL COMMISSION GRANTED AND RECORDED PENALTY No person elected or appointed to the office of sheriff or coroner shall presume to execute any of the duties of such office before a commission shall have been duly granted to him and left for record under a penalty of imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months at the discretion of the court of quarter sessions Such person shall nevertheless be liable to any person injured by any acts done by him under color of such office

Section 212 was read as follows:

Section 212 REAL ESTATE OF SHERIFF AND CORONER AND THEIR SURETIES TO BE BOUND All the real estate within the county of a sheriff and coroner shall be bound by their recognizance taken in the manner aforesaid as effectually as by a judgment for the same amount in any court of record of such county It shall be the duty of the controller

or chief clerk of the county commissioners where there is no controller as soon as the bond of the sheriff or coroner is filed to certify the same to the prothonotary who shall enter the names of the parties thereto upon his docket in like manner as judgments are by law directed to be entered

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 212, page 56, line 8, by striking out the word "bond" and insert in lieu thereof "recognizance."

Amend section 212, page 56, by inserting between lines 11 and 18, the following paragraph:

"Every such recognizance entered into by a sheriff and coroner shall be taken by the recorder of deeds of the proper county and recorded in his office and when so recorded shall be by him transmitted to the Secretary of the Commonwealth with a certificate endorsed by such recorder of its having been duly recorded."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Section 213 was read as follows:

Section 213 SALE OF REAL ESTATE BOUND BY LIEN If the sheriff or coroner or any surety of such sheriff or coroner shall sell any real estate bound by the lien of any recognizance or bond as principal or surety therefor such sheriff or coroner or surety may present a petition to the court of common pleas accompanied by notice to his sureties or cosureties setting forth the fact of such sale and praying for a release of the lien of such recognizance and bond upon the real estate described in the petition The court being satisfied of the sufficiency of the sureties or the remaining sureties may release said lien upon such land The court may before it releases the lien upon such real estate approve of additional sureties to be added or substituted as such court shall deem necessary

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 213, page 57, line 4, by striking out the word "surities" and insert in lieu thereof "sureties."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 220 to 262, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

(1) Prothonotary Clerks of Courts Clerk of Orphans' Court Register of Wills and Recorder of Deeds

Section 220 ELECTION OF PROTHONOTARIES CLERKS OF COURTS CLERKS OF ORPHANS' COURTS REGISTER OF WILLS AND RECORDERS OF DEEDS At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of office of any prothonotary clerk of the court of quarter sessions clerk of the court of oyer and terminer register of will clerk of the orphans' court or recorder of deeds of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a person to fill such office from the first Monday of January next succeeding such election for a term of four years and until his successor is elected and qualified Where under the provisions of this act or existing law it is provided that two or more of said offices shall be held by the same person only one person shall be elected to hold such offices

Section 221 HOW OFFICES TO BE HELD In counties of the second third and fourth classes one person shall hold the office of prothonotary one person the office of clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions one person the offices of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person the office of recorder of deeds

In counties of the fifth class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary and clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions one person the offices of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person the office of recorder of deeds unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

In counties of the sixth and seventh class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary and clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions and one person the offices of register of wills recorder of deeds and clerk of the orphans' court unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

In counties of the eighth class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and general quarter sessions clerk of the orphans' court register of wills and recorder of deeds unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

This section does not repeal any of the provisions of section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the election of Prothonotaries Clerks Recorders and "Registers" nor any of the provisions of any other local law

Section 222 COUNTIES OF FORTY THOUSAND INHABITANTS CREATED SEPARATE JUDICIAL DISTRICTS In each county containing forty thousand inhabitants accepting the provisions of this section or which has heretofore accepted the provisions of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty-nine) entitled 'An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts under the Constitution, providing that said act shall be in effect only upon the acceptance thereof" and which heretofore have been or hereafter may be created separate and independent judicial districts under section five article five of the Constitution there shall be elected one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of the clerk of the courts of general and quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds at the expiration of the terms of the persons then filling and exercising such offices in such counties

Such acceptance of the provisions of this section shall be exercised by a decree of the court of common pleas of the county accepting the provisions thereof upon petition of the county commissioners of such county Such petition and decree shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county and in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth Any county which now elects the said county officers in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions thereof and in such counties no actual acceptance of the provisions hereof shall be necessary

Section 223 INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES No person shall be capable of holding and exercising at the same time the office of justice of the peace and that of prothonotary or clerk of the court Nor shall any prothonotary or clerk of any court practice as attorney or counsellor in the court of which he is prothonotary or clerk Nor shall the register of wills

of any county practice as aforesaid in the orphans' court of the same county

Section 224 APPOINTMENT OF FIRST DEPUTIES The prothonotary clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and clerk of the orphans' court and register of wills and recorder of deeds shall appoint one first deputy to act in the case of the death or resignation of his principal or when the office shall become vacant from other causes In counties of the second and third classes the first deputy prothonotary shall be designated from the force of clerks in the prothonotary's office and shall give bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned for the proper and faithful performance of his duties In counties of the third class the first deputy prothonotary shall be learned in the law

Section 225 BONDS OF PROTHONOTARY AND CLERKS OF COURTS The prothonotary the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and the clerk of the orphans' court shall before they enter upon the duties of their offices give bond the condition of which shall be to faithfully execute the duties of their respective offices and well and truly to account for any pay according to law all monies which are received by them in their official capacity and to deliver the books seals records writings and papers belonging to their respective offices whole safe and undefaced to their successors therein In counties of the second class the prothonotary's bond shall be in the sum of forty thousand dollars and that of the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer in the sum of ten thousand dollars The amount of all other bonds required by this section shall be fixed by the Governor

Section 226 POWER OF PROTHONOTARIES AND CLERKS TO ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS The prothonotaries clerks of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and clerks of the orphans' courts shall have a general power to administer oaths and affirmations Provided That no prothonotary or clerk shall be compelled to administer the same in any matter not pertaining to the proper business of his office

Section 227 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS APPOINTMENT OF MINUTE CLERKS BY PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS The prothonotary and the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer in counties of the second class may be with the approval of the court of common pleas or the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer as the case may be appoint minute clerks of said courts Such clerks shall receive such salaries as the court authorizing their appointment may fix and shall give bond in such sum as the respective courts may direct This act shall not affect the power of the prothonotary of Allegheny county to appoint clerks of the county court for the county of Allegheny under the provisions of section five of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" or its amendments

Section 228 SECOND DEPUTY PROTHONOTARY The prothonotary may appoint a second deputy prothonotary who shall possess and discharge all the rights powers and duties of the principal deputy prothonotary during his necessary or temporary absence

Section 229 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND AND THIRD CLASSES CLERKS OF PROTHONOTARY TO ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS In counties of the second and third classes any clerk in the office of the prothonotary designated by the prothonotary shall have the power of deputy prothonotary so far as relates to the administration of oaths and affirmations in the performance of the work of the office

Section 230 PROTHONOTARY TO FILE AND KEEP ADVANCE COPIES OF LAW The prothonotary shall file and keep in his office advance copies of the laws enacted at each session of the General Assembly as they are furnished to him by the Secretary of the Commonwealth for a period of one year from the date of reception of the first of said laws enacted at each session of the General Assembly in such manner that they shall be accessible to the public during the office hours of the prothontary

Section 231 ASSISTANT CLERKS OF ORPHANS' COURT IN COUNTIES WHERE THERE IS A SEPARATE ORPHANS' COURT The clerk of the orphans' court of each county in which a separate orphans' court is now or hereafter shall be established may appoint an assistant clerk or clerks but only with the consent and approval of said court The salary of such assistant clerks shall be as provided by law or as may be fixed by the salary board

Section 232 BOND OF REGISTER OF WILLS The register of wills shall give a bond in the sum equal to half the sum prescribed by this act for the official bond of the sheriff with condition faithfully to execute the duties of his said office and well and truly to account for and pay according to law all moneys received by him in his official capacity and to deliver up the books seals records and other writing belonging to said office whole safe and undefaced to his successor in office Such bond shall be for the use of all persons concerned and for the relief of all who may be aggrieved by the acts or neglect of such register Such bond shall be acknowledged by the register before a judge of the orphans' court

Section 233 DEPUTY REGISTER OF WILLS The register shall appoint a deputy to officiate in his absence for whose conduct he and his sureties shall be accountable Such deputy shall be capable in law to do whatever by law appertains to the office of register

Section 234 BOND OF RECORDER OF DEEDS The recorder of deeds before he enters on the duties of his office shall give bond in the following sums

In counties of the second class twenty thousand dollars

In counties of the third class fifteen thousand dollars

In counties of the fourth and fifth classes ten thousand dollars

In counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes five thousand dollars

Such bonds shall be conditioned for the true and faithful execution of his office and for delivering up the records and other writings belonging to the office whole safe and undefaced to his successor in office

Section 235 DEPUTY RECORDER The recorder of deeds may appoint a deputy for whose conduct he and his sureties shall be accountable Such deputy shall be capable in law to do whatever by law appertains to the office of recorder of deeds

Section 236 CLERKS OF RECORDER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The recorder of deeds may appoint one or more clerks employed in his office to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons pertaining to the business of the recorder's office with the same force and effect as if administered by the recorder or deputy recorder

(m) District Attorney Assistants and Detectives

1 District Attorney

Section 245 ELECTION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of the district attorney of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a person to hold the office of district attorney from the first Monday of January next succeeding his election for a term of four years and until his successor is elected and qualified

Section 246 QUALIFICATIONS ELIGIBILITY The district attorney shall be a person learned in the law who has been qualified for admission to practice as an attorney in the Supreme or Superior Court of this Commonwealth for at least one year and six months preceding his election and who shall have resided in the county for which he is elected for one year next preceding his election

No district attorney shall be eligible to a seat in the legislature or to any other office under the laws and constitution of the state excepting an office or commission in the militia of the state during his continuance in office.

Section 247 FILLING OF VACANCIES If any vacancy shall occur either by death resignation removal from office or from the county or otherwise the judges of the court of common pleas shall supply such vacancy by the appointment of a competent person to fill the office during the balance of the unexpired term

Section 248 MISCONDUCT OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY If any district attorney shall wilfully and corruptly demand take or receive any other fee or reward than such as is pre-

scribed by law for any official duties required by law to be executed by him in any criminal proceeding or if such district attorney shall be guilty of wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment not exceeding one year and his office shall be declared vacant

Upon complaint in writing verified by the oath or affirmation of the party aggrieved made to the court in which any district attorney shall prosecute the pleas of the Commonwealth charging such district attorney with wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office the court shall cause notice of such complaint to be given to the district attorney and of the time fixed by the court for the hearing of the same If upon such hearing the court shall be of opinion that there is probable cause for the complaint they shall hand over or commit the district attorney to answer the same in due course of law If the court shall be of opinion that there is no probable cause for such complaint they shall dismiss the same with reasonable costs to be assessed by the court

Section 249 DISTRICT ATTORNEY CHARGED WITH CRIME If any district attorney is charged according to law with any crime or misdemeanor before or bound over or committed by any court to answer for wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office it shall be the duty of the court to appoint some competent attorney thereof to prepare an indictment against such district attorney and to prosecute the same on behalf of the Commonwealth until final judgment Such attorney shall be paid by the county for his services a reasonable compensation to be fixed by the court If such district attorney shall be convicted of any crime for which he may be sentenced to imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor in addition thereto his office shall be declared vacant by the court passing such sentence

2 Assistant District Attorneys

Section 256 ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEYS In counties of the second third fourth fifth and sixth classes the district attorney may appoint such number of assistants learned in the law to assist him in the discharge of his duties as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board

Assistant district attorneys shall receive such salary as may be provided by law or by the salary board

Section 257 DESIGNATION OF FIRST ASSISTANT POWERS AND DUTIES In all cases where more than one assistant district attorney is appointed the district attorney shall designate one of such assistants as his first assistant Such first assistant or the assistant district attorney where only one is appointed shall in the absence of the district attorney from the jurisdiction or during his disability to perform the duties of his office through sickness or other cause be vested with all the duties powers and privileges given by law to the district attorney and generally at such time be empowered to do and perform all things in connection with his office which the district attorney may by law be entitled to do or perform

Section 258 INDICTMENT AND COST CLERK IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS The district attorney of any county of the fourth class in addition to the assistants hereinbefore authorized may appoint an assistant learned in the law who shall be designated as indictment and cost clerk to assist the district attorney in the discharge of his duties Such appointee shall hold office during the term of office of the district attorney appointing him but the district attorney may remove such appointee for any cause he deems sufficient and appoint another person duly qualified to fill the vacancy Such indictment clerk shall receive the salary fixed by law or by the salary board as the case may be

Section 259 SPECIAL ASSISTANTS The district attorney of any county of the seventh and eighth classes may with the approval of the president judge of the court of quarter sessions or the Salary Board as may be provided by law appoint an assistant attorney learned in the law to aid in the preparation and trial of any indictment for homicide or murder on behalf of the Commonwealth Such assistant shall receive such compensation not exceeding four hundred dollars as may be approved and recommended by the judge presiding at the trial

Section 260 APPOINTMENT OF A DEPUTY FOR ONE TERM OF COURT In any case where there is no regularly appointed assistant district attorney if in case of sickness or from any other cause the district attorney shall be unable to attend to the duties and business of the term of a court he may appoint some competent attorney of the county with the approbation of the court to act as his deputy for one term but for no longer period.

Section 261 COURT MAY APPOINT A DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE TIME BEING It shall be the duty of the court of quarter sessions of any county to appoint a district attorney for the time being in all cases where the district attorney and his assistants shall be absent from the court Such person so appointed shall perform all the duties of the office until the regular district attorney or one of his assistants shall appear in person to perform the same.

Section 262 STENOGRAPHERS IN FOURTH AND FIFTH CLASS COUNTIES In counties of the fourth and fifth classes the district attorney may employ a stenographer as an assistant in his office who shall receive the salary fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

Section 276 was read as follows:

3 Detectives

Section 276 APPOINTMENT IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS DUTIES In counties of the second class the district attorney may appoint one chief county detective an assistant chief county detective and such number of detectives as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board The said detectives shall receive such salaries as may be fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

Such county detectives shall at all times be subject to the orders of the district attorney and shall investigate and make report to the district attorney as to the conduct in office of magistrates constables deputy constables and other officers connected with the administration of criminal justice to make investigations and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required by the district attorney in any criminal case and perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Said detectives shall be general police officers and shall have all powers now conferred on constables by existing laws of this Commonwealth so far as they relate to crime or criminal procedure and in counties of the second class they shall serve subpoenas in cases in which the Commonwealth is a party in a court of record.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 276, page 70, line 27, by striking out all of said line.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 277 and 278 were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 277 IN COUNTIES OF THE THIRD AND FOURTH CLASSES In counties of the third and fourth class the district attorney may appoint one chief county detective and such number of assistant county detectives as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board

The said county detectives shall receive such salary as may be fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

Such county detectives shall hold their positions during the term of the district attorney appointing them and shall be removable at his discretion They shall have possess and exercise all of the rights and powers conferred by existing law upon constables so far as such laws relate to crimes and criminal procedure and shall when requested by the district attorney make an investigation and endeavor to obtain such

evidence as may be required in any criminal case They shall also perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Such county detectives shall be allowed their expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties

Section 278 IN COUNTIES OF THE FIFTH CLASS In counties of the fifth class the district attorney with the approval of the court of quarter sessions or the Salary Board as may be provided by law may whenever deemed necessary appoint special detectives whose duties it shall be to assist in obtaining such evidence as shall be directed by the district attorney for the Commonwealth in all criminal cases and perform such other duties as the court may direct. Such special detectives shall be general police officers and shall have all the powers that are now conferred on constables by the existing laws so far as they relate to crimes or criminal procedure

The court of quarter sessions or Salary Board as the case may be shall fix the compensation of the special detectives and shall direct the clerk of said court to certify the same to the county commissioners who shall draw their warrants on the treasurer in favor of said detectives for the amount so certified

Section 279 was read as follows:

Section 279 IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH SEVENTH AND EIGHTH CLASSES The district attorney of counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes may with the approval of the president judge of the courts or the Salary Board as may be provided by law employ one detective for the investigation of any crimes committed within such county The compensation of such detective or detectives shall be fixed by the district attorney with the approval of the president judge of the court or salary board as the case may be and shall be paid from the county treasury in the usual manner

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 279, page 73, line 8, by striking out "or detectives."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 280 to 294, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 280 IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH CLASS In all counties of the sixth class the district attorney shall have power to appoint with the approval of the president judge of the court of common pleas of such county or the Salary Board as may be provided by law one county detective at an annual salary to be fixed by the salary board in counties where there is a salary board and in other counties by the district attorney with the approval of the president judge of said court Such detective shall also receive his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duties The salary and expenses of such detective shall be paid out of the county treasury in the usual manner

The county detective herein provided for shall hold his position during the term of the district attorney appointing him and shall be removable at his pleasure He shall have possess and exercise all the rights and powers conferred by existing laws upon constables so far as such laws relate to crimes and criminal procedure and shall when requested by the district attorney make an investigation and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required in any criminal case He shall also perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Provided however That nothing herein contained shall prevent the employment of one or more detectives for special purposes as now provided by law

Section 281 APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL DETECTIVE WITH APPROVAL OF COURT The district attorney of any county may with the approval of the court of quarter sessions whenever said court and district attorney may deem it necessary appoint an officer as a special detective whose duty it shall be to assist in obtaining such evidence as shall be directed by the district attorney for the Commonwealth in all criminal cases and perform such other duties as the court may direct The compensation of such special detective shall be fixed by the president judge of the court of quarter sessions or the salary board as the case may be

Such special detective officer shall be a general police officer and shall have all the powers that are conferred on constables by the existing laws of this Commonwealth so far as they relate to crimes or criminal procedure

(n) Jury Commissioners

Section 291 ELECTION OF JURY COMMISSIONERS At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of office of the jury commissioners of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of the county shall elect two citizens to hold the office of jury commissioner for a term of four years from the first Monday of January next succeeding their election

Section 292 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS Said commission in counties of the second class shall consist of three members One of said members shall be the President Judge of the court of common pleas whose duty it shall be to preside at and oversee the drawing of jurors The elective members of the Commission for the Selection of jurors in counties of the second class shall in no event be members of the same political party but the majority political party in each county shall elect one of said elective commissioners and the other shall be the candidate for such office receiving the highest number of votes of the next ranking or minority political party

Vacancies upon said commission occurring from any cause shall be filled by the president judge of the court of common pleas who shall appoint a member or members to fill such vacancy in the elective membership to serve until the next ensuing municipal election

The number of employes of the Commission for the Selection of Jurors and their salaries shall be fixed by the Commission acting in conjunction with the county commissioners and the county controller acting as a salary board

Section 293 ELIGIBILITY IN OTHER COUNTIES In the election of jury commissioners in counties of the third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes each qualified elector shall vote for no more than one person and the two persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected The same person or persons shall not be eligible for reelection more than once in any period of six years

Section 294 FILLING OF VACANCY In case of the inability of either or both of the jury commissioners by sickness death or other unavoidable cause to discharge the duties of said office or in case of neglect or refusal to serve thereon it shall be the duty of the president judge to appoint a suitable person or persons as the case may be to perform the duties of said office during such vacancy

Section 295 was read as follows:

Section 295 CLERK The jury commissioners are hereby authorized to appoint a clerk and fix his compensation with the consent and approval of the salary board if there be such a board or if not then of the county commissioners for his employment with said jury commissioners in the preparation and in filling the jury wheel or in drawing jurors Said appointment of a clerk shall be made within thirty days after the jury commissioners qualify for office and if the jury commissioners shall fail to make such appointment within said time or shall thereafter for a period of thirty days fail to fill any vacancy in said position the county commissioners shall appoint a clerk for them The compensation of said clerk shall be fixed by the salary board or the commissioners as the case may be

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk,

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 295, page 76, line 13, by striking out the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof "Except as hereinafter provided, the."

Amend section 295, page 76, line 27, by adding at the end thereof the following: "In counties of the third class the clerk of the jury commissioners shall be appointed and his compensation fixed by the court of common pleas."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 301 to 348, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

(o) Compensation Salaries Fees

Section 301 SALARIES AND COMPENSATION The salaries and compensation of county officers shall be as now or hereafter fixed by law The salaries and compensation of all appointed officers clerks stenographers and employes who are paid from the county treasury shall be as now or hereafter fixed by law or as may be fixed by the salary board created by law for such purposes

Section 302 FEES All county officers shall continue to charge and collect the fees mileage and emoluments of office for their own use or for the use of the county as is now or may hereafter be provided by law and where required by law such fees mileage and emoluments shall be paid to the county treasurer as and when required

(p) Pensions Counties of the Second Class

Section 311 "COUNTY EMPLOYE" DEFINED A county employe for the purpose of this subdivision of this act is any person employed by the county at a wage or salary payable at stated intervals that is to say semi-monthly monthly quarterly or annually The term does not include any person elected by the vote of the people

Section 312 PENSION SYSTEM AND FUND TO BE ESTABLISHED Each county of the second class shall provide a pension system for such county and shall establish and regulate a pension fund in connection therewith

Section 313 PENSION BOARD The pension system shall be under the sole direction of a Pension Board hereinafter designated the board which shall consist of the county commissioners the treasurer and the controller of the county

Section 314 TREASURER OF BOARD The county treasurer shall be the treasurer of the board and shall give such bond for the proper performance of his duties as is required by the board The premium on said bond shall be paid from the pension fund on warrants of the board The treasurer shall receive for his services the sum of one hundred dollars ($100.00) per annum from the pension fund payable on warrants of the board

Section 315 REGISTER OF EMPLOYES REGULATIONS OF BOARD The board shall keep a register of employes containing the names ages residence nature of employment time of entering the employ of the county and such other information as the board deems necessary in the performance of its duties The board may adopt amend revise and abolish in its discretion such regulations not inconsistent with law as it deems necessary

Section 316 LIST OF EMPLOYES The head of each department or office of the county shall file with the board a list of all employes of such department or office with the amount of the salary or wage received by each the age of the employe time of entering the county employ and such other information relative to such employes as is required by the board From time to time and whenever requested by the board all dismissals appointments resignations transfers changes in salaries or in employment and other information relative to employes shall be furnished to the board by the head of each such department or office

Section 317 APPROPRIATIONS TO PENSION FUND The county commissioners shall annually in January appropriate and pay into the pension fund not less than one-half of one per centum and not more than two per centum of all available moneys received by the county as taxes during the preceding calendar year

Section 318 PAYMENT BY EMPLOYES Each county employe shall each month pay into the pension fund one per centum of the amount received by him as salary or wage from the county during the preceding calendar month Such amount shall be collected by the county treasurer and by him paid into the pension fund Such monthly payments by an employe shall cease when such employe is entitled to receive the pension herein provided for No employe shall be entitled to a pension who does not make the monthly payments herein required

Section 319 INVESTMENT OR DEPOSIT OF FUND The board may in its discretion invest the money of the pension fund or any part thereof in obligations of the United States or of this State or of any political division of this State or it may deposit such moneys or any part thereof in one or more banks or trust companies of the county selected by the board The banks or trust companies offering to pay the highest rate of interest and that have a paid-in capital and surplus of not less than three hundred thousand dollars shall be selected A contract with a depositary shall be for a period covering the term of the county treasurer No moneys shall be paid to a depositary until it shall have executed to the board a bond for the proper safeguarding of the funds so deposited The bonds shall have such surety as is approved by the court of common pleas No moneys exceeding in the aggregate the amount of the bond shall be paid to any depositary

Section 320 PERSONS ENTITLED TO PENSIONS Every person now or hereafter in the employ of the county who has reached the age of fifty years or upwards and who shall have been in the employ of the county during a period of not less than twenty years shall upon application to the board be retired from service and shall thereafter receive during life a pension as herein provided for The time spent in the employ of the county need not necessarily have been continuous

Section 321 EXCEPTION IN FAVOR OF PERSON TOTALLY AND PERMANENTLY DISABLED Any employe who has been in the county employ for a period of not less than ten years shall be entitled to a pension if he or she becomes totally and permanently disabled even though such employe has not reached the age of fifty years Proof of total and permanent disability shall be by the sworn statement of three practicing physicians of the county designated by the board to the effect that such employe is totally and permanently disabled from performing the duties of his or her position or office

Section 322 AMOUNT OF PENSIONS PAYMENT The pension paid under the provisions of this act shall equal annually fifty per centum of the average annual amount received by the employe as salary or wages during the two years immediately preceding the date of retirement of the employe receiving the pension No pension shall exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per month Pensions shall be paid in monthly installments on warrant on the board

Section 323 PENSION AFTER LEAVING COUNTY SERVICE If any employe after twenty years in the county employ is dismissed or retires voluntarily or is in any other manner deprived of his or her employment before attaining the age of fifty years such employe if he continues to contribute to the pension fund monthly a sum equal to the last monthly contribution paid while in the county employ shall when he or she reaches the age of fifty years be entitled to a pension

Section 324 REFUND OF CONTRIBUTIONS If a county employe contributing monthly to the pension fund shall for any cause cease to be an employe of the county before the expiration of the twenty-year period the total amount of the contributions paid into the pension fund such employe shall upon demand in writing be repaid to him or her or to his or her personal representative out of the fund

Section 325 REINSTATEMENT Should any county employe who has withdrawn his contribution paid into the pension fund desire to be reinstated and again become a beneficiary he or she may do so by the payment in full of the amount withdrawn and by paying the assessments provided for in section three hundred and eighteen of this act

ection 326 PENSION NOT SUBJECT TO ATTACHMENT ASSIGNMENT No pensions herein provided for shall be ject to execution or to attachment It shall be payable y to the beneficiary herein provided for and shall not be ject to assignment or transfer

ARTICLE IV

FINANCE

(a) Counties having a Controller

ection 341 CONTROLLER CHARGED W.TH GENERAL PERVISION AND CONTROL OF FISCAL AFFAIRS The troller shall have a general supervision and control of fiscal affairs of the county and of the accounts and cial acts of all officers or other persons who shall collect eive or distribute the public moneys of the county or who ll be charged with the management or custody thereof He y at any time require from any of them in writing an ac- nt of all moneys or property which may have come into ir control He shall immediately on the discovery of any de- lt or delinquency report the same to the commissioners and court of common pleas of the county and shall take imme- te measures to secure the public moneys or property and ove the delinquent party if in office and not removed by commissioners

ection 342 ACCOUNTS OF OFFICERS The controller ll furnish the commissioners of the county whenever re- red by them a detailed account of any officer or other per- having in his possession or under his control funds be- ging to the county and shall between the hours of ten ock ante meridian and two o'clock post meridian give in- mation respecting any of said accounts to any taxpayer the county demanding the same

Section 343 CUSTODY OF VALUABLE DOCUMENTS The troller shall have the custody of all title deeds to real es- e owned by the county and of all contracts entered into by on behalf of the county and of all books documents and pa- rs relating to its financial affairs and of all bonds and other igations issued by said county when paid Such bonds and er obligations when so paid shall be distinctly cancelled by e controller and carefully and regularly filed a register of ich cancellation shall be kept by him in a book to be pro- ded for that purpose

Section 344 BOOKS OF FISCAL AFFAIRS The controller all keep a full and regular set of books in detail by double try of all the fiscal operations of the county embracing as ny accounts under appropriate titles as may be necessary to ow distinctly and separately all the property of the county receipts and expenditures and all debts and accounts due the county officers or others and amount raised from each urce of revenue and the expenditures in detail and classified reference to the objects thereof He shall prescribe the m and manner of keeping the books and papers used by each the officers of said county in connection with the fiscal af- rs of the county

Section 345 REPORT TO COMMON PLEAS PUBLICATION shall in the month of January in every year make a report ified by oath or affirmation to the court of common pleas of d county of all receipts and expenditures of the county for e preceding year in detail and classified as required in the ceding section of this act together with a full statement of e financial conditions of the county Such report shall there- on be published one time in such newspapers published in d county as the controller may direct the aggregate cost of ich shall not exceed one thousand five hundred dollars in y one year to be paid for out of the county treasurer

Section 346 ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES TAX VIES On or before the first day of February of each year controller shall communicate to the commissioners in writ- a detailed estimate of and for the legitimate purposes of county for the current year including interest due and to due on all lawful debts of the county bearing interest h estimate shall be a guide to the commissioners in fixing tax rate but shall in no wise limit the power of the mmissioners in this respect

he commissioners shall on or before the fifteenth day of ruary thereafter fix such rate of taxation upon the valua- n of the property of the county as will raise sufficient sum meet the said expenditures The commissioners shall not by contract or otherwise increase the expenditures of the county in any year to an amount beyond the taxes assessed as aforesaid for said year

Section 347 DUTY OF TREASURER RECEIPTS OF MONEY FOR COUNTIES The county treasurer shall receive all moneys due or accruing to the county He shall keep a just and true account of all moneys received and disbursed The books of the treasurer shall at all times during office hours be open to the inspection of the controllers He shall report daily to the controller all moneys received by him for the county the person by whom and on what account they were paid The treasurer shall give his receipt for all moneys paid into the county treasury Such receipts shall be countersigned by the controller who shall keep an accurate record of the same

Section 348 CONTRACTS All contracts made by the commissioners of any county involving an expenditure exceeding one hundred dollars except contracts for building rebuilding or repair of bridges or for painting or tightening the bolts of iron bridges as hereinafter provided for shall be in writing and shall immediately after their execution be filed with the controller No contract shall be made nor the payment thereof certified by the controller for over three hundred dollars unless made with the lowest and best bidder after due notice to be published by the controller when directed by the commissioners if he approves the purpose of the proposals invited All bids shall be received by the controller under seal and shall be opened in his presence by the commissioners and the contracts awarded thereon The controller shall keep a record of all such awards and shall certify no warrants for contracts not made agreeably thereto

Section 349 was read as follows:

Section 349 CLAIMS AGAINST COUNTY The controller shall scrutinize audit and decide on all bills claims and demands whatsoever against the county All persons having such claims shall first present the same to the controller and if required make oath or affirmation before him to the correctness thereof. The controller may if he deems it necessary require evidence by oath or affirmation of the claimant and otherwise that the claim is legally due and that the supplies or services for which payment is claimed have been furnished or performed under legal authority He may inquire or ascertain whether any officer or agent of the county is interested in the contract under which any claim may arise or has received or is to receive any commission consideration or gratuity relating thereto or whether there has been any evasion of the preceding section of this act by making two or more contracts for small amount which should have been in one If he shall find that there has been any evasion or that any such officer or agent is so interested he shall refuse to approve the claim All claims which he shall find legally due he shall certify to the commissioners

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 349, page 86, line 20, by striking out the word "amount" and insert in lieu thereof "amounts."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 350 to 491, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 350 DRAWING WARRANTS The commissioners shall draw no warrant on the treasury for any debt claim or demand whatsoever not audited and approved by the controller as provided for in the foregoing section except for

the fees of jurors witnesses criers and tipstaves of the several courts of the county The amount of said fees shall be ascertained by said courts and entered on the records thereof and duly certified by their respective clerks to the commissioners being first sworn to before the controller Said certificate shall be delivered by the commissioners to the controller for preservation as soon as the warrants are issued

Section 351 WARRANTS REPORTS ON FINANCIAL CONDITIONS All warrants drawn on the county treasury by the commissioners shall be countersigned by the controller who shall keep a correct register thereof noting the number date and amount of each the date of payment and to whom and for what issued The controller shall report to the commissioners monthly or oftener if required by them the amount of outstanding warrants registered and the amount of money in the treasury

Section 352 PAYMENT OF COUNTY MONEYS The treasurer shall pay no money out of the county treasury except on warrants drawn by a majority of the commissioners and countersigned by the controller He shall cancel all warrants when paid by distinctly spearing or cutting them and shall deliver such warrants to the controller who shall also cancel the same He shall report daily to the controller all moneys paid out by him giving the number of the warrant and the party to whom paid

All outstanding warrants issued before the controller enters upon the duties of his office shall be presented to him as other claims against the county

Section 353 COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS ADDITIONAL CLERK TO COUNTERSIGN WARRANTS In counties of the second class the county controller may designate in addition to the chief clerk any clerk in his office to countersign warrants when properly drawn on the county treasurer whenever in the opinion of any such controller it is necessary so to do for the public convenience Warrants so countersigned by such clerk shall be honored by the county treasurer with the same force and effect as if countersigned by the county controller or his chief clerk during the period designated in writing to such county treasurer by the said county controller

(b) Counties having County Auditors

Section 361 ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES AND TAX LEVIES The commissioners of every county where the office of controller has not been established shall at their first meeting after the general election in every year proceed to make an estimate of the probable expense of the county for the ensuing year When the returns of the assessors have been made and rectified the commissioners shall fix such rate of taxation upon the adjusted valuation of the property of the county as will be necessary to meet such expenses

Section 362 GENERAL DUTIES OF TREASURER It shall be the duty of the treasurer of every county where the office of controller has not been established to receive all moneys due or accruing to the county and to pay the same on warrants drawn by the commissioners He shall keep a just and true account of all moneys received and disbursed which account shall be at all times open to the inspection of the commissioners and of each of them He shall once in three months and oftener if required furnish the commissioners with a statement of all moneys received and disbursed since the date of his last statement exhibiting the balance remaining in his hands together with the names of the collectors in whose hands any arrearages of taxes may remain with the amount thereof He shall once in each year state his accounts and produce his vouchers which after examination by the commissioners shall be by them laid before the county auditors for settlement

Section 363 AUDITS OF ACCOUNTS The auditors shall audit settle and adjust the accounts of the commissioners treasurer and sheriff and coroner of the county and make report thereof annually to the court of common pleas of such county together with a statement of the balance due from or to such commissioners treasurer sheriff or coroner

Section 364 PUBLICATION OF REPORTS OF AUDITORS The county auditors shall publish the reports required of them to be made and filed in the court of common pleas Said auditors' reports shall be prepared and placed in the printer's hands for publication within ten days after being filed in the court of common pleas and shall be published once a week for three successive weeks in at least two newspapers of the respective county one of which shall be politically of a minority party The expense of the publication of said reports shall be paid by the county

(c) Provisions Relating to all Counties

Section 371 TAX LEVIES No tax shall be levied on personal property taxable for county purposes where the rate of taxation thereon is fixed by law other than at the rate so fixed The county commissioners shall fix by resolution the rate of taxation for each year No tax for general county purposes in any county shall in one year exceed the rate of ten mills on every dollar of the adjusted valuation In fixing the rate of taxation the county commissioners if the rate be fixed in mills shall also include in the resolution a statement expressing the rate of taxation in dollars and cents on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of taxable property

Nothing in this section shall be construed to repeal or in any wise affect any provision of this or any other act of assembly authorizing special tax levies for any special purpose

The rate for any office or post of profit profession trade or occupation or on any single freeman who follows no occupation shall be lowered in due proportion as the tax on property shall be lower than the rate herein authorized

Section 372 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS OF COMMONWEALTH MONEYS It shall also be the duty of the controller or auditors to audit settle and adjust the accounts of the treasurer of the county with the State Treasury and of each of such other officers in the county receiving money for the use of the Commonwealth as may be referred to them by the Auditor General and make a separate report thereof to the court of common pleas for the county together with a statement of the balance due from or to such treasurer or other officer A certified copy of such report shall be transmitted to the Auditor General within ten days after the same is prepared

Section 373 POWER OF SUBPOENA AND ATTACHMENT The controller or auditors shall have power to issue subpoenas to obtain the attendance of the officers whose accounts they are required to adjust their executors and administrators and of any person whom it may be necessary to examine as witnesses and to compel their attendance by attachment in like manner and to the same extent as any court of common pleas of this state may or can do in cases pending before them and also to compel in like manner the production of all books vouchers and papers relative to such accounts Such subpoena and attachment shall be served and executed by the sheriff or coroner of the county as the case may require

Section 374 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The controller or auditors shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons brought or appearing before them whether accountants witnesses or otherwise and all persons swearing or affirming falsely on such examination shall be guilty of perjury

Section 375 COMMITMENT TO COUNTY JAIL If any person appearing before the controller or auditors for examination shall refuse to take oath or affirmation or after having been sworn or affirmed shall refuse to make answer to such questions as shall be put to him by the controller or auditors touching the public accounts or the official conduct of any public officers such persons so refusing may be committed by the controller or auditors to the county jail by warrant under his or their hand and seal directed to the sheriff or any constable of the county setting forth particularly the causes of such commitment until he shall submit to be sworn or affirmed or to make answers to such questions or be otherwise legally discharged

Section 376 WITNESS FEES Witnesses attending before the controller or auditors shall receive the same allowance as received by witnesses attending before the courts of this Commonwealth Such allowance shall be paid out of the county treasury and where final judgment is given against any officer whose accounts are settled by the controller or auditors shall be included in the costs assessed against such officer

Section 377 SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS ON EXTRANEOUS PROOF If any person in possession of books vouchers or papers relative to public accounts before the controller or auditors shall refuse to produce the same or if any officer whose accounts are to be settled and adjusted by the controller or auditors shall refuse to attend or submit to examination the auditors or controllers shall proceed by the examination of witnesses and other evidence to ascertain and

le as near as may be the amount of public money received uch officer and its application to public purposes or other-

ction 378 FILING REPORT The report of the controller uditors shall be filed among the records of the court of mon pleas of the county and from the time of such filing l have the effect of a judgment against the real estate of officer who shall thereby appear to be indebted either he Commonwealth or to the county

ction 379 APPEALS FROM REPORTS An appeal may ken from such report to the court of common pleas either he Commonwealth the county or the officer Such appeal also be taken by ten or more taxpayers in behalf of the ty in the manner and subject to the restrictions provided rticle twelve of this act

ch appeal shall be entered by the Commonwealth within months and by the county and the officer within sixty after the filing of the report If the officer is the appel- he shall enter into a recognizance with two sufficient ties in double the sum found due by such report with ition to prosecute the appeal with effect and to pay the and such sum of money as shall appear on the final rmination of the appeal to be due from him

ction 380 FORM OF ISSUE ON APPEALS The courts ommon pleas shall direct the form in which the issues l be entered in all appeals now pending or which may be after taken from the report of the county controller or tors Such issues shall be tried by a jury or may be sub- ed to reference and arbitration in the manner and sub- to the proceedings provided by existing law

ction 381 PAYMENT OF COSTS ON APPEAL In case appellant or appellants do not recover final judgment in t more favorable to him or them than the report of audi- he or they shall pay all costs that may accrue on his or appeal but if he or they should recover in court a final ment more favorable than the report of the auditors then appellee or appellees shall pay the costs that may accrue uch appeal

ction 382 APPEALS TO THE SUPERIOR OR SU- ME COURT In all appeals from settlements or reports e by the county controller or auditors it shall be lawful ny party to except to any ruling or decision of the court any question or point of law that may arise and an ap- may be taken therefrom to the Superior or Supreme Court n other cases

no case shall the controller or auditors or any of them ersonally liable for the costs of any such appeal If the decision of the Superior or Supreme Court is adverse to surcharged officer or officers he or they shall each be in- ually liable for all the costs of such appeal If such final ion shall be in favor of such surcharged officer or officers county shall pay the costs of such appeal

ction 383 EXECUTION If no appeal is entered or if an al is entered and no security given as herein required or on such appeal judgment is given in favor of the Com- wealth or the county execution shall issue against the erty or person of the defaulting officer in like manner as judgment recovered in the usual course of law

ction 384 FINES AND FORFEITED RECOGNIZANCES ines forfeited recognizances and other forfeitures imposed or forfeited in any court except such as are directed to be into the State Treasury under the provisions of existing or such as are collected for the violation of any ordinance by the clerk of such court be certified and estreated into office of the commissioners of the county within ten days the expiration of the term at which such fines and for- res were imposed together with the judgments and orders e court on all forfeited recognizances sued upon in such Such estreats or returns of fines and forfeitures shall nder oath or affirmation of the clerk All sums of money cted in pursuance thereof shall be paid to the county urer for the use of the county It shall be the duty of the nissioners to superintend the collections of said sums of ey The accounts thereof shall be annually settled by the ty controller or county auditors Nothing herein con- d shall impair the right of the respective courts to mod- or remit forfeited recognizances as heretofore

ction 385 REPAYMENT OF MONEY COLLECTED ON FEITED RECOGNIZANCES In all cases where the ty commissioners have collected any money upon any for- feited recognizance duly estreated to the county commissioners and where the defendant in such case subsequently surrenders himself or herself to the jurisdiction of the court the county commissioners may with the consent of the district attorney repay to the party from whom such money was collected the amount so collected on such forfeited recognizance exclusive of all costs paid or incurred by the county in such proceeding

Section 386 TRANSFER OF CERTAIN MONEYS INTO GENERAL FUND OF COUNTY The commissioners may transfer and cover into the general fund of the county any money placed to the credit of any city borough or township where the same has been paid into the county treasury upon any duplicate for taxes and has remained during a period of ten years uncalled for by the authorities of the city borough or township to whose credit it may have been placed and the right to said money is not at the time of such transfer a matter of litigation or dispute

Section 387 MONEYS PAID FOR THE REDEMPTION OF UNSEATED LAND SOLD FOR TAXES The treasurer shall pay over to his successor in office all moneys paid to him for the redemption of unseated land sold for taxes which have not been called for by the purchasers at treasurer's sale or their legal representatives during the continuance in office of such treasurer The county controller or auditor shall charge the moneys so received to said treasurer in the same manner that other money received by him is charged and the same shall be paid to said purchasers or their legal representatives when called for by orders drawn by the commissioners of the county upon the treasurer as in other cases

(d) Sinking Fund Commission

Section 395 MEMBERSHIP In each county there shall be a sinking fund commission composed of the commissioners the controller or auditors in counties not having a controller and treasurer

Section 396 USE AND INVESTMENT OF MONEYS OF SINKING FUNDS All moneys applicable to any sinking fund shall be under the charge of the commission and primarily shall be used for extinguishing the county debt Where such funds are not immediately applicable for such purposes they may be invested in the purchase of loans or bonds of the county If such county loans cannot be secured to advantage then said moneys may be invested in bonds of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or in any county city borough township school or poor district bonds of this Commonwealth issued within the two per centum of the Constitutional limit of indebtedness of such districts or in any bonds in which savings banks of Pennsylvania are authorized by law to invest their deposits and not otherwise

Section 397 MANAGEMENT OF SINKING FUNDS The sinking fund commission shall annually apply all interest received on sinking fund deposits and all interest received on bonds held in the sinking fund and all other income if any from the sinking fund for the purpose of reducing the amount of money required to be paid by the county to said commission for sinking fund purposes for the ensuing year unless such income is necessary for the purpose of having adequate funds on hand to pay the bonds of such county as they mature and become payable The income so applied and the amount required to be paid by the county for sinking fund purposes shall annually equal the full amount required to be paid for sinking fund purposes to the several sinking funds

The commission shall have the power whenever it deems it necessary and for the best interests of the several sinking funds to sell any bonds held by it other than those of the county itself

Section 398 BONDS OF COUNTY HELD BY COMMISSION All bonds of the county held by the sinking fund commission shall be stamped in a conspicuous manner to show that they have been purchased for this purpose They shall never be reissued or sold The sinking fund commission shall not require the county to pay interest on any of its bonds held by the commission unless the commission deems the payment thereof necessary for the purpose of having adequate funds on hand to pay the bonds of said county as they mature and become payable All bonds of the county held by the commission shall be cancelled immediately upon their maturity

Section 399 PAYING OFF AND CANCELLING OF COUNTY BONDS PRIORITY SALE OF COUNTY BONDS IN CER-

TAIN CASES In order to facilitate the extinguishment of the county debt the county bonds purchased by the commission from time to time shall be paid off and cancelled according to the priority of their maturity Provided however That if at any time the commission shall deem it best to withhold the purchase of such maturing county bonds until after those purchased from a later issue of county bonds shall be paid off and cancelled they shall have and are hereby given the authority to do so Provided further That if in such an event it shall appear that there will not be sufficient funds in the hands of the commission to meet the payment of such earlier maturing bonds the same shall then be sold by said commission at not less than par

Section 400 INVESTMENT IN NEW COUNTY BONDS Whenever any new bonds shall be issued by the county the commission may invest the uninvested balances in its sinking fund therein except so much as may be required for the payment of any bonds that may mature during the fiscal year in which such new bonds may be issued and which the commission may desire to cancel and not to sell

Section 401 DEPOSITS OF MONEYS RECEIVED INTEREST All moneys received by the commission at any time shall immediately be deposited in one or more banks or bankas county depositors Not less than two per centum interest ing institutions which are now or hereafter shall be designated on daily balances shall be paid to said commission for the use of said moneys The commission may reinvest said interest with the other income from the bonds in their possession

(e) Depositories in Second Class Counties

Section 405 BOARD TO SELECT DEPOSITORIES In counties of the second class the commissioners controller and treasurer of the county shall be a board for the purpose of selecting depositories for the funds of the county For the purpose of voting at their meetings the county commissioners shall each have one vote the controller one vote and the treasurer one vote The majority of said vote present at any meeting shall be sufficient to enable the board to transact its business

Section 406 MEETING NUMBER OF DEPOSITORIES The board shall meet at the office of the county controller not later than noon of the third Wednesday following the first Monday of January following the election of the county treasurer and shall there decide upon the number of banks or banking institutions not less than three in number as depositories of county funds for the term for which the treasurer is elected

Section 407 DESIGNATION AND QUALIFICATION OF DEPOSITORIES RATE OF INTEREST At said meeting or at any subsequent meeting agreed upon said board shall designate the depositories and the rate of interest to be paid by them to the county Such rate of interest shall be not less than two per centum per annum calculated on daily balances Deposits shall be made with the depositories designated as soon as satisfactory bonds approved by the county commissioners are filed with the controller The bank or banking institutions selected shall have paid in capital and surplus of not less than five hundred thousand dollars

ARTICLE V

SPECIAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF COUNTIES

(a) Appropriations for Military Purposes

Section 411 APPROPRIATION OF MONEY OR LAND TO ASSIST ARMORY BOARD WITH NATIONAL GUARD ARMORIES The board of commissioners may either independently or in connection with any other county or with any city town borough or township provide and appropriate moneys or convey land to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to assist the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania in the erection wherever deemed most advantageous by the Armory Board of armories for the use of the National Guard of Pennsylvania The board of commissioners may acquire land for such purpose either by purchase gift or by the right of eminent domain

The board of commissioners may also furnish water light or fuel either or all free of cost to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for use in any armory of the National Guard and may do all things necessary to accomplish such purposes

Section 412 APPROPRIATION TOWARD MAINTENANCE OF UNITS OF NATIONAL GUARD The board of commissioners may appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated annually a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty dollars for the support and maintenance discipline and training of any dismounted company or similar unit of the National Guard and a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars for the support and maintenance discipline and training of any mounted or motorized troop or similar unit of the National Guard using and occupying an armory building rooms or quarters within the limits of such county

Any moneys so appropriated shall be paid by warrant of the commissioners drawn to the order of the commanding officers of such unit only when it shall be certified to the commissioners by the Adjutant General of the State that such unit or units have satisfactorily passed the annual inspection provided by law No appropriation shall be made for any year until the expenditure of the appropriation for the previous year has been duly and satisfactorily accounted for

Section 413 APPROPRIATIONS TO RIFLE-CLUBS IN TIME OF WAR At any time a state of war exists the board of commissioners may appropriate money to civilian rifle-clubs duly chartered by the National Rifle Association of the United States of America for the maintenance and rental of rifle-ranges the employment of competent instructors and necessary employes and for the equipment and uniforms for such of the members of such clubs as volunteers for special military duty in their respective counties or answer any call of the Governor of the Commonwealth

No moneys shall be appropriated to any such club unless practice on such rifle-range by the members of the club shall be with the United States military rifle or revolver

(b) Burial of Deceased Service Men and Their Widows

Section 421 "DECEASED SERVICE MEN" DEFINED The term "deceased service men" as used in this act shall be defined and construed to mean and include any soldier sailor marine or members of the enlisted nurse corps having a legal residence within any county within this Commonwealth who has died or shall hereafter die anywhere within or without the United States while in the service of the United States in the military naval or other branch of the combative forces of said United States during any war in which the United States has been or shall hereafter be engaged or where a state or condition of war has existed or shall hereafter exist in the United States or any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or of any honorably discharged soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps who served or who shall hereafter serve in any such combative force of the United States during any war in which the United States has been or shall hereafter be engaged or who has served or shall hereafter serve in any such combative force of the United States where a state or condition of war existed or shall hereafter exist in the United States or any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or any honorably discharged soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps who has died or may hereafter die in any county of this Commonwealth although he or she may not have a legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth Whenever the body of said soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps is unclaimed by any relatives or friends and the county commissioners are notified of this condition in writing giving the facts by any organization of veterans and upon investigation the county commissioners shall find such condition to exist or who was in active service in the militia of the State of Pennsylvania under and in pursuance of any proclamation issued by the Governor during the Civil War and not duly mustered in to the service of the United States and has been or hereafter shall be honorably discharged or relieved from such service and who shall have a legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth and shall hereafter die either within or without the county of his legal residence

Section 422 SUM TO BE SPENT The county commissioners of the county of this State within which a deceased service man as herein above defined had a legal residence at the date of his death or the county commissioners of the county where a deceased service man died in case he or she had no legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth upon notice that the body is unclaimed by relatives or friends and who upon investigation shall find such condition to exist

e hereby authorized and directed to expend the sum of enty-five dollars ($75.00) toward the funeral expenses of ch deceased service man Provided however That such unty commissioners shall not contribute any moneys toward e funeral expenses of such deceased service man where the al expense of his or her funeral including said allowance of enty-five dollars ($75.00) shall exceed four hundred dollars 00.00) nor unless application for the payment of such neys shall be made within one year after the date of the rial of such deceased service man

Section 423 BURIAL OF WIDOWS OF DECEASED SERVE MEN The county commissioners of each county are here- directed to expend the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00) m the county funds towards the funeral expenses of any low of any person who served in the Army or Navy of the ited States during any war in which the United States was gaged or served in the Army or Navy of the United States cre a state or condition of war existed in the United States any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or o was in active service of the militia of the State of Penn- vania under and in pursuance of any proclamations issued the Governor during the Civil War and not duly mustered o the service of the Unitd States and who was honorably charged or relieved from such service upon due proof being de of such facts Provided however That the county com- ssioners shall not contribute any moneys toward the funeral penses of any such widow of a soldier sailor or marine where total expense of any such funeral including said allowance seventy-five dollars shall exceed four hundred dollars

Section 424 PAYMENTS It shall be the duty of the county mmissioners of each county in this State to draw a warrant on the treasurer of their county in the sum of seventy-five llars ($75.00) for each body buried in accordance with the visions of this act to be paid out of the funds of the county d such warrants shall be made payable only to the person persons who shall have paid or obligated himself to pay the t of burial of the bodies for which the warrants are to be drawn

Section 425 NOTIFICATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS All public officers agents and servants and all offi- s agents and servants of any county city township borough trict or other municipality or of any almshouse prison rgue hospital home or other public institution having the trol or custody of the body of such deceased service man ose body is entitled to be buried under the provisions of this shall immediately upon the death or arrival of the body such deceased service man notify the county commissioners said county wherein such death may have occurred or erein such deceased service man shall have had his legal dence

Section 426 MARKERS FOR GRAVES The county commissioners of the several counties of this State shall from time time as is considered expedient by the commissioners pro- e appropriate markers made of suitable material for the ve of each and every deceased service man or woman buried hin the limits of any city borough township or district n the petition of any five reputable freeholders of the city ough township or district where any such deceased service n or woman is buried a marker shall be placed upon the ve of such deceased service man or woman for the purpose permanently marking and designating such grave for morial purposes When such deceased service man or men shall have been a veteran of any war for which Government of the United States issued discharge buttons markers designated for their graves shall include a fac- le of said discharge button The county commissioners upon the petition of any five reputable free-holders of city borough township or district within the county of ch any deceased service man or woman may have been a dent place such marker upon his or her grave when he or is buried without the limits of said county

Section 427 BURIAL PLOTS The county commissioners of several counties of this State are hereby authorized to chase plots of ground in any cemetery or burial ground their respective counties for the interment of such de- ed service men whose bodies are entitled to be buried under provisions of this act and to draw their warrant on their nty treasurer for the payment of the same Provided how- That the purchase price of said plots of ground shall not charged against or allotted as part of the cost of burial of such deceased service men who may be buried in any of said plots under the provisions of this act

(c) Memorial Day Observance

Section 430 APPROPRIATIONS FOR MEMORIAL DAY The board of commissioners shall appropriate annually to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic in the county except such posts as are situated in cities of the first second or third class or to a regular organized Memorial Day or similar organization where there was heretofore an established post in which latter case a certified list of expenditures shall be furnished the said commissioners a sum not to exceed fifty dollars to aid in defraying expenses of Memorial Day Provided That if upon the certificate of such organization it appears to the county commissioners that the said organization decorated or will decorate over five hundred (500) graves the county commissioners may pay to the said organization the sum of one hundred ($100) dollars

Section 431 APPROPRIATIONS TO VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS FOR EXPENSES OF MEMORIAL DAY The board of commissioners may appropriate annually to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and to each post of the American Legion and to each post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic and to each post of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War and to each organization of ex-service men incorporated under the act of April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto in the county a sum not to exceed two hundred dollars to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day and Armistice Day Where the Grand Army of the Republic has ceased to exist or to function such appropriation may be made to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War or in the absence of such order to a duly constituted organization which conducts the decorating of graves of Union Veterans of the Civil War Such payments shall be made to defray actual expenses only Before any payment is made the organization receiving the same shall submit verified accounts of their expenditures

Section 432 FLAGS TO DECORATE GRAVES It shall be the duty of the county commissioners to provide flags on each Memorial Day with which to decorate the graves of all honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines buried within the county The flags to be used for said purposes shall be of one standard size and shall be purchased at the expense of the county from moneys in the county treasury

Such flags shall be furnished to the various veterans' organizations in such numbers as they shall require for their respective communities

The moneys expended by any county under the provisions of this section shall be in addition to moneys appropriated by counties for Memorial Day purposes

(d) History

Section 436 COUNTY WAR HISTORY The county commissioners of any county may either independently or in connection with any other municipality or municipalities within their respective county or any society or organization appropriate money for the compilation and publication of a county war history

Section 437 PAYMENT TO HISTORICAL SOCIETIES The board of commissioners may pay out of the county funds not otherwise appropriated and upon proper vouchers being given a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars annually to the historical society of the county to assist in paying the running expenses thereof If there are more than one such societies in the county such payment may be made only to the oldest society Where any such society is comprised of residents of more than one county the commissioners of said respective counties may jointly pay said sum in such proportion as they shall agree

No such appropriation shall be renewed until vouchers have been filed with the commissioners showing that the appropriation for any prior year has been expended for the purpose herein designated

Section 438 QUALIFICATION OF SOCIETY In order to entitle any historical society to the said appropriation

the following conditions shall have been first complied with it shall have been organized at least three years incorporated by the proper authority and have an active membership of one hundred or more persons each of whom shall have paid into the treasury of said society a membership fee of at least two dollars for the support of the same it shall hold at least two public meetings yearly whereat papers shall be read or discussions held on historic subjects it shall have established a museum wherein shall be deposited curios and other objects of interest relating to the history of the county or State and it shall have adopted a constitution and code of by-laws and elected proper officers to conduct its business

(e) Miscellaneous Appropriations

Section 441 APPROPRIATIONS TO HOSPITALS The board of commissioners may appropriate moneys for the support of any hospital located within or without the limits of such county which is engaged in charitable work and extends treatment and medical attention to residents of such county

Section 442 APPROPRIATIONS TO SOCIETY MAINTAINING TUBERCULOSIS SANITORIUM FOR MAINTENANCE OF INDIGENT RESIDENTS OF THE COUNTY The board of commissioners may appropriate to any duly incorporated society chartered to maintain a sanatorium for the treatment therein of persons suffering from tuberculosis so much money as may be necessary for the maintenance of indigent persons residents of the county who may be inmates of such sanatorium and under treatment for tuberculosis Said appropriation shall not exceed for each indigent inmate the sum of ten dollars per week payable every three months at the end of the period The board of commissioners shall at all times have free access to such sanatorium for inspection of its management and for the ascertainment of the number of indigent persons receiving treatment therein

Section 443 APPROPRIATIONS TO SOCIETIES FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS The board of commissioners may appropriate moneys toward the maintenance of any organization or society incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth for the prevention of cruelty to animals and which for a period of at least two years prior to the making of such appropriation shall have been engaged in carrying out the purposes of its incorporation in whole or in part within said county

Section 444 AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK The board of commissioners may appropriate a sum not to exceed thirty-five hundred dollars ($3,500) annually for agricultural extension work in cooperation with the Pennsylvania State College in encouraging improved methods of farm management and home economics and giving practical instruction and demonstrations in agriculture for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the county The money so appropriated shall be expended according to rules and regulations prescribed or approved by the board of commissioners The board of commissioners may also where practicable and desirable provide offices in the county court house for headquarters for such cooperative work

Section 445 AGRICULTURAL OR HORTICULTURAL SOCIETIES The county commissioners are hereby authorized to appropriate annually out of the current revenues of the county moneys to any incorporated agricultural or horticultural society or association located within the county The total amount of any such appropriation in any one county shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars in any one year and where more than one such society or association is located in the county the amount appropriated may be distributed and divided among said societies and associations in such proportions and such amount as the board of county commissioners in its discretion may determine

Section 446 SUPPRESSION OF ANIMAL AND PLANT DISEASES The board of county commissioners is hereby authorized to appropriate money from county funds for the purpose of controlling and suppressing dangerous infectious disease of livestock and poultry and dangerous plant diseases and insect pests in cooperation with the Department of Agriculture of Pennsylvania

For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section the board of county commissioners may enter into agreements with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture concerning terms rules regulations and practices for conducting the work

Section 447 HEALTH WORK The board of county commissioners may provide and appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated annually such sum or sums as they deem necessary for the protection of the health cleanliness convenience comfort and safety of the people of the county and said board of county commissioners upon their appropriating money for health work as provided for herein shall cooperate with the State Department of Health and boroughs and first class townships within their respective counties in the promotion of health work

In case any health officers are appointed under this section such appointees shall be approved by the State Department of Health and such appointees shall have the same powers and duties as are now prescribed for the same officers in boroughs and first class townships

(f) Floods

Section 461 PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF FLOODS The board of commissioners may borrow appropriate and expend money for the purpose of cleansing regulating improving and controlling rivers and streams lying within their respective boundaries either in whole or in part for the prevention and control of floods They may make contracts and expenditures for the cleansing regulation improvement and control of such rivers and streams and for the prevention and control of floods by storage or retaining reservoirs or otherwise in parts of the same beyond the limits of the county or of the State when in their judgment the same may be necessary and for the benefit of the county They may also make appropriations and expenditures for the purpose of investigating and examining or for assisting in the investigation and examination of the condition of such streams within or without the bounds of the county or of the State for the purpose of facilitating the ends aforesaid The board of commissioners may enter into such arrangements and agreements with the Secretary of War or other public authority empowered to act in the premises under any law of the United States or of this or any other State as may be necessary and proper for such purposes with a view to harmonious and efficient action and proportionate contribution as nearly as may be arrived at or be practicable In exercising the powers herein conferred the county commissioners may in their discretion subject to the limitation of the Constitution issue interest bearing bonds of the county

Section 462 APPROPRIATION BY SECOND CLASS COUNTIES FOR PURPOSE OF CONTROLLING FLOODS The board of commissioners of counties of the second class may appropriate and expend out of the moneys of the county annually a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of investigating and examining or assisting in the investigation and examination of the condition of such streams and rivers as may be wholly or partially within the boundaries of the county for the purpose of controlling floods

(g) Gas Wells and Railroads

Section 466 DRILLING GAS WELLS AND LAYING GAS LINES The board of commissioners of counties situated in regions wherein natural gas is known to be obtainable may contract for the drilling of gas wells upon any lands owned by the county for the purpose of furnishing gas for light and fuel to the county buildings and for other purposes For that purpose they may also contract for the laying of gas lines equipped with such modern appliances and machinery as may be necessary all such contracts including contracts for the building of rigs or derricks and the purchase of machinery shall be made by the board of commissioners only after the specifications therefor have been published in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in the county so representing the two dominant political parties in the county of the time and place of letting said contract or contracts At such time and place the bids shall be publicly opened and the contract or contracts awarded to the lowest and best bidder

Section 467 CONTRACTS FOR RELOCATION CHANGE OR ELEVATION OF RAILROADS The board of commissioners may enter into contracts with any railroad company whereby the said railroad companies may re-locate change or elevate their railroads within the county in such manner as in the judgment of the board may be best adapted to secure the safety of lives and property and promote the interest

the county For such purpose the board shall have power to do all acts that may be necessary and proper to effectually carry out such contracts

(h) Canals and Waterways

Section 471 BOND ISSUE TO AID IN CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN CANALS OR WATERWAYS The board of commissioners may increase the indebtedness of the county and issue bonds thereof to aid in the construction of any canal or waterway and its appurtenances whenever the State of Pennsylvania or a commission board or other agency thereof incorporated or otherwise shall be authorized by any present or future law or laws of this State to construct maintain and operate a canal or navigable waterway to connect the Great Lakes or the Atlantic Ocean with any navigable waters of this State by a route situate within or partly within and partly without this State and with termini as in said law or laws generally indicated and such law or laws provide for such construction by such voluntary contributions or appropriations in money or bonds at their par value as heretofore shall have been made or as hereafter may be made pursuant to the authority of any present or future laws of the United States any of the several states of the United States and the various counties cities towns municipal corporations or other political subdivisions of such states or by some or all of the United States states and other public authorities for the collection of tolls and charges for the use of such canal or waterway and appurtenances but only to such extent as may be necessary to provide for the cost of the maintenance operation and improvement thereof and to repay contributions made in money or in bonds at their par value and the interest on such bonds and for the distribution of any surplus revenues of such canal or waterway and appurtenances among such contributors to the cost of construction substantially pro rata according to the amount of their several contributors to such extent as may be necessary to repay said contributors the amount of their several contributions

Section 472 PETITION TO COURT NOTICE OF HEARING At any time after the Legislature of this State shall have enacted a law or laws as contemplated by the preceding section of this act a petition may be presented to the court of quarter sessions of any county signed by a number of qualified electors of the county equal to at least five per centum of the largest vote cast in the county for any candidate at the last preceding municipal election at which county officers were elected and verified by the affidavits of at least five of such petitioners stating that in the judgment of such petitioners such county by reason of its location or commercial or industrial interests will be benefited by the construction of the canal or waterway authorized by such law or laws and that it is desirable that bonds of the county should be issued in aid thereof and praying said court to order an election to be held at a date stated in said petition upon the question of increasing the indebtedness of the county to be represented by its bonds to be issued in aid of such canal or waterway in such aggregate principal amount as may be stated in said petition

If said petition shall appear to said court of quarter sessions to be in proper form it shall file the same fix a date for a hearing thereon not more than thirty days thereafter and direct such notice of the hearing to be given to the county commissioners of said county and to the public generally by advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the county or by posting as to said court may seem proper

Section 473 HEARING Any person interested including the county commissioners may file exceptions to said petition prior to the day fixed for the hearing and at such hearing any person in interest may be heard The court may hear evidence and call witnesses but shall not be required to inquire into the matters set forth upon the judgment of the petitioners as to the benefit to the county resulting from the construction of said canal or waterway and the desirability of the issue of bonds as set forth which matters shall be deemed to depend upon the result of the election prayed for If the court shall find that such petition confirms to the requirements of this act it shall by order direct the county commissioners to call an election to be held in said county on the day specified in said petition for the purpose of taking a vote of the electors upon the question of the increase of indebtedness and issuance of bonds of the aggregate principal amount set forth in the petition

Section 474 ELECTION Such election shall be called held and conducted in the manner provided by section three of an act of the Legislature of Pennsylvania entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" approved April twentieth eighteen hundred seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto except that the county commissioners shall not be required to signify their desire to make the increase of indebtedness in question or to fix the date of the election which latter shall be determined by the petition All expenses incident to the calling and holding of such election shall be paid by the county

If by the returns of such election it shall appear that the majority of the electors voting on the question of the increase of indebtedness and issuance of bonds shall have voted in favor of such increase and issuance of bonds the county commissioners shall issue bonds of the county as hereinafter provided If at any such election a majority of the votes cast for and against such increase and bonds shall not be in favor of such question then no further election upon such question shall be held during the year following The power hereby conferred shall not be exhausted by a single submission to a vote and a favorable vote thereon

Section 475 EXECUTION AND ISSUANCE OF BONDS Whenever any officer of the State of Pennsylvania or any commission board or other agency thereof or any officer of such commission board or other agency thereunto duly authorized by any present or future law of the State of Pennsylvania shall certify to the county commissioners of any county which shall have voted to issue bonds to aid in the construction of any canal or waterway that contributions or appropriations in money or bonds at their par value have been authorized at least equal in amount to the estimated cost of such canal or waterway and appurtenances the county commissioners shall by resolution provide for the issuance and execution in the manner provided by the general law of the amount of bonds authorized by the electors Such bonds shall thereupon be executed and the treasurer or controller shall deliver the same to the Treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania Said bonds shall bear such date and run for such terms not exceeding thirty years from their date bear such rate of interest not exceeding six per centum per annum payable annually or semi-annually and be in such form either coupon or registered or coupon and registered combined of such denomination and payable as to both principal and interest at such place or places as the county commissioners by resolution may provide and shall contain a recital that they are issued pursuant to the authority of this act Such recital shall be conclusive evidence of their validity and of the regularity of their issue

Section 476 TAX TO PAY INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL SALE OF BONDS The resolution authorizing and directing the execution and delivery of said bonds shall provide for the collection of an annual tax on the taxable property of the county sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal thereof within thirty years Such tax may be assessed levied and collected without regard to any limitation or restriction contained in any other law or laws upon the amount of taxes which may be assessed levied and collected

Said bonds may be sold from time to time at public or private sale for the best price obtainable but for not less than par and accrued interest in such manner as may be provided by any present or future law of the State of Pennsylvania The proceeds thereof shall be applied to the cost and expenses involved in the construction of such canal or waterway and appurtenances but no purchaser of said bonds shall be liable to see to the application of such proceeds Before any of said bonds shall be sold all matured coupons if any thereunto belonging shall be detached therefrom and cancelled and delivered to the county commissioners of the county issuing the same

Section 477 PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED LIMITATIONS OF INDEBTEDNESS In the authorization and issuance of any such bonds county commissioners and other authorities shall comply with the requirements of "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" approved April twentieth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) and the acts amendatory thereof

and supplemental thereto except in so far as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act

Nothing herein contained shall authorize or require the county commissioners of any county to submit to the electors the question of increasing the indebtedness of said county or authorize or require said county commissioners to issue bonds in such amount that the indebtedness of such county will exceed seven per centum upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein as limited by article nine section eight of the Constitution nor shall the total amount of bonds issued by any county under the provisions of this subdivision of this act and outstanding at any time exceed two per centum of the last assessed valuation of the taxable property of such county

(i) Law Libraries

Section 481 APPROPRIATIONS LAW LIBRARY COMMITTEE The board of commissioners shall annually appropriate to the committee hereinafter provided such sum or sums as may be directed by the president judge of the court of common pleas of the county for the purchase and support of a law library to be kept in or near the court house of the county for the use of the citizens thereof

The money thus appropriated shall be expended under the direction of a committee of five members of the bar of the county to be appointed annually by the judge or judges of the several courts thereof who shall have power to fill any vacancies that may occur in said committee

Said committee shall have power to adopt such rules and regulations for the management of said library as may be expedient and necessary for the proper care and preservation of the same and shall at the end of every year report to the judge or judges aforesaid the condition of said library and account for all expenditures of money made by them in relation thereto which if approved shall be filed of record in the office of the prothonotary of said county

Section 482 ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS In all cases where a law library has been or may be established in any county for public use the board of commissioners may annually make such appropriation as may in addition to any other source of revenue provided by law be necessary and sufficient to properly support and maintain such library

Section 483 FINES AND FORFEITURES APPLIED TO LAW LIBRARIES IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS All of the fines and forfeitures to which counties of the fourth class are by existing or future laws entitled are hereby directed to be paid at the discretion of the court imposing said fines and forfeitures in such proportion as said court may direct to the county treasurer of said county or to the committee hereinafter provided for the support and maintenance of a law library to be kept in or near the court house of said county for the use of the citizens thereof

The moneys to be used for law library purposes shall be expended for the support and maintenance of a law library under the direction of a committee of five members of the bar of said county to be appointed annually by the judge or judges of the several courts thereof who shall have power to fill any vacancies that may occur in said committee

Said committee shall have power to adopt such rules and regulations for the management of said library as may be expedient and necessary for the proper care and preservation of the same and shall at the end of every year report to the judge or judges aforesaid the condition of said library and account for all expenditures of money made by them in relation thereto which if approved shall be filed of record in office of the prothonotary of said county

Section 484 COUNTIES OF THE FIFTH SIXTH SEVENTH AND EIGHTH CLASSES FINES PENALTIES FOR USE OF A LAW LIBRARY If in any county of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class of this Commonwealth where by law the fines penalties and moneys collected from forfeited recognizances are directed to be paid into the treasury of the county for the use of a law library to be kept in the court house of said county for the use of the courts and the bar thereof and to be expended from time to time under the direction of a committee of the resident members of the bar appointed by the president judge the said fines penalties and moneys collected from forfeited recognizances are in the opinion of the court in excess of the amount required by the said committee for law library purposes the court of common pleas of said county may by its order direct all or any portion of such fines penalties or moneys from forfeited recognizances to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county

Section 485 DIGEST OF LAWS AND DECISIONS FOR USE OF JUSTICE OF THE PEACE The county commissioners of each county in this Commonwealth may provide furnish and thereafter maintain to date in the court house an approved digest of the laws and court decisions of this Commonwealth which shall be available at all reasonable times for the use of the justice of the peace of the Commonwealth

(j) Rewards

Section 491 REWARDS FOR DETECTION OR APPREHENSION OF CRIMINALS The board of commissioners may when they deem the same expedient offer such reward in addition to that authorized by law as in their judgment the nature of the case requires for the detection or apprehension of any person charged with or perpetrating any felony or misdemeanor or aiding or abetting the same Upon the conviction of such person the county commissioners may pay such reward out of the county treasury but in no case shall the owner of any stolen property be entitled to any of the reward for the detection or apprehension of the person guilty of the larceny In cases of misdemeanor the county commissioners must have the approval of the president judge of the court of common pleas of the county before offering or paying such reward

Sections 496, 497 and 498 were read as follows:

(k) Advertising

Section 496 DESIGNATION FOR NEWSPAPERS FOR COUNTY ADVERTISING The Board of Commissioners in all the Counties to which the provisions of this act apply shall during the first week of January in each year designate not less than two nor more than four newspapers of general circulation and the legal newspaper or periodical if any designated by the rules of Court for the publication of Court and legal notices in which notices and advertisements required to be published by or on behalf of the County shall be published during the ensuing year such advertisements shall be published at regular current rates in not less than two if so many there be nor more than four daily newspapers of general circulation and the legal newspapers if any designated by the rules of the Court for the publication of legal notices and advertisements

Section 497 Wherever under the provisions of this act notice or advertisement is required to be given in one or more newspapers such notice shall be published in newspapers of general circulation printed within the limits of the county but if there be no newspaper of general circulation printed within the limits of the county then in a newspaper of general circulation printed in an adjacent county and circulating within the limits of the said county where such notice is required to be published

Section 498 It is hereby declared for the purpose of the provisions of this act that—

(a) "Newspaper of General Circulation" means a newspaper issued daily or not less than once a week intended for general distribution and circulation and sold at fixed prices per copy per week per month or per annum to bona fide subscribers and readers without regard to business trade profession or class and which as printed and published carries or bears a title or name and conveys reading or pictorial intelligence of passing events local or general happenings printing regularly or irregularly editorial comment announcements miscellaneous reading matter commercial advertising classified advertising legal advertising and other notices and which has been issued in numbers of four or more pages at short intervals either daily twice or oftener each week or weekly continuously during a period of at least five years or as the successor of such printed paper or publication issued during an immediate prior period of at least five years and which has been printed circulated and distributed from an established place of business to bona fide subscribers or readers without regard to number for a definite price or consideration and is either entered or entitled to be entered under the Postal Rules and Regulations as second class matter in the United States mails and is subscribed for by readers at a fixed price for each copy or at a price fixed per annum

(b) "Legal Newspaper" means a legal periodical official legal newspaper or official legal periodical if any publishing legal intelligence which for a period of five years has been designated by a rule or rules of the Courts of Common Pleas and the Orphan's Court of Counties of the second class for the publication of legal advertisements and notices required by law rule order or decree of court to be published in the official legal newspaper or official legal periodical so designated by the rules of such Courts of record

On the question,

Will the House agree to the sections?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 498, page 126, by striking out all of lines 8 to 29 inclusive.

Amend bill, page 127, by striking out all of lines 1 to 29, inclusive.

Amend bill, page 128, by striking out all of lines 1 to 21, both inclusive.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

Sections 501 to 511, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

ARTICLE VI

COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

Section 501 CREATION AND POWERS IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES In counties of the second class a department is hereby created to be known as the Department of County Planning which shall be in charge of the County Planning Commission consisting of nine persons who shall be residents of the county four of whom shall be residents of the city or cities therein and five of whom shall be residents of the boroughs and townships therein and who shall have knowledge and experience in respect to one or more of the following subjects finance commerce industry agriculture transportation architecture landscape architecture real estate building engineering social welfare civic administration and law and at least seven of whom shall not be paid county employes All of said persons shall be appointed by the county commissioners three of them shall be designated to serve until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one three of them until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and three of them until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five Their successors shall be appointed at the expiration of their respective terms to serve six years An appointment to fill a casual vacancy shall be only for the unexpired portion of the term Three members shall constitute a quorum They may make and alter rules and regulations for their own organization and procedure consistent with the resolutions of the county commissioners and the rules of the Commonwealth They shall serve without compensation and shall make annually to the county commissioners a report of their transactions and recommendations They may employ engineers and other persons whose salaries and wages and other necessary expenses of the commission shall be provided for in the discretion of the county commissioners by proper appropriation and resolution

Section 502 SUBMISSION OF RESOLUTIONS FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS REPORTS THEREON All resolutions of the county commissioners relating to the location of any public building in the county and to the location extension widening enlargement ornamentation or parking of any street boulevard parkway bridge tunnel subway or underground road park playground or other public grounds to the vacation of any highway or portion thereof or to the making of alteration of the county plan of highways or to any surface underground or elevated railway shall be furnished to the County Planning Commission twenty days before their passage and adoption by the county commissioners The said commission may make a report or suggestion in relation thereto if it deems the report necessary or advisable for the consideration of the said commissioners If the said report is made by the commission prior to the expiration of the said twenty days the county commissioners may immediately proceed with the adoption of the said resolution All such reports when delivered to the said commissioners shall be for the information of the public as well as for the commissioners and the commissioners shall furnish to any newspaper of the county on request for publication a copy of any such report

Section 503 APPEARANCE IN COURT The County Planning Commission may appear in any proceeding in the court of quarter sessions of said county with reference to the opening or vacation of any public road or highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road and file a report stating its view with reference thereto and may produce testimony before the said court in connection therewith

Section 504 PLANS OF SUBDIVISIONS All plans of streets or highways for public use and all plans plots and replots of land laid out in building lots and the streets highways alleys or other portions of the same intended to be dedicated to public use or the use of purchasers or owners of lots fronting thereon or adjacent thereto located within the county limits except those located within any city or borough within the said counties shall be submitted to the County Planning Commission and approved by it before they shall be recorded And it shall not be lawful to receive or record any such plan in any public office unless the same shall bear thereon by endorsement or otherwise the approval of the County Planning Commission The disapproval of any such plan by the County Planning Commission shall be deemed a refusal of the proposed dedication shown thereon The approval of the commission shall be deemed an acceptance of the proposed dedication but shall not impose any duty upon the county concerning maintenance or improvement of any such dedicated lots until the proper authorities of the county shall have made actual appropriation of the same by entry use or improvement The owners and purchasers of such lots shall be conclusively presumed to have notice of public plans maps and reports of the commission affecting such property within its jurisdiction

Section 505 MAPS OF COUNTY The County Planning Commisison may make or cause to be made and laid before the said county commissioners and in its discretion cause to be published a map or maps of the county and any portion or portions thereof including the territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing the highways and other public improvements hereinbefore specified and other natural or artificial features and also locations proposed by it for any new highways or other of such improvements or any widening extension or relocation of the same or any change in the county plan by it deemed advisable

Section 506 RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND OTHERS It may make recommendations to the said commissioners from time to time concerning any such matters and things aforesaid for action of the county commissioners thereon and in so doing have regard for present conditions and future needs and growth of the county and the distribution and relative location of all the principal streets and railways waterways and all other means of public travel and business communication as well as the distribution and relative location of public buildings public grounds and open spaces devoted to public use and the planning and laying out for dwelling and business purposes of private grounds brought into the market from time to time

The County Planning Commission may make recommendations to any public authorities or any corporations or individuals in such counties with reference to the location of any buildings structures or works to be erected or constructed by them

ARTICLE VII

EMINENT DOMAIN AND INJURY TO PROPERTY

Section 511 EMINENT DOMAIN COUNTY MAY ENTER UPON LAND ET CETERA In all cases where the right of eminent domain is conferred by the provisions of this act the county may enter upon appropriate take injure or destroy private lands property or material

Section 512 was read as follows:

Section 512 CERTAIN PROPERTY NOT TO BE TAKEN BY EMINENT DOMAIN The power conferred by this act shall not be exercised to enter upon appropriate take injure or destroy any church property graveyard cemetery

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 512, page 133, line 23, by inserting after the word "graveyard" the word "or."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 513 to 724, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 513 RIGHT OF ENTRY ON PRIVATE OR PUBLIC PROPERTY TO MAKE PRELIMINARY SURVEYS For the purpose of making all necessary preliminary surveys in order to prepare plans and estimates the board of commissioners and the persons by them employed for such purposes may enter upon private or public property and designate by proper marks upon the ground the line of any improvement ment proposed to be made and construed under and for the purposes herein authorized

Section 514 RIGHT OF DAMAGES The right to damages against counties is hereby given to all owners or tenants of lands property or material appropriated injured or destroyed by the county in cases where the right of eminent domain has been exercised and to all owners or tenants of lands property or material abutting on or through which pass roads or highways injured by the laying out opening widening vacating extending or grading of such roads or highways or the changing of the grades or lines thereof the construction and the vacation of bridges piers and abutments and approaches therefor and the construction of sewers over upon or through such lands or property

Section 515 AGREEMENT OF DAMAGES The county commissioners pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by a majority of the board may agree with the owner as to the amount of damages occasioned to any person for property taken injured or destroyed such damages shall be payable by the county out of the general county funds or other funds provided for that purpose

Section 516 COUNTY TO FURNISH BOND WHEN IMMEDIATE POSSESSION IS DESIRED NOTICE Whenever the board of commissioners or the board of commissioners in conjunction and acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township have selected any land property or material to be appropriated injured or destroyed by the right of eminent domain and desire immediate possession thereof and are unable to agree with the owner or owners upon the amount of damages due them for such appropriation injury or destruction or by reason of the absence or legal incapacity of such owner or owners no such agreement can be made they shall tender a bond to the said owner or owners or to the attorney or agent of any absent owner or to the guardian or committee of any one under legal incapacity in sufficient sum to secure him or them for damages and upon acceptance of said bond by the owner or owners of said land property or material the county shall have the right to immediate possession thereof In case the acceptance of said bond has been refused by the owner or owners the board of commissioners after written notice thereof has first been given to said owner or owners his or their agent attorney guardian or committee shall file the same in the court of common pleas and upon approval thereof by said court the county shall have the right to immedate possession of said land property and material

Section 517 WRIT OF HABERE FACIAS POSSESSIONEM TO ISSUE If the owner lessee or occupier shall refuse to remove his personal property therefrom or give up possession thereof the petitioner in the proceedings may serve written notice upon such owner lessee or his agent or the occupier to remove his personal property therefrom and give up possession of said lands property or materials within sixty days from the date of the service of said notice

If the owner lessee or occupier of said lands property or material shall refuse or neglect to remove his personal property therefrom and give possession thereof upon proof of the service of such notice being filed in the office of the prothonotary for the county in which said lands buildings or other property is located a writ of habere facias possessionem shall forthwith issue directing the sheriff to give to the party entitled thereto possession as is provided for by existing laws

Section 518 APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS In case the board of commissioners or a majority of them and the parties interested in the land property or material appropriated injured or destroyed by the county fail to agree upon the compensation to be made for the land property or material so taken injured or destroyed upon petition of such commissioners or a majority of them or any person or parties interested and whose land property or material is affected thereby to the court of common pleas of said county the said court shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers and appoint a time not less than twenty nor more than thirty days thereafter when said viewers shall meet and view the land property or material to be so appropriated injured or destroyed The said viewers shall give at least ten days' notice by publication in the newspapers aforesaid of the time and place of their first meeting and shall also give notice thereof by handbills posted in conspicuous places in the vicinity of the said proposed public improvement All the viewers shall act unless prevented by sickness or other unavoidable cause but a majority of the viewers may hear determine pass upon and report all matters relating to the view for which they were appointed

Section 519 TIME OF APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS COSTS The viewers provided for in the preceding section may be appointed either before or at any time after the entry upon taking appropriation or injuring of said land property or material

The cost of said viewers and all court costs incurred including all advertising and notices in connection therewith shall be paid by the county except that when the right of eminent domain has been exercised by the county acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township then all costs shall be borne equally by the county and city borough town or township

Section 520 PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS TO SPECIFY LIENS ON PROPERTY In all proceedings hereafter instituted for the condemnation and appropriation of land and property by eminent domain the petition for the appointment of viewers shall contain allegations specifying any judgments mortgages or other claims (hereinafter designated "liens") which are liens upon the land and property sought to be appropriated or condemned as aforesaid

Section 521 TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE CONCERNING LIENS Testimony shall be taken in said proceedings to ascertain the amounts of said liens and the dates of the entry of the same and the amounts of said liens and the dates of entry thereof shall be found as facts by the viewers in said proceedings Certified lists of liens from the courts of the Commonwealth and the United States shall be prima facie evidence of the existence dates amounts dates of entry and places of record of said liens and unless modified or overcome by oral or documentary evidence shall be conclusive upon the parties thereto

Section 522 PROCEDURE RIGHTS AND LIABILITIES WHERE LIENS EXIST When it appears that liens exist which are liens upon property sought to be condemned and appropriated a report of the facts found shall be made to the court Such report shall be subject to exceptions in manner to be regulated by the Supreme Court by general rule When the court has finally determined the findings in relation to the laws the court shall make an order directing the payment and distribution of the amount found to be payable as compensation to the parties entitled thereto First to the owners of said liens then to the owners of the property appropriated as aforesaid The parties interested shall have the right of appeal from said order of distribution to the Superior and Supreme Courts Payment in accordance with the order of distribution evidenced by a receipt of record in the proceedings shall absolutely discharge the party making the pay-

ment from all liens by any person co-partnership association or corporation as against said property In such receipt and on the record thereof any claimant may reserve the right to proceed against any other property or assets of the owner of the property condemned for any balance due upon his lien

Section 523 PROCEEDINGS BY AND BEFORE VIEWERS The said viewers having been duly sworn or affirmed faithfully justly and impartially to decide and true report to make concerning all matters and things to be submitted to them and in relation to which they are authorized to inquire and having viewed the premises and examined the land property or material to be appropriated injured or destroyed shall hear all parties interested and their witnesses and having a due regard to and making just allowance for the advantages which may have resulted or which may seem likely to result to the owner or owners of said lands or materials in consequence of the proposed improvement shall estimate determine and assess the damages for the land property or material taken injured or destroyed and to whom the same is payable and the benefits if any in connection therewith Having so estimated determined and assessed the damages and benefits they shall prepare a schedule thereof and give notice to all parties to whom damages are allowed or against whom benefits are assessed of a time not less than ten days thereafter and of a place where said viewers shall meet and exhibit said schedule and hear all exceptions thereto and evidence

Section 524 NOTICE OF MEETING Notice of the time and place of said meeting shall be given in the manner provided by law for the service of summons in a personal action upon all parties allowed damages and against whom benefits have been assessed as shown by said schedule if the said parties can be found in the county or upon an adult person if any residing upon the property affected in case the owner or reputed owner cannot be found and to all others by publication in the newspaper or newspapers in which the first notices of said view were published When no service is made upon the owner reputed owner or upon an adult person residing upon the property affected said notice where publication thereof has also been made shall be deemed to have been properly served if tacked or conspicuously posted on the premises The court may provide by whom the notice provided by this act shall be posted given and served and fix the compensation for said service

Section 525 PLANS OF PROPERTIES CONDEMNED TO BE FURNISHED TO VIEWERS In all proceedings to assess damages for the taking injury or destruction of private property for public use the county taking injuring or destroying property for said purpose shall furnish the board of viewers with a correct plan of all properties affected showing all buildings or other structures thereon their width length elevation and cubical contents names of all owners tenants or occupiers thereof the topography of the land and the grades and widths of all highways running through or abutting on said properties and all other data necessary for a proper determination of the amount of damages caused by the taking injury or destruction of said private property

Said plans shall be prepared and ready for the use of the viewers at their first meeting and copies thereof shall be furnished to all owners tenants and occupiers of the property and all other parties affected thereby without charge

Section 526 REPORT TO COURT After making whatever changes are deemed necessary the said viewers shall make report to the court showing the damages allowed and benefits assessed in each case and file therewith a plan showing the improvement and the land properties and materials taken injured or destroyed When said report is filed notice thereof shall be given by publication once in the newspaper or newspapers in which first notices of said view were published Said notice shall state the date of filing of the report and shall contain a schedule of the damages and benefits shown therein and shall further state that unless exceptions thereto be filed within thirty days from the date of filing the said report will be confirmed absolutely

Section 527 CERTAIN TESTIMONY AUTHORIZED In all proceedings arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain it shall be competent for all witnesses called and duly qualified

(a) To state in detail and costs all the elements of the property before the exercise of the right of eminent domain and as unaffected by it and its market value immediately after the exercise of the right of eminent domain and as affected thereby

(b) To state in detail and costs all of the elements of benefit or damage which they have taken into consideration in arriving at their opinion

(c) In arriving at their opinion as to the market value immediately after the exercise of the right of eminent domain to add to their opinion of the market value before such exercise the cost or value of all the elements of benefit or advantage and to deduct therefrom all disadvantages or damage in order to arrive at the market value after such exercise of the right of eminent domain and as affected thereby

(d) In all proceedings to assess damages or benefits for the opening of any road or highway to take into consideration as one of the elements of advantage or disadvantage the cost of highway improvements

Section 528 VALUE OF PROPERTY In all claims for damages against a county arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain it shall be competent for the party or parties claiming damages to offer in evidence the value of the property affected as assessed for the purpose of taxation.

Section 529 UNLAWFUL ASSESSMENTS In all cases of appropriation of land for public use other than for roads or highways it shall be unlawful to assess any portion of the damage done to or value of the land so appropriated against the other property adjoining or in the vicinity of the land so appropriated

Section 530 VACATION OF ROAD WHEN NO PROPERTY IS TAKEN Whenever viewers are appointed to vacate any road or highway and the vacation of the same takes no land from the owner abutting thereon if in the opinion of the viewers such vacation damages the property of the abutting owner they may award damages to such owner as though land has been actually taken

Section 531 PROCEDURE WHEN BUILDING IS ON LINE OF PROPOSED ROAD Whenever in locating re-locating opening widening straightening or extending any road or highway or parts thereof the same shall be found to pass through take or injure buildings barns or other valuable improvements thereon the said viewers or a majority of them shall have the right to recommend that such buildings and improvements situate in part or in whole on the road or highway so to be improved opened widened straightened or extended shall be permitted to remain thereon for such time as shall be deemed wise and proper and if the court shall approve the finding and report of said viewers or a majority of them the owner or owners of such buildings or improvements may continue to use and enjoy the same during the time by such viewers and the court fixed and determined But in case of the destruction vacation or abandonment of any such building within the time they are so authorized to remain such owners or owner shall not have the right to re-erect and reconstruct or retake such buildings or improvements within the line of such road or highway

Section 532 TIME LIMIT FOR REPORT OF VIEWERS Viewers appointed to assess the damages and benefits due to the appropriation injury or destruction of land property and materials shall make their reports within a time which the court shall fix when so appointing them If the viewers so appointed shall for any reason appearing sufficient to the court be unable to file their report within the period so fixed the court may either before or after the expiration of the time fixed extend the time for the filing of such report

Section 533 EXCEPTIONS TO REPORT Upon the report of said viewers or any two of them being filed in said court any party interested may within thirty days thereafter file exceptions to the same and the court shall have power to confirm said report or to modify change or otherwise correct the same or refer the same back to the same or new viewers with like power as to their report When said report is first filed in court the prothonotary thereof shall mark the same "confirmed nisi" and in case no exceptions are filed thereto within said thirty days he shall enter a decree (as of course) that said report is confirmed absolutely Within thirty days after the confirmation modification changing or correcting of said report any interested party may appeal from said decree to the Superior Court or to the Supreme Court as the case may be

Section 534 DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL Within thirty days after said report is filed in court as aforesaid such county and any party whose property is taken injured or destroyed may appeal to the court of common pleas and demand a trial by jury according to the course of the common law

The court of common pleas shall within thirty days order what notices shall be given in connection with any part of said proceedings and make all such orders as it may deem requisite and may by rule or otherwise prescribe the form of the pleadings After verdict and final judgment either party may have an appeal to the Superior or Supreme Court as in other cases

Section 535 PAYMENT OF DAMAGES AND COSTS All damages agreed upon or awarded and all costs and expenses incurred shall be paid by the county except in cases where an appeal is taken by any party in interest from the award of the viewers and the appellant does not recover any greater amount than the viewers award in which case the appellant shall pay all costs of such appeal

Section 536 COLLECTION OF AWARDS Upon the final confirmation of the report of the viewers the party or parties to whom an award has been made shall have the right to take such further appropriate legal proceedings as may be necessary and proper to enforce payment of said confirmed award either in nature of a writ of mandamus execution or otherwise

Section 537 TITLE TO VEST UPON PAYMENT OF AWARD Upon payment of the compensation for land or property in accordance with the order of distribution title to such land or property shall vest in the county in accordance with provisions of the law under which the appropriation is made and all claims for compensation shall be deemed paid and satisfied

Section 538 MONEY TO BE PAID INTO COURT IN CASE OF ADVERSE CLAIMS If any person or persons shall claim adversely to each other any estate or interest in the land property or materials selected by the board of commissioners to be appropriated injured or destroyed for the purposes mentioned in this act and the viewers shall not be able to determine who are the owner or owners of said land property or materials or the value of their estates and interests therein they shall so report valuing the land property or materials as a whole and upon the confirmation by the court of the report of said viewers if no appeal shall be taken therefrom the commissioners of the county shall pay into the court the whole of the said valuation money and thereupon the title to the land property or material and the estates and interests of all the owners thereof shall become vested in fee in the county acquiring and taking said land property or materials The court of common pleas shall by rule process or motion require all said claimants to appear therein and may be an issue framed between them to be tried by a jury or by a reference to a master or by such orders and decisions as shall appear to be just under all the circumstances of the case determine the estates and interests of said claimants in said valuation money Upon the final determination of such proceeding the court shall direct said valuation money to be paid to the person or persons ascertained to be entitled thereto

Section 539 APPEALS BY ADVERSE CLAIMANTS In case any of said claimants shall appeal from the award of said viewers the county commissioners may upon filing in the court and having approved thereby a bond in double amount of said award to the said owners and claimants for the benefit of the persons owning said land property or materials with at least two sufficient sureties conditioned for the payment by the county of such an amount as the owner or owners shall be entitled to receive for said ground when the same shall have been finally ascertained by due course of law lawfully enter upon and take possession of said land property or materials The said court shall thereupon proceed to determine the estates and interests of said claimants in said land property or material as is hereinbefore provided when the valuation money is paid into court Said proceeding shall be finally determined before the issue framed upon the said appeal shall be tried and if it be determined that the party appellant has no estate or interest in said land property or materials his appeal shall be disallowed

Section 540 PAYMENT INTO COURT WHEN AWARD IS REFUSED OR WHEN PARTIES CANNOT BE FOUND Any amount of money awarded as herein provided if refused by the person or persons entitled thereto or if the person or persons entitled thereto cannot be found shall be paid into court and thereafter all such persons shall look to said fund for all damages accruing by reason of the appropriation injury or destruction of such land property or material

Section 541 NOTICE TO VACATE EJECTMENT In case any land or property selected by the board of commissioners or by the board of commissioners in conjunction and acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township to be appropriated injured or destroyed and said land or property has improvements thereon in the actual occupancy of any person or persons and such person or persons has had his or her or their damages assessed and paid thirty days' notice to vacate the same shall be given to the party or parties so in actual possession In case of refusal or neglect on the part of any one to obey said notice the board of commissioners may at the expiration of said thirty days enter upon and eject or cause to be ejected any of the parties so refusing or neglecting to vacate and use force enough by themselves agents or employes to accomplish the same

Section 542 APPROPRIATIONS OF RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT In any action brought to ascertain or recover damages caused to any owner of lands by reason of the appropriation of a right of way or easement in such lands by any county where such owner of lands and such county cannot agree upon the amount of damages payable to such owner the parties may by agreement waive the right to have such damages assessed by viewers Such owner may thereupon file his statement and claim in the court of common pleas and rule the defendant to plead thereto within fifteen days from notice of such rule duly served upon said county and the said suit shall be proceeded with the same as if an award of viewers had been filed and an appeal had been taken therefrom

Either party to such action shall have the right during the trial to demand and have the jury which may be selected to try said cause visit and view the premises over or through which the right of way or easement extends before rendering a verdict in such case

Section 543 DISCONTINUANCE OF PROCEEDINGS BY COUNTY In case the county shall discontinue any proceedings taken providing for the appropriation injury or destruction of any land property or materials prior to the entry upon taking or appropriation thereof and before judgment therein the said county shall not thereafter be liable to pay any damages which have been or might have been allowed but all costs upon any such proceedings had thereon shall be paid by the county together with any actual damages loss or injury sustained by reason of such proceeding and the amount of the same may be determined and fixed by the court in which such proceeding was pending

ARTICLE VIII

GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS

(a) General Provisions

Section 551 TITLE TO REAL ESTATE VESTED I COUNTY The title to all court houses jails prisons and wo houses together with the lots of land thereunto belonging appertaining and all other real property acquired or that ma hereafter be acquired by or for the use of the county shall and they are hereby vested in the county for the use of t people thereof and for no other use

Section 552 BUILDINGS TO BE KEPT IN ORDER AN REPAIR The board of commissioners shall keep and mainta the public buildings of the county in suitable and convenie order and repair and may when necessary having first obtain the approval of the grand jury and of the court of quart sessions of the county alter add to or enlarge the same

Section 553 TEMPORARY COURT HOUSE Whenever t court house or place appointed by law for holding any of t courts shall be unsafe shall have been destroyed or is unc repairs the board of commissioners shall procure some oth convenient place at the county seat to be approved by court for holding such courts

Section 554 SEPARATE ROOMS FOR WOMEN JURO The board of commissioners shall provide and maintain a sep rate room or rooms at or adjoining the court house upon or of the court for the comfort accommodation and convenie of women jurors and such rooms shall be provided with su able furniture for the use of women jurors who may be serv upon juries unable to bring in verdicts upon the day in wh the case was placed in their hands These rooms shall also equipped with mirrors toilets beds and other convenien

...ssary to provide for the safety comfort and convenience of the occupants thereof

Section 555 ROOM OR BUILDING FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS WAITING TRIAL The board of commissioners shall provide furnish and heat within the county a separate room or rooms or a suitable building to be used exclusively for the confinement of any and all children under the age of sixteen years who may be in custody awaiting trial or hearing in the courts of the county and provide for the maintenance and care of such children while in custody

Section 556 ROOMS FOR JUDGES The county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth shall furnish an office for each of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court of the court of common pleas and orphans' courts and the County Court of Allegheny County in the court house at the county-seat of the county in which such justices or judges respectively may be resident and wherein the business of the courts may be largely transacted and in case no such office is available in the court house they shall at the proper cost of the respective counties furnish an office in such building as may be selected by the respective justices or judges and county commissioners

Section 557 DISORDERLY CONDUCT IN AND ABOUT COURT HOUSES AND JAILS PROHIBITED It shall be unlawful for any person to cause any outcry or disorder or be guilty of any indecent or unbecoming conduct tending to disturb the peace and good order which should prevail in the county court house jail or other county buildings or to wilfully or carelessly defile deface or injure the floors walls or any other portion of said buildings or fences or railings surrounding the same or the carpets furniture or other articles or things used in or about said buildings belonging to the county Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars In case such person shall neglect or refuse to pay the same he or she shall suffer an imprisonment not exceeding thirty days

Section 558 WATCHMEN AND EMPLOYES The board of commissioners may appoint one or more officers or watchmen to guard and protect the county buildings and to enforce the provisions of this act relating thereto Such officers or watchmen shall have power to arrest on view any person violating the same

The board of commissioners shall employ all janitors firemen engineers mechanics laborers and caretakers of all county buildings and grounds Such watchmen and employes shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the salary board or by the commissioners in counties where there is no salary board

Section 559 DISPLAY OF MUNICIPAL FLAGS ON COUNTY BUILDINGS AUTHORIZED It shall be lawful to display the flag of any county city borough or other municipality in the State on the public buildings of any county

Section 560 FURNISHING ROOMS FOR MEETINGS OF VETERANS OF CERTAIN WARS AND OF SONS OF VETERANS The board of commissioners may in their discretion upon application therefore furnish to each organization composed of veterans of the Civil War veterans of the Spanish-American War veterans of the War with Germany and Austria veterans of any foreign war and sons of veterans a room or rooms in any public building of such county sufficient for the meeting of each of such organizations at least once each month

Section 561 PLANS OF BUILDINGS TO BE SUBMITTED TO COURT LETTING OF CONTRACT NOTICE APPROVAL Whenever the board of commissioners are authorized and required to erect a court house jail or other county building they shall submit the plans and specifications adopted by them to the judges of the court of common pleas for their approval and when it is obtained they shall let the work by contract to the lowest and best bidder after three weeks' public notice in two newspapers published in the county which contract or contracts shall be made subject to the approval of the said judges

Section 562 LIST OF QUANTITIES OF MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDINGS In the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of any public building when plans and specifications for same shall be submitted for bids the same shall be accompanied by a bill or list of quantities of materials required for such buildings to be prepared and furnished by the architect or engineer preparing the plans which bill or list shall be attached to the specifications and shall be for a guide to bidders in making their estimates of materials required and a means by which bidders may test their own estimates Provided however That the correctness of such bill or list of materials shall not be taken as being guaranteed by the authorities submitting such plans and specifications for bids

Section 563 SEPARATE SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACTS FOR CERTAIN ITEMS In the preparation of specifications for the erection construction and alteration of any public building when the entire cost of such work shall exceed one thousand dollars the architect engineer or other person preparing such specifications shall prepare separate specifications for the plumbing heating ventilating and electrical work and the board of commissioners shall receive separate bids upon each of the said branches of work and award the contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder for each of said branches

Section 564 ADDITIONAL BOND TO PROTECT LABOR AND MATERIALMEN ON CONTRACTS It shall be the duty of the board of commissioners in the improvement of lands or in the erection alteration addition or repair of edifices and public buildings of any kind to require of the contractor or contractors employed in or about said improvements an additional bond with sufficient surety or sureties providing for the payment of all labor and material entering into the said improvements

The labor and materialmen furnishing labor and material in and for said improvements upon the contract of said contractor shall have the right according to law to sue in an action of assumpsit in the name of the obligee for his or their use upon said bond upon proof of said contractor's failure to pay for said labor or material

Section 565 COMPLIANCE WITH WORKINGMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW All contracts executed by the board of commissioners which shall involve the construction or doing of any work involving the employment of labor shall contain a provision that the contractor shall accept in so far as the work covered by any such contract is concerned the provisions of the Workingmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and any supplements or amendments thereto and that the said contractor will insure his liability thereunder or file with the board of commissioners a certificate of exemption from insurance from the Bureau of Workingmen's Compensation of the Department of Labor and Industry The board of commissioners before signing on behalf of the county any contract requiring in its performance the employment of labor shall require proof that the said contractor with whom the contract is made shall have accepted the Workingmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and any supplements or amendments thereto and proof that the said contractor has insured his liability thereunder in accordance with the terms of said act or that the contractor has had issued to him a certificate of exemption from insurance from the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation of the Department of Labor and Industry Any contract executed in violation of the provisions of this and the preceding section shall be null and void

(b) Court Houses Jails and Workhouses

Section 566 PURCHASE OF GROUND AND ERECTION OF BUILDINGS FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES When it appears to the county commissioners that the necessities of the county require ground at the county seat for the purpose of the erection or extension of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safekeeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also ground at or near the county-seat for the purpose of the erection or extension of such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse or any or either of them they may purchase ground for such purposes and cause to be erected thereon the necessary buildings for which said ground was purchased subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions

In case the ground so selected by the commissioners for any of such purposes cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a price reasonable in the estimation of

said commissioners or by reason of the absence or legal incapacity of any such owner or owners no such price or value can be agreed upon the board of commissioners shall proceed to acquire the same by the right of eminent domain and the proceedings for the ascertainment of damages for such property land or materials taken injured or destroyed shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in this act

Section 567 JAILS TO BE CONSTRUCTED SO AS TO PERMIT SEPARATE CONFINEMENT OF INMATES Every county prison which shall be hereafter erected shall be so constructed that every person committed thereto whether upon conviction or otherwise may be confined separate and apart from every other person committed thereto due regard being had in the plan of construction to the health of the person to be so confined

Section 568 POWER TO PROVIDE WORKHOUSES It shall be lawful for the county commissioners of any county of this Commonwealth whenever having first obtained approval of two consecutive grand juries and of the court of quarter sessions of such county to establish a workhouse

Any workhouse erected under the provisions of this section shall be under the control of the county commissioners of the county wherein the same may be erected and said commissioners are hereby empowered to make such by-laws rules and regulations not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or this Commonwealth as they may deem necessary and proper for the public welfare and the best interests of the institution and its inmates

Said commissioners are authorized to use any suitable lands already held for county purposes or to purchase any quantity of lands within their respective counties not exceeding five hundred acres either with or without buildings thereon erected and to repair or erect such buildings and make such improvements thereon as they may deem necessary and convenient for a workhouse the title for said property in case of a purchase to be made to the proper county

When the accommodations necessary for carrying out the intentions of this act shall have been provided in any county as aforesaid a superintendent and matron and such other officers as may be deemed necessary shall be appointed by said commissioners whose duties shall be prescribed by the regulations for such workhouse and whose salaries shall be fixed by said commissioners or the salary board as the case may be and shall hold their offices respectively during the pleasure of said commissioners

Commitments to such workhouse shall be made by the courts as may be provided by law

Section 569 RIGHT TO BUILD ON PUBLIC SQUARES Whenever the court house jail or other building is located upon a public square or common in the city borough or town then being the county-seat and a new building is authorized and required to be erected in place of such court house jail or other building the Board of County Commissioners may erect such new building upon any other of the public squares or commons of said city borough or town or upon any part thereof Provided that the council of the city borough or town shall have first consented to such new location for said building

Section 570 ERECTION OF JAILS IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS DISPOSAL OF OLD BUILDINGS Whenever in any county of the fourth class the County jail prison or workhouse of such county is located in or upon a public park square or commons in the borough town or city then being the county-seat of such county and a new building or buildings are authorized and required to be erected in place of such county jail prison or workhouse the commissioners may erect such new building or buildings upon a site within said county and if need be may purchase ground for the erection of such building or buildings not exceeding five hundred acres Upon the completion of such new building or buildings the commissioners may dispose of such jail prison or work house building or buildings together with all the right title or interest of such county in and to the real estate upon which said building or buildings are situated for any public purpose including a war memorial either by sale or by gift or they may remove said building or buildings from said public park square or commons or to retain said building or buildings and the real estate upon which they are situated as a house of detention or accessory to the county prison

(c) Improvement of Streets Along County Buildings Street Lighting

Section 575 JOINING WITH CITY IN IMPROVING CERTAIN STREETS AND HIGHWAYS The board of commissioners of counties now erecting or which may hereafter erect public buildings in any city may with the approval of the court of common pleas or if there be more than one of such courts then with the approval of all the courts of common pleas of such county join with the proper authorities of such city in the grading re-grading paving re-paving an improvement of so much of the streets and highways as are in upon or alongside of the grounds upon which said public buildings stand Said commissioners may enter into contract with any such city authorities for the payment of a just proportion of the expense of said grading re-grading paving re-paving and improvement of said streets and highways and may appropriate from the county treasury sufficient funds for this purpose Said board of commissioners may act with any committee or committees which may be appointed by such city authorities to establish grades determine the kind and quality of paving materials to be used and ratify the contracts entered into by said city authorities in the course of said improvements No obligation shall rest upon the county for any proportion of the expenses of such improvements until the selections of grades and paving materials and the acceptance of bids by said city authorities shall have been ratified by said board of commissioners and approved by the court or courts of common pleas

Section 576 ORNAMENTAL ILLUMINATION Whenever the courthouse jail workhouse or other public building of a county abuts upon the street of a city or borough which is the county-seat and which shall provide for the ornamental illumination of that section of the street whereon such county building abuts it shall be lawful for the county commissioners of such county to appropriate moneys from the county funds toward the installation of such ornamental illumination

The appropriation by the county commissioners of a county for such purpose shall not exceed the amount that shall be assessed for such ornamental illumination upon owners of an equivalent frontage of property abutting upon said street measured by the foot front rule

(d) Comfort Stations

Section 580 APPROPRIATIONS FOR COMFORT STATIONS The board of county commissioners may appropriate moneys to assist any city or borough being the county-seat to construct and maintain comfort stations within the boundaries of the county

Section 581 PARKS AND COMFORT HOUSES IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS The board of commissioners of counties of the second class may purchase land to be used for park purposes or for the erection thereon of public comfort houses The land purchased for such purposes shall lie within the limits of such county and shall be contiguous to or in the vicinity of a county road and shall be outside the corporate limits of any city or borough The amount that may be expended for such purposes shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars in any one year nor the sum of five thousand dollars for any single park or any single comfort house The board of commissioners shall agreed with the owner or owners of the land selected upon a reasonable price to be paid therefor The county may erect and maintain on the land such buildings as are necessary to fulfill the purpose for which the land was acquired

The board of commissioners in second class counties may adopt reasonable rules and regulations necessary for preservation management and control of parks and public comfort houses so established and maintained and provide penalties for the breach thereof All rules adopted by the board of commissioners shall before becoming operative be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in three newspapers of general circulation in the county and shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in such county Any person violating any rules so adopted shall upon summary conviction be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars which shall be payable to the county treasurer who shall add the fine to the fund for the improvement of county roads

(e) Monuments and Memorials

Section 590 MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS TO WAR VETERANS The board of commissioners may appropriate money for and provide for the erection of monuments or memorials commemorating the services of the soldiers sailors and marines in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged The style and character of such monuments or memorials shall be approved by the State Art Commission

Section 591 ASSISTANCE TO PRIVATE OR MUNICIPAL AGENCIES The board of commissioners may in order to prevent duplication appropriate money to assist any individual private corporation city borough town or township in the erection of any monument or memorial for said soldiers sailors and marines Before any such appropriation is made the style and character of such monument or memorial shall be approved by the State Art Commission

Section 592 ERECTION OR COMPLETION OF MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS ON PETITION TO COURT Upon the petition of at least fifty citizens of the county to the court of quarter sessions for the erection or completion and maintenance of a memorial monument or memorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines of such county who served in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged the court shall lay the same before the grand jury and if approved by two successive grand juries and the court the board of commissioners may erect or complete any monument now partly erected but not completed and maintain at the county seat a suitable monument or memorial in honor of said soldiers sailors and marines

Section 593 ELECTION ON MEMORIAL HALL PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF SITE When the petition provided for in the preceding section has been approved by two successive grand juries and the court of quarter sessions the board of commissioners shall submit the question of the erection of a memorial hall to the electors of the county at the next election and if a majority of the votes cast on the question of the erection of a memorial hall shall be in favor of the same the board of commissioners shall erect at the county-seat a memorial hall and acquire by purchase donation or by condemnation under the right of eminent domain the necessary site and erect and maintain thereon a suitable and proper memorial hall or building in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of any such wars In case said election shall result adversely and a second petition shall be presented the same shall be laid before two successive grand juries and if approved then it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to again in like manner submit the question to vote at the next general or municipal election and if the result shall be favorable then it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to erect such hall at such place in the county as shall have been designated upon the ballot in the question submitted to the electors. All proceedings for the condemnation of any property under the provisions of this section shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 594 EXISTING BUILDING MAY BE USED If the site so secured has a hall or building already erected thereon which can be altered and improved so as to be made suitable for such memorial hall the board of commissioners may acquire such site in manner aforesaid for the purpose of a memorial hall

Section 595 DONATIONS For the purpose of aiding in paying the purchase money and price for the site and erection and construction of such memorial hall voluntary donations and contributions may be accepted by the board of commissioners from individuals associations and organizations

Section 596 MAINTENANCE OF HALL Such memorial hall shall be and remain the property of and shall be maintained at the expense of the county

Section 597 PLAN OF HALL SPECIAL ROOMS TO BE PROVIDED Such memorial hall shall be in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from said county who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged Such memorial halls shall each contain one large assembly room or auditorium for public meetings of the soldiers sailors and marines of such county which may be used also for other public meetings and patriotic gatherings by the consent of the board of control herein provided for Such memorial hall shall also contain rooms for meetings of posts of the Grand Army of the Republic encampments of the Union Veteran Legion commanderies of the Loyal Legion camps of the Sons of Veterans Women's Relief Corps Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic chapters of the Daughters of the Revolution organizations of the Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and organizations of veterans of all other wars in which the United States has or may be engaged and also rooms for such committees of public defense and welfare as may be created by the State or as may be approved by the board of control hereinafter provided for Such memorial halls shall also provide room for the display and preservation of relics and trophies of all wars in which the United States have been or may be engaged photographs paintings and portraits busts and statutes of the soldiers sailors and marines of the said counties and mural tablets upon which shall be inscribed the names of such soldiers sailors and marines Such memorial halls shall also contain waiting and rest rooms with lavatories attached

Section 598 HISTORICAL SOCIETY ROOM TO BE MADE FIREPROOF The room for the county historical society shall be made as nearly fireproof as possible and be provided with the proper files and furnishing for preservation and storing of all historical data of the said county with reference to any and all subjects

Section 599 BOARD OF CONTROL A board of control is hereby created which shall have charge of all matters relating to such memorial hall and shall have the care thereof The board shall be composed of three members chosen by members of the Grand Army of the Republic three members chosen by members of camps of Spanish-American War Veterans three members to be chosen by members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and three members to be chosen by members of the American Legion The judges of the court of common pleas and the board of commissioners shall be ex-officio members of the board of control The selected members of the board shall serve one year when their successors shall be selected Vacancies occurring shall be filled by the board for the unexpired term of the member whose death resignation or removal caused the vacancy

Section 600 FLAGSTAFF TO BE ERECTED DISPLAY OF FLAG A suitable flagstaff shall be erected upon said memorial hall from which shall be displayed the flag of the United States from sunrise to sunset on each and every day of the year

Section 601 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF ADDITIONAL LAND EQUIPMENT FURNISHING AND DECORATING In any county in which there has been or may hereafter be erected a memorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines from such county who served in any war in which the United States has been or may be hereafter engaged upon petition of at least fifty (50) citizens to the court of quarter sessions setting forth that it is necessary or desirable to acquire additional land adjoining that upon which said memorial hall is erected to enhance and preserve the beauty and character of said memorial hall and the object had in its erection or that it is necessary or desirable to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall or both the court shall lay said petition before the grand jury then or next sitting for their approval If said petition shall be approved by said grand jury it shall be certified back to the court If no exceptions thereto are filed within ten (10) days from the date upon which said petition was certified back to the court or if exceptions are filed and are dismissed the court shall confirm said petition absolutely and thereupon the court may make an order authorizing the board of commissioners to acquire by purchase or condemnation such additional land or to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall or both The cost to said county of acquiring such additional land shall not exceed a sum equal to one-fourth (¼) of the total cost of said memorial hall and the land upon which said memorial hall has been erected and the cost to said county of equipping furnishing and decorating said memorial hall shall not exceed a sum equal to one-twelfth (1/12) of the total cost of said memorial hall and the land upon which said memorial hall has been erected

Section 602 TAX LEVY INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS The board of commissioners may provide the funds with which to pay for the ground purchased or condemned and the erec-

tion thereon of a memorial hall or the acquiring of additional land or for the equipping furnishing and decorating of said memorial hall by the levying and collecting of a tax upon the taxable persons and property within said county and by increasing the indebtedness of said county according to law and by issuing and selling bonds Such bonds shall be payable in not more than ten (10) years from their date and shall be in such form upon such terms and in such denominations as the said commissioners may deem best

Section 603 PRESERVATION MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF PUBLIC MONUMENTS The board of commissioners may preserve maintain and repair any public monument in the county other than in cemeteries including the enclosed public ground surrounding the monument and appropriate moneys for such purposes

(f) Public Auditoriums Public Libraries Public Memorial Buildings and Monuments

Section 605 ACQUIRING OF PROPERTY Counties shall have power to take purchase or acquire through condemnation proceedings property for the purpose of erecting thereon public auditoriums public libraries public memorial buildings and monuments

All proceedings for the condemnation of any property under the provisions of this section shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 606 APPROPRIATION OF MONEY Counties by order of the commissioners thereof shall have power to appropriate money from the public funds or by issuance of bonds according to existing law governing the issuance of such bonds for the erection on said property taken purchased or acquired through condemnation proceedings public auditoriums public libraries public memorial buildings and monuments Counties shall also have power to appropriate moneys for the operation and maintenance of such public auditoriums public libraries memorial buildings and monuments

Section 607 RENTAL OF AUDITORIUMS Counties in case of public auditoriums may by order of the commissioners thereof charge a rental for the use of said auditoriums All moneys derived from rental of said auditoriums shall first be devoted to the maintenance of said auditorium and any annual balance accruing therefrom shall be turned over to the county funds for the general uses and purposes of said county

Section 608 CONSENT OF CITY OR BOROUGH No county shall acquire any property for or erect any such public auditorium library memorial buildings or monument within the limits of any city or borough without the consent of the corporate authorities of such city or borough

(g) Homes and Hospitals

Section 611 DONATIONS TO ORPHANS' OR CHILDREN'S HOME The board of commissioners may receive from time to time donations gifts legacies endowments devices and conveyance or conveyances or property real or personal that may be given or granted for the use and purpose of providing a home within the county for the keeping and care of indigent orphans and children dependent upon the public of such county for support

Section 612 MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF ORPHANS' HOMES Any such orphans' home shall be under the management and control of the board of commissioners of the county and they are hereby authorized to appoint a superintendent and such assistants as may be necessary to properly conduct the affairs of such home

Section 613 ADMISSION TO HOME Indigent orphans and children shall be committed to any such home on order of the board of commissioners or of the directors or overseers of any poor district of such county

Section 614 MAINTENANCE OF CHILDREN'S HOME When any property has been given or granted to any such county for a children's home and a home is duly established it shall be lawful for such county thereafter to appropriate from the county funds money for the support and maintenance of such orphans and children and for the payment of the salary of the superintendent and his assistants

Section 615 ADDITIONAL POORHOUSE AND INFECTIOUS DISEASE HOSPITALS In all cases where a poorhouse or houses have been or hereafter shall be erected in any county or counties under any law of this Commonwealth and the said buildings are found insufficient for the purpose of comfortably sheltering and maintaining the poor sick or insane of the county the board of commissioners may erect new or additional buildings for such purposes or for hospitals to prevent the spread of infectious disease among those sent to such institutions Provided That before erecting any such new or additional buildings the construction thereof shall be recommended by the directors of the poor and a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions of the proper county

Section 616 PURCHASE AND SALE OF LAND OF POORHOUSE Where the land connected with any poorhouse shall be deemed insufficient for the comfortable and profitable maintenance and occupation of the poor the county commissioners on the recommendations of the directors of the poor and the court of quarter sessions may purchase such additional land not exceeding two hundred acres and take a deed or deeds therefor in the name of the county Where the land connected with any poorhouse shall be found to be useless unnecessary or unprofitable the county commissioners on like recommendation may sell at public sale after due notice such part of the land held as shall be thought unnecessary and unprofitable and execute a deed or deeds therefor to the purchaser

Section 617 CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITAL Whenever in the opinion of the board of commissioners a hospital for the care of contagious diseases appears to be necessary or advisable the board of commissioners may either locate such a hospital on the grounds of the county poor-farm or may purchase a suitable location in some other locality provided such locality is not within or close to the built-up portion of any city borough or village and not within one hundred (100) feet of any public highways

Section 618 PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS APPROVAL CONSTRUCTION Plans and specifications may be prepared for such hospital by the board of commissioners or at their instance which plans and specifications must be submitted to the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth Upon the approval of said plans and specifications by the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth the said hospital may be constructed and equipped in the same manner that other county buildings are constructed and equipped The expense and cost of such construction and equipment shall be paid by the board of commissioners out of county funds

Section 619 EXPENSES OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE All expense incident to the construction equipment and maintenance of such contagious disease hospitals shall be paid out of county funds

Section 620 CONDUCT AND MAINTENANCE After such hospital is erected and equipped and ready for occupancy it shall be conducted and maintained by and under the authority of the directors of the poor in the same manner that the county-home and other county poor-buildings are conducted and maintained

Section 621 JOINT CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITALS Whenever the county commissioners of two or more counties decide that a hospital for the care of contagious diseases is necessary they may join in establishing such hospital either on the grounds of the county poor-farm of either county or on such other suitable location agreed on as may be purchased for the purpose subject however in all other respects to the conditions and limitations prescribed in this act

Such joint hospitals shall be conducted and maintained under the joint authority of the directors of the poor of the counties joining in the establishment thereof

All expenses incident to the construction and maintenance of such contagious disease hospitals shall be borne jointly by the counties establishing the same in such proportions as may be agreed on by the county commissioners

Section 622 COUNTY HOSPITAL FOR TUBERCULOSIS Whenever one hundred or more citizens residents of a county petition the county commissioners for the establishment of a county hospital for the treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis the county commissioners shall at the next general or municipal election submit to the voters of the county the question whether or not the county shall establish such a hospital Such question shall be printed at the foot of the ballot and shall be in the form provided by the general laws for the submission of such question The vote on such question shall

be counted returned and computed in the manner prescribed by the general election laws of the Commonwealth

Section 623 POWER TO ACQUIRE SITE If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall vote in favor of the establishment of such a hospital the county commissioners shall acquire a site for such hospital either by purchase or condemnation in case such site shall be acquired by condemnation the procedure for the assessment of damages for the property taken shall be as prescribed by article seven of this act

Section 624 ADVISORY BOARD If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall be in favor of the establishment of a hospital the court of common pleas of the county shall immediately appoint an advisory board of five members all of whom shall be electors of the county and one of whom shall be a licensed physician The members of said board shall be appointed one for a term of five years one for a term of four years one for a term of three years one for a term of two years and one for a term of one year or until their successors are appointed and have qualified All appointments at the expiration of any term shall be for a term of five years

The board shall meet monthly and at such other times as it may be deemed necessary. The board shall visit and inspect and keep in close touch with the management and operation of said hospital and shall from time to time make such recommendations and suggestions to the county commissioners for changes or improvements in said management and operation as may be deemed advisable It shall also make an annual report to the county commissioners concerning the management and operation of said hospital

The county commissioners shall at the expense of the county provide a meeting place for said board and furnish all supplies and materials necessary to carry on its work

The members of the board shall not receive any compensation for their services but shall be allowed all actual and necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties which shall be paid by the county

Section 625 SITE AND PLANS APPROVAL If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall be in favor of the establishment of the hospital the county commissioners shall after consultation with the advisory board select a site for such hospital and shall have plans and specifications prepared for such hospital but no such hospital shall be erected until such plans and specifications and the site therefor have been first approved by the Secretary of Health and the county controller if there be a controller in said county

Section 626 CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT Any such hospital shall be constructed by contract or contracts let by the county commissioners to the lowest responsible and best bidder after due advertisement in at least three newspapers one of which shall be published in the county once a week for four consecutive weeks and when so constructed the hospital shall be equipped by the county commissioners at the cost of the county in the same manner as other county buildings are equipped

Section 627 EMPLOYES SALARIES The county commissioners may after consultation with the advisory board employ a superintendent and such physicians nurses and other employes as may be necessary to properly conduct and manage such hospital and shall fix their compensation except in counties having a salary board where such compensation shall be fixed by the salary board which shall consist of the county commissioners and the county controller All such salaries shall be paid from the county treasury in the usual manner

Section 628 MANAGEMENT The county commissioners shall have power after consulting with the advisory board to make general rules and regulations for the management of the hospital and shall have power to do all acts deemed necessary to promote the usefulness of the hospital in the prevention of tuberculosis

Section 629 USE OF HOSPITAL Every hospital established under the provisions of this act shall be used for the benefit of all inhabitants afflicted with tuberculosis resident within the county in which the hospital is located and all such persons shall be entitled to occupancy nursing care treatment and maintenance according to the rules and regulations prescribed by the county commissioners The county commissioners may exclude from the use of the hospital any person who wilfully violates any rule or regulation adopted for the hospital by said county commissioners The county commissioners may charge and collect from persons admitted to the hospital or persons legally responsible for their maintenance reasonable compensation for the care treatment and maintenance of such persons but free treatment shall be given to all such persons who are after reasonable investigation found to be unable to pay

Section 630 PATIENTS FROM OTHER COUNTIES DONATIONS The county commissioners may admit patients to said hospital who are resident within any other county of the Commonwealth provided such other county agrees to reimburse the county in which the hospital is located for all charges in connection with the admission maintenance care and treatment of such patient Authority is hereby conferred upon all counties in the State to pay to any other county in which such hospital is located reasonable charges for patients cared for by said hospital resident in the county paying such charges All money received from the care and maintenance of patients or from gifts or donations shall be paid into the county treasury and shall be used only for the maintenance of such hospitals County commissioners are authorized and empowered to receive contributions donations property and trust funds for the erection and maintenance of hospitals as provided in this act

Section 631 APPROPRIATIONS TAX LEVY The advisory board herein provided for shall by December thirty-first of each year furnish to the county commissioners and the county controller if any a schedule of expenses deemed necessary for the maintenance and operation of the hospital for the ensuing year and the county commissioners shall after considering the schedule submitted by the advisory board annually make appropriations deemed by them sufficient to properly manage and operate said hospital The county commissioners shall levy a special tax sufficient to produce the moneys appropriated to said hospital which tax shall be collected in the same manner as other county taxes and shall be paid into the county treasury All payments from the county treasury shall be made by warrant of the county commissioners countersigned by the county controller if any in the usual manner

Section 632 INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS The county commissioners of every county establishing a hospital as provided for in this act may incur or increase the indebtedness of the county in the manner now provided by law to an amount sufficient to pay the cost of acquiring a site and of erecting constructing and equipping the said hospital by issuing coupon bonds at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and payable within thirty years from the date of issue The county commissioners shall levy an annual tax in an amount necessary to pay interest and sinking fund charges upon such bonds

Section 633 HOSPITALS ESTABLISHED UNDER OTHER LAWS In any county where any such hospital has been or is now being erected or where proceedings have been instituted under the provisions of any act of assembly heretofore repealed such proceedings and hospital may be completed and the said hospital may thereafter be managed and operated in accordance with the provisions of this act

(h) Institutions for Delinquent Women

Section 635 POWER TO PROVIDE INSTITUTIONS FOR DELINQUENT WOMEN The county commissioners of any county or the county commissioners of two or more counties acting together by and with the approval of the Department of Welfare shall have the authority and are hereby authorized to purchase a farm or plot of ground and erect buildings thereon or add to and improve buildings already erected and make improvements thereon and thereto or to erect buildings or add to and improve buildings already erected on land already owned by such county or counties as may be convenient and necessary for the use and purpose of providing a separate institution for the detention maintenance employment and education of delinquent women of such county or counties as hereinafter provided

Section 636 PURPOSE OF INSTITUTION Such institution shall receive and maintain women who have been convicted of or plead guilty to the commission of any criminal offense punishable under the laws of this State and who have been sentenced to imprisonment for one year or less All the laws applicable to prisoners so far as they relate to the commutation of imprisonment for good behavior all existing parole

laws now applicable to prisoners in county jails and all laws with respect to escaped prisoners shall be applicable to the inmates of such institution

Section 637 DIVISION OF EXPENSE OF JOINT INSTITUTIONS Whenever two or more counties acting together shall erect any such institution they shall bear the expenses of establishing and maintaining such institution as follows The original cost of the site and buildings of the institution and all additions thereto and all fixed overhead charges in conducting the institution shall be paid by the said counties in the ratio of their population according to the last preceding United States census The cost of the care and maintenance of the inmates shall be certified monthly to the counties from which inmates have been committed Such cost shall be paid by the counties establishing such institution in proportion to the number of inmates committed from each county All payments shall be on requisition of the authorities in charge of such institution and on warrant of the county commissioners countersigned by the county controller Provided however That nothing in this section shall prevent the counties from agreeing to a different basis for apportioning the expenses

Section 638 STANDARDS OF ADMINISTRATION The Department of Welfare is hereby authorized and directed to prescribe certain minimum standards of equipment management and administration of such institutions and to require conformity with such standards of equipment management and administration

Section 639 ADMINISTRATION Such institution shall be under the control of the prison authorities of the county or counties establishing such institution subject to the inspection and supervision of the Department of Welfare as in the case of county institutions supervised by such department as provided by the Administrative Code and by an act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred forty-four) entitled "An act creating a Department of Public Welfare defining its powers and duties abolishing the Board of Public Charities the Committee on Lunacy and the Prison Labor Commission and all offices thereunder and vesting all the powers of said board committee and commission in the Department of Public Welfare requiring all reports notices statements or matters heretofore required to be made given or submitted to the Board of Public Charities or the Committee on Lunacy to be made given or submitted to the Department of Public Welfare and providing penalties" The prison authorities shall provide a system of treatment training employment and instruction in such institution as may be useful to the inmates thereof and shall appoint a woman superintendent of such institution who shall hold office during the pleasure of the prison authorities

Section 640 PRISONERS FROM OTHER COUNTIES Such institution shall receive prisoners of other counties on such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by such counties In the case of failure to agree the Department of Welfare shall prescribe the terms and conditions for receiving such prisoners The county from which such prisoner shall be sentenced shall pay the expenses of transportation to and from such institution

Section 641 TRANSFER OF PRISONERS Should the Department of Welfare upon investigation find any condition to exist in any county prison of this State which in its opinion is unsuitable to the proper maintenance custody welfare or training of the women inmates thereof or of the women committed thereto or being treated detained or residing therein it shall require and supervise the transfer of such women prisoners to any institution established by this act or to any public penal or correctional institutions or private incorporated institution subject to the supervision of the Department of Welfare Provided That such transfer shall be made with the consent of the court by which the prisoner was committed and in case of transfer to a private institution with the consent of the institution to which such transfer is made Provided however this section shall not apply to any prisoner sentenced for a period of more than one year Thereafter the courts of such county shall commit all women prisoners who have been sentenced for a period not to exceed one year direct to the institution designated by the Department of Welfare

Section 642 TERMS OF TRANSFERS In the case of transfer to a public or private incorporated institution the transfer shall be under the terms and conditions prescribed by the Department of Welfare and such prisoners transferred shall remain subject to all laws applicable to prisoners confined in institutions established by this act

Section 643 EARNINGS OF PRISONERS The earnings of such inmates shall accrue to the benefit of the county or counties establishing such home except such portion as the Department of Welfare shall credit to each inmate to be paid on her discharge or before as provided by the Department of Welfare

Section 644 EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION All the property real and personal authorized to be held by virtue of this act shall be exempt from taxation

(i) Parks Playgrounds Playfields Gymnasiums Baths Swimming Pools and Indoor Recreation Centers

Section 650 POWER TO ACQUIRE LAND AND BUILDINGS The county commissioners of any county may designate and set apart for use as parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers any lands or buildings owned by such county and not dedicated or devoted to other public use The county commissioners may also acquire lands or buildings for such purposes by gift or purchase or may lease lands or buildings in such county for temporary use for such purposes

Section 651 EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE The authority to supervise and maintain parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers may be vested in any existing body or board or in a park board or recreation board as the county commissioners may determine The county commissioners of the county may equip operate and maintain the parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths or indoor recreation centers as authorized by this act and may for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act employ play leaders recreation directors supervisors superintendents or any other officers or employes as they deem proper

Section 652 PARK AND RECREATION BOARDS If the county commissioners shall determine that the power to supervise parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or recreation centers shall be exercised by a park board or recreation board they may establish in said county such park board or recreation board which shall possess all the powers and be subject to all responsibilities of the respective county commissioners Either such boards when established shall consist of five persons The members of such boards shall be appointed by the commissioners of such county and shall serve for terms of five years or until their successors are appointed except that the members of such board first appointed shall be appointed for such terms that the term of one member shall expire annually thereafter Members of such board shall serve without pay Women shall be eligible for appointment Vacancies in such board occurring otherwise than by expiration of term shall be for the unexpired term and shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments

Section 653 OFFICERS OF BOARD The members of a park board or recreation board established pursuant to this act shall elect their own chairman and secretary and select all other necessary officers to serve for a period of one year and may with the consent and approval of the county commissioners employ such persons as may be needed as authorized by this act Such boards shall have power to adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of all business within their jurisdiction

Section 654 JOINT ACTION Any county may jointly with any other county or any city borough township or school district acquire property for and operate and maintain any parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers

Section 655 INDEBTEDNESS The county commissioners may issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands or building for parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths or indoor recreation centers and for the equipment thereof

Section 656 PAYMENT OF EXPENSES TAXATION All expenses incurred in the operation of such parks playgrounds

playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths and indoor recreation centers established as herein provided shall be payable from the treasury of such county The county commissioners may annually appropriate and cause to be raised by taxation such tax not to exceed two mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in such county for the purpose of maintaining and operating parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public swimming pools and recreation centers

(j) Parks in Second Class Counties

Section 660 COUNTIES OF SECOND CLASS MAY PROVIDE PARKS It shall be lawful for and the right and power is hereby conferred upon the counties of the second class of this Commonwealth to enter upon take use and appropriate by the right of eminent domain and to acquire by purchase lease gift devise or otherwise private property for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending operating and maintaining public parks within the limits of such counties whenever the county commissioners thereof shall by resolution determine thereon

Section 661 EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS In all cases wherein counties of the second class of this Commonwealth shall enter upon take use and appropriate private property for the aforesaid purpose by resolution of the county commissioners if the compensation and damages arising therefrom cannot be agreed upon by the owners thereof in such counties such compensation and damages shall be considered ascertained determined awarded and paid in the manner provided in this act for such proceedings

Section 662 TITLE ACQUIRED IN EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS In every case of the taking of property by eminent domain hereunder the county shall acquire the entire title whether in fee or otherwise held by the owner or owners of said property or of any interest therein

Section 663 IMPROVEMENTS IN PARKS The said county commissioners shall have the power to govern manage operate lay out plant and ornament the said public parks and to maintain the same in good order and repair and to construct all proper bridges buildings roadways lakes golf courses playgrounds and other improvements therein and to make rules and regulations for the conduct of the patrons thereof and to repress all disorders therein under the provisions hereinafter contained

Section 664 PARK BUILDINGS The said county commissioners shall have exclusive power to lease all houses cottages and buildings within the park limits which may be let without prejudice to the interest and purpose of the park and to collect the rents

Section 665 USE OF RECEIPTS All rents license charges and fees all fines proceeds of sales except of lands purchased and profits of whatsoever kind to be collected received or however realized shall be paid into the county treasury as a fund to be exclusively appropriated by the county commissioners for park purposes Provided That moneys or property given or bequeathed to the county commissioners upon specified trusts shall be received and receipted for by the county treasurer and held and applied according to the trusts specified

Section 666 PENALTIES Any person who shall violate any of said rules and regulations which shall be ordained by the said county commissioners for the government of said public parks not inconsistent with this act or the laws and Constitutions of this State and the United States the power to ordain which rules and regulations is hereby expressly given to said commissioners shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay such fine as may be prescribed by said county commissioners to be recovered before any alderman or justice of the peace of said county which fines shall be paid into the county treasury

Section 667 DAMAGES FORFEITURE OF LEASES Any person violating any of said rules and regulations shall be further liable to the full extent of any damage by him or her committed in trespass or other action and any tenant or licensed party who shall violate the said rules and regulations or any of them or consent to or permit the same to be violated on his or her or their premises shall forfeit his or her or their lease or license and shall be liable to be forthwith removed by a vote of the county commissioners and every lease and license shall contain a clause making it cause of forfeiture for the lessee or party licensed to violate or permit or suffer any violation of said rules and regulations or any of them

Section 668 EMPLOYES POLICE For the purpose of performing all necessary duties relating to the establishing making enlarging extending and maintaining public parks and for enforcing the rules and regulations ordained by the county commissioners for the conduct of the patrons thereof the said county commissioners are hereby authorized to employ or appoint and equip proper persons to do all necessary and proper work connected therewith including police duty the compensation of all persons so employed to be fixed by the salary board of said county

Section 669 DUTY OF POLICE It shall be the duty of the police appointed to duty in said public parks without warrant forthwith to arrest any offender against the rules and regulations ordained by the said county commissioners that they may detect in the commission of such offense and to take the person so arrested forthwith before a magistrate or alderman or justice of the peace having competent jurisdiction

Section 670 INDEBTEDNESS TAXATION The county commissioners of said counties may issue bonds and may annually appropriate and cause to be raised by taxation such taxes not to exceed one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in such county for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending and maintaining such public park

(k) Disposing of Real Property of County

Section 675 AUTHORITY TO SELL REAL PROPERTY The board of commissioners may sell any real property belonging to the county on petition to the court of common pleas setting forth a description of the property to be sold and the reason therefor the court shall thereupon fix a day for hearing and notice of which shall be given in at least two newspapers in said county of general circulation once a week for three consecutive weeks After hearing the court shall make such order and decree as shall seem right and proper Such sale shall be returned to the following term of court as orphans' court sales are now returned and said court shall confirm or refuse to confirm said sales as it may deem best for the interests of the county

Section 676 CONVEYANCE OF REAL ESTATE The board of commissioners shall make a deed of any real estate belonging to the county which they are authorized to sell under their hands and seals as commissioners with the seal of the county attached and the same shall be a good and lawful conveyance in fee simple

ARTICLE IX

BRIDGES VIADUCTS AND CULVERTS

(a) General Provisions

Section 701 CONTRACTS FOR OVER FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS It is unlawful for any county commissioners to make any contract for over five hundred dollars ($500) to build rebuild or repair any county bridge without first advertising for at least three weeks or in case of emergency one week for sealed bids or proposals to build rebuild or repair such bridge in at least three newspapers published in the county where said proposals or bids are asked for Such advertisement shall contain the description of the repairs or plans of the kind of bridge required the time when the proposals or bids shall be closed and when said bids or proposals shall be opened When the contract is for the building of a bridge the plans and specifications therefor or a copy thereof shall be kept in the office of the county commissioners open to the inspection of all intending bidders during such advertising and until the time specified therein for the reception of bids In the case of a bridge to be erected over a river or stream upon the line between the adjoining counties the advertising shall be done in each of said counties and a copy of the plans and specifications shall be kept in the commissioners' office of each county

Section 702 PENALTY If any county commissioner violates any of the provisions of the preceding section of this act or if any county commissioner or any person shall do or permit anything which prevents fair competition in the making or submission of bids for such building rebuilding or repair they

shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or be imprisoned not exceeding two years or both

Section 703 FILING OF SECURITY WITH PROPOSALS OPENING OF BIDS The proposals or bids must be accompanied with such security as the county commissioners may require which must be filed with the chief clerk or some one in charge of the commissioners' office at least one hour before the time fixed for the opening of the bids or proposals The time of filing bids and the person's name with whom filed must be marked on the outside of said bids

All bids or proposals shall be opened in public and in the presence of not less than two of the county commissioners and the chief clerk and a record made of each and every bid

Section 704 AWARDING OF CONTRACT RE-ADVERTISING The commissioners shall as soon as possible after the time fixed for the opening of said bids award the contract for the building rebuilding or repair of said bridge to the lowest responsible bidder upon the condition that said bidder must within ten days after notice of award of said contract sign and execute a contract for the faithful performance of the proposal and furnish a bond in a sum not exceeding the amount of the contract which contract and bond shall first be approved by the court of quarter sessions If the lowest bidder neglects to comply with the conditions of his bid within the time required the commissioners shall award the same to the next lowest bidder In case all bids are too high or unreasonable in the opinion of the commissioners they may reject any and all bids and advertise for new bids

Section 705 COMPENSATION FOR ADDITIONAL WORK In all cases where bridges shall have been or may be erected for a county and deviations from or alterations in the plan contracted for have been made by the direction of the county commissioners where the county commissioners and builders cannot agree upon the compensation to be made therefor it shall be lawful for such builder to recover any sum to which he may be justly entitled for such deviations and alterations beyond the contract price in an action for work labor and service done and performed and material found and provided

Section 706 INSPECTION Every bridge erected by the commissioners of any county or under contract with them shall upon completion be inspected by three fit persons one of whom shall be a surveyor to be appointed by the court of quarter sessions who shall make report of their findings to the court Such inspectors shall before they proceed make oath or affirmation before any person authorized to administer oaths to perform their duty impartially and according to the best of their judgment Such viewers shall receive three dollars a day and the surveyor five dollars a day and five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in the discharge of their duties The expense of the inspection shall be paid by the county but if such bridge shall not be approved the expense shall be recoverable by such county as damages against the delinquent commissioner or contractor

Section 707 PAYMENT ON CONTRACT If any such bridge shall be approved by the court and the same shall have been erected under contract with the commissioners the money due under such contract shall be paid agreeably thereto

Section 708 DEDUCTION OF PART OF CONTRACT PRICE If the persons appointed to inspect any bridge erected by contract shall not approve of the same they shall report to the court what sum in their judgment ought to be deducted from the sum stipulated in such contract and thereupon the court shall grant a rule upon the builder or contractor to show cause against said report at a time and place in such rule to be named

Section 709 ACTION ON CONTRACT OR PROCEDURE ON RULE After the service and return of such rule it shall be lawful for the builder or contractor to file a declaration or statement in the court of common pleas of the respective county upon the contract made by him with the commissioners and thereupon proceed to trial in due course in like manner as if an action had been commended by him upon such contract against the county or at his election he may show cause against the said report and thereupon the court of quarter sessions shall determine the matter as justice and equity shall require

Section 710 BRIDGE ERECTED BY COMMISSIONERS When any bridge shall have been erected by the commissioners of the county or under their superintendence if the same shall not be approved by the inspectors they shall report in what respect such bridge is deficient and whether or not the same has occurred through the default neglect or official misconduct of the commissioners or any of them and what in their judgment is the value of such bridge Thereupon the court shall in like manner grant a rule upon the commissioners to show cause against such report

Section 711 PROCEDURE ON RULE After the service and return of such rule it shall be lawful for the commissioners to have an issue directed upon the said report to the court of common pleas to be tried by a jury or at their election they may show cause against the same and thereupon the court of quarter sessions shall determine the matter as justice and equity shall require

Section 712 COUNTY MAY RECOVER AGAINST DELINQUENT COMMISSIONERS If it shall appear upon the trial of such issue or upon investigation by the court that through the neglect or official misconduct of any one or more of the commissioners such bridge is insufficient or that it has been erected at an expense greater than its value it shall be lawful for the county to recover against such delinquent commissioner or commissioners the damages sustained by reason of his or their default

Section 713 BUILDING OR REBUILDING WITHOUT CONSENT OF GRAND JURY IN EMERGENCIES When a county bridge wholly within any county or on the boundary line between any two counties has been or shall hereafter be destroyed or partially destroyed or rendered impassable or becomes insufficient or inadequate to accommodate public travel or in any other case of emergency it becomes necessary to construct or reconstruct any such bridge without the delay occasioned by the report of a grand jury or grand juries the county commissioners of any such county or of any two counties in case of a joint county bridge may upon the approval of the court or courts of quarter sessions of such county or counties erect and construct a new bridge or reconstruct any partially destroyed insufficient or inadequate bridge to take the place of such wholly or partially destroyed or insufficient or inadequate bridge

Section 714 BRIDGES ON BOUNDARY BETWEEN TWO COUNTIES Whenever any bridge contemplated by any of the provisions of this article is on the boundary line between two counties or within one-fourth of a mile therefrom and necessary for the accommodation of the inhabitants of both counties the commissioners of such counties shall act jointly in the exercise of all powers conferred upon them and in the performance of all duties imposed upon them Whenever a petition of residents or taxpayers is required such petition shall be made by the required number of petitioners in each county to the court of quarter sessions or the court of common pleas as the case may be of their county Whenever any other petitions are required such petitions shall be made to each of such courts Whenever the approval of the grand jury is required the grand juries of both counties shall give their approval Each of the courts shall act on such petitions and shall communicate its approval or disapproval and that of the grand jury to the other court

Whenever the appointment of viewers or inspectors is required the court of each county shall appoint a full number of such viewers or inspectors The total number thereof shall act together in the view or inspection and shall make their joint report and recommendations to each court Exceptions to the report of viewers may be filed in and appeals therefrom made to the courts of either county in which case the courts of said two counties sitting together shall hear and determine the same Whenever publication of notice is required such publications shall be made in each county The approval of both boards of commissioners and of both courts shall be necessary in order to authorize any action requiring such approval

Section 715 PAYMENT OF COST TOLLS RENTALS All expenses in connection with any matters affecting any such bridge shall be borne by the two counties jointly in equal proportions or in any other proportions as the commissioners of the several counties may agree upon Whenever it is necessary for any counties in the construction of any joint county bridge or in joint acquisition of any toll bridge to issue bonds in payment of such construction erection or acquisition the commissioners of said counties may with the consent of the State Department of Highways if the cost of such bridge was in excess of four hundred thousand dollars assess supervise and collect such tolls for the use of said bridge for all traffic

as may be necessary to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment and redemption of the same within thirty years from the date of the issue thereof and to pay also the costs and expenses of operating and maintaining such bridge between the time of construction thereof and the date of the redemption of the last of said bonds to be redeemed by such tolls The tolls so collected shall be distributed between such counties in proportion to the amount paid in by each county in the original construction or acquisition and in no case shall any tolls be collected after the redemption of the original bonds issued All moneys received from rentals for special use shall be divided between them in the same proportion Such bridge shall be a joint county bridge

Section 716 WIDENING STRAIGHTENING ALTERING OR CHANGING COURSE OF UNNAVIGABLE STREAM FOR PROTECTION OF COUNTY BRIDGES Whenever in the erection construction repair or maintenance of any county bridge it becomes necessary for the safety of said bridge to widen straighten alter or change the course of any unnavigable stream it shall be lawful for the county to enter upon abutting or adjacent land and to widen straighten alter or change the course of such unnavigable stream in such manner as will insure the safety of such county bridge and in connection with such entry to take injure and destroy any necessary land or property in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 717 DYKES BANKS CAUSEWAYS AND SLUICEWAYS FOR PROTECTION OF BRIDGES AND HIGHWAYS The board of commissioners for the purpose of protecting any county bridge or bridges the abutments thereof and approaches thereto and any public highway adjacent to the same from the incursions of the tide floods or waters of any creek rivulet or other stream and so as to prolong the life of said structures may erect and maintain dykes banks causeways and sluiceways over on and across any creek rivulet or other stream not navigable and which creek rivulet or other stream is affected by the rise and fall of the tide floods or waters of any creek rivulet or other stream and secure a right of way for proper ingress and egress thereto upon first securing consent of the owners of the land bordering on said creek rivulet or other stream and also securing consent of the owners of the from the source to the mouth of said creek rivulet or other stream

Section 718 MATERIALS TAKEN FROM ADJOINING LANDS It is lawful for the contractors or board of commissioners in building any county bridge to enter upon the lands and enclosures near to the place where such bridge is to be built for the purpose of searching for and procuring the materials necessary for the building of such bridge when such materials cannot be conveniently obtained by contract at reasonable prices In exercising such right they shall do no unnecessary damage to the owners of the land and shall repair any breaches of fences which they make

Section 719 ASCERTAINING DAMAGES If the contractors or board of commissioners and the owner of such materials cannot agree upon the sum to be paid for the damages which may be done by the taking of such materials such damages shall be estimated by any two of such three persons as may be agreed upon by the contractors or board of commissioners and owners

Section 720 WHEN PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON DAMAGES If the contractors or board of commissioners and owner cannot agree upon any person to estimate the value of the materials taken the owner may apply to a justice of the peace residing near the place from which such materials are to be taken Such justice shall appoint three persons one on the nomination of the contractors or board of commissioners one on the nomination of the owner of such materials and the third on his own suggestion The decision of the persons so appointed or any two of them shall be entered upon the docket of such justice and shall be final If either party shall after due notice refuse or neglect to nominate such person the justice shall appoint a person in his stead

Section 721 DAMAGES TO BE PAID OR SECURED Such damages shall be ascertained and paid or secured to be paid to the satisfaction of the owner of such materials before the same may be dug quarried or removed by such contractors or board of commissioners

Section 722 LIGHTING OF COUNTY BRIDGES Whenever considered necessary for the safety and convenience of the traveling public the county commissioners of any county within which a county bridge is erected or the county commissioners of two or more counties acting together with regard to any bridge located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties may supply and equip any county bridge within their respective counties with lights of any kind and character as they shall deem necessary Any such county bridge more than eight hundred feet in length shall be supplied and equipped with lights

To carry out the provisions of this act the county commissioners severally or jointly are authorized to contract with any individual or with any municipal or private corporation for the purpose of supplying the necessary light

The cost of the construction erection and maintenance of any light placed upon any such bridge shall be paid by the county or by the two or more counties as may be agreed upon by the county commissioners of said counties

Section 723 REPAIR OF COUNTY BRIDGES The county commissioners shall repair all county bridges heretofore erected or that may be hereafter erected by the county where no other provision is made for the maintenance thereof and shall pay the expenses of such repairs out of the county treasury

Section 724 PAINTING AND TIGHTENING OF BOLTS OF IRON AND STEEL BRIDGES The county commissioners shall have the county bridges of their respective counties which are constructed of iron or steel painted and the bolts of the same drawn as often as may be necessary to preserve them from the effects of rust and prevent unnecessary wear occasioned by loose bolts

Section 725 was read as follows:

Section 725 CONTRACTS FOR WORK Whenever it may be necessary to paint any of the county bridges and tighten the bolts thereof as required by the preceding section where the cost of such work exceeds two hundred and fifty dollars the county commissioner shall cause to be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in two newspapers of the county a list of such bridges stating their location and specifying the kind and quantity of paint to be used and asking for sealed bids for furnishing the material and doing the work upon each separate bridge which bids shall be opened on the first Monday following the close of said four weeks or as soon thereafter as practicable The contract for material and work upon each bridge shall be given to the lowest and best bidder

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 725, page 203, line 3, by striking out the word "commissioner" and insert in lieu thereof "commissioners."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 726 to 732, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 726 REPAIR OF BRIDGES VIADUCTS AND SUBWAYS WHEN LIABILITY FOR SUCH REPAIRS IS IN DOUBT Whenever any bridge viaduct or subway carrying a public highway over or under a railroad street railway or other highway in any county of the Commonwealth is out of repair and an application has been made to the Public Service Commission to compel the repair thereof from which proceedings it appears that there is a contest between two or more municipal authorities or between such authorities and one or more public service corporations as to the liability for such repair

and that the cost thereof is not in dispute the petitioner or petitioners or any other person or corporation interested may forthwith apply to the county commissioners of such county for the prompt repair thereof

Section 727 APPLICATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AUTHORITY TO ACT Such application shall be made by serving upon the county commissioners a certified copy of the petition and each of the answers on file before the Public Service Commission After such service the county commissioners may take such steps as may be necessary to place said bridge viaduct or subway in repair and safe for public travel

Section 728 CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS WORK Should the county commissioners find it impracticable to make such repairs with county funds they shall so notify the complainant in the proceedings instituted before the Public Service Commission Thereupon any individual corporation or association interested in having such repairs made may contribute to a fund deposited with the county treasurer for the purpose of making such repairs When said fund shall become sufficient for said purpose the commissioners shall take the necessary steps to place said bridge viaduct or subway in repair and safe for public travel Said repairs may be made partly from such contributions and partly from public funds if the commissioners find it expedient so to do

Section 729 COLLECTION OF COSTS OF REPAIRS RETURN OF CONTRIBUTIONS The cost of said repair shall be kept by the commissioners in an open account until there has been a final adjudication of the proceedings before the Public Service Commission whereupon the amount so expended together with five per centum of such amount to cover the cost of supervision of the work shall be collected as awards of the Public Service Commission are collected and shall be paid into the county treasury Thereupon or in case the contributions aforesaid are insufficient to cause said work to be undertaken any contributions which may have been made as aforesaid shall be returned to the contributors

Section 730 TEMPORARY SUBSTITUTES FOR BRIDGES Where county bridges have been or shall hereafter be destroyed or rendered impassable by fire storm flood or other casualty the county commissioners may provide at the expense of the county ferries or other temporary ways as a substitute for such destroyed or impassable bridges until such county bridges shall be rebuilt or rendered it for public travel Where a county bridge spans a stream which is the boundary between two counties of this Commonwealth and the bridge across such stream has been built and maintained at the joint expense of said adjoining counties the establishment and maintenance of such ferry or temporary way shall be by the joint discretionary action of the boards of commissioners of said counties and the expense thereof shall be borne by said counties in equal share

Section 731 BRIDGE FOR PEDESTRIANS ONLY When the county commissioners of any county have been legally authorized to erect a county bridge and when in the exercise of their discretion it is found that a bridge for pedestrians only will sufficiently accommodate public travel at the place in quetsion they are authorized to erect such bridge instead of a bridge for general traffic

Section 732 REBUILDING INSUFFICIENT BRIDGE Whenever it shall appear to the commissioners that any county bridge is not sufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel they may upon the approval of the court of quarter sessions and of the grand jury erect and construct a new and sufficient bridge to take the place of the insufficient destroyed or partially destroyed bridge Such new bridge when constructed shall be a county bridge

Section 733 was read as follows:

Section 733 REBUILDING BRIDGES WHOLLY OR PARTLY DESTROYED The county commissioners shall rebuild and reconstruct all bridges heretofore built or that may hereafter be erected by the county commissioners whether constructed under general special or local laws whenever any such bridge has been or shall hereafter be blown down destroyed partially destroyed or swept away by floods freshets ice storm fire or other casualty at the expense of the county wherein such bridge was located

For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this section the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitations at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and to issue bonds therefor in sums not exceeding five hundred dollars each

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 733, page 206, line 12, by striking out "heretofore" and insert in lieu thereof "heretofore."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 734 to 823, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 734 CLOSING VACATING ABANDONING AND REMOVING Whenever it shall appear to the commissioners of any county that any county bridge has from any cause become burdensome and is no longer necessary for the accommodation of public travel they may upon the approval of the grand jury and court of quarter sessions close vacate abandon and remove said bridge

Section 735 CONTRACTS WITH RAILROAD COMPANIES FOR USE PURCHASE REMOVAL REPLACING OR EXCHANGE OF COUNTY BRIDGES Any railroad company which has heretofore located or may hereafter locate its railroad upon any county bridge may contract and agree with the commissioners of said county for the use purchase removal replacing or exchange of such bridge or for the compensation to be paid to said county by said company for the use and occupancy of said bridge or such parts thereof as may be used and occupied by said railroad company For such purpose the commissioners may contract and agree with said company and may do all acts necessary and proper to effectually carry out such contract

All moneys due and all obligations incurred by said companies under said agreements and contracts may be collected and enforced in the same manner as debts of like amount are now recovered and similar obligations enforced in this Commonwealth

Section 736 RESTRICTIONS AND SAVINGS CLAUSE No bridge erected under the provisions of this act shall obstruct any canal or railroad over which such bridge may be erected

Nothing in this article shall release railroad or other companies of the Commonwealth from the requirements of existing laws

(b) Authorization and Construction

1 Taking over or assisting with Township and Municipal Bridges

Section 751 ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE Whenever the erection and construction of any new bridge or of any bridge to take the place of an existing bridge over a river creek rivulet or canal or over or under a railroad and forming part of any street road or highway in any city borough town or township is necessary and requires more expense than it is reasonable that such city borough town or township or any two of them when they are adjoining should bear the court of quarter sessions shall upon the representation of the proper authorities of the respective city borough or town or of the supervisors of the township or on the petition of any inhabitants of the respective city borough or township order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court grand jury and commissioners of the county that such bridge is necessary and would be too expensive for such city borough town or township or any two of them adjoining to bear it may in the discretion of the county commissioners be entered on record as a county bridge

Section 752 CHANGE IN LOCATION OF BRIDGE AND ROADS When such bridge is to take the place of an existing

bridge the viewers may change the location of such bridge so that it may be located and erected in the most suitable place or at the least expense or in the best manner and in the case of the change of location of such bridge they shall also report what change in the course or bed of the road to be connected therewith will be necessary and shall also report the vacation of the old or existing bridge and the vacation of such portion of the road connecting therewith as they may deem proper The viewers shall cause every such variation to be accurately surveyed and a plot thereof to be made and returned with their report Upon the approval of their report such roads shall be altered accordingly

Section 753 ESTIMATE OF COST TAX LEVY ERECTION Whenever a bridge shall be authorized and recorded as a county bridge it shall be the duty of the commissioners to procure an estimate of the cost thereof and provide in the county levies the monies necessary to defray the same and proceed to have such bridge erected by contract or otherwise as shall seem to them expedient

Section 754 ENTERING EMBANKMENTS AND CAUSEWAYS ON RECORD AS COUNTY IMPROVEMENTS Where a river creek or rivulet over which it may be necessary to erect a bridge crosses a public road or highway and the erecting of such bridge requires the erection and construction of an embankment or causeway leading to either end of said bridge the erection of which embankment or causeway requires more expense than it is reasonable that one or two adjoining townships should bear the court having jurisdiction shall upon the representation of the township commissioners or supervisors or on the petition of any of the inhabitants of the respective townships order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court that for the use and enjoyment of said bridge by the public it is necessary to erect and construct an embankment or causeway the erection and construction of which would be too expensive for such township or townships to bear it may in the discretion of the county commissioners be entered on record as a county improvement and constructed as county bridges are erected

Section 755 ASSISTANCE IN BUILDING BRIDGES NOT ENTERED AS COUNTY BRIDGES When it is found by the report of viewers by the court and by the grand jury that a bridge is necessary and that the erection of such bridge will require more expense than it is reasonable that the one or more adjoining townships boroughs or cities of the third class shall bear and the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridge on record as a county bridge but shall consider it proper to assist such township or townships or such city of the third class or such borough in building the same they may either build such bridge or any portion or portions thereof or furnish such township or townships or city of the third class or borough the whole or part of the money necessary to build it without entering such bridge on record as a county bridge

Section 756 RECORD TO BE KEPT BY COUNTY MAINTENANCE REPAIR AND REBUILDING BY TOWNSHIP OR MUNICIPALITIES The county commissioners shall keep a record of all their proceedings in such cases and such bridges shall be maintained kept in repair and rebuilt when necessary by the respective townships boroughs or cities of the third class and the county shall in no event be liable for the same

Section 757 ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE Whenever the county commissioners of any county have heretofore assisted or shall hereafter assist any township or borough in the building of the whole or any portion of a bridge and it shall afterwards appear to the commissioners and to the court of quarter sessions that the care maintenance and responsibility of said bridge is greater than it is reasonable that the said township or borough should bear they may with the approval of said court enter such bridge upon record as a county bridge and it shall thereafter be a county bridge the same as if it had originally been so entered on record

Section 758—BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP BRIDGES DONATED TO COUNTY Whenever a public bridge has been built or maintained by any borough or township or both or by any two townships and used by the public for travel the county commissioners may take the same as a county bridge whenever the proper authorities having the maintenance supervision and control of such bridge shall tender the same to said county commissioners free and without charge therefor Any bridge so taken shall thereafter be maintained and kept in repair as a county bridge

2 On Action of County Commissioners

Section 771 BRIDGES AND APPROACHES AUTHORIZED The county commissioners of any county upon the approval of a grand jury and of the court of quarter sessions may locate lay out open construct and maintain public bridges across any river or stream whether such bridge is wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein together with such bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches as the county commissioners or a majority of them may deem necessary or convenient for the purpose of connecting any such bridge with the existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships and to that end may take enter upon appropriate property and rights of property of all kinds whether devoted to a public or private use for the purposes aforesaid and for the necessary slopes piers walls abutments fills and embankments in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act and may enter upon or over any street public highway or public road in such cities boroughs or townships

Section 772 PLANS AND SURVEYS PETITION TO QUARTER SESSIONS Whenever the county commissioners of any county shall resolve to exercise any of the powers conferred by the preceding section they shall cause to be prepared plans and surveys showing the location of the proposed bridge and its approaches and the property or rights of property affected thereby together with any streets or public roads in any city borough or township proposed to be used in connection therewith and they shall present the same together with their petition on behalf of said county to the court of quarter sessions praying for authority to locate lay out open and construct such bridge Such petition shall briefly describe the location and the estimated cost of such bridge or if the method of construction has not been fully determined the estimated cost thereof for each alternative method of construction proposed

Section 773 HEARING AND DECREE Upon the filing of any such application or petition the court shall fix a time for the hearing of the same by and refer the same to the grand jury Notice of the time place and purpose of said hearing shall be given by an advertisement published once a week for three successive weeks in at least one newspaper of general circulation in such county and by handbills posted in conspicuous places along or in the neighborhood of the proposed bridge and its approaches or otherwise as the court shall direct

If the grand jury by a majority vote shall approve said application or petition it shall thereupon certify its approval to said court whereupon the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than ten days thereafter for the filing of exceptions thereto Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said application otherwise it shall make an order approving the location and the plans and surveys therefor and authorize such county to construct such bridge and its approaches and to let a contract or contracts therefor under specifications to be prepared by the county engineer or other proper county authority Thereupon the said bridge and its approaches shall be deemed to be laid out and opened in accordance with the surveys and plans accompanying said petition

Section 774 APPROVAL OF STATE OR FEDERAL OFFICERS BOARD OR BODY CHANGE IN LOCATION Where the proposed bridge crosses any navigable stream or other public water or the property rights of property or rights of way of any railroad or other public service corporation and by reason thereof the approval of any State or Federal officer board or body is required as to the location and construction of such a bridge or its approaches such county shall be deemed to have full and complete authority to construct such bridge in such other location and in such other manner as may be necessary to comply with the conditions prescribed by such officer board or body in granting such approval Provided The county commissioners of such county be of the opinion and by resolution duly adopted by a majority vote so decide that the bridge as thus changed is necessary for the convenience of the traveling public and will accommodate sub-

stantially the same traveling public as the bridge would have done if it had been constructed at the location and in the manner originally provided

Upon the adoption of any such resolution and prior to the construction of such bridge and the entry upon and taking of property for that purpose such county through its county commissioners shall present its petition to the court of quarter sessions of said county briefly setting forth the facts as to the obtaining of such approval and the change made in consequence thereof and the adoption of such resolution together with plans and surveys showing the new location and manner of construction and an estimate showing the cost of construction of such bridge as thus changed and if the proceedings shall appear to be regular the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than twenty days thereafter for the filing of exceptions thereto Notice of the time and place of hearing on said exceptions shall be given by advertisement published once a week for two successive weeks in at least two newspapers of general circulation in such county and by handbills posted in conspicuous places along or in the neighborhood of the proposed bridge and its approaches or otherwise as the court shall direct having regard to the circumstances of the case Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said petition otherwise it shall thereupon make a decree authorizing and empowering said county to contract such bridge in accordance with such new plans and surveys and thereupon such bridge shall be deemed to have been laid out and opened in accordance with such plans and surveys

Section 775 CONTRACTS FOR SPECIAL USE OF BRIDGE The county commissioners of any county may make and enter into contracts or leases with any street railway telegraph telephone or other corporation or persons desiring to make use of said bridge and its approaches for other than ordinary public foot or vehicle traffic and with the successors and assigns of such corporations for the concurrent use of such portion of said public bridge and approaches as shall not substantially impair or restrict the public use and enjoyment thereof upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon or to charge tolls or rentals for such special use No such contract or lease shall be entered into for a longer period than twenty years nor unless such contract or lease shall be first approved by the Public Service Commission of this Commonwealth

Section 776 CONSENT OF CITY OR BOROUGH Should any board of county commissioners in the exercise of the powers herein conferred deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon any street or public highway in any city or borough or to take any other action affecting the property rights or authority of any such city or borough for the purpose of constructing or maintaining any such bridge with its approaches and other appurtenances or otherwise the consent thereto of such city or borough by ordinance shall be first had and obtained

Section 777 COUNTY AUTHORIZED TO CONTRACT WITH CITY OR BOROUGH When such bridge is proposed to be located or erected in any city or borough the county may agree that such city or borough may bear a portion of the cost of the locating laying out opening and constructing of such bridge and its approaches and appurtenances and that the city or borough may provide the approach therefor and bear the cost of the maintenance of any approach within the respective city or borough as shall be agreed upon between any such county and such city or borough All such agreements shall be entered into in writing and at least one executed copy shall be furnished to each county city and borough becoming a party thereto

Section 778 APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX LEVY Any county constructing a bridge under the provisions of sub-division (b) 2 of this article may appropriate and pay out of the general county funds all moneys necessary for said purposes and may levy assess and collect taxes for the purposes aforesaid on all real and personal property within said county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes in addition to all other taxes

Section 779 INCURRING OF INDEBTEDNESS Any county constructing a bridge under the provisions of subdivision (b) 2 of this article may pursuant to a resolution adopted for that purpose by a majority of the county commissioners of such county borrow money and incur indebtedness for the purpose aforesaid to an amount not exceeding the limit of indebtedness prescribed by the laws regulating the manner of increasing such indebtedness and may also fund any indebtedness incurred for the purpose aforesaid It may issue as evidence of such indebtedness registered and coupon bonds or either of them payable within thirty years from the date of their issue and bearing interests at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum payable semi-annually which bonds shall not be sold at less than their par value and accrued interest Such county may also levy and collect taxes on all taxable property in such county in addition to all other taxes for the purpose of paying such indebtedness and interest thereon Any county incurring such indebtedness shall at or before the time of incurring the same make provision for a sinking-fund to pay at maturity all indebtedness so incurred and interest thereon.

Section 780 TO BE COUNTY BRIDGE MAINTENANCE AND EXPENSES All such bridges shall be county bridges and the duty of maintaining the same shall except as otherwise herein provided devolve upon the county and the expense thereof shall be paid out of the general county funds provided for that purpose

3 Between Municipalities on Petition of Resident Taxpayers

Section 791 PETITION FOR BRIDGE OR CULVERT APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS Whenever any city and borough or township or any borough and township are separated by a river creek or rivulet the court of quarter sessions of the county in which said city and borough or township are situated upon petition by not less than twenty-five resident taxpayers of said county representing that the erection of said bridge or culvert over said river creek or rivulet is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel and praying that the county shall erect a bridge or culvert over such river creek or rivulet and between such city and borough or township shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers to view the locality suggested in said petition for a bridge or culvert and to make report of their proceedings to the court at the next term thereof.

Section 792 DUTIES OF VIEWERS The viewers after having given three weeks public notice in at least one newspaper published in said county nearest the locality of the proposed bridge or culvert of the time and place of their meeting and after having been severally sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment justly and with fidelity and a true report to make shall view the locality mentioned in the petition asking for their appointment If they shall find that there is occasion for a bridge or culvert as prayed for they shall proceed to locate the position for the same having due regard to the convenience and accommodation of public travel and the estimated or probable cost thereof

Section 793 REPORT OF VIEWERS The viewers shall make report of their proceedings to the next term of said court or at such other time as the court may direct and in their report shall state

First Who of them were present at the view and whether they were severally sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment justly and with fidelity and a true report to make

Second Whether the bridge or culvert desired is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel and the estimated cost of the same

Third If their report is favorable to the erection thereof the place where they have located said bridge or culvert

If the report of the viewers favors the erection of a bridge or culvert they shall attach to their report a map or draft setting forth the location thereof

Section 794 PROCEEDINGS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORT OF VIEWERS Upon presentation of said report to the court if the court shall approve of the same it shall be confirmed nisi After such confirmation said report shall immediately be presented to the grand jury and if it shall appear to them that the erection of said bridge or culvert is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel they shall approve the same After such approval said report shall at once be presented to the county commissioners who shall either approve or disapprove the same If the report is approved by them and if no exceptions are filed thereto within ten days after its approval by the county commissioners the con-

firmation of the said court shall be made absolute and the county commissioners shall record the same as a county bridge or culvert and shall at once proceed to construct said bridge or culvert with the necessary approaches After its construction they shall maintain and keep the same in good repair at the expence of said county

Should the county commissioners for a period of two years after presentation of said report to them following the confirmation nisi by the court and the approval thereof by the grand jury neglect or refuse to approve or disapprove of said report then the court shall on application by any of the original petitioners for said bridge or culvert after due notice to the county commissioners if no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary order the confirmation of said report to be made absolute and direct that the same be recorded as a county bridge or culvert and that the commissioners shall at once proceed with the construction thereof and of all necessary approaches

Section 795 GROUND FOR APPROACHES For the purpose of securing the proper and necessary approaches for said bridge or culvert the commissioners of the county in which such approaches are situated if unable to procure suitable land therefor may enter upon and occupy sufficent ground for said approaches and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of thie act

Section 796 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY PURCHASE BRIDGES ALREADY ERECTED If instead of building a new bridge the county commissioners can purchase any new bridge already erected at a cost not exceeding ten per centum of what a new bridge can be built for they may make such purchase upon the recommendation of the viewers Such viewers shall also in their report file an estimate of the actual value of such existing bridge or what said bridge can be built for The amount expended by the county commissioners for such purchase shall not exceed the estimate filed by the viewers

Any street car company having the right of passage over any such bridge shall continue to exercise said franchise after the purchase of such bridge by the county

Section 797 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY BORROW MONEY For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of subdivision (b) 3 of this article the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitation if necessary for the purpose aforesaid at a rate of interest not to exceed five per centum and to issue bonds therefor

4 Joint Action of Counties or County and City

Section 801 BUILDING OR REBUILDING Whenever it is necessary to erect a bridge on the boundary line between two counties either to take the place of an inter county bridge which has become insufficient for any cause to accommodate public travel or to provide a new bridge where none has previously been such counties may jointly build or rebuild such bridge after first having obtained the approval of a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions in each county

Section 802 JOINING WITH CITY When such bridge is on the dividing line between two counties which is also the dividing line between one county and a city in the other county and such city has authority to build or rebuild such bridge or to join with any county therein said county may join with said city in the other county in building or rebuilding such bridge In such case the approval of a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions of the county so joining with a city only shall be required

Section 803 COST STATUS The cost of such bridge shall be paid in such proportions as shall be agreed upon by the two counties or by the county and city so joining Such bridge when built shall be an inter-county bridge and be subject to all provisions of existing laws relating to inter-county bridges

Section 804 TAKING OF LANDS Whenever in the construction of a bridge lands are taken in any county joining in such construction and damages are sustained by the owner or owners of such lands the county commissioners in the county where the lands are located when possible shall enter into an agreement with such owner or owners as to the amount of damages to be paid to such owner or owners If a satisfactory agreement cannot be made as to said damages they shall be ascertained and paid in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act The damages shall in either event be paid by the county in which the lands are located

(c) Acquisition of Bridges

1 Toll Bridges

Section 811 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION On petition to the court of quarter sessions by at least twenty taxpayers of any county wherein a toll bridge is situated representing that said bridge is necessary for the accommodation of public travel and that payment of tolls on such bridge is burdensome to the traveling public and praying that the same shall be taken as county bridge and the approval of such petition of the court such county may purchase or condemn such toll bridge

Section 812 WHEN PRICE CANNOT BE AGREED UPON If the county desiring to obtain any such bridge with the approaches and appurtenances thereto is unable to agree with the owner or owners of the bridge upon the price to be paid therefor it may take and obtain the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 813 TO BE PUBLIC BRIDGE TOLLS OR RENTALS FOR SPECIAL USE PRESERVATION OF EXISTING CONTRACTS Whenever any such bridge shall be purchased or condemned the county shall control maintain and use the said bridge as a public bridge free from tolls but it shall have power to charge tolls or rentals for the use thereof from railway telephone telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel Where contracts exist between such persons and the owners of the bridge such contract shall be preserved for the benefit of the county and shall be assigned thereto

2 Acquiring and Rebuilding Bridges Privately Owned or Built by Public Subscription

Section 821 REBUILDING WHEN DESTROYED OR ABANDONED The county commissioners of any county may take charge of or rebuild and reconstruct any bridge owned and maintained by corporations where the same has been destroyed by ice or otherwise within ten years or abandoned by the owners where such bridge crosses any stream or river running into or through such county

Any bridge used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties being on the line of a public highway or deemed necessary for the use of the traveling public and owned and maintained by corporations or by private persons or which was built by public subscriptions which has been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which has been or may be abandoned and the site or location and piers and abutments no longer used by the owners may be rebuilt and maintained jointly as a county bridge by the county commissioners of such counties and the costs and expenses of such joint reconstruction shall be paid by the said counties respectively in the proportion of the population thereof as ascertained at the last census

Section 822 MANDAMUS ON PETITION OF TAXPAYERS IF COMMISSIONERS NEGLECT OR REFUSE TO ACT If the commissioners of said county or counties shall neglect or refuse to act as herein provided then upon the petition or petitions to the court or courts of common pleas of fifty property owners and taxpayers residing in each city borough or townships in which the bridge is or was located said court or courts may issue a writ or writs of mandamus to said commissioners to proceed as provided by the preceeding section Such petition or petitions shall set forth fully all the facts and shall be supported by the affidavit of five of said property owners and taxpayers

Section 823 PROCEDURE WHEN DAMAGES CANNOT BE AGREED ON When said commissioners have taken any piers abutments approaches toll houses or other property necessary for the rebuilding and maintenance of any such bridge or have taken or impaired any rights or franchises relating to the same and are unable to agree with the owners upon the amount of damages shall be ascertained and paid in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 824 was read as follows:

Section 824 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE AUTHORIZED For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of subdivision C (2) of the article the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitations if necessary for the purpose aforesaid at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and issue bonds therefor not exceeding five hundred dollars each Said bonds to be payable at the option of the commissioners of the county issuing the same after five years and within ten years from the date of issue

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 824, page 226, line 18, by striking out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof "this."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 831 to 894, inclusive, were separately read and agreed to as follows:

3 Erected by private Persons or by Public Subscriptions and Donated to County

Section 831 ACCEPTANCE TAKING CHARGE OF AND ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE The county commissioners of any county may accept take charge of and enter upon the records as a county bridge any bridge over any stream or river running into or through any county which bridge has been erected and constructed at the expense of private persons or by public subscriptions and has been opened to free public travel used by the public and become necessarily and convenient for the use of the public upon notice in writing of the persons who erected or caused the same to be erected or by the subscribers to the original subscription on which the money was raised to erect the same or the heirs or assigns of such persons or subscribers or by a duly authorized board of trustees representing such persons or subscribers of their desire to donate the said bridge to the county wherein the same is situated Where such bridge crosses a stream forming the boundary line between two counties the persons or their heirs or assigns subscribers or trustees representing them as aforesaid shall give notice in writing to the county commissioners of each of said counties of their desire to donate such bridge to said counties jointly

Section 832 PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING NECESSITY OF BRIDGE Before said bridge is accepted by the county commissioners the question of its necessity shall be determined in the following manner The said county commissioners shall at the next term of the court of quarter sessions after receiving the notice present the same to said court and petition for the appointment of three viewers and where said bridge crosses a stream being the boundary line between two counties shall present the same to the court of quarter sessions of each county for the appointment of three viewers by each of said courts The viewers shall immediately fix a time of meeting and give personal notice thereof to the county commissioners and to all other persons by publication in two newspapers published in the county once a week for two consecutive weeks the last publication of said notice to be not less than ten days prior to the meeting of said viewers At the time fixed for said meeting said viewers shall meet at the bridge and after being sworn to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity and according to the best of their judgment shall view the bridge and the approaches leading thereto and hear any and all persons interested therein and may if necessary adjourn to a subsequent time or times After a full consideration the viewers shall report to the court of quarter sessions by which they were appointed at the next session thereof Such report shall state that said viewers gave notice and were sworn as required herein that they met at the bridge in question and viewed the same together with the approaches leading thereto the condition of the bridge and whether or not in their judgment the same is necessary and convenient to accommodate travel The report of said viewers shall lie over until the then next session of said court and if no exceptions to the proceedings be filed in the mean time the court shall confirm said report absolutely The commissioners shall thereupon enter said bridge upon the records as a county bridge or joint county bridge as the case may be

Section 833 PROCEDURE IF EXCEPTIONS ARE FILED In case exceptions to the proceedings provided in the preceding section are filed within the time therein specified the said proceedings shall stay until the exceptions are disposed of by the court in which they are filed If said exceptions are sustained proceedings de novo may be instituted at the next or any subsequent session of said court

Section 834 PAYMENT OF COSTS All costs shall be paid out of the treasury of the county The owners of said bridge shall pay the amount of said costs into the county treasury in all such cases as the court by order may direct and the county commissioners may require the owners of said bridges to file a bond together with their notice in a sufficient sum to secure the payment of the same

4 Leasing of Toll Bridges

Section 841 LEASING OF TOLL BRIDGES OR RIGHT TO USE SAME Whenever a toll bridge owned or maintained by a bridge company or corporation organized and existing under the laws of this Commonwealth shall span a river or stream in this Commonwealth and such bridge or any portion thereof is or shall be used solely by the public for general highway purposes or by the public for such purposes concurrently with the use of the same by any railroad company or street railway company engaged as a common carrier and a majority of the county commissioners of any county or of the respective counties interested shall by resolution declare such bridge or any portion thereof necessary for the accommodation of the public for general highway purposes and that the payment of tolls on such bridge is burdensome to the public using the same for such purposes then and in any such event any such county separately or such counties jointly shall have the power to enter into a contract with such bridge company or corporation whereby such bridge company or corporation may lease to such county or counties such bridge or such portion or portions thereof as may be used by the public for general highway purposes for the use of the same by the public for said purposes free from the payment of tolls at such rental or rentals and for such definite term of years not to exceed twenty (20) years in duration and upon such other terms and conditions as may be agreed upon and as a majority of the county commissioners of such county or counties shall deem reasonable and proper or enter into a lease with such bridge company or corporation providing for the use during a definite period not exceeding twenty years of any such bridge or any portion thereof by the public for general highway purposes free from the payment of tolls during the term of any such contract subject to the concurrent use of such bridge or any portion thereof by any railroad company or street railway company engaged as a common carrier and making use of the said bridge or any portion thereof which lease shall contain such terms of payment for such use by the public of such bridge or any portion thereof an such other terms provisions and conditions as may be agreed upon and as the county commissioners of said county or counties shall deem reasonable and proper

Section 842 NO TOLLS TO BE CHARGED No tolls shall be charged the public for the use of said bridge or any portion thereof for general highway purposes during the term of any such lease or any such contract

Section 843 PAYMENT OF RENTAL AND EXPENSES The rental or compensation to be paid to any such bridge company or corporation and the expense of maintenance and repair and any other expense and obligation shall be born and paid by any such county or by

the several counties respectively in such proportions as may be agreed upon by the county commissioners or the county commissioners of the respective counties

Section 844 APPROVAL OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Any such contract entered into under the provisions of this act shall be approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth in the manner prescribed by law

Section 845 APPROPRIATIONS TAX LEVIES INDEBTEDNESS The several counties shall have power to appropriate money levy taxes and to incur indebtedness for the purpose of complying with the provisions of any contract entered into under the provisions of subdivision (c) 4 of this article

(d) Joint Action with Municipalities

Section 851 CITY BRIDGES BENEFITING NEIGHBORING TOWNSHIPS Whenever different parts of any city or any part of such city and any township bordering thereon are separated therefrom by any intervening valley or ravine and the county commissioners of such county shall decide it necessary that a public bridge for the purpose of connecting the territories thus separated be constructed and that such bridge will be of substantial advantage and benefit to the taxable inhabitants of the township bordering thereon or townships adjacent thereto such county may contract with such city for the laying out and construction by such city of such bridge and may pay to the city such portion of the cost thereof as the county commissioners shall deem reasonable and shall appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor

Section 852 MUNICIPAL BRIDGES WHERE COUNTY MIGHT HAVE BUILT BRIDGE Where under the provisions of existing laws a city of the third class a borough or a township of the first class is authorized to construct a bridge or viaduct over a river creek or stream or other place over which the county is authorized to build bridges and such municipality is authorized to contract with the county and with railroads street railways and other companies or parties interested for the building and maintenance of such bridge or viaduct and for the payment of any damages caused by the location or erection thereof the county commissioners may with the approval of the court of quarter sessions contract with such city borough or township for that part or portion of the bridge or viaduct which crosses any of the places hereinbefore mentioned including the abutments and piers thereof Such part shall thereafter be maintained as a county bridge In lieu thereof the county commissioners may with the approval of the court contract for any part or portion of the whole structure equal to or greater than the part or portion which the county might have built

Section 853 CONTRIBUTION WHERE COUNTY MIGHT NOT HAVE BUILT BRIDGE When such bridge or viaduct is built by a borough or township of the first class and does not cross any place over which the county is authorized to construct a bridge but crosses merely railroad or railroads and private property the county commissioners may subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions contract to pay an amount of money not exceeding thirty per centum of the entire cost of the proposed bridge or viaduct Such bridge or viaduct shall thereafter be maintained as a borough or township structure and the county shall not be liable for any part of the cost of maintenance or repair thereof

Section 854 STIPULATIONS OF CONTRACTS The contracts herein provided for may stipulate that the county shall pay a certain part or portion of the whole contract price or cost of the work including damages or may stipulate that the county shall construct or pay for the construction of a certain part or portion of the work and may otherwise provide for the payment of the damages The amount to be paid by the county shall be paid directly to the contractor as may be provided by the contract The agreements may also provide for the maintenance of the viaducts and bridges after their erection

Section 855 CONTRACTS FOR WORK After any such contract has been entered into the county commissioners in conjunction with the city borough or township shall have prepared plans and specifications of the entire work and shall advertise for bids and award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder Such contract shall provide that the county shall pay its certain part of such bridge or viaduct directly to the contractor The contractor shall have a right of action against the county for the part of the contract which the county agrees to pay

Section 856 CONTRACTS MAY BE RECORDED Any of the contracts hereinabove provided for may be recorded in the recorder's office Such record shall be notice to all persons who might be affected thereby

Section 857 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF PUBLIC TOLL BRIDGES Where under the provisions of existing laws a borough or other municipality may purchase condemn and maintain any toll bridge crossing any river or stream within the limits of such borough or municipality and may enter into contracts with the county commissioners whereby the county shall pay a portion of the costs thereof the county commissioners may upon petition of at least twenty tax payers of the county to the court of quarter sessions and the approval thereof by the court enter into such contract upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon for the purchase appropriation or condemnation of such bridge The contract may stipulate that the borough or municipality and county shall each pay a certain portion of the purchase price or the damage allowed by any condemnation proceedings and may also provide for the maintenance and repair of such bridge The amount to be paid by the county shall be paid into the borough or municipal treasury and shall be applied solely to the payment of such bridge

ARTICLE X

ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

(a) Authorization Construction and Maintenance

1 County Roads to be Maintained as Such

Section 871 ESTABLISHMENT OF COUNTY ROADS For the purpose of providing public roads specially constructed improved and maintained the county commissioners may upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions originally lay out and open any public road or highway and take possession of and exercise control over any existing township road or highway or part thereof and may construct and maintain public roads or highways as county roads within their respective limits Either at the time of and in connection with the original improvement of such road or at any time thereafter they may straighten widen extend and alter any such road or part thereof and vacate so much thereof as may become unnecessary and useless Any road or highway so taken over or improved shall thereupon become a county road It shall be the duty of the county to keep and maintain all county roads in repair whether improved under this or former acts of assembly the expense thereof to be paid by such county in the manner hereinafter provided

Section 872 JOINT ACTION BY COUNTIES Such powers may also be exercised jointly by adjoining counties as to roads extending along and adjacent to county lines and from one adjoining county into another

The procedure and jurisdiction in each county in such cases shall be the same as to the portion or portions of such public road or highways lying within its limits except that the petition plans and surveys of such road or highway shall describe and exhibit the portion or portions of such road or highway within the limits of such county and the portion or portions thereof extending along the line of or into an adjoining county The several portions thereof lying within limits of each county shall be treated in all proceedings as one continuous road or highway

Section 873 TO BE COUNTY ROAD AS SOON AS SO DECREED All roads highways and parts thereof heretofore and hereafter decreed by the court under this or any former acts of assembly to be a county road shall be subject to the control and supervision of the county commissioners Upon the decree or order making an existing township road or part thereof a county road the same shall immediately be kept in repair made constructed and maintained by the county and the township relieved of any duty thereto as a township road

Section 874 MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF COUNTY ROADS AND TURNPIKES The commissioners shall have prepared plans and estimates as often as required for the repair and maintenace of abandoned or condemned turnpike roads and of all public roads or highways which may be origi-

nally located or improved as county roads or which have been originally located or improved as township roads and have become county roads They may invite proposals for maintaining and repairing such roads or parts thereof in accordance with such plans and estimates and award the contract therefor in like manner as contracts for new improvements or they may make the necessary repairs themselves For the purpose of making such repairs the commissioners may employ or appoint the proper persons and buy the necessary machinery and materials

Section 875 ANNUAL TAX The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within said county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in locating opening building improving widening straightening extending maintaining repairing or vacating of the roads and highways or parts thereof covered by the provisions of subdivision (a) 1 of this article and for the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be necessary in constructing and maintaining proper slopes embankments fills and culverts The moneys so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purposes than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the persons charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 876 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE The county commissioners may borrow money and secure any indebtedness created by them for the purpose of building improving repairing and maintaining the public roads and highways now constructed or to be constructed as aforesaid by issuing bonds not to exceed in the aggregate two (2) per centum of the total assessed value of all property for taxable purposes in such county at the last proceeding triennial valuation No such bond or indebtedness shall bear interest at a rate exceeding five (5) per centum per annum The county commissioners shall not issue bonds in any one year to an amount exceeding one-half (½) of one (1) per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in said county as shown by the last triennial assessment The amount of bonds issued in any one year in excess of one-tenth (1-10) of one (1) per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in said county as shown by the last triennial assessment shall be approved by the grand jury and the court of quarter sessions

Section 877 CHANGING PART OF ROAD WITHOUT VIEW Whenever the board of commissioners deem it advisable to construct change or alter any part of any public road under their supervision and can agree with the property owners affected by such change as to damages they may upon payment of the damages agreed upon change or alter such part of such public road as contemplated in such agreement without the formality of a view This authority shall not extend to any change or alteration of any part of any public road the costs and expenses of which to such county including damages shall exceed three hundred dollars A petition setting forth the facts accompanied by a map or draft of such proposed change shall be presented to the court of quarter sessions for approval before such actual change is made whereupon the new location thus approved by the court shall be the public road to all intents and purposes and the old location shall be vacated

Section 878 ASSESSMENT OF BENEFITS IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES Whenever in any county of the second class any road or highway shall be originally located laid out or constructed or relocated opened straightened widened extended or altered or any part thereof vacated the viewers appointed to assess damages for taking injuring or destroying property after having determined the amount of damages sustained shall assess the whole or such part of such damages as may be represented by benefits upon the properties abutting on and benefited by such improvements The remaining part of such damages if any not so assessed against the abutting properties shall be paid by the county The total assessments for benefits shall in no case exceed the total damages awarded and agreed upon

The viewers shall in such cases file their report showing the balance struck between the damages awarded and the benefits assessed

Section 879 INTEREST ON BENEFITS ASSESSED All assessments for benefits in counties of the second class shall bear interest at the expiration of thirty days after they have been finally determined and fixed and shall be payable to the treasurer of the county

Section 880 LIENS FOR BENEFITS ASSESSED All liens for the assessment of benefits pursuant to the provisions of the two preceding sections of this act shall be filed revived and collected by the proper officer of the county appointed and authorized so to do by the county commissioners in the manner provided by the general law

No appeal taken shall prevent the filing of liens by any county for any assessment made by virtue of the viewers' report but upon the final determination of the issue the court may make such order as to any lien filed that shall appear right and proper

2 System of Main Thoroughfares Adopted Laid Out and Constructed by County and Becoming Borough and Township Roads

Section 891 ADOPTION OF SYSTEM OF MAIN THOROUGHFARES The board of county commissioners may within two years from the commencement of the improvement of the roads of the county in the manner provided by the following section of this act cause to be laid out surveyed and adopted a system of main thoroughfares which said board shall adjudge the proper roads to be established and specially constructed and improved in adopting such system the commissioners shal lconsider the population and needs of all parts of the county and make an equitable distribution of the roads to be specially constructed located and improved by the said county They shall cause a plan or plans to be made showing said system of proposed roads the relation of the proposed roads to existing public roads which connect therewith or are to be supplied thereby the names of abutting property owners and also roads which already have been improved by the county Upon approval of said plan or plans by the commissioners they shall cause said approval to be engrossed upon said plans and certified over the signature of a majority Said plans shall be filed for public inspection in the office of the commissioners and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in a book to be provided for the purpose

No part of the proposed roads of said system shall be an easement upon private property or in any manner interfere with the use thereof until established as a public road by the action of the court of quarter sessions

Section 892 IMPROVEMENT OF BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP ROADS Whenever such system of main thoroughfares has been adopted or when the adoption thereof is contemplated within two years after the commencement of such improvement the commissioners may upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided take exclusive control of any improved public road or highway or section thereof located either wholly or in part in any borough or township within their limits whether existing by their authority or laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act or otherwise For that purpose they may originally locate lay out establish in whole or in part relocate straighten widen extend alter and open public roads and highways and construct and improve the same and vacate so much of any roads as may be thereby rendered unnecessary and useless Any road or highway as established or altered constructed and improved under the provisions of this section shall by ordinance enacted by the borough councils of the borough or several boroughs or by resolution adopted by the commissioners or supervisors of the township or several townships through which such road shall pass become borough or township roads and the duty of maintaining and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the proper township or borough through or into which the same extends

Section 893 PLAN OF SYSTEM TO BE FOLLOWED VARIATIONS After such plans have been adopted and recorded either under the authority of this act or in pursuance

of the provisions of any law repealed by this act all applications under the preceding section of this act to the court of quarter sessions shall be restricted and relate to the establishing opening construction and improvement of the proposed roads of said system or parts thereof and the vacation of roads supplied by the portion opened and improved Provided That the commissioners upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided are empowered to relocate straighten widen extend alter and open construct and improve the proposed public roads as laid out surveyed marked and shown upon said plans of said system or to originally locate lay out and establish construct and improve public roads which substantially supply said system or parts thereof which although not parts of said system are deemed by the grand jury and court to be main thoroughfares of sufficient importance to be improved by the county and to be added to said plan and in such case to vacate so much of the roads of said system and of public roads already established as may be rendered unnecessary by the changes or by an entirely new location

Section 894 IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS NOT PART OF SYSTEMS ON CONTRIBUTION FROM PARTIES INTERESTED The commissioners may also originally locate lay out and establish in whole or in part relocate straighten widen extend alter and open construct and improve public roads not parts of said system nor deemed main thoroughfares upon manner to be approved by the court of quarter sessions such parties interested therein paying or securing to be paid in a proportion of the cost of the original construction and improvement as the commissioners may deem just which shall not be less than one-fourth of such cost in any case

Section 895 was read as follows:

Section 895 ANNUAL TAX The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs and damages and expenses required in locating opening widening straightening extending building improving maintaining repairing or vacating of the roads and highways or parts thereof improved under the provisions of subdivision (a) two of this article and for the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be made necessary in constructing and maintaining proper slopes embankments fills and culverts The moneys so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty and the amount of time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 895, page 244, by striking out all of line 17.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections 896 to 1052, inclusive, and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 896 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE Any county may borrow money and secure such indebtedness by issuing bonds for the purpose of building and improving the public roads and highways or any part thereof constructed under the provisions of subdivision (a) two of this article Such indebtedness shall not exceed in the aggregate one (1) per centum of the total of the assessed value of all property for taxable purposes in said county at the last preceding triennial valuation No such bond or indebtedness shall bear interest at a rate exceeding four per centum per annum

The county commissioners shall not issue bonds in any one year to an amount exceeding one-half of one per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in the county as shown by the last triennial assessment The amount of bonds issued in any one year in excess of one-tenth of one per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes as shown by the last triennial assessment shall be approved by the grand jury and the court of quarter sessions

3 Highways Bridges Tunnels Subways and Underground Roads

Section 901 LOCATION CONSTRUCTION OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE AUTHORIZED Counties may whenever the commissioners shall deem it expedient so to do and upon the approval thereof by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided cause to be located constructed operated and maintained a public highway bridge tunnel subways or underground road or highways bridges tunnels subways or underground roads anywhere within the county either wholly or partly within the territorial limits of cities boroughs and townships thereof Any highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road constructed under the provisions of this act shall forever thereafter be a county highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road and the duty of maintaining and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the county The expense thereof shall be paid by the county as hereinafter provided

Section 902 CONTRACTS OR LEASE FOR SPECIAL USE OF IMPROVEMENT The county commissioners may subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions make and enter into a contract or lease with any street railway or transportation company its successors and assigns for the concurrent use of such a portion of said public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road as shall not substantially impair or restrict the public use and enjoyment thereof upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon No such contract or lease for the concurrent use of a portion of such improvement shall be for a longer term or period than twenty years

Section 903 TAKING STREET OR OTHER PROPERTY OF CITY OR BOROUGH Should any board of county commissioners deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon or appropriate any highway street or property of any city or borough in the county or take any other action affecting the property rights or authority of such city or borough for the purpose of constructing or maintaining a highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road or otherwise the consent thereto of such city or borough by ordinance shall be obtained before the actual entering in or upon or the appropriation of such street highway or property After such entry and appropriation the county shall be liable and charged with the supervision control and maintenance of said highway streets and properties or so much thereof as is taken and used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining such highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road

Section 904 ANNUAL TAX LEVY The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills on the dollar on all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs and damages and expenses required in locating opening constructing maintaining and repairing public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads constructed under the provisions of subdivision (a) 3 of this article and the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be made necessary in constructing the same and in maintaining proper slopes embankments approaches and termini for said public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which

shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 905 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE Any county may borrow money and incur indebtedness to an amount in the aggregate not exceeding one-half of one per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said county as fixed by the last preceding assessed valuation thereof for the construction of such public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads or for the purpose of funding any indebtedness incurred therefor and may issue as evidence thereof registered or coupon bonds payable within thirty years from the date of their issue and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum payable annually or semi-annually Said bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest

The commissioners or a majority of them may make provision for a sinking-fund to pay at maturity any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred as hereinbefore provided and may levy and collect taxes on all the taxable property in the several counties in addition to all other taxes for the purpose of paying the same

4 General Provisions

Section 916 PROCEDURE TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF QUARTER SESSIONS When the county commissioners shall resolve to exercise any of the powers conferred by any of the proceeding sections of this article they shall cause to be prepared surveys and plans of such road or highways or such public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road showing the improvement proposed to be made together with any proposed changes in existing public roads or highways and they shall present such surveys and plans together with their petition on behalf of such county to the court of quarter sessions praying for authority to make such improvement Such petition shall briefly describe the proposed improvement and the estimated cost thereof and if the method of construction has not been fully determined the estimated cost thereof in each of several methods in which the improvement may be made

On the filing of such application or petition the court shall refer the same to and fix a time for the hearing of the same by the grand jury when in session Notice of said hearing shall be given by an advertisement published at least ten days prior to the hearing in two newspapers of general circulation in the county which notice shall briefly describe the location of the improvement proposed to be made and the time place and purpose of said hearing If the grand jury by a majority vote shall approve the petition it shall thereupon certify its approval to said court whereupon the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than five days thereafter within which exceptions to said petition may be filed Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said application otherwise said court shall approve said application and shall thereupon order that said improvement shall be made and constructed in accordance with the plans and surveys accompanying the application Thereupon any original location re-location opening widening straightening extension alteration or vacation of any road set forth in said proceedings and the right to proceed with such improvement shall become absolute

The words "improved" or "Improvement" as herein used mean each and every power conferred upon counties under the terms of any of the preceeding sections of this article

Section 917 RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN For the purposes herein described the county commissioners may enter upon private or public property and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure prescribed by article seven of this act

Section 918 CONTRACTS FOR IMPROVEMENTS After said surveys and plans and the aforesaid applications to the court of quarter sessions have been approved by the court and the road highway or the public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road ordered to be made and constructed in accordance therewith the commissioners or a majority of them shall invite proposals for the making and constructing of the same or such part or parts of the same as the commissioners shall deem proper by publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in said county or if no newspaper be published in said county then in a newspaper or newspapers published in the nearest adjoining county once a week for four consecutive weeks fixing a time therein when such proposals will be opened and contracts therefor awarded In addition to the notices so ordered to be given for publication there shall be posted in the office of said commissioners like notices as those now given inviting proposals for the construction and repair of all public highways and bridges The contract as aforesaid shall be awarded by the said commissioners or a majority of them to the lowest responsible bidder No contract shall be awarded for any of said public work until proper bonds shall be given for the faithful performance thereof by the person or persons to whom the same shall be awarded with proper security to be approved by said commissioners or a majority of them Any incorporated company doing buisiness within any of said counties authorized by law to become security for persons or corporations may be taken and accepted as surety upon the bonds herein required to be given

Section 919 EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS TO PREPARE SURVEYS PLANS AND ESTIMATES For the purpose of performing all necessary duties relating to the making of such improvements and keeping the same in repair the county commissioners may employ or appoint proper persons to prepare surveys plans and estimates and do all necessary and proper work connected therewith and shall fix the compensation of all persons so employed

Section 920 PROCEDURE WHERE PROPERTY IS LEFT WITHOUT OUTLET BY REASON OF VACATING OF PART OF OLD ROAD Whenever by reason of the relocating opening widening straightening or extending of any road or highway or any part thereof any part of the road or highway so relocated opened extended straightened or widened shall become useless and vacated and the property of one owner shall intervene between the new road or highway and the lands of another having no other outlet by reason of said relocation opening extending straightening and widening it shall be the duty of the said county commissioners to obtain from the owner of said intervening property and the owner of the said contiguous or adjoining land an agreement for the transfer thereof from one to the other upon terms satisfactory to such parties If the parties shall not agree to the transfer of the properties so intervening upon the new road and any such lot or piece of land in the opinion of the said county commissioners be insufficient for building purposes it shall be taken and used as part of said road or highway

Section 921 PARTIES MAKING APPLICATION FOR NEW ROAD TO NOTIFY LOCAL ROAD AUTHORITIES In all cases wherein any proceedings are about to be had before any board of commissioners or courts of this Commonwealth by petition to said courts or commissioners looking to the laying out opening and construction of new roads for public use it shall be the duty of the parties making application to the board of commissioners or to the courts for the appointment of viewers reviewers or re-reviewers to lay out open or construct such public road to give written notice of such application to the supervisors or commissioners of roads and highways of the territory through which the proposed public road is designated to be laid out and constructed of the time and place of such application and of the time and place of the meeting of viewers reviewers or re-reviewers A copy of said written notice properly attested shall be filed among the records of the court having cognizance of the matters Failure to comply with the provisions of this section as to such notice shall be sufficient grounds for an application to set aside whatever proceedings may have been taken of which said supervisors or commissioners of roads and highways had no written notice

Section 922 UNLAWFUL TO RAISE HIGHWAY ABOVE ORDINARY GRADE OVER DRAIN OR CULVERT In the construction or repair of any highway it shall be unlawful for the person or persons in charge of such construction or repair to raise such highway or permit the same to be raised or elevated above the ordinary grade thereof when a drain or culvert shall be constructed under said highway or when such highway shall be constructed or repaired over such drain or culvert

(b) Vacation as County Roads

Section 931 VACATION AS COUNTY ROADS Upon petition of the county commissioners the court of quarter sessions may vacate as a county road any portion or portions of any abandoned or condemned turnpike road or any portion or portions of any turnpike road purchased by the county or of any road the permanent location or improvement whereof has been ordered or made under this or former acts relating to county roads All portions of such roads so vacated shall become and be township roads Written notice of the contents of said petition and the time when the same will be presented to the court shall be given by the county commissioners to the supervisors or commissioners of the township or townships through which said road passes at least ten days before the date of presenting the same At the time said petition is presented the court may fix a time for a hearing in open court or refer the matter to an examiner to take testimony and report his findings to the court at such time as the court shall direct At any hearing in open court or before an examiner appointed by the court all parties in interest may appear and be heard After such hearing the court if it shall find that the conditions prescribed by this act has been complied with may grant the prayer of the petitioners and make a decree according or make such order in the premises as to right and justice shall appertain

(c) Continuous Highways from one County to Another

Section 936 LAYING OUT ALTERING VACATING Roads forming or intended to form a continuous highway from one county to another which cross a river creek or rivulet forming a boundary line between said counties may be laid out or altered or vacated in the manner provided in the case of other roads except that the court of quarter sessions of each county shall appoint three viewers and that a report as aforesaid shall be made to each court respectively and that each court shall otherwise have and exercise concurrent jurisdiction therein

Section 937 JOINT COUNTY BRIDGE ON LINE OF HIGHWAY Whenever roads are laid out altered or vacated as referred to in the preceding section of this act over a river creek or rivulet and in such laying out altering or vacating of said road it becomes necessary to vacate an existing bridge and construct a joint county bridge on a different site the same viewers who view the laying out altering or vacating of said road shall at the same time have the authority to locate a new joint county bridge on the route of the road as laid out altered or vacated and the report on the road and joint county bridge shall be made in the same report and shall be returned to each of the courts as soon as said report is completed Provided That in the petition for the view of the road there is contained a request for relocation of said joint county bridge Before any such road and joint county bridge shall be finally confirmed by the court the same shall be approved by a grand jury and the court in each of the respective counties and after the approval of such road and joint county bridge by said grand juries and courts the report shall be confirmed "nisi" by the courts of each county which report shall become absolute in thirty days unless exceptions thereto be filed in the manner provided by law If exception be filed the said courts shall hear said exceptions and make final decree either confirming said report or setting it aside as is now provided by law in similar cases

Section 938 ERECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF BRIDGE Any such bridge when authorized and located shall be erected constructed maintained and kept in repair in the manner provided by Article IX of this act for bridges erected on the line of adjoining counties

(d) Purchase and Condemnation of Turnpikes

Section 941 PURCHASE BY COUNTY Twenty-five or more resident taxpayers of any county in which any turnpike road or highway heretofore or hereafter constructed is wholly or partly located and upon which tolls are charged the traveling public under any general or special law may present their petition to the board of commissioners setting forth that it would be for the best interests of the people of the county that such turnpike road or highway of any continuous part thereof extending to one of the terminal points of said turnpike road or highway or lying within the limits of any borough should be purchased by the county and become a public road free from tolls and toll-gates Whereupon the board of commissioners may enter into negotiations with the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof for the purchase of the same and if the price therefor can be mutually agreed upon it shall be paid by the board of commissioners

The county commissioners of any county not having sufficient funds not other wise appropriated to pay for any turnpike road or highway or part thereof purchased under the provisions of this section may issue bonds of the said county in accordance with the Constitution and existing laws of this Commonwealth for that purpose

The provisions of this section shall not apply to any turnpike road or highway or part thereof which now forms or may hereafter form a part of the State highway system of this Commonwealth

Section 942 CONDEMNATION If said board of commissioners and the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof cannot agree upon the price to be paid for the same the said board of commissioners may take and obtain possession of the said turnpike road or highway or any part thereof in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act and make the same a public road free from tolls and toll-gates

Section 943 MAINTENANCE Said road so made free of tolls either by negotiations or condemnation proceedings as aforesaid shall be properly repaired and maintained at the expense of the city or borough in which the road or part thereof lies or in case such road or part thereof lies within a township or townships then by the county unless the board of supervisors or commissioners of the township accept the same and signify such acceptance in writing filed in the office of the court of quarter sessions In such case the road shall become a part of the road system of said township and shall thereafter be maintained in the same manner as other roads legally laid out in said township

Section 944 PROCEEDINGS WHEN TURNPIKE IS ON BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN TWO COUNTIES In case the said turnpike road or highway which it is desired to have made free of tolls and toll-gates is located in whole or in part upon the line dividing any two counties the petition required shall be signed by twenty or more resident taxpayers of each of said counties and the duties imposed in said section upon the commissioners of the one county shall be exercised by the commissioners of both counties acting together and the amount to be paid for said turnpike road or highway as agreed upon by the said boards of commissioners and the owners thereof shall be apportioned between and paid by the two counties as agreed upon by said boards of commissioners

If the said boards of commissioners and the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof cannot agree upon the price to be paid for the same the said boards of commissioners may take and obtain the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act In such case proceedings shall be instituted in the courts of common pleas of each county and three viewers shall be appointed by each of said courts and the said courts shall together with the commissioners of the respective counties in all other respects have and exercise concurrent jurisdiction and discreation therein Exceptions to the report of the viewers may be filed in and appeals therefrom made to the courts of common pleas of either county in which case the courts of said two counties sitting together shall hear and determine the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided for exceptions and appeals in article seven of this act

The damages for the appropriation of any such turnpike road or highway or any part thereof shall be apportioned by said viewers between the two counties

Section 945 TO BE PUBLIC HIGHWAY Whenever any turnpike road or highway or part thereof shall be purchased or condemned it shall become a public highway free from tolls and toll-gates

If only a part of any such turnpike road or highway shall be condemned nothing herein contained shall be taken to bridge the right of the company owning or operating such turnpike to maintain toll-gates and collect tolls upon the remaining parts of their road not taken It shall not be lawful so to condemn any portion of such turnpike road or highway unless such portion extend to one of the terminal points of such turnpike road or highway or is a portion lying within

the limits of any borough incorporated under any general or special law and unless such portion be a continuous portion

Section 946 ABANDONED TURNPIKE RUNNING THROUGH UNSEATED LANDS TO BE KEPT IN REPAIR BY COUNTY Where any turnpike company abandons any turnpike or part thereof running through unseated lands and where any such abandonment is authorized by the proper authorities of any turnpike company and official notice is given to the supervisors of the proper township that such turnpike company has abandoned all its rights interest and title to such turnpike or part thereof and where by acceptance or user such abandoned turnpike or part thereof has become a township road in every such case such road or part thereof shall become a county road and kept in proper condition and repair by the board of commissioners of the proper county

(e) County Aid to Municipalities and Townships

Section 951 MUNICIPAL STREETS CONNECTING TWO ENDS OF COUNTY ROAD When a city or borough intervenes between two ends of a county highway and the municipality has failed to properly improve the municipal streets or highways constituting the shortest and most reasonable route through said municipality which will connect the two ends of such highway the board of commissioners may contract with the corporate authorities of the municipality that the shortest and most reasonable route through said municipality connecting the two ends of such highway be improved

Section 952 MUNICIPAL STREETS AT TERMINUS OF COUNTY ROAD When a county highway terminates at the corporate limits of a city or borough in the same or in another county and connects with a municipal street or alley which the municipality has failed to properly improve and the board of commissioners of the county in which the municipality is located deem the improvement of such municipal street or alley necessary in order to make such county highway easily accessible to the residents of the municipality or to the traveling public the county commissioners may contract with the corporate officials of the municipality that such municipal street or alley or any part thereof be improved and also that there be improved when necessary any part or parts of the streets connected therewith which connect said county highway with the business district or districts of said municipality or with a system of improved streets therein or which connect the said highway with another county highway terminating at the limits of said municipality If several municipalities are contiguous to each other and at the corporate limits of any one of them a county highway terminates and one or more of such municipalities have failed to properly improve any municipal street or alley therein and the county commissioners deem the improvement of such street or alley necessary in order to make such highway easily accessible to the residents of the municipality or to the traveling public the board of commissioners may enter into a similar contract with the corporate authorities of such municipality or municipalities

Section 953 IMPROVEMENTS The board of commissioners may widen repave or otherwise improve said municipal streets and alleys whenever the same is necessary to accomplish the purpose herein conferred Whenever such improvement is made to a municipal street or alley the county may pay the total cost of such improvement or the cost may be divided between the municipality and county The contract for any such improvement may be taken by the county upon the stipulation by the municipality to pay its proportionate share of the cost if any upon the completion of the work or it may be taken by the municipality upon a like stipulation of the county or the improvement may be made by joint contract

Section 954 MAINTENANCE Before any municipal street or alley is so improved the board of commissioners and the proper corporate authorities of such municipality shall agree upon the maintenance of such municipal street or alley Such agreement may provide that such municipal street or alley shall be kept and maintained in good repair by the municipality in which case upon the completion of said road all further liability and responsibility of the county shall cease and determine or it may provide that it shall be kept and maintained in good repair by the county and the share of the municipality shall be paid annually to the county

Section 955 CONTRACTS WITH BOROUGH TOWNSHIP OR INCORPORATED TOWN The board of commissioners may enter into a contract or contracts with the authorities of any borough or township or any incorporated town providing that the said board of commissioners shall construct and improved highway or highways in a similar manner as a county highway The expense or cost of said construction shall be borne jointly by the borough township or incorporated town and the county in such ratio or proportions as may be agreed on in said contract or contracts irrespective of whether the municipality intervenes between two ends of the county highway or not or whether or not the municipality is the terminus of a county highway state highway or township road

Section 956 PAYMENT Payment for the construction of said highway or highways shall be made by the county which shall be reimbursed by the borough township or incorporated town in such sums as agreed upon in said contract or contracts upon presentation to them from time to time of estimates and bills for work already performed and paid for

Section 957 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE Any such highway constructed jointly shall be repaired and maintained at the expense of the county but nothing shall prevent the authorities of a borough township or incorporated town from entering into a contract or contracts with the board of commissioners for the maintenance of said improved highway under such terms and conditions as may be mutually satisfactory

Section 958 MUNICIPAL ROAD LEADING TO END OF COUNTY BRIDGE When a public road leading to either end of a county bridge across any stream ten hundred feet wide or over is laid out and confirmed by the court and not opened the court of quarter sessions may upon petition of citizens of the city town borough or township through which the said road is located setting forth that the expenses of the construction is too burdensome to the taxpayers of said city town borough or township order the county commissioners to prepare plans of said public road not exceeding one-fourth mile in length from the end of such bridge Such plans shall be submitted to the court Such time shall be fixed for filing exceptions to said proceedings as the court shall deem proper If no sufficient cause is shown to the contrary the court if it approves thereof shall authorize the boards of commissioners to construct said road according to the plans and survey accompanying said proceedings Upon the approval of the same by the board of commissioners they shall proceed to open such road at the expense of the county

Section 959 WHERE CENTER LINE OF HIGHWAY IS BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN CITY OR BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP When ever the center line of any highway constitutes the dividing line between any city or borough and a township located in the same county the board of county commissioners and the commissioners or road supervisors of such township may enter into a contract with the city or borough providing for the grading curbing and macadamizing or paving of the roadway of said highway The cost thereof shall be borne one-half by the city or borough and one-half by the county and township in equal portions

Section 960 ALTERATION OR IMPROVEMENT The said alteration or improvement shall be constructed and subsequent repairs shall be made under the supervision of the proper authorities of the city or borough in compliance with existing laws governing the construction of such alterations or improvements in said city or borough and in further compliance with plans and specifications to be agreed upon in writing between the said city or borough and the board of commissioners of the county and commissioners or road supervisors of the township The cost of repairs shall be borne one-half by the city or borough and one-half by the township or by the county and township in equal portions or such other proportion as may be agreed upon by the county and township

Section 961 WHERE CENTER LINE OF HIGHWAY IS BOUNDARY BETWEEN TOWNSHIP AND CITY IN ADJOINING COUNTY Whenever the center line of any highway constitutes a dividing line between a township and a city located in an adjacent county the board of commissioners of the county and the commissioners or supervisors of such township may enter into a contract with the city providing for the grading

curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway of said highway The cost thereof shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the township and the county in which such township shall be situated in equal portions

Section 962 ALTERATION IMPROVEMENT AND REPAIRS Said alteration or improvement shall be constructed and subsequent repairs shall be made under the supervision of the authorities of the city in compliance with existing laws governing such construction or improvement of such city and in further compliance with plans and specifications to be agreed upon in writing between such city and board of commissioners of the county and the commissioners or supervisors of the township The cost of repairs shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the township or by the county and township in equal portions or such other proportion as may be agreed upon by the county and township

Section 963 IMPROVEMENT ON ORDER OF COMMON PLEAS In all cases in which it shall be found impossible to enter into such contracts or agreements or where either the city or the township or the county in which such township is situated shall refuse to enter into such contract or agreement it shall be lawful for either the city or the county or township to present its petition to the court of common pleas of either county setting forth the facts and circumstances including the condition of the highway from which the necessity and desirability for the grading curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway appears and the estimated cost thereof and that the terms of such contract cannot be agreed upon by the city and county or township or either or any of them or that either such city or the county or township or any or either of them refuses to enter into such contract Such petition may pray that such court may after hearing all the parties concerned make its order or decree defining the nature and character of the improvement reasonably necessary or desirable to be made to the roadway and requiring the parties hereinabove specified to enter into a contract or contracts for the making and constructing of the same as herein provided for A copy of said petition duly certified shall be served upon the city or county and township concerned other than the petitioner with notice of such day as may be fixed by the court for the hearing Thereupon either or both of the such date to file in the court its answer to said petition setting forth its version of the facts or such oher matters in relation thereto as may be deemed necessary or proper by it

The court upon the date so fixed or at such other time as it may appoint shall hear the evidence of the parties or it may refer the matter to a master who shall hear the testimony of the parties and report his findings in the same manner and under the same procedure as provided by the rules in equity in similar cases to the court which may reject confirm or modify the same and may make its decree or order directing the making of such alterations or improvements to the roadway as may be deemed reasonably necessary or desirable and providing for the sharing of the cost of such improvements one-half by the city and one-half by the county and township in equal portions aid order or decree may further provide that the repairs to such alterations and improvements subsequently required shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the county or township in equal portions or such other portions as between the county and the township as such court may find to be legal and proper Thereupon the grading curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway of such highway shall proceed in accordance with the decree or order of the said court in the same manner as if the contract or agreement had been entered into and duly executed

Section 964 GUARDS OR BARRIERS ALONG TOWNSHIP ROADS When a road or highway runs along the edge of a precipice along which it may be necessary to erect guards or barriers for the proper protection of the traveling public and the erecting of such guards or barriers requires more expense than it is reasonable the township should bear the court of quarter sessions having jurisdiction shall on the representation of the supervisors or on the petition of any of the inhabitants of such township order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court grand jury and commissioners of the county that such guards and barriers are necessary and would be too expensive for such township the same shall be erected and maintained by the county as county improvements The provisions of this section shall apply to roads already opened as well as those hereafter opened

Section 965 IMPROVEMENTS OF HIGHWAYS CONNECTING WITH STATE OR STATE-AID HIGHWAYS The county may singly or jointly with any city or borough appropriate and expend moneys for the improvements of any highway not more than one mile in length outside of the limits of such city or borough for the purpose of connecting improved streets in such cities or boroughs with a state highway or State-aid highway

Section 966 RENTING OF ROAD MACHINERY TO TOWNSHIPS The county commissioners of any county may purchase such machinery for the preparation of road material and the construction and maintenance of roads as they deem necessary and pay for the same out of the general funds of the county Such machinery may be rented by the county commissioners to any of the townships within such county applying for same under such regulations and at such rentals as the county commissioners shall prescribe and fix All machinery purchased under the provisions of this act shall be operated only by persons employed for that purpose by and under the direct supervision of the county commissioners

(f) Detours

Section 976 TO BE LAID OUT WHEN COUNTY ROAD IS CLOSED Whenever any county road or highway shall be closed to vehicular travel the board of commissioners shall immediately designate or lay out a detour on which they shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained while such detour is in use legible signs at each public road intersection throughout its entire length indicating the direction to the main highway During the period when such detour is in use the county commissioners shall maintain such detour in safe and passable condition They shall also immediately remove all detour signs when the highway originally closed is again opened for traffic

(g) Protection of Roads

Section 981 COUNTY ROAD CARETAKERS The persons appointed by the board of commissioners to inspect and repair public roads or highways improved and maintained as county roads shall be designated county road caretakers The caretakers shall have all the power and authority now vested by law in the constables of the several cities boroughs and townships of this Commonwealth to keep the peace in and along the county roads of such county and to enforce all laws regulating the speed of automobiles and other vehicles thereon and to enforce all rules or regulations governing the use of such roads and to make arrests therefor

Section 982 CARETAKERS NOT ENTITLED TO FINES OR PENALTIES No such caretaker shall be entitled to any portion of any fine or penalty imposed upon any person or persons for any violation of any act of assembly or rule relating thereto but all such fines and penalties when the proceeding is initiated by such caretaker shall belong to and be paid into the county treasury for the benefit of the county

Section 983 BADGE OF CARETAKER The board of commissioners shall furnish each of said caretakers as an evidence of their authority a badge having impressed thereon the words "Police.....County Road Caretaker"

Section 984 RULES FOR PROTECTION OF ROAD PENALTY FOR VIOLATION For the purpose of preventing unreasonable wear and destruction of public roads improved and maintained by the county the board of commissioners may adopt and prescribe reasonable rules regulating and restricting the use of said roads within such county by any means of locomotion and prescribe pecuniary penalties for the enforcement thereof All such rules adopted by the board of commissioners shall before becoming operative be published once a week for three weeks in two newspapers of general circulation in the county to which the rules apply and be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of said county

Any resident of any county within which the violation of any rule so adopted shall occur may institute and prosecute to judgment and execution an action of assumpsit in any court having jurisdiction of such actions and the amounts involved for the recovery of any penalty for the violation of any rule prescribed by the board of commissioners of which penalty the plaintiff shall be entitled to one-half and the county shall be entitled to the other half payable to the county treasurer who shall add the same to the fund for the improvement of the said county roads

Any person violating any rule so adopted shall upon summary conviction before any magistrate alderman or justice of the

peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars or more than one hundred dollars payable to the county treasurer who shall add the same to the fund for the improvement of said county roads From any judgment obtained for said penalty and from said summary conviction an appeal shall lie as provided by law

Section 985 PENALTY FOR DESTROYING ET CETERA INDEX BOARDS It shall be unlawful for any person to wilfully destroy remove injure or deface any sign or index board erected upon or near any public street road or bridge by the authorities of any county or erected with the consent of such authorities by any club association or other organized body for the direction guidance or safety of travellers Any and all such signs of wood metal or other substance affixed to trees or posts in or upon any highway properly erected in such manner that they do not interfere with travel or upon fences telegraph telephone trolley or other poles with the permission of the owners thereof or upon private grounds where consent has been obtained from the owners and tenants thereof and nearby public roads shall be within the provisions of this section

Any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars with all costs of prosecution together with the value of such sign so destroyed removed or defaced In default of payment of said costs and expenses such person shall undergo an imprisonment for a period of not less than five nor more than sixty days

Section 986 SNOW FENCES Any county which is responsible for the maintenance of any public road or highway shall have authority to enter upon private property adjacent to such public road or highway and place thereon snow fences at any point as may be deemed necessary to within the limit of one hundred (100) feet from the right-of-way line of such public road or highway in order to eliminate snow drifting on the traveled portion of the public road or highway

No snow fence authorized under this act shall be placed prior to December first nor shall the same remain in place after April first of the succeeding year

Any damage sustained by the owner of such adjacent property due to the actual placing or removal of such snow fence shall be paid by the county

Section 987 ELIMINATION OF DANGEROUS CURVES AND WIDENING OF NARROW ROADS Any county may acquire by purchase or by the right of eminent domain such property and lands situate along or adjacent to any county highway as in the opinion of the commissioners of such county may be necessary to eliminate dangerous curves and widen narrow roads or highways for the better protection and safety to the traveling public

Upon any such purchase or condemnation the proper authorities of any county having had such property and lands condemned may from time to time abate or remove or cause to be abated or removed any such dangerous curve or curves or widen such narrow highway to the extent of the property and land so acquired

Proceedings for the condemnation of such property and lands shall be as provided in article seven of this act

ARTICLE XI

SEWERS AND SEWAGE-DISPOSAL PLANTS

Section 1001 CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE AUTHORIZED Whenever the board of commissioners shall deem it expedient so to do and upon approval thereof by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided they may construct and maintain main or trunk sanitary sewers and sewage-disposal plants under the provisions of this article and any such main or trunk sewers or disposal plants constructed under the provisions of this article shall forever thereafter be county sewers and disposal plants and the duty of maintaining operating and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the county and the expense thereof shall be paid by the county as hereinafter provided

Section 1002 ESTABLISHMENT OF SEWER DISTRICTS The courts of quarter sessions may establish sewer districts in their several counties or decree that the said county shall form one or more sewerage districts having respect to the topography of the county and the course of natural drainage upon application of the board of commissioners or upon petition of fifty freeholders resident in the locality for which a sewer district is prayed for Upon the presentation of such petition the court shall appoint three viewers from the board of viewers for whom the county engineer shall act as artist to inquire into the propriety of granting the prayer of the petition whose duty shall be to investigate the same and make a plan or draft showing the boundaries of sewer districts formed and report at a date to be fixed by said court at which time or any subsequent time to which said return day may be extended by the court said report shall be filed and confirmed nisi by the court and notice of said filing and that exceptions may be filed to said report within thirty days after said confirmation nisi shall be published in one or more newspapers of the county as the court may designate once a week for four weeks If exceptions be filed upon hearing thereof said court may modify or change said report or readjust the boundary lines thereof or refer the same back to the same or other viewers If no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary said report shall be approved absolutely and said district or districts so formed shall comprise separate sewerage districts of said county and be designated by number

Section 1003 PROCEDURE TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF QUARTER SESSIONS AND GRAND JURY Whenever the board of commissioners shall resolve to construct any such main or trunk sewers or sewage-disposal plants in accordance with the provisions of this article they shall cause to be prepared surveys and plans of such main or trunk sewers or disposal-plants showing the location termini size and type of construction of such disposal-plants together with the properties and the names of the owners thereof through which said sewer or sewers extend or upon which the same abuts and the properties and names of the owners of the land upon which such disposal-plants are to be located or upon which the same abuts together with an estimate of the cost and expense of the same The plans and estimate shall show the location and capacity of any main or trunk sanitary sewer or sewers or sewage-disposal-plant either completed or in course of construction together with the cost or probable cost thereof The estimates shall provide for and make such allowance or rebate to the municipality or municipalities which shall have paid assumed or contracted for the cost of such main or trunk sanitary sewer or sewers or disposal-plants as shall be agreed upon between the county and the municipality or municipalities interested and in the event of failure so to agree the allowance or rebate shall be determined by the court of common pleas of the proper county upon application of either party The county commissioners shall thereupon present such survey plans and estimates or a copy thereof together with their petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county and upon filing thereof the court shall direct notice to be given of the same substantially describing the line of the proposed sewer or sewers and the location of the proposed disposal-plants by publication at least once a week for three consecutive weeks in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in the county wherein said proposed sewers or disposal-plants are to be made or constructed and of the time when said application will be laid before the grand jury and after publication as aforesaid the said court shall cause the said application to be laid before the grand jury when in session and if a majority of said grand jury after a full investigation of the matter by the grand jury shall approve of the same they shall certify their approval to the court whereupon the court shall fix a time for the filing of exceptions to the same Upon hearing any exceptions thereto the said court may for a cause shown disallow such application If no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary said application shall be approved and said court shall order that said sewers or sewage-disposal plants shall be made and constructed in accordance with the plans and surveys accompanying the said application and thereupon the location of such sewers and sewage-disposal plants shall remain absolute

Section 1004 SIZE OF SEWER RIGHTS OF MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES All main or trunk sewers constructed under this article shall be of sufficient size and extent so that it shall not be burdensome upon any city borough or township which is wholly or partly within the sewer district in which said main or trunk sewer is constructed to connect its lateral sewers with said main or trunk sewer constructed under the

provisions of this article A copy of the notice hereinbefore provided for shall be served upon the mayor burgess commissioners or supervisors of such city borough or township forming any part of such sewer district ten days before said application shall be laid before the grand jury Any such city borough or township shall have a right to be heard by the grand jury and to file exceptions to said proceedings The approval by the grand jury and by the court shall be a conclusive finding that the said main sewers proposed to be constructed under said proceeding are of sufficient size and extent so that the connection thereto by any such city borough or township will not be burdensome upon said city borough or township

Section 1005 APPROVAL OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS BY STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH After such plans and specifications have been prepared by said board of commissioners and before presentation thereof to the court or grand jury they shall be submitted to the State Department of Health and approved by said State Department of Health of the same shall be first had in accordance with the act of assembly of April twenty-second one thousand nine hundred and five entitled "An act to preserve the purity of the waters of the State for the protection of the public Health"

Section 1006 CONDEMNATION OF PROPERTY For the purposes herein described the board of commissioners may enter upon private or public property and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 1007 PAYMENT OF DAMAGES AND COSTS OF MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR All damages found awarded or sustained for or on account of the construction and operation of such sewers or disposal-plants under the provisions of this article and all cost and expense thereafter incurred in repairing and maintaining the same shall be paid from the funds raised by taxation as hereinafter provided and authorized

Section 1008 CONTRACTS FOR MAKING AND CONSTRUCTING After said surveys and plans and the aforesaid application to the court of quarter sessions shall have been approved by the court and the said sewers or disposal-plants as decreed by said court ordered to be made and constructed in accordance therewith the board of commissioners or a majority of them of the respective counties wherein the said sewers or disposal-plants are made or to be made and constructed shall invite proposals for the making and constructing the same by publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in said county or if no newspapers be published in said county then in a newspaper or newspapers published in the county adjoining once a week for four consecutive weeks fixing a time therein when such proposals will be opened and the contracts therefor awarded In addition to the notices so ordered to be given by publication there shall be posted in the office of the said board of commissioners of the respective counties like notice as those now given inviting proposals for the construction and repair of public roads and bridges The contract as aforesaid shall be awarded by the said board of commissioners or a majority of them to the lowest responsible bidder No contract shall be awarded for any of said sewers or disposal plants until proper bonds shall be given for the faithful performance thereof by the person or persons to whom the same shall be awarded with proper security to be approved by said board of commissioners or a majority of them Any incorporated company doing business within any of said counties authorized by law to be surety for persons or corporations may be taken and accepted as surety upon the bonds herein required to be given

Section 1009 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE Said board of commissioners shall have prepared plans and estimates as often as required for the repair and maintenance of all county sewers or disposal-plants which may hereafter be constructed under the provisions of this article and become county sewers or disposal plants They shall invite proposals for the repairing and maintenance of such sewer or disposal-plants or parts thereof in accordance with such plans and estimates and award the contract therefor in like manner as contracts for new sewers and disposal-plants

Section 1010 PREPARATION OF SURVEYS PLANS AND ESTIMATES ET CETERA For the purpose of performing all necessary duties relating to the construction and repairs of county sewers and disposal plants herein authorized the said board of commissioners may employ or appoint proper persons to prepare such surveys plans and estimates and do all necessary and proper work connected therewith and shall fix the compensation of all persons so employed

Section 1011 FUND FROM WHICH TO PAY COSTS DAMAGES ET CETERA The board of commissioners may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes where the court has decreed that the entire county shall form one sewer district for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in the locating construction maintenance repairing and operating of such county sewers or disposal plants made or constructed under the provisions of this act and for taking using and enjoying of such land as may be necessary in constructing same The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section Where one or more such sewer districts have been formed by the court in any county and the county does not comprise one entire sewer district and county sewers or disposal plants are constructed to accommodate a particular sewer district of said county the said board of commissioners of such counties may have prepared separate copies of the assessed value for county purposes of the properties located within the sewer district wherein or for whose use such sewer or disposal-plant has been constructed and levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within said sewer district now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in the locating constructing maintaining and operating of such county sewer or disposal plant in or for the benefit of said sewer district The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section and shall not be expended or used for any other sewer district All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the said board of commissioners in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 1012 CONSENT OF MUNICIPALITIES TO ENTER ON HIGHWAYS Should any board of commissioners in the exercise of the powers herein conferred deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon a highway or highways in any city borough or township for the purpose of constructing or maintaining any such main or trunk sewer or sewers or disposal-plants the consent thereto of such city borough or township shall first be had and obtained

Section 1013 CONNECTION WITH SEWER BY MUNICIPALITIES After the construction of such main or trunk sewer any city borough or township shall have the right free of charge to connect with said main or trunk sewer by laterals all sanitary sewerage of the sewer district in which said main or trunk sewer is located or for the use of which the same has been constructed All connections made by any city borough or township or by any owner of property abutting on said main or trunk sewer with such main or trunk sewer shall be made under the supervision of the county engineer and in the manner prescribed by the board of commissioners

Section 1014 APPORTIONMENT OF COSTS AND EXPENSES Wherever any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof or sewage-disposal plant constructed under the provisions of this article is used for the carrying or disposal of sewage from two or more sewer districts the cost damages and expenses of locating constructing maintaining repairing and operating the same shall be borne by all sewer districts so using said main sewer or portion thereof or disposal plant in proportion to their annual assessed taxable valuation for county purposes but no sewer district shall be taxed for any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof or disposal plant until said district has been accommodated with a main or trunk sewer constructed under the provisions of this article so that connections therewith can be made in said sewer districts without expenses burdensome upon cities boroughs or townships forming said sewer district

Section 1015 USE OF MUNICIPAL MAINS Whenever in the location or construction of any such county sewers it shall be deemed desirable to connect with and use any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof of any city borough or township it shall be lawful for the board of commissioners subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions to agree with such city borough or township for the use and repair and maintenance of such sewer or sewers or portions thereof and what compensation shall be paid therefore or in what proportions the cost of maintenance and repairs shall be borne

ARITICLE XII

ACTIONS BY AND AGAINST COUNTIES

Section 1031 COMMISSIONERS TO BRING AND DEFEND SUITS All suits by a county shall be brought and conducted by the board of commissioners In all suits against a county process shall be served upon defense made by the board of commissioners

Section 1032 FORM OF ACTION TO RECOVER CLAIMS JURISDICTION OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE Counties may proceed for the recovery of municipal claims by lien or by action of assumpsit Jurisdiction is conferred upon justices of the peace to entertain such actions of assumpsit to the amount of three hundred dollars

Section 1033 COMPETENCY OF WITNESSES AND JURORS No person shall be excluded from being a witness or juror in any suit prosecution or proceeding in which the county is a party or is interested by reason of such person being or having been an officer rated citizen or inhabitant in such county or owning assessed or taxable property or being liable to the assessment or payment of any tax therein

Section 1034 EXECUTION AGAINST COUNTY If judgment shall be obtained against a county in any action or proceeding the party entitled to the benefit of such judgment may have execution thereof as follows and not otherwise namely It shall be lawful for the court in which such judgment shall be obtained or to which such judgment may be removed by transcript from a justice of the peace or alderman to issue thereon a writ commanding the commissioners of the county to cause the amount thereof with the interest and costs to be paid to the party entitled to the benefit of such judgment out of any moneys unappropriated of such county or if there be no such moneys out of the first moneys that shall be received for the use of such county and to enforce obedience to such writ by attachment

Section 1035 APPEALS IN BEHALF OF COUNTY BY TAXPAYERS Any ten or more taxpayers of the county may in behalf of such county appeal from the report of its county auditors or controller to the court of common pleas or prosecute any suit or action in behalf of said county or defend such county in any suit process or action now pending or that may be brought against such county by appeals from county auditors' or controllers' reports or otherwise If no appeal is entered by county officials the appeal by such taxpayers shall be entered within ninety days after the filing of such report in the court of common pleas The appellants shall enter into recognizance with two sufficient sureties conditioned that the appellants shall prosecute said appeal with effect and pay all costs that may accrue thereon in case they fail to obtain a final decision more favorable to the county than the report from which such appeal is taken In all such appeals the courts of common pleas may direct an issue to be tried by a jury upon whose verdict final judgment shall be entered reserving the right of all parties to appeal to the Supreme Court as provided in other appeals Before said taxpayers shall be permitted to come into court and prosecute any suit or action or defend the county in any suit process or action they shall present to the court a petition signed by them accompanied by an affidavit of one of their number that they believe injustice will be done such county unless they are permitted to defend Said taxpayers shall whenever the court shall deem it necessary file in said court of common pleas a bond with one or more sufficient sureties to be approved by said court to indemnify and save harmless said county from all costs that may occur in said suit process or action subsequent to filing said petition

Section 1036 CERTAIN PROCEDURE IN EQUITY NOT TO APPLY WHEN COUNTY IS LIBELLANT ET CETERA The first section of the act of May sixth one thousand eight hundred and forty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act further to regulate proceedings in courts of justice and for the other purposes" shall not apply to any bill or proceeding in equity now pending or which may be hereafter instituted wherein any county is libellant plaintiff or complainant nor shall any county be required to give security on appeal to the Supreme Court in any proceeding in equity In all such cases it shall be the duty of the court in which the same may be pending as far as practicable to expedite the hearing and final determination thereof by such rules order or orders not inconsistent with the laws of this Commonwealth as justice and equity may require

Section 1037 SUBMISSION OF DISPUTES TO ARBITRATION It shall be lawful to include in any contract executed by or on behalf of any county a provision that any matter in dispute arising under the said contract shall be submitted to arbitration in accordance with the arbitration act of June sixteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six or such sections thereof as may be set forth in such contract

Any county having charge of the execution of any contract shall have the right with the consent of the legal officer of such county to agree to submit any matter in dispute under any contract to which the said county shall be a party to arbitration in accordance with the act of one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six or any section thereof as may be agreed upon whether the said contract shall contain a provision providing for such reference or not

ARTICLE XIII

ACTS OF ASSEMBLY REPEALED

Section 1051 SPECIFIED REPEALS The following acts and parts of acts of assembly are repealed as respectively indicated except in so far as they relate to counties of the first class The repeal of the first section of an act shall not repeal the enacting clause of such act

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety (Vol thirteen Stat at Large p four hundred and fifty-five) entitled "An act relating to the securities to be given by sheriffs and coroners" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act relating to County Treasurers" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act directing Sheriffs and Coroners to give sufficient sureties for the faithful execution of their official duties and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the third day of April one thousand eight hundred and four (Pamphlet Laws founr hundred and eighty-eight) entitled "An act to enable persons appointed to offices of public trust to recover official documents appurtenant to the said offices from persons detaining the same" in so far as it applies to county officers

Section four of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-three) entitled "A further supplement to the Penal Laws of the State" in so far as it authorizes construction of jail buildings

The act approved the sixteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-two) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide a more effectual method of settling the public accounts of the commissioners and treasurers of the respective counties'" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand eight hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eleven) entitled "An act imposing certain duties upon the commissioners and treasurer of Luzerne county and empowering county commissioners to administer oaths or affirmations" absolutely

Section three of the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for laying out and keeping in repair the public roads and highways within this Commonwealth and laying out private roads'" absolutely

Sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of March one thousand eight hundred and twelve (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act declaring the holding of any office or appointment under this state in-

compatible with the holding or exercising offices or appointments under the United States" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of February one thousand eight hundred and fourteen (Pamphlet Laws Forty-four) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to provide a mode effectual method of setting the public accounts of the commissioners and treasurers of the respective counties"'" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize undertakers of public bridges to procure materials for building said bridges" in so far as it applies to county bridges

Section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nine) entitled "An act relating to county rates and levies and township rates and levies" absolutely

Section one six eight nine ten eleven twelve fifteen sixteen seventeen eighteen nineteen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-four twenty-five twenty-six twenty-seven twenty-eight twenty-nine thirty thirty-one thirty-two thirty-three thirty-four thirty-five thirty-six thirty-seven forty-one forty-three forty-four forty-five forty-six forty-seven forty-eight forty-nine fifty-one fifty-two fifty-three fifty-four fifty-five fifty-six fifty-seven fifty-eight fifty-nine sixty sixty-one sixty-two sixty-three sixty-four sixty-five sixty-six sixty-seven sixty-eight sixty-nine seventy seventy-one seventy-two seventy-three seventy-four seventy-five seventy-six and seventy-nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and thirty-seven) entitled "An act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers" absolutely sections three four and five of said act in so far as they confer any powers to impose any duties on counties section one hundred and fifteen of said act in so far as it applies to counties and county officers

Sections seven eight and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-one) entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" in so far as they affect county roads sections thirty-five thirty-six thirty-seven thirty-eight thirty-nine forty forty-one forty-two forty-four forty-five forty-six forty-seven and fifty-six of said act absolutely sections forty-three forty-eight forty-nine fifty fifty-one and fifty-two of said act in so far as they relate to county bridges

Sections ten and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the commencement of actions to appeals from county auditors and for other purposes" absolutely

Resolutions five nine ten and eleven of resolutions approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "Resolutions authorizing the clerk of the Orphans' Court of Berks County to record certain papers in his office and to perform certain other services and for other purposes" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relative to County Auditors and for other purposes" absolutely

Section six of the act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ten) entitled "An act relating to Executions and for other purposes" in so far as it relates to suits prosecutions or proceedings in which counties are parties or are interested

Sections one two four five six and seven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred entitled "An act relating to the Election of County Treasurers and for other purposes" absolutely

Section eleven of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-two (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty) entitled "An act to authorize the construction of a toll bridge over the river Schuylkill at or near Windsor Haven in Berks County and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges'" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-five) entitled "An act relating to sheriffs and coroners" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and six) entitled "An act to establish a uniform line along the river Delaware in front of the incorporated districts of the Northern Liberties and Kensington in reference to county bridges changing the name of Andrew Jackson Glarfke to Andrew G. Jackson to issuing subpeonas for witnesses by auditors exempting the real estate of the Pennsylvania society for promoting the abolition of slavery from taxation in reference to fees of constables in Schuylkill county in reference to the removal of the barn of Amos George in the township of Blockley county of Philadelphia and to change the name of Dallas township Lehigh county to Washington and relative to the commissioners of Kensington and Richmond in Philadelphia County" absolutely

Sections five six seven eight and nine of the act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty-four) entitled "An act relative to the election of auditor general surveyor general and county surveyors by the people" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-three entitled "An act relating to County Prisons to the Foster Home Association and Cawanesque Plank Road Company to apportion the rent of wharves and docks in the port of Philadelphia and relative to the service of process on foreign insurance companies and other corporations" absolutely

The act approved the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing the several recorders of deeds to appoint deputies" absolutely

Sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-five) entitled "An act relating to official seals" in so far as it affects counties and county officers

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty) entitled "A further supplement to the act relating to County Rates and Levies and Township Rates and Levies and to the act relating to Counties and Townships and County and Township Officers" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty) entitled "An act relative to the Erection of Bridges over Canals and Railroads" in so far as it relates to county bridges

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight entitled "A supplement to the act providing for the Election of District Attorneys" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and thirty-five) entitled "An act relating to City County and Township Treasurers" in so far as it relates to county treasurers

Section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act to extend the power of Prothonotaries and Clerks to administer oaths" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventeen) entitled "An act relative to the Election of District Attorneys" absolutely

The act approved the third day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and fifty) entitled "An act regulating the Lien of Sheriffs' Recognizances," absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act fixing the commencement of the term of office of Sheriffs in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-eight) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to roads highways and bridges approved June thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six" in so far as it relates to county bridges

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred nine) entitled "An act authorizing commissioner's clerks to administer oaths and affirmation" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers approved April fifteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four relating to public buildings" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled " A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' approved June thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act relating to the offices of county treasurer and county auditors" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to the assessment of damage for the appropriation of land for public use" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twelfth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act relative to vacancies in the office of prothonotary or clerk of the several courts and in the office of register or recorder" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-four) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to sell at public sale any part of any lands reserved for public bulidings when the same is not needed therefor" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act relating to the assessment of damages arising from the opening of roads and highways and the construction of bridges" in so far as it relates to county roads and bridges

The act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment settlement and collection of compensation from railroad companies for railroads located or that may be located on county bridges and to empower county commissioners to make contracts relating thereto" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighteen entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a special detective officer in any of the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act to authorize the counties cities towns or townships of this state respectively to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their limits whereby said companies may re-locate change or elevate their railroads" in so far as it confers any power or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a special detective officer in any of the several counties of this Commonwealth' approved May nineteenth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four making said special detective officers general police officers with powers conferred on constables in cases of crime and criminal procedure and providing for their compensation" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled "An act to fix the amount of bail to be given by the sheriffs of the several counties in this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and twelve) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to roads and bridges approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six authorizing the re-construction of county bridges destroyed or partially destroyed and empowering the commissioners to borrow money for that purpose" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the county of bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolution of tolls thereon" absolutely

The act approved the third day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the county bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolution of tolls thereon' approved the eighth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six designed to amend the third section of said act and also to amend the first proviso of the fifth section of said act so that not more than fifteen thousand dollars shall be paid by any one county for the purchase of any such bridge" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighteen) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to give bonds" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled "An act to regulate the erection of guards and barriers along highways" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the taxpayers to appeal from the reports of county auditors and to defend the county in appeals and suits" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled "An act directing county commissioners to procure a place for holding courts where a court house is destroyed or unsafe" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-six) entitled "A supplement to the act of assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erection of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges" so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (Pamphlet Laws sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges owned by corporations that may or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporation" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifty-eight) entitled "An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safe keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a rea-

sonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to appoint by deed chief deputies with power to act as sheriff in case of and during the temporary disability of the sheriff to act in person and fixing the salaries of such chief deputies in counties containing more than five hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and three) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to join with city authorities in improving streets or other highways in the vicinity of county buildings in said cities" in so far as it confers any power or imposes any duties on counties

Sections one and two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-seven) entitled "An act for the encouragement of forest culture and providing penalties for the injury and destruction of forests" absolutely

Sections one two three four five six seven eight nine and ten of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and six) entitled "An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll-gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws twenty-three) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to offer and pay rewards for the detection arrest and conviction of horse thieves" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish supplies and fuel for certain county offices" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safe keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three repealing the second proviso to the third section of said act and regulating the manner of procedure where there are adverse claimants to the ground condemned" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to employ detectives offer and pay rewards for the detection arrest and conviction of felons" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the preservation of order in and about county buildings and for the preservation of the same and their contents from defacement and defilement also fixing penalties for the violation of the same and authorizing the appointment of officers who shall have power to enforce this act and to make arrests when violated" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of deputy coroners in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-seven) entitled "An act to empower the chief clerks of county controllers to administer oaths and affirmations" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred) entitled "An act regulating the payment of traveling expenses of directors of the poor and county commissioners within this Commonwealth" in so far as it applies to county commissioners

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled "An act regulating qualifications of clerks to county commissioners" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for the said approaches" absolutely

The act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act to enable the county commissioners of the several counties to sell any real estate which they may acquire and make deeds therefor" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled "An act making it the duty of county commissioners to furnish office and storage rooms for the use of the county superintendents of schools" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-five) entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll gates and the assessments upon the proper county of the damages which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' approved the second day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven amending the tenth section thereof by extending its provisions to the portions of turnpikes roads or highways lying within the limits of any incorporated borough" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to rebuild bridges owned by corporations that may be or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporations' June eighth one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred two entitled "An act to provide for the immediate printing distribution filing and keeping of unbound copies of the laws of this Commonwealth as they are enacted from time to time" in so far as it imposes any duty on the prothonotary

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred five) entitled "An act authorizing and directing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to procure bind and preserve weekly newspapers published within their respective counties" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and thirty) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of one or more deputy coroners and defining their power and duties in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ninety-three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled "An act to regulate the erection of county buildings" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-nine entitled "An act to further amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act authoriing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuilt bridges owned by corporations that may be or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporations' approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one as amended by an act approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amending that part of the same which applies to bridges which cross rivers or streams forming the boundary line between two counties or running between counties and providing for cost of reconstructing same in proportion to the population of the respective counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to actions brought to ascertain or recover damages for appropriation of rights of way or easements in lands by corporations invested with the right of eminent domain and empowering and authorizing owners of lands and corporations municipal or otherwise desiring to exercise the right of eminent domain in such lands to waive the assessment of damages by viewers and granting the right to either party to demand and have the jury engaged in trying such action visit and view said land and premises" so far as relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and one) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties in this Commonwealth to appoint a county solicitor fix his compensation and prescribe the term and duties of the solicitor" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-six entitled "An act providing for the employment and payment of janitors firemen engineers mechanics laborers and care takers of court houses and grounds" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and thirty-six) entitled "An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties and sections two to sixteen both inclusive of said act absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and ov prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of coun auditor in said counties" absolutely

The act approved the second day of July one thousand eig hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred an twenty-six) entitled "An act regulaitng the letting of co tracts for the erection and construction of public building in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one tho sand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws fou entitled "An act to amend section four of an act appro July second eighteen hundred and thirty-nine entitled 'A act to provide for the election of prothonotaries clerks recor ers and registers' providing the manner of filling such offic in case of death or vacancy" absolutely

Sections one two three and four of the act approved th sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninet seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled "An act authorizi the county commissioners of the several counties of this Com monwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporatio or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over a stream or river forming the boundary line between two counti where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwi at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by th owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which we previously used exclusively for vehicles and poor purposes a providing for the cost of reconstructing the same" absolute

Sections one and two of the act approved the twenty-sixt day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seve (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act relating prothonotaries and their duties and to their deputies and enable said deputies to act for the said prothontaries in ca of their sickness absence or other temporary disability" abs lutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one tho sand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws o hundred and three entitled "An act authorizing the coun commissioners of the several counties within the Commo wealth of Pennsylvania to accept take charge of and ent upon the records as a county bridge any bridge over a stream or river running into or through any county and a thorizing the county commissioners of any two adjoini counties to accept take charge of and enter upon the reco of each of said counties as a joint county bridge any brid over any stream forming the boundary line between the sa counties such bridge in either case having been erected a constructed at the expense of private persons or by publ subscriptions and opened to free public travel used by th public and become necessary and convenient for public u when the same is offered to be donated to such county counties and providing the proper proceedings to determi the question of necessity and convenience of such bridge a for the payment of the costs of such proceedings" absolut

Section one of the act approved the fourth day June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamp let Laws one hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act reg lating the expenses of county commissioners in counties co taining a population of one hundred and fifty thousand a over" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of July one thousand eig hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eigh een) entitled "An act amending the first section of the of Assembly approved the twenty-ninth day of April An Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one' author ing and empowering the several counties of this Commo wealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect a maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approach joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a ri creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of la necessary for the said approaches'" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, o thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws t hundred and thirty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize coun commissioners to build or to furnish money to aid in build bridges in boroughs the erection of which would require m expense than it is reasonable that the borough wherein is to be located should bear" in so far as it affects count

Sections one to ten inclusive of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act supplementary to an act approved the second day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' extending its provisions so as to authorize the condemnation of any turnpike road or highway in whole or in part located upon the line dividing two counties and to assess the damages payable to the owner or owners thereof equitably between such two counties" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to purchase maintain use and condemn bridges erected and in use over rivers and streams separating or dividing any part or district of such counties and providing the manner in which compensation shall be made" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ten) entitled "An act providing for the vacation of any portion of any main or public road or highway the permanent improvement whereof has been authorized under an act of Assembly approved June twenty-sixth Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five and entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making said improved roads and highways county roads et cetera' and making the portions thereof so vacated township roads" except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty) entitled "An act to amend sections one and sixteen of an act entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said county approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five so as to make it apply to all counties containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and authorizing the Governor to fill vacancies" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-four) entitled "An act to amend an act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war so as to authorize said county commissioners under the same regulations to pay debts already contracted for and about the erection and maintenance of such a monument and for work done and material furnished thereof" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing appeals from the court of common pleas to the Supreme and Superior Courts in cases which are appeals from settlements or reports of county borough or township auditors" as to reports of county auditors

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same' approved the sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to construct any public road leading to either end of a county bridge across any river in this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act to encourage county historical societies" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and one) entitled "An act authorizing change of location of new county buildings on public squares or commons" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts under the Constitution" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and twenty) entitled "An act to further amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same'" approved the thirteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one" absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties in pursuance of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation thereof and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes' approved June twenty-sixth Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and fifty) entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and repair in certain cases of abandoned turnpikes or parts thereof" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to provide ferries or temporary ways over streams where county bridges shall have been heretofore and shall hereafter be destroyed or rendered impassable by fire storm flood or other casualty and legalizing prior expenditures therefor by county commissioners" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight)

entitled "An act regulating the filing of reports of viewers or juries of view appointed by the courts of this Commonwealth to assess damages and benefits for the taking injury or destruction of private property in the construction or enlargement of public works highways or improvements" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections four five six eight and ten of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in cities and adjacent territory empowering the several cities of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private lands or over and across any of them for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the city limits authorizing said cities to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damages caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under any such viaduct or bridge without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-four) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act of Assembly approved the eleventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine entitled "A supplement to the act of Assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erecting of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges'" approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven further authorizing county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges or portions thereof in cities of the third class the erecting of which would require more expense than is reasonable for said cities of the third class should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the confirmation of the reports of viewers or juries of view appointed by the courts of quarter sessions to assess damages and benefits and for the collection of damages in such proceedings" in so far as it relates to public works and improvements in counties

The act approved the third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-six) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war' approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act to amend the forty-sixth section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' authorizing the construction of bridges on the line of adjoining counties or located within one-fourth of a mile from the county lines" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and twenty-three) entitled "An act authoriing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to accept take and thereafter maintain as a county bridge any public bridge used for public travel built or maintained by any borough or township or both or any two townships within such county over rivers when tendered to the county commissioners for any such county by the proper authorities of such borough or township free and without charge therefor" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "An act providing for the erection of county bridges over any river creek or rivulet forming the boundary between any borough and township of the first and second class where the same crosses a public highway and providing for the cost and maintenance of the same" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-one) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to repair all county bridges and to pay the expenses of such repairs out of the county treasury" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the running relocating changing fixing and marking of county lines" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act providing that all vacancies in the office of county treasurer in this Commonwealth shall be filled by appointment of the Governor until the next general election" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties in pursuance of the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may become necessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes" approved June twenty-six Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' approved July tenth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one by changing the restriction as to the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one year from one-tenth of one per cent to one-half of one per cent" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter appropriated or condemned or any part thereof for public use free of tolls" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extensions and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any such road as may thereby become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damage resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such

improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for such purposes' approved June twenty-sixth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five providing that public roads and highways may be constructed improved and maintained by the several counties of the Commonwealth as county roads whether existing by other authority or laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act and providing that public roads and highways may be originally located laid out and established for the purpose of such construction improvement and maintenance by the several counties in the manner and by the procedure set out in the amended act and subject to the other provisions thereof providing for the laying out of a system of main thoroughfares to which the establishing construction improvement and maintenance of public roads by the counties shall be restricted after January one one thousand nine hundred and seven but providing for such establishing construction improvement and maintenance of roads not parts of said system upon parties interested paying not less than one-fourth of the original cost of construction and providing that the county commissioners of any county may provide rules regulating the use of roads constructed and maintained by the counties and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Section seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-two) entitled "An act for the appointment and maintenance of a board to be known as the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania and for the payment of its expenses and for providing managing and caring for armories for the use of the National Guard of Pennsylvania throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the same authorizing the State Armory Board to receive from counties cities municipalities and other sources donations or contributions for the purpose of this act" in so far as it authorizes counties to make contributions for purposes of act

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws seventy-four) entitled "An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws seventy-five) entitled "An act regulating the building of county bridges and the letting of contracts therefor authorizing the borrowing of money to pay the same and providing for the punishing of persons who combine or conspire to stifle competition in bidding" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of February one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three) entitled "An act enlarging the powers of county commissioners to erect county bridges empowering them to erect and construct new bridges whenever the existing bridge or bridges are not sufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each Post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-four) entitled "An act fixing the pay of commissioners of roads viewers reviewers and re-reviewers of roads and bridges and commissioners appointed to run establish or re-establish township lines or to divide townships into election districts or boroughs into wards in this Commonwealth" in so far as it fixed the compensation of viewers reviewers and re-reviewers of county roads and bridges

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to contract for the drilling of gas-wells in lands owned by the particular county for the purpose of furnishing light and fuel for the county buildings of that county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter appropriated or condemned or any part thereof for public use free of tolls' approved the twentieth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five providing for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter abandoned or any part thereof and for the repair maintenance or improvement of any turnpike or part thereof where the company or association owning the same has been or may hereafter be dissolved" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the thirteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one entitled 'An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same" approved the sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven' striking therefrom the proviso that such bridge shall be used only for general public travel and shall not be occupied by any railway transportation company or private corporation" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the erection and maintenance of Memorial Halls at the county seats of counties of Pennsylvania which have a population of over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants authorizing and directing the county commissioners of said counties upon petition of fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified voters of said counties at a general election to increase the rate of taxation for county purposes to an amount sufficient to purchase a plot of ground in such county seat and erect thereon a Memorial Hall in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from said counties who served in the army and navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion the Spanish-American war and all other wars in defense of the American flag designating committees to determine what relics records et cetera shall be placed in said Memorial Hall restricting the cost to one hundred and fifty thousand dollars and providing for a flagstaff and the display of the flag of the United States" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and requiring the county auditors in the several counties of this Commonwealth to publish their annual report of the accounts of the several officers whose accounts it is the duty of said county auditors to examine and settle providing the manner of publication of said auditors' report and providing for the payment of publication of said auditors' report by said county thereof" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seventy-two) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll-gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of

quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' approved the second day of June Anno Dimini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven authorizing the court of quarter sessions of the proper county upon petition to appoint a second or subsequent jury of viewers after the lapse of five years from the final confirmation of an adverse report of a former jury of viewers" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the forty sixth section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" authorizing the construction of bridges on the line of adjoining counties or located within one-fourth of a mile from the county lines' approved the twenty-third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three so as to provide that nothing in this act shall prevent any county in this Commonwealth from erecting a bridge at any point wholly within the limits of said county without any view or other proceeding whatsoever in any adjoining county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-five) entitled "An act providing for the payment of the premiums on bonds of county city borough school-district and township employes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Sections four five six eight and ten of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and forty) entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in boroughs and adjacent territory empowering the several boroughs of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private land or over and across railroads and any of them or over and across railroads for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the borough limits authorizing said boroughs to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damage caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under or upon any such viaduct or bridge without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish supplies and fuel for certain county officers' approved the twenty-fifth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two so as to include certain additional articles of supply and to repeal the act of June eighteenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act providing a method to secure possession of lands buildings or other property acquired under the power of eminent domain" in so far as it confers any powers or impose any duties on counties

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-two entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of the late war" approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' and providing further 'That in counties having a population of over five hundred thousand and less than one million inhabitants said petition may pray for the erection of a memorial hall' approved the third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three to include counties having a population of fifty thousand or more" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-three) entitled "An act amending section thirty-five (35) of an act entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six extending the provisions of said section as to also authorize the construction of county bridges in cities and boroughs and providing for the erection of new bridges when any existing county bridge is insufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act empowering clerks designated by county controllers to administer oaths and affirmations" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws eighteen) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners in counties in which a memorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines from such county who served in the Army or Navy of the United States in the War of the Rebellion or in any other war has been or shall be hereafter erected under the laws of this Commonwealth to acquire by purchase or condemnation additional ground adjoining that upon which said memorial hall is erected in order to enhance and preserve the beauty and character of said memorial hall and the object had in its erection and also authorizing said commissioners to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall limiting the cost thereof and providing for the paying of such cost by taxation or by issuing and selling bonds" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws thirty-three) entitled "An act relating to armories for the National Guard of Pennsylvania authoriing counties cities towns boroughs and other municipal divisions of the Commonwealth to provide and appropriate moneys or purchase and convey land owned by any county city town borough or other municipal division of the Commonwealth to assist the Armory Board in the erection of armories and to furnish free of cost to the Commonwealth water light fuel either or all for use in any armory" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize the district attorney of any county in this Commonwealth wherein no assistant district attorney is provided by existing law to appoint a nassistant to aid in the preparation and trial of any indictment for homicide or murder and to provide for the compensation of such assistant out of the treasury of the proper county" absolutely

Sections one and eight of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws sixty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to purchase condemn maintain and use public toll-bridges crossing rivers or streams within the limits thereof and to enter into a contract with the county commissioners of the proper county when said commissioners are duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions on petition of twenty or more tax-payers of such county whereby the said county shall pay a portion of the cost thereof and giving power to the municipalities to charge and collect tolls or rentals for the use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel and providing for the preservation of existing contracts with such persons and their assignment to such municipality" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) "An act authorizing counties to purchase or condemn public toll-bridges crossing rivers or streams within the limits thereof on petition of at least twenty taxpayers of such county and when duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions giving power to the counties to charge and collect tolls or rentals for the use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel

nd providing for the preservation of existing contracts with ich persons and their assignment to such county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thou- nd nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred nd seventy-one) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor o destroy remove or deface any sign erected on or near-by a ighway for the guidance of the public and providing for the unishment of violations of this act" in so far as it relates to gns erected by or with the consent of counties

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine undred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty- ne) entitled "An act providing for the office of county con- roller in counties of this Commonwealth where such office is ot now in existence upon petition to the court of common leas of said county of twenty-five per centum of the number f electors who voted at the November election in said county receding the date of said petition prescribing the duties and xing the salary of said controller and abolishing the office of ounty auditor where this act becomes operative" absolutely

The act approved the eight day of May one thousand nine undred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety- our) entitled "An act providing the manner of locating erect- ng county bridges to take the place of existing bridges the hange of location of such bridges and roads connecting there- ith the vacation of old or existing bridges and roads con- ecting with the same" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand ine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and six) ntitled "An act providing for the construction operation and naintenance of public highways bridges and tunnels in the everal counties of this Commonwealth authorizing the taking f property for such improvement and providing for the com- ensation therefor and the damages teen hundred and five ntitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing or the permanent improvement of certain public roads or ighways in the several counties of this Commonwealth mak- ng such improved roads and highways county roads authoriz- ng the relocation opening straightening widening extension nd alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of ny such road as may thereby become necessary authorizing he taking of property for such improvement and providing or the compensation therefor and the damage resulting from uch taking providing for the payment of the costs and ex- enses incurred in such construction operation and mainte- nance and authorizing the levy of a tax and the issuance of onds to provide a fund for said purpose" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand ine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and wenty-seven) entitled "An act amending an act approved he twenty-second day of April Anno Domini nineteen hun- lred and five entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain ublic roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways ounty roads authorizing the relocation opening straighten- ng widening extension and alteration of the same and the acation of so much of any such road as may thereby ecome necessary authorizing the taking of property for uch improvement and providing for the compensation herefor and the damage resulting from such taking roviding for the payment of the costs and expenses ncurred in making such improvements and in thereafter re- airing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy f a tax to provide a fund for such purposes" approved June wenty-sixth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five pro- iding that public roads and highways may be constructed mproved and maintained by the several counties of the Com- nonwealth as county roads whether existing by other authority r laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act and pro- iding that public road sand highways may be originally lo- ated laid out and established for the purpose of such con- truction improvement and maintenance by the several coun- ies in the manner and by the procedure set out in the mended act and subject to other provisions thereof providing or the laying out of a system of main thoroughfares to which he establishing construction improvement and maintenance f public roads by the counties shall be restricted after Janu- ry one one thousand nine hundred and seven but providing or such establishing construction improvement and main- enance of roads not part of said system upon parties inter- sted paying not less than one-fourth of the original cost of construction and providing that the county commissioners of any county may provide rules regulating the use of roads constructed and maintained by the counties and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof' and providing that public roads and highways located established constructed and improved by the several counties in the manner and by the procedure set out in the said act shall thereafter be township or borough roads and be maintained and improved by the proper township or borough" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to erect and main- tain dykes banks causeways and sluiceways on any stream not navigable and affected by the tide or floods for the eco- nomical protection of public property in their charge" abso- lutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing counties containing over eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand inhabitants to appropriate moneys for the investigation of the condition of such streams and rivers as may be wholly or par- tially within their boundaries for the purpose of controlling floods" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws fifty-three) entitled "An act to amend section one of an Act of Assembly approved the third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hun- dred and three entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several coun- ties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county-seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war" approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of not less than eight hun- dred thousand nor more than one millions four hundred thou- sand" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws ninety- one) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the eighth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the county of bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolition of tolls thereon' by fixing the number of the viewers at three" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousaid nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred nine) en- titled "An act authorizing counties to purchase or condemn public toll-bridges crossing rivers rivulets streams or ravines within the limits of such county where the same connect dif- ferent municipal divisions of such county when duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions on petition of at least twenty taxpayers of such county and giving power to coun- ties to charge and collect tolls or rentals for use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary foot and vehicle travel and providing for the preservation of existing contracts with such persons and their assignment to such county" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred nine) entitled "An act authorizing county auditors of the several counties of this Commonwealth to employ counsel to advise them in their official capacity and providing that the com- pensation of such counsel shall be paid out of the funds of the proper county" absolutely

Sections one two three four five six seven eight nine ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen sixteen seventeen and nineteen of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hun- dred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or high- ways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or high- ways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of

the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefore and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road" absolutely and section eighteen of said act in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties and section twenty of said act except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty six) entitled "An act creating a sinking-fund commission in any county now or hereafter containing not less than one hundred and fifty thousand nor more than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants prescribing its powers and duties and repealing acts inconsistent herewith" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty) entitled "An act to enable counties to borrow appropriate and expend money for the cleansing improvement regulation or control of streams and rivers and the prevention and control of floods and for such purposes to enter into contracts with other counties and other public authorities of this or other States or of the United States" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-five entitled "An act amending the first and second sections of an act approved the fourteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five entitled 'An act to provide for the running relocating changing fixing and marking of county lines' by changing the number of surveyors on the commission" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act providing for the erection of Memorial Halls at the county-seats in the different counties of Pennsylvania authorizing and directing the county commissioners of such counties upon petition of at least fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries and the court of the quarter sessions to purchase a plot of ground in such county-seat and erect thereon a Memorial Hall in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from such county who served in the army and navy in the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion and all other wars in defence of the United States flag and authorizing the levying of a tax to raise a fund to pay the purchase money of the ground and the expense of the erection of a Memorial Hall" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act creating a County Sinking Fund Commission in the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and prescribing its powers and duties" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to the act of Assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erecting of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges' approved the eleventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine extending the same to bridges over railroads and canals" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Sections four five six eight and ten to the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in townships of the first class and adjacent territory empowering the board of commissioners of the several townships of the first class of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private land or over and across railroads and any of them or over and across railroads for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the township limits authorizing said townships to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damage caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under or upon any such viaduct or bridge without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three entitled 'An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county-seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of several officers of the county and for the reception and safe-keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purpose of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' by fixing the number of the viewers at three" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to erect a bridge for pedestrians only in lieu of a wagon-bridge legally authorized when in their judgment such bridge will sufficiently accommodate public travel" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighty-four) entitled "An act to amend the forty-seventh section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six' entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' providing that the cost of construction maintenance and repair of county bridges which cross rivers or streams forming the boundary line between two counties or running betweeen counties shall be paid for by said counties in proportion to the population of the respective counties Provided This shall apply to counties having a population of two hundred thousand and under and in such counties to bridges three hundred feet (300) in length and over" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred twelve) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to furnish on petition appropriate metal markers for the graves of soldiers and sailors who served with honor in the military forces of the United States' as amended by an act approved the tenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five entitled 'An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to furnish metal markers for graves of soldiers and sailors" approved the twenty-fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three providing that the county commissioners of the several counties of this State shall furnish markers for certain deceased soldiers and sailors' by extending its provisions to widows of soldiers and sailors" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws ten) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thou-

sand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties' approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five as amended by the act entitled 'An act to amend sections one and sixteen of an act entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said county" approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five so as to make it apply to all counties containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and authorizing the Governor to fill vacancies' approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred one by providing for the office of controller in all counties having over one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring the county auditors in their several counties of this Commonwealth to publish their annual report of the accounts of the several officers whose accounts it is the duty of said county auditors to examine and settlte providing the manner of publication of said auditors' report and providing for the payment of publication of said auditors' report by said county thereof'" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act regulating the letting of certain contracts for the erection construction and alteration of public buildings" is so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the county commissioners and the county solicitor and the chief clerk of said commissioners of each county to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act authorizing counties to appropriate moneys for monuments or memorials in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of the Spanish-American War and soldiers sailors and marines who served on foreign soil prior to July fourth one thousand nine hundred and two" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing counties having a population of not less than eight hundred thousand and not more than one million four hundred thousand to purchase land when adjacent or contiguous to county roads for park purposes or for public comfort stations providing for the improvement and maintenance thereof authorizing the adoption of rules relating to the management and control of such property providing penalties for the breach thereof and limiting the amount to be expended for the purposes aforesaid" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act to amend section eighteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven by authorizing counties to contract with boroughs in the improvement of a borough street connecting with a county road providing for the cost thereof prescribing the method by which the contract for such improvement shall be made and imposing the cost of maintenance of such street on the borough" in so far as it concerns any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-seven) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improve roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method of improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini nineteen hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) extending the provisions of said act to provide for the location and construction of such public roads or highways by adjoining counties of this Commonwealth where such roads extend along and adjacent to county lines and from one adjoining county into another and defining the procedure and jurisdiction in such cases" absolutely

The Act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act giving to all owners or tenants of lands property or material abutting on or through which pass roads streets lanes or alleys injured by the laying out opening widening vacating extending or grading of said roads streets lanes or alleys or the changing of grades and lines thereof by cities counties boroughs or townships within this Commonwealth the construction and vacating by said cities counties boroughs or townships of bridges and the piers abutments approaches embankments slopes or causeways therefore or leading thereto which abut on or pass through or along said lands property or material and the construction by said cities counties boroughs or townships of sewers in over upon along or through said lands property or material the right to damages for said injuries directing all juries of view appointed or that shall hereafter be appointed under existing laws for assessing damages or benefits for taking using occupying or injuring lands property or material to assess said damages if any against said cities counties boroughs or townships as the case may be and the benefits if any in connection therewith granting the right of appeal to the proper court of common pleas from the report of said juries and the trial by jury in said court of common pleas and the right to file exceptions to said report and the right of appeal to the Superior Court or Supreme Court after disposal of exceptions or verdict and final judgment and providing that this act shall apply to all existing and future proceedings" as to counties

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nineteen) entitled "An act to authorize the display of the State county city borough or other municipal flags on public buildings in the Commonwealth" in so far as it relates to county buildings

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act requiring the sheriff prothonotary and all other county officers receiving moneys as such officers to be credited to others to give quarterly written notice to such party or parties of the amount standing to his or her or their credit during the preceding quarter" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-three) entitled "An act to permit viewers to award damages for the vacation of streets roads or highways to abutting owners where no land is actually taken" in so far as it relates to counties.

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighteen) entitled "An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary' approved the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-three) entitled "An act vesting in county commissioners certain powers relative to public monuments" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-six) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to encourage county historical societies' approved the twenty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one so as to provide that the commissioners' board in counties where the population exceeds one million may appropriate a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars annually to the chief historical society in said county" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixteen) entitled "An act to amend section eighteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven as the same was amended by an act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen by authorizing counties to contract with municipalities in the improvement of certain streets of such municipalities connecting with a county road providing for the cost thereof prescribing the method by which the contract for such improvement shall be made and imposing the cost of the maintenance of such streets on the municipalities" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act providing for the payment of judgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens on property affected by public improvements or appropriated by the exercise of the right of eminent domain" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act relating to the competency of witnesses and to the rules of evidence in proceedings arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties and municipalities to unite in providing in the courthouse certain rest or waiting-rooms" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act relating to the bonds to be given by county officers the amount and conditions thereof the sureties for such bonds the payment of the premiums therefor and the recording and custody thereof in counties having over eight hundred thousand and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act providing for the alteration of the boundaries of counties in certain cases and for the adjustment of the indebtedness thereof" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county-seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war' approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five as amended to include the soldiers and sailors of the Spanish-American War" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to hospitals" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for the said approaches" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eleven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of any county to close abandon and remove county bridges under certain circumstances with the consent of the grand jury and court of quarter sessions of the proper county" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-two)

ntitled "An act providing for the construction maintenance nd operation of main or trunk sanitary sewers and of sewrage-disposal plants by the several counties of this Comonwealth making such main or trunk sewers and sewerageisposal plants county sewers and county disposal plants for he formation of sewer districts in the several counties of this ommonwealth the preparation of separate copies of the assessed value for county purposes of the taxable properties inluded in such sewer districts authorizing the taking of propty for the construction of such main or trunk sewers and isposal plants and providing for the compensation therefor nd the damages resulting from such taking providing for the ayment of the costs and expenses incurred in the constructing aintaining and operating of such main or trunk sewers nd disposal plants and authorizing the levy of a tax upon aid sewer districts to provide a fund for said purposes and roviding for and regulating certain allowances and rebates to unicipalities which have incurred or become liable for costs f construction" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections two and three of the act approved the eleventh day f June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet aws nine hundred forty-two) entitled "An act to amend an ct approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine undred fifteen entitled 'An act providing for the payment of udgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens n property affected by public improvements or appropriated y the exercise of the right of eminent domain'" in so far as relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-third day of March one thouand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twelve) entled "An act providing for the location construction operation nd maintenance of public highways bridges tunnels subways nd underground roads anywhere within the several counties f this Commonwealth either wholly or partly within the territorial limits of cities boroughs and townships thereof authorzing the taking by the several counties of proprety for such nprovement and providing for the compensation therefor and he damages resulting from such taking providing for the ntry upon and appropriation by the several counties of highays streets and properties of cities and boroughs necessary or such improvements and for the supervision maintenance nd control of said highways streets and properties by said ounties after said entry and appropriation providing for the ayment by the said several counties of the costs and expenses ncurred and necessary in such construction operation and aintenance of such improvements providing for the conracting by the several counties with railway or transportation ompanies for the concurrent use of such public highways ridges tunnels subways and underground roads and authoring the levy of a tax and the issuance of bonds by the sevral counties to provide a fund for said purposes" absolutely

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine undred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirtyven) entitled "An act vesting in the persons appointed by he county commissioners of the several counties of this Comonwealth to inspect and repair county roads improved and aintained by such counties the power and authority now sted by law in the constables of the several cities boroughs nd townships of this Commonwealth for the preservation of he peace in and along such roads and for the enforcement of cts of Assembly regulating the speed of automobiles and other hicles thereon and for the enforcement of rules and regulaons governing the use of such roads designating such persons unty road caretakers and providing for badges evidencing eir authority" absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine ndred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fiftyght) entitled "An act to authorize counties cities boroughs wns townships school districts and poor districts to require bond to protect labor and material-men and providing for its thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor nd material in and about the erection alteration addition and pair of public buildings" in so far as it confers any powers imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thouand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hunded seventy-six) entitled "An act authorizing and empowerig the several counties of this Commonwealth to locate lay open construct and maintain public bridges whether wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein across any river or stream dividing or separating any part of said county from any other part thereof together with the necessary bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches to conveniently connect the same with existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships authorizing the cities and boroughs wherein such bridges are located to share in the cost thereof and to provide approaches therefor authorizing the taking and appropriation of property and rights of property public or private for such purposes providing a method for making compensation for property taken injured or destroyed thereby authorizing the several counties to enter upon and over public streets or roads in cities boroughs or townships for said purposes authorizing the several counties to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness thereof and authorizing the several counties to charge and collect tolls and rentals for the concurrent use of such bridges and approaches by street-railway telegraph telephone or other corporations or persons making use thereof other than for ordinary foot or vehicle traffic and to enter into contracts for such use" absolutely

Sections one two and four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road authorizing boroughs towns and townships to enter into contracts to aid in the construction and maintenance of such roads or highways" in so far as it confers powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended by requiring the commissioners to make appropriations also to Memorial Day or similar organizations where there was heretofore an established post" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred four) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to prothonotaries and their duties and to their deputies and to enable said deputies to act for the said prothonotaries in case of their sickness absence or other temporary disability' approved the twenty-sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred ninety-seven by authorizing the appointment of an additional deputy to act in case of the disability of the principal deputy prothonotary" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred fifty) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen en-

titled 'An act to amend an act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled "An act providing for the payment of judgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens on property affected by public improvements or appropriated by the exercise of the right of eminent domain'" excepting proceedings to ascertain damages and benefits by reason of municipal street or sewer improvements" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys for the maintenance and rental of certain rifle-ranges the employment of instructors and employes in connection therewith and for the purchase of equipment and uniforms for members of rifle-clubs who volunteer for service in their counties or answer the call of the Governor" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini eighteen hundred thirty-six' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven so as to provide for the construction change or alteration of parts of public roads in counties boroughs or townships without the formality of a view where the costs and expenses to such county borough or township including damages shall not exceed three hundred dollars" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act amending the first section of an act of Assembly approved the twenty-ninth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one "authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for said approaches"' approved the ninth day of July Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven by extending its provisions so that the same will apply to cases where a borough and township are separated by a river creek or rivulet" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend section four of an act entitled 'An act creating a County Sinking-fund Commission in the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and prescribing its powers and duties' approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighteen) entitled 'An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars' by excepting contracts for the repair building or rebuilding of any bridge or bridges that will cost less than five hundred dollars" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ninety) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred thriteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and four) entitled 'An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and one) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to encourage county historical societies' approved the twenty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one as amended by the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen so as to increase the sum that may be appropriated to such societies and providing for joint appropriations" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act providing for a State association of county controllers and for the meetings thereof and providing for the payment by the counties of the expenses thereof" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act requiring counties having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand to establish a pension fund for the employes of such counties and providing for the administration of such fund and payments therefrom" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act making it lawful for twenty-five or more resident taxpayers of any county in this Commonwealth in which any turnpike road or highway is wholly or partly located upon which tolls are charged the traveling public to present their petition to the county commissioners of their county setting forth that it would be for the best interests of the people of their county that such turnpike road or highway or part thereof should be purchased and become a public road free from tolls and toll-gates and thereupon for the county commissioners of the petitioners' county to purchase the same for public use free from tolls and toll-gates if a price therefor can be agreed upon with the owners thereof and pay for the same out of the funds of their county not otherwise appropriated and if such county has not sufficient funds to issue bonds of said county for that purpose and providing that any turnpike road or highway or part thereof so purchased and made a public road shall thereafter be repaired maintained and improved by the county township borough or city in which the same or part thereof is located" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary' as amended absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties to appropriate money for and to erect monuments or memorials to commemorate the services of soldiers sailors and marines in the war with Germany and Austria and authorizing counties to appropriate moneys to assist in erecting such monuments or memorials" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fourteen) entitled "An act amending sections two four and fifteen of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to locate lay out open construct and maintain public bridges whether wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein across any river or stream dividing or separating any part of said county from any other part thereof together with the necessary bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches to conveniently connect the same with existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships authorizing the cities and boroughs wherein such bridges are located to share in the cost thereof and to provide approaches therefor authorizing the taking and appropriation of property and rights of property public or private for such purposes providing a method for making compensation for property taken injured or destroyed thereby authorizing the several counties to enter upon and over public streets or roads in cities boroughs or townships for said purposes authorizing the several counties to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor and authorizing the several counties to charge and collect tolls and rentals for the concurrent use of such bridges and approaches by street-railway telegraph telephone or other corporations or

persons making use thereof other than for ordinary foot or vehicle traffic and to enter into contracts for such use' approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred seventeen" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred eleven) entitled "An act authorizing counties to widen straighten alter or change the course of unnavigable streams to insure the safety of county bridges conferring upon counties the right of eminent domain in connection therewith and providing for the assessment of damages for property taken injured or destroyed" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend sections thirteen and twenty of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' providing for the repair maintenance and vacation of abandoned and condemned turnpikes" absolutely and section two thereof except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to contract with any city within such county for the payment by the county of a portion of the cost of the laying out and construction of any public highway bridge connecting different portions of said city or portions of said city and any township bordering thereon but separated therefrom by any intervening valley or ravine and empowering such county to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor" except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on cities

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to certain cities or borough to assist in the erection of comfort stations" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties cities and boroughs to furnish rooms in public buildings for meeting places for certain organizations" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their [illegible] absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eighteen) entitled "An act amending sections one three five and twelve of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-six) entitled "An act amending section two of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the county commissioners and the county solicitor and the chief clerk of said commissioners of each county to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof' approved the tenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen as amended by providing that the necessary expenses of the convention shall not be more than fifty dollars to any county per annum" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners of the counties of the sixth class to furnish the county officers with certain services equipment and supplies at the expense of the county" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws ninety-four) entitled "An act requiring the county commissioners in all counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class of this Commonwealth to provide an office at the county-seat for the district attorney and his assistants if any and to furnish supplies postage telephone fuel and light required for his and their use" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing removal of county jails prisons or workhouses from public parks squares or commons in counties of the fourth class and the erection of new county jails prisons or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said counties and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails prisons or workhouses and the ground upon which the same may be located" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventeen) entitled "An act providing for the repair by the county commissioners of bridges viaducts or subways carrying a public highway over or under any railroad street railway or other highway where a dispute exists between municipal authorities or between municipal authorities and public service corporations as to the responsibility for such repair and providing for the collection of the cost of such repairs and supervision of the work" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the assessment of benefits and award of damages by the viewers appointed in counties of the second class pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become

unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road" and providing for the filing reviving and collecting of liens arising from any assessment of benefits thereunder" in so far as it relates to county roads

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act to further amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy) entitled 'An act to amend revise and consolidate the law providing for the burial of certain honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines at the expense of the counties in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death to provide a system for effecting the burial of such soldiers sailors and marines to provide headstones and markers for the graves of such soldiers sailors and marines and to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties to purchase plots of ground for the burial of such soldiers sailors and marines' as amended" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifty-eight) entitled 'An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county-seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safekeeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' as amended by providing for the purchase and condemnation of ground at or near the county-seat" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-four entitled "An act to provide separate accommodations for women jurors at the several courthouses and providing that the separation of jurors in certain cases shall not work mistrials" in so far as it imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term 'deceased service men' and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-seven) entitled "An act to further amend section twenty of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' as amended providing for the vacation of abandoned or condemned turnpikes" except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to acquire lands by purchase gift or condemnation and to convey such lands to the Commonwealth for use of the National Guard" as to counties

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend section nineteen of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provdie a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county roads lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' further relating to the repair of such roads and expressing the intent of the act" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any dutics on counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand one hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this

Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each Post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended authorizing county commissioners to make additional appropriations for Memorial Day purposes" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty) entitled "An act relative to the burial of the bodies of deceased widows of soldiers sailors and marines at county expense" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to cooperate with the Department of Agriculture and to appropriate money from county funds for the purpose of suppressing and controlling dangerous infectious disease of live stock and poultry and dangerous plant diseases and insect pests" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to appropriate county moneys to incorporated agricultural and horticultural societies and associations" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend section six of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-eight) entitled "An act to require counties to cause the graves of honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines to be decorated with flags on Memorial Day" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing any county separately or counties interested jointly to lease for a term of years from a bridge company or corporation any toll bridge spanning a river or stream when such bridge is used solely for highway purposes or jointly for highway railroad or street railway purposes discontinuing tolls on any such bridge during such lease and authorizing counties to appropria.. money levy taxes and incur indebtedness for such purposes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-five) entitled 'An act providing for the payment of the premiums on bonds of county city borough school-district and township employes' extending the provisions thereof to officers" in so far as it applies to counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eleven) entitled "An act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties'" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-eight) "An act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and ninety-four) entitled 'An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic' to include authorization of appropriations to each organization of ex-service men incorporated under the act of April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act creating regulating and defining the powers of a County Planning Commission and authorizing the creation of a county plan in counties of the second class requiring the county commissioners to furnish to the commission before passage resolution relating to county improvements to roads lands building or means of communications authorizing the commission to report suggestions to the county commissioners concerning improvements and to appear in court with reference thereto authorizing the making of a county map and plan including territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing proposed improvements in roads lands buildings and means of communication" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-five) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate money from the funds of the county to aid in the planting of trees and the establishment of tree nurseries in aid of the reforestation of woodlots of farms or any other lands denuded of timber trees which it is desired to reforest" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts

under the Constitution' providing that said act shall be in effect only upon the acceptance thereof" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing probation officers of the various counties to attend the annual State Association or Conference of Probation and Parole and providing for the payment of their expenses and membership dues by counties" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-three) entitled "An act relative to the disposition of fines and forfeitures in counties of this Commonwealth of the fourth class and authorizing the expenditure of a portion of all of said fines for the support and maintenance of a law library in said counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act empowering any chief deputy appointed by deed of any sheriff in any county of this Commonwealth to perform any duty incumbent upon such sheriff until a written revocation of such appointment be recorded with like effect as if such official act had been done by the sheriff in person regardless of the ability or temporary disability of such sheriff to act while such sheriff continues in office" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to provide for the laying out altering and vacating roads lying partly in one county and partly in an adjoining county forming or intended to form a continuous highway from one county to another and providing for the location construction of a joint county bridge on said road" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "An act to amend sections two and five of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate money for the compilation and publication of a County War History" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act relating to county bridges authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof and for the acquisition of toll bridges and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two), entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county' by providing for second like proceeding in certain cases and making it the duty of the county commissioners upon favorable result of a second election to erect such hall at some place designated in the question submitted on the ballot" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section five and six of an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' as amended authorizing the purchase of headstones of deceased service men buried in the county and regulating the purchase of markers" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred forty) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' by authorizing appropriations to each post of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War" in so far as it confers powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred forty-one) entitled "An act authorizing courts of common pleas of the several counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class to order moneys received from fines penalties and forfeited recognizances and dedicated by law to law library purposes in excess of the amount required to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the district attorneys of each county to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof and of the district attorneys attending by the several counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand ninety-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and

ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled 'An act to regulate the erection of county buildings' by providing for the approval of plans of county buildings and the letting of contracts for the construction thereof by the body levying the taxes for general county purposes in certain counties" except in so far as it provides for the approval of plans of county buildings and the letting of contracts for the construction thereof by the body levying the taxes for general county purposes in certain counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of February one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Law three) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-seven) entitled 'An act authorizing the establishment of contagious disease hospitals in the several counties of the Commonwealth to be constructed and maintained out of county funds' providing for the establishment and maintenance of contagious disease hospitals by two or more counties jointly" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties to engage in health work and to appropriate moneys for such purposes" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled "An act for the promotion of the safety of the traveling public by authorizing counties and townships to purchase or condemn by the right of eminent domain property and lands along highways so as to eliminate dangerous curves and widen narrow highways" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections one to eleven inclusive of the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act authorizing and regulating the establishment and operation by counties of hospitals for the treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis providing for the acquisition of property for such hospitals by the power of eminent domain the incurring of indebtedness and the levying of taxes the appointment of an advisory board authorizing counties to pay for patients cared for in hospitals of other counties authorizing counties to receive gifts or trust funds for the erection and maintenance of such hospitals validating proceedings elections and erections under existing laws repealed by this act and all indebtedness incurred in connection therewith" absolutely

The act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four) entitled 'An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled "An act authorizing to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic' by extending the provisions thereof to cities and boroughs and by authorizing appropriations for Armistice Day" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fourteen) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-one) entitled 'An act creating regulating and defining the powers of a County Planning Commission and authorizing the creation of a county plan in counties of the second class requiring the county commissioners to furnish to the commission before passage resolutions relating to county improvements to roads lands buildings or means of communications authorizing the commission to report suggestions to the county commissioners concerning improvements and to appear in court with reference thereto authorizing the making of a county map and plan including territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing proposed improvements in roads lands buildings and means of communication' requiring certain plans of streets and highways and plans plots and replots of land to be submitted to and approved by the County Planning Commission before recording determining the effect of the approval and disapproval thereof and creating a presumption of law" in so far as it relates to County Planning Commissions

The act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighteen) entitled "An act providing for the appropriation of moneys by counties toward the expense of installing ornamental illumination upon streets in the county seat on which county buildings abut" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to amend sections four and six of the act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty) entitled "An act empowering counties to take purchase or condemn property and to appropriate money for the erection thereon of public auditoriums libraries memorial buildings and monuments and providing for their operation and maintenance" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners in cases of emergency to construct or reconstruct county bridges upon the approval of the court of quarter sessions" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act to authorize counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection alteration addition and repair of public buildings' " in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act conferring authority on the Department of Highways and any county or township to enter upon private property adjacent to any public road or highway and place thereon snow fence between December first and April first of the succeeding year and providing for the payment of damages by the authorities responsible for the maintenance of said public road or highway to the owner of adjacent property occasioned in the actual placing or removal of said snow fence" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act providing for the building or rebuilding of inter-county bridges by adjoining counties or by a county and a city in an adjoining county and providing for the assessment and payment of damages for lands taken for such purpose by any county" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy) entitled "An act authorizing departments and agencies of the Commonwealth the several counties municipalities and other subdivisions thereof to include in all contracts an agreement to arbitrate under the arbitration act of one thousand eight hundred thirty-six" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of cer-

tain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designed as 'deceased service men' defining the term 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" absolutely

The act approved the second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-six) entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better and more impartial selection of persons to serve as jurors in each of the counties of this Commonwealth" approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven providing for a clerk to the jury commissioners and regulating his compensation' providing for the appointment of a clerk to the jury commissioners by the county commissioners in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties singly or two or more counties acting together to purchase land and erect buildings thereon or to erect or add to and improve buildings already erected on lands owned by a county for an institution for the detention of delinquent women sentenced to imprisonment for one year or less and regulating the establishment management and maintenance of such institutions and the reception treatment training employment and instruction of inmates therein and the transfer of delinquent women from county prisons thereto or to other institutions in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws thirty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges' providing for the establishment of lights on county bridges located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties and requiring lights on certain county bridges" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eighty-four) entitled "An act empowering counties of the second class to acquire by condemnation or by purchase lease gift devise or otherwise private property for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending operating and maintaining public parks authorizing county commissioners to govern manage operate lay out improve and maintain the same and to make rules and regulations for the government of said parks providing punishments penalties and liabilities for the violation of said rules and regulations authorizing the issue of bonds and the levy of taxes for such purposes and repealing an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties having a population of not less than eight hundred thousand and not more than one million four hundred thousand to purchase land when adjacent or contiguous to county roads for park purposes or for public comfort stations providing for the improvement and maintenance thereof authorizing the adoption of rules relating to the management and control of such property providing penalties for the breach thereof and limiting the amount to be expended for the purposes aforesaid' approved the twentieth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to amend section ten of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties' which now applies to all counties having a population of one hundred thousand and over by changing the amount above which contracts must be advertised" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled 'An act relative to the eligibility of candidates for the office of district attorney'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act providing for the election of one person as register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court in counties of the fourth class" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty) entitled "An act authorizing the register of wills of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nineteen) entitled "An act to amend section three of an act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy-five) entitled 'An act relating to county bridges authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof and for the acquisition of toll bridges and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon' by providing for the payment from tolls collected of the expenses of operating and maintaining such bridge" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred entitled 'An act authorizing removal of county jails prisons or workhouses from public parks squares or commons in counties of the fourth class and the erection of new county jails prisons or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said counties and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails prisons or workhouses and the ground upon which the same may be located' regulating the location of such jails prisons and workhouses and the acreage to be acquired therewith" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act to amend the title and sections one and two of an act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service men" authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines'" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred five) entitled "An act to amend section fifteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of a county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expen-

thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) by adding to the purposes for which the annual tax may be expended" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-eight), entitled "An act requiring counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts when fixing rates of taxation in mills to express such rates also in dollars and cents" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred twelve) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended authorizing appropriations to organizations agreeing to decorate graves of Civil War veterans" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-one) entitled 'A supplement to an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road" authorizing boroughs towns and townships to enter into contracts to aid in the construction and maintenance of such roads or highways'" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fourteen) entitled "An act to authorize the incoming sheriff in any county to complete the official acts of his predecessor" absolutely

Section 1052 EFFECT AND OTHER LEGISLATION All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are repealed This act shall not repeal or modify any of the provisions of the Public Service Company Law nor the act entitled "An act to preserve the purity of the waters of the State for the protection of the public health" approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five nor shall this act repeal or modify any of the provisions of an act of assembly amendatory of law in force at the time of the passage of this act or otherwise adopted at the session of the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine whether such acts were adopted prior to the passage of this act or shall be adopted subsequent to the passage of this act nor shall this act repeal any such act or part thereof in force at the time of the passage of this act which is amended by an act of assembly approved at the Session of the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

An Act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2087, entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty) the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-two) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases as used in this act unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meanings

(1) "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allowance under the provisions of this act

(2) "Retirement Association" shall mean the employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

(3) "Retirement Board" shall mean the employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

(4) "Superintendent of Public Instruction" shall mean the Superintendent of Public Instruction of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(5) "Public School" shall mean any class school high school normal school training school vocational school truant school parental school and any or all classes or schools within the State of Pennsylvania conducted under the order and superintendence of the Department of Public Instruction of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and of a duly elected or appointed board of public education board of school directors or board of trustees of the Commonwealth or of any school district or normal school district thereof and shall include the officers of the State Department of Public Instruction and the State Board of Education

(6) "Employer" shall mean the Commonwealth school district normal school district board or other committee by which the employe is paid

(7) "Employe" shall mean any teacher principal supervisor supervising principal county superintendent district superintendent assistant superintendent any member of the staff of the State normal schools or of the staff of the State Department of Public Instruction or of the staff of the State Board of Education or any clerk stenographer janitor attendance officer or other person engaged in any work concerning or relating to the public schools of this Commonwealth or in connection therewith or under contract or engagement to perform one or more of these functions Provided That no person shall be deemed an employe within the meaning of this act who is not regularly engaged in performing one or more of these functions as a full-time occupation outside of vacation periods In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is an employe as defined in this act And provided further That those employes of the Department of Public Instruction who are members of or are entitled to membership in the retirement system herein established may withdraw from the system and be entitled to reimbursement of moneys which they have paid in by so electing in writing filed with the Retirement Board on or before the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five After said date all new employes in the Department of Public Instruction shall be members of said system unless they elect otherwise in writing filed with the Retirement Board within one year after beginning their employment

(8) "Present Employe" shall mean any employe as defined in paragraph seven of this section employed in any capacity in connection with the public schools at the time this bill becomes a law and any employe who was employed prior to such time and who shall become a contributor subject to the conditions provided in clause two of section twelve of this act

(9) "New Entrant" shall mean any employe as defined in paragraph seven of this section appointed or elected or contracting or otherwise legally engaging to serve in any capacity in connection with the public schools after this bill becomes a law

(10) "Contributor" shall mean any person who has [an account in] accumulated deductions in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account

(11) "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

(12) "School Service" shall mean any service as an employe as defined by paragraph seven if this section

(13) "Prior Service" shall mean all school service completed not later than the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred nineteen

(14) "School Year" shall mean the official school year of the school district in which an employe is employed

(15) "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

(16) "Superannuation Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

(17) "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earned by a contributor as an employe for the ten years of service immediately preceding retirement

(18) "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and [credited to his or her individual account in] paid into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [funds] account together with the regular interest thereon

(19) "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

(20) "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

(21) "Employes' Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by a contributor as provided in this act

(22) "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the employe's annuity

(23) "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(24) "Employe's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any employe's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

(25) ["Expense Fund"] "School Employes' Retirement Fund shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

(26) "Contingent Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

(27) "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

(28) "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account Number Two" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

(29) "Employes' Annuity Savings [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

(30) "Employes' Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 3, line 12 by striking out the word "allowance" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "allowances"

Amend page 3 line 14 by inserting before the word "employes'" the word "school"

Amend page 3, line 17 by inserting before the word "employes'" the words "public school"

Amend page 4, line 4 by striking out the word "Board" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Council"

Amend page 4, line 14 by striking out the word "Board" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Council"

Amend page 5, line 23 by striking out the word "if" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Wil the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2 That section three of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws fifty) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

Section 3 An employes' retirement association is hereby organized the membership of which shall consist of the following

1 All present employes including employes in the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind Overbrook Philadelphia Pennsylvania the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind Pittsburgh Pennsylvania the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb Mount Airy Philadelphia Pennsylvania and the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb Wilkinsburg Pennsylvania except those specifically excluded by paragraph three of this section who by written application to the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall elect before the first day of July nineteen hundred and twenty-eight to be covered by the retirement system Provided That such employe shall at the time of making such application pay into the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the employes' annuity savings [fund] account as provided for in paragraph number six of section eight of this act an amount equal to what would have been at that date the accumulated deductions from the salary of such employe had the election to be covered by the retirement system been made prior to the first day of July nineteen hundred and nineteen

2 All new entrants, except those specificaly excluded by paragraph three of this section

3 Present employes who are members and new entrants who become members of a retirement system maintained under the laws of the Commonwealth from appropriations or contributions made wholly or in part by any employer and existing at the time this bill becomes a law shall be excluded from membership in this retirement association But should two-thirds of all the members participating in any such retirement system apply for membership in the retirement association by a petition duly signed and verified approved by their employer and filed with the retirement board all the persons included in the membership of such retirement system shall become members of the retirement association at such time within three months after the filing of such petition as the retirement board shall designate Thereupon the retirement system of which they were members at the time they were included in the retirement association provided by this act shall be dissolved and discontinued as follows

The payment of retirement allowances or other benefits which were in effect at the time of such discontinuance shall become an obligation of the employer shall be continued as formerly provided by such retirement system and shall be paid out of such moneys excepting further contributions of members as were formerly available for such payment and the employer shall appropriate for such purpose such other moneys as shall be required

All present assets of such retirement system at the time of its discontinuance shall be transferred to the employer to be held and invested as a trust fund and disbursed only in payment to the before-mentioned retired members except that if the amount of such present assets exceed the present value of the future retirement allowances or other benefits of such retired members computed on the basis of such tables as the retirement board shall have adopted for similar classes of annuitants and of regular interest the amount of the excess shall thereupon be transferred to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of State annuity reserve [fund] account number two Upon the retirement of any contributor of the retirement association established by this act who has not received back any contributions which he or she made to such discontinued retirement system there shall be [paid] transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account number two [into] to the employes' annuity reserve [fund] account a credit equal to the amount of such contributions and he or she shall receive therefor such annuity or other benefit purchasable therewith as he or she may elect in addition to the other benfits provided by this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 8, line 7, by inserting before the word "EMPLOYES'" the word "School"

Amend page 8, line 8, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "An" and inserting thereafter the words "A school," thusly "[An] A school."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 That section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

THE RETIREMENT BOARD

Section 4 A retirement board of seven members is hereby constituted which shall consist of the following

(a) The Superintendent of Public Instruction who shall be chairman thereof

(b) The Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(c) One member who shall be appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who shall serve until his successor is appointed

(d) Three members of the retirement association elected from among their number in a manner to be approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the State Treasurer and the member of the retirement board appointed by the Governor—one to serve for one year one for two years and one for three years and whose successors shall be elected for a term of three years from among the members of the retirement association in a manner to be approved by the retirement board

(e) One member not an employe nor officer or employe of the State who shall be elected annually by the board to serve for a term of one year

A vacancy occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired term by the appointment of a successor in the same manner as his or her predecessor Until the organization of the retirement association and the election of three representatives therefrom the Superintendent of Public Instruction the State Treasurer and the member appointed by the Governor are empowered to perform the duties of the retirement board

2 The expenses of the administration of this act by the retirement board exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act shall be paid by the Commonwealth by biennial appropriations from the General Fund made on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board The members of the retirement board shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed from the aforesaid appropriations [the expense fund] for any necessary expenditures and no contributors shall suffer loss of salary or wages through serving on the retirement board

3 The [retirement board shall elect from its membership a chairman and] Superintendent of Public Instruction subject to the approval of the Governor shall appoint a secretary an actuary and such medical clerical and other employes as may be necessary

4 The compensation of all persons [employed by the retirement board] so appointed shall be fixed by [said retirement board] the Superintendent of Public Instruction subject to the approval of the Governor and in conformity with the standards of the Executive Board

5 Subject to the limitations of this act and of law the retirement board shall from time to time establish rules and regulations for the administration of the [funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act and for the transaction of its business

6 The retirement board shall keep in convenient form such data as shall be necessary for actuarial valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

7 In the years nineteen hundred twenty-one and nineteen hundred twenty-four and in every fifth year thereafter the actuary of the retirement board shall make an actuarial investigation into the mortality and service experience of the contributors and beneficiaries as defined in this act and shall make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by

this act and on the basis of such investigation and valuation the retirement board shall—

(a) Adopt for the retirement system one or more mortality tables and such other tables as shall be deemed necessary

(b) Certify the rates of deduction from salary necessary to pay the annuities authorized under the provisions of this act and

(c) Certify the rates of contribution expressed as a percentage of salary of new entrants at various ages which shall be made by the Commonwealth to the School Employes' Retirement Fund and credited to the contingent reserve [fund] account

8 Immediately after the passage of this act the actuary of the retirement board shall make such investigation of the mortality service and salary experience of the employes of the public schools as he shall recommend and the retirement board tables to be prepared and submitted to the retirement board shall authorize for the purpose of determining upon the proper for adoption On the basis of such investigation and recommendation the retirement board shall adopt such tables and certify such rates as are required in subsections a b and c of paragraph seven immediately preceding On the basis of such tables the actuary of the retirement board shall immediately after the first day of July nineteen hundred and nineteen make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

9 The retirement board shall publish annually a report showing the condition of the various [funds] accounts created by this act and setting forth such other facts recommendations and data as may be of use in the advancement of knowledge concerning employes' pensions and annuities and said retirement board shall submit said report to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and shall file copies thereof in the offices of the State Department of Public Instruction of the State Insurance Department and of each employer for use of the employes and the public

10 Each member of the retirement board shall take an oath of office that he or she will so far as it devolves upon him diligently and honestly administer the affairs of said retirement board and that he or she will not knowingly violate or wilfully permit to be violated any of the provisions of law applicable to this act Such oath shall be subscribed by the member making it and certified by the officer before whom it is taken and shall be immediately filed in the office of the Secretary of State

11 The retirement board shall keep a record of all of its proceedings which shall be open to inspection by the public

12 The retirement board shall perform such other functions as are required for the execution of the provisions of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 10, line 28, by inserting after the word "members" the following words to be known as the "Public School Employes' Retirement Board."

Amend page 14, line 3, by striking out the word "and."

Amend page 14, line 5, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "publish" and inserting thereafter the words "prepare and have published," thusly: "[publish] prepare and have published."

Amend page 14, lines 5 and 6, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "report," thusly: "[report]."

Amend page 14, line 6, by inserting before the word "various" the words "Fund and the."

Amend page 14, lines 10 and 11, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "report" and inserting thereafter the words "financial statement," thusly, "[report] financial statement."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fourth section was read as follows:

Section 4 That section six of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

MANAGEMENT OF THE [FUNDS] FUND

Section 6 The funds created by this act shall be managed as follows

1 The members of the retirement board shall be the trustees of the [several funds] Fund created by this act and shall have exclusive control and management of the said [funds] Fund and full power to invest the same subject however to all the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by this act upon the making of investments and subject also to the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by law upon savings banks in the making and disposing of their investments and subject to like terms conditions limitations and restrictions said trustees shall have full power to hold purchase sell assign transfer or dispose of any of the securities and investments in which any of the [funds] moneys in the Fund created by this act shall have been invested as well as of the proceeds of said investments and of any moneys belonging to said [funds] Fund

2 The retirement board shall annually allow regular interest on the mean amount for the preceding year [in] to the credit of each of the [funds] accounts created in accordance with the provisions of this act [with the exception of the expense fund] The amount so allowed [shall be due and payable to such funds and] shall be annually credited thereto by the retirement board

3 The treasurer of this Commonwealth shall be the custodian of the [several funds] Fund created by this act

All payments from the [funds] Fund created by this act shall be made by the State Treasurer only upon [warrant] warrants drawn by the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions signed by the chairman of the retirement board and countersigned by the secretary of the retirement board and no [warrant] requisition shall be drawn except by order of the retirement board duly entered in the record of its proceedings

5 For the purpose of meeting disbursements for annuities and other payments in excess of the receipts there [may] shall be kept [an] available [fund] by the State Treasurer an amount not exceeding ten per centum of the total amount in the [several funds] Fund created by this act on deposit in any bank in this Commonwealth organized under the laws thereof or under the laws of the United States or with any trust company incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth provided said bank or trust company shall furnish adequate security for said [funds] deposit and provided that the sum so deposited in any one bank or trust company shall not exceed twenty-five per centum of the paid-up capital and surplus of said bank or trust company

6 Except as herein provided no trustee or any person connected with the retirement board shall have any interest direct or indirect in the gains or profits of any investments made by the retirement board nor as such directly or indirectly receive any pay or emoluments for his or her services And no trustees or person connected with said retirement board directly or indirectly for himself or herself or as an agent or partner of others shall borrow any of its funds or deposits or in any manner use the same except [to make such current and necessary payments as are authorized by the board of trustees] as provided in this act nor shall any trustee or person connected with said retirement board become an endorser or surety or become in any manner an obligor for moneys loaned by or borrowed of said retirement board

Section 5 That paragraph six of section seven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

6 The treasurer of each employer on receipt from employer of the voucher for deductions from the salaries of employes provided in paragraph five of this section shall transmit monthly or at such times as the retirement board shall designate the amounts specified in such voucher to the [secretary of the retirement board] Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer for payment into the Fund created by this act and the Department of Revenue shall promptly notify the [The] secretary of the retirement board of said amounts received by it from time to time [after making a record of all such receipts shall pay them to the

asurer of the Commonwealth for use according to the pro-ons of this act]

n the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following endments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

mend page 15, line 5, by inserting after the word "FUND" following words: "AND ACCOUNTS."

mend page 15, line 6, by inserting light-faced brackets ore and after the word "funds" and inserting thereafter words "Fund and accounts," thusly, "[funds] Fund and ounts."

mend page 15, line 15, by inserting light-faced brackets ore and after "savings banks" and inserting thereafter the ds "administrative departments, boards, commissions and cers of the State Government," thusly, "[savings banks] nistrative departments boards commissions and officers he State Government."

mend page 17, line 4, by striking out the word "trustees" inserting in lieu thereof the word "trustee."

mend page 17, line 8, by striking out the light-faced cket before the word "to."

mend page 17, line 9, by striking out the light-faced cket after the word "trustees."

mend page 17, line 22, by striking out the light-faced cket before the word "secretary" and the light-faced cket after the word "board.'

mend page 17, lines 22 to 26, by striking out the following ds: "Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the te Treasurer for payment into the Fund created by this and the Department of Revenue shall promptly notify the ie]."

mend page 17, line 26, by inserting in front of the word retary" the word "The."

mend page 17, lines 26 and 27, by striking out the following ds and the light-faced brackets "[of said amounts received it from time to time]."

mend page 17, line 29, by inserting after the word "Com-nwealth" the following words: "through the Department of enue."

mend page 18, line 1, by striking out the light-faced cket after the word "act."

n the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

hey were agreed to.

n the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

was agreed to.

he sixth section was read as follows:

ection 6 That section eight of said act as amended by act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine dred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws ne hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further nded to read as follows

FNDS] SCHOOL EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT FUND AND ACCOUNTS

ection 8 The [funds] Fund and Accounts hereby created the [expense fund] School Employes' Retirement Fund contingent reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve id] account State annuity reserve [fund] account number the employes' annuity savings [fund] account and the loyes' annuity reserve [fund] account

The [expense fund shall consist of such amounts as shall aid by the Commonwealth on the basis of estimates sub-ed by the retirement board to defray the expenses of the inistration of this act exclusive of the payment of retire-t allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this School Employes' Retirement Fund on and after the day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall consist of all moneys in the several separate funds in the State Treasury set apart to be used under the direction of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board for the retirement of members of the school employes retirement association which on the aforesaid date shall be consolidated into one special fund to be known as the "School Employes' Retirement Fund" and thereafter the Treasury Department shall credit to the "School Employes Retirement Fund" all moneys received by it from the Department of Revenue arising from contributions by the Commonwealth and members of the retirement association as hereinafter provided and all interest earned by the investments or moneys of said Fund Upon the consolidation of the separate funds as aforesaid there shall be established and maintained by the retirement board for actuarial purposes the several hereinafter named ledger accounts equivalent to and which shall stand in lieu of the several separate funds hereby abolished and all credits to each abolished fund shall be credited by the retirement board to the ledger account hereby created to stand in place of said fund

3 In the month of July nineteen hundred twenty for a period covering the twelve months next preceding and semi-annually thereafter covering the six months next preceding the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall pay into [a fund to be known as the contingent reserve fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue on account of each new entrant who was a contributor for one or more months of such respective periods such amount as shall be certified by the retirement board as necessary to provide by such method of payment during the prospective active service of such new entrant the State annuity reserve required at the time of retirement for the disability or superannuation State annuity allowable by the said Commonwealth under the provisions of this act which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the Contingent Reserve Account The amount so certified by the retirement board shall be computed to bear a ratio to the salary earnable by such new entrant during the period for which the amount is certified which shall remain constant during his or her entire period of prospective active service and shall be based on such mortality and other tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board and on regular interest

4 Upon the retirement of a new entrant an amount equal to his or her State annuity reserve shall be transferred by the retirement board from the contingent reserve [fund into a fund] account to the credit of a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve [fund] account His or her State annuity shall be charged to [paid from] said State annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said new entrant be subsequently restored to active service his or her State annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account Should the State annuity of any such new entrant be otherwise reduced or discontinued in accordance with the provisions of this act his or her State annuity reserve or such proportionate part of his or her State annuity reserve as corresponds to the amount of the reduction in his or her State annuity shall be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account

5 Beginning with the month of July nineteen hundred nineteen and continuing until the accumulated reserve equals the present value as computed by the actuary of the retirement board and approved by the retirement board of all State annuity payments thereafter payable by the Commonwealth on account of present employes then retired or to be retired on State annuities as provided in this act the said Commonwealth shall pay semi-annually into [a fund to be known as State annuity reserve fund number two] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue an amount equal to two and eight-tenths (2.8) per centum of the total compensation paid to all contributors for service during the preceding school year and in every case an amount at least three per centum greater than the second preceding semi-annual payment which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as State Annuity Reserve Account Number Two Beginning with the month of July nineteen hundred twenty-five the Commonwealth shall pay semi-annually into the Fund created by this act as aforesaid to the credit of State annuity reserve [fund] account

number two an amount equal to two (2) per centum of the total compensation paid to all contributors for service during the preceding school year Provided That in every case the amount shall be sufficient when combined with that in the Fund to the credit of said account to provide the pensions payable by the Commonwealth during the half-year then current to present employes then retired or to be retired as provided in this act Upon the retirement of a present employe his or her State annuity shall be charged to the [paid from] State annuity reserve [fund] account number two and paid from the Fund created by this act

6 [The] There shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the employes' annuity savings [fund shall consist] account the amounts of the accumulated deductions from the salaries of contributors made under such rules and regulations as the retirement board shall prescribe as follows

From the salary of each employe who is a contributor there shall be deducted and paid into the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue such per centum of his or her earnable salary as shall be computed to be sufficient with regular interest to procure for him or her on superannuation retirement at age sixty-two an employes' annuity equal to one one-hundred-sixtieth (1/160) of his or her final salary for each year of service after the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred nineteen except that if the deduction so computed shall exceed five per centum of his or her earnable salary and the employe shall so elect there shall be deducted five per centum of his or her earnable salary And further provided That a beneficiary restored to school service shall not be required to contribute at a per centum rate of his or her earnable salary which is greater than the per centum thereof which he or she was required to contribute prior to his or her retirement The rate per centum of said deduction from salary shall be based on such mortality and other tables as the retirement board shall adopt together with regular interest and shall be computed to remain constant during the prospective school service of the contributor

7 Upon the retirement of a contributor a credit equivalent to the amount of his or her accumulated deductions shall be transferred from the employes' annuity savings [fund] account to [a fund] a ledger account to be known as the employes' annuity reserve [fund] account His or her employes' annuity shall be [paid out of] charged to said employes' annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said contributor be subsequently restored to active service his or her employes' annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from the employes' reserve [fund] account to the employes' annuity savings [fund] account

8 No contributor shall be required to continue to contribute to the [employes' annuity savings fund] School Employes' Retirement Fund after he or she shall have become eligible for superannuation retirement all contributions made thereafter to said [fund] Fund shall be voluntary

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 19, line 7, by striking out the word "reitrement" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "retirement."

Amend page 20, line 4, by striking out the words "Contingent Reserve Account" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "contingent reserve account."

Amend page 21, line 18, by striking out the word "Annuity" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "annuity."

Amend page 22, line 18, by inserting after the word "age" the word "of."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The seventh section was read as follows:

Section 7 That section nine of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 9 The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall be reimbursed to the extent of one-half of the amount paid by the Commonwealth into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the State annuity reserve [fund] account number two on account of employes of each other employer by payments into its treasury made directly by such employer or indirectly from moneys otherwise belonging to such employer To facilitate the payments of amounts due from the treasurer of any employer to the treasurer of the Commonwealth on account of the retirement system and to permit the exchange of credits between the treasurer of the Commonwealth and the treasurer of any employer the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Treasurer are hereby authorized and empowered to cause to be deducted and paid into or retained in the State Treasury from the amount of any moneys due to any employer on account of any appropriation for schools or other purposes the amount due to the State Treasury from such employer in accordance with the provisions of this act Corresponding amounts which would be otherwise transferred to the treasury of the Commonwealth from the treasurer of such employer may be credited to the accounts of the employer to which the moneys withheld by the Commonwealth were payable

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 24, line 7, by striking out the word "payments" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ppayment."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The eighth section was read as follows:

Section 8 That section ten of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows.

STATE GUARANTY

Section 10 Regular interest charges payable the creation and maintenance of reserves in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the maintenance of employes' annuity reserves and State annuity reserves as provided for in this act and the payment of all retirement allowances and other benefits granted by the retirement board under the provisions of this act are hereby made obligations of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania All income interest and dividends derived from deposits and investments authorized by this act shall be used for the payment of the said obligations of the Commonwealth The retirement board shall prepare and submit to the [Legislature] Budget Secretary on or before the [thirty-first] day of [January] November of each [odd-numbered] even-numbered year an itemized estimate of the amounts necessary to be appropriated by the Commonwealth to the [various funds] School Employes' Retirement Fund to complete the payment of the said obligations of said Commonwealth accruing during the biennium beginning July first of the [same] following year and it shall be the duty of said Legislature to make an appropriation sufficient to provide for such obligations of the Commonwealth and the amounts so appropriated shall be included in the general appropriation bill and shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Commonwealth into the [various funds] Fund created by this act upon warrants of the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions presented by the retirement board [For the biennium beginning July first nineteen hundred seventeen there is hereby appropriated to the expense fund created by section eight paragraph two of this act such sum not to exceed twenty thousand dollars as shall be certified to

the Treasurer of the Commonwealth by the retirement board as necessary to meet the expenses of establishing the retirement system constituted by the provisions of this act For said biennium there is hereby appropriated and the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized and directed to pay into State annuity reserve fund number two the amounts which shall become due in such period from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to such fund under the provisions of section eight paragraph five of this act]

Section 9 That section twelve of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and two) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

WITHDRAWAL

Section 12 Should a contributor by resignation or dismissal or in any other way than by death or retirement seperate from the school service or should such contributor legally withdraw from the retirement system he or she shall be paid on demand from the Fund created by this act (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to [the credit of] his or her individual [account] credit in the annuity savings [fund] account or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity or a deferred annuity which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should an employe so seperated from the school service return within five years and restore to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deduction as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored

Each employe who separated from school service prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and who subsequently returned or shall return to school service prior to July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six after more than five years' absence shall at retirement for superannuation be entitled to have full credit for each year of service in the public schools of Pennsylvania provided

(a) He or she shall have rendered not less than twenty years of service in the public schools of Pennsylvania prior to the retirement and

(b) He or she shall have restored to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation

Each employe who separates from school service after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and who returns to school service after a longer absence than five years shall have his or her annuity rights restored in accordance with the provisions of this paragraph provided he or she fulfills the conditions named in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this clause and in addition thereto (c) shall have left with the retirement board at least twenty per centum of his or her accumulated deductions at the time of his or her separation and (d) shall return to the service prior to the age of fifty-nine years .

In no case shall an employe who has separated from school service and who later returned to school service after five or more years of absence be eligible to retirement on account of disability until he or she shall have rendered at least three years of service subsequent to such return

In any case the restoration of the accumulated deductions provided herein may be made by the payment of a lump sum or any actuarial equivalent approved by the retirement board

3 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deductions shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 25, line 12, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "in."

Amend page 26, line 24, by striking out the word "seperate" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "separate."

Amend page 27, line 7, by striking out the word "separated" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "separated."

Amend page 27, line 10, by striking out the word "deduction" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "deductions."

Amend page 28, line 11, by striking out "(d)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following "[(b)] (d)."

Amend page 28 by inserting between lines 22 and 23 the following paragraph:

"Subject to such rules and regulations as the retirement board may adopt the provisions of this act shall be applicable beginning July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five to all who are on the retired list of Pennsylvania public school employes at the time this bill becomes a low."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The tenth section was read as follows:

Section 10 That section fifteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

OPTIONS

Section 15 At the time of his or her superannuation retirement any contributor may elect to receive his or her benefits in a superannuation retirement allowance payable throughout life or he or she may on superannuation retirement elect to receive the actuarial equivalent at that time of his employe's annuity his or her State annuity or his superannuation retirement allowance in a lesser employe's annuity or a lesser State annuity or a lesser superannuation retirement allowance payable throughout life with the provisions that

Option 1 If he or she die before he has received in payments the present value of his or her employe's annuity his State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance as it was at the time of his or her superannuation retirement the balance shall be paid to his or her legal representatives or to such person having an insurable interest in his or her life as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledged and filed with the retirement board at the time of his or her retirement

Option 2 Upon his or her death his employe's annuity his State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance shall be continued throughout the life of and paid to such person having an insurable interest in his or her life as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledged and filed with the retirement board at the time of his or her superannuation retirement

Option 3 Upon his or her death one-half of his or her employe's annuity his or her State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance shall be continued throughout the life of and paid to such person having an insurable interest in his or her life as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledge and filed with the retirement board at the time of his or her superannuation retirement

Option 4 Some other benefit or benefits shall be paid to either the contributor or such other person or persons as he or she shall nominate provided such other benefit or benefits shall together with such lesser employe's annuity or lesser State annuity or less superannuation retirement allowance be certified by the actuary of the retirement board to be of equivalent actuarial value and shall be approved by the retirement board

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 29 line 2 by inserting after the word "At" the the following: "or before".

Amend page 29, line 3, by inserting after the word "elect" the following: "by written election duly executed and filed with the retirement board."

Amend page 29, lines 17 and 18, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the following: "having an insurable interest in his or her life", thusly, [having an insurable interest in his or her life].

Amend page 29, lines 20 and 21, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the following "at the time of his or her retirement", thusly, [at the time of his or her retirement].

Amend page 29, lines 25 and 26, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the words "having an insurable interest in his or her life", thusly, [having an insurable interest in his or her life].

Amend page 30, line 6, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the words "having an insurable interest in his or her life", thusly, [having an insurable interest in his or her life].

Amend page 30, line 8, by inserting after the word "at" the words "or before".

Amend page 30, line 10, by inserting light-faced brackets before and after the word "Some" and inserting thereafter the word "Such", thusly, [Some] Such.

Amend page 30, line 14, by striking out the word "less" and inserting in lieu therof the word "lesser".

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agred to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 11 That section seventeen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE SUPERVISION

Section 17 The [various funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act shall be subject to the supervision of the State [Department of] Insurance Department

Section 12 That section eighteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

EXEMPTIONS FROM EXECUTION

Section 18 The right of a person to an employe's annuity a State annuity or retirement allowance to the return of contributions any benefit or right accrued or accruing to any person under the provisions of this act and the moneys in the [various funds] Fund created under this act are hereby exempt from any State or municipal tax and exempt from levy and sale garnishment attachment or any other process whatsoever and shall be unassignable except as in this act specifically otherwise provided

Section 13 That paragraph four of section fourteen of said act which was added thereto by the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) be and the same is hereby repealed

The title was read as follows:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend the title page 1, line 14, by striking out the word "quaranty", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "guaranty"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2060, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

The preamble was read and agreed to as follows:

Whereas The Commonwealth requested the Harrisburg Railways Company to vacate the State Street Bridge in the City of Harrisburg to enable the Commonwealth to erect and construct the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge and

Whereas The Commonwealth has requested said Harrisburg Railways Company permanently to abandon the franchise heretofore vested in it for the use of State Street between Cameron and Filbert Streets in the City of Harrisburg and

Whereas Said Harrisburg Railways Company has expressed a willingness to abandon said franchise if the Commonwealth will grant to it a right-of-way to operate its lines on Commonwealth Avenue running through Capitol Park

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company permitting said Harrisburg Railways Company to lay and maintain a double track street railway line in the center of Commonwealth Avenue running through Capitol Park in the City of Harrisburg from Walnut Street to North Street said right-of-way to continue as long as said Harrisburg Railways Company continues to operate street railway cars over said tracks

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 9, by striking out the word Horrisburg" and inserting in lieu thereof "Harrisburg."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Comittee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2098, as follows:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committe herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Governor is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a commission consisting of five citizens of this Commonwealth to serve without compensation who shall investigate and examine the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf together with all the buildings grounds equipment affairs and accounts of said institution and schools Said Commission shall ascertain the indebtedness of said institution and schools whatsoever nature and shall ascertain what if any liens there may be of record against said institution and schools including said buildings and grounds and what if any claims there may be against said institution and schools including all buildings grounds and equipment and whether said institution and schools are in good repair and whether here is ground adjacent and belonging thereto sufficient for the proper maintenance of said institution and schools

Section 2 The said commission shall report to the Governor by November one nineteen hundred and thirty its findings and recommendations especially as to the desirability and feasibility of said institution and schools becoming State-owned and State-controlled institutions

Section 3 The sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of defraying the expenses actually and necessarily incurred by said commission of examination and investigation in the performance of the duties herein provided

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2019, as follows;

An Act to amend sections one two three four five and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the third class to establish a pension fund for employees of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by the laws of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act" requiring the establishment of a pension fund in certain cities of the third class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the third class to establish a pension fund for employees of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by law of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all cities of the third class [may] shall create a pension fund for the pensioning of employes of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by the laws of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act in the manner under the conditions and subject to the qualifications following

Section 2 That section two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 In any city [which creates such pension fund] there shall be created a board to be known as the pension board consisting of the mayor the city controller the superintendent of finance and two employes to be chosen by the employes contributing to the pension fund It shall be the duty of said board to register all persons employed by the said city and to administer the collections and distribution of the fund herein provided for and make such reasonable rules in the premises as such board may deem necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act

Section 3 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 Every person now or hereafter employed by any such city [which has created such pension fund and pension board as hereinbefore provided] of the age of sixty years and upwards who shall have been so employed for a period of twenty years or more shall upon application to the board of pensions herein created be retired from service and shall during the remainder of his or her life receive the pension or compensation fixed by this act subject to such qualifications as are herein contained

Section 4 That section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 During the lifetime of any person in the employment of any city of the third class [creating such pension fund and pension board as hereintofore provided] he or she shall be entitled to receive as a pension annually from the fund set aside for the purpose fifty per centum of the amount which would constitute the average annual salary or wages which he or she received during the last five years of his or her employment by the said city said pension to be paid in semi-monthly payments should any persons so employed after twenty years of service be dismissed voluntarily retire or be in any manner deprived of his or her position or employment before attaining the age of sixty years upon continuing a monthly payment to the fund equal to the last amount due and paid monthly while in active service said person shall be entitled to the pension above mentioned notwithstanding he or

she has not attained the age of sixty years at the time of his or her separation from the service of such city but said pension shall not commence until he or she has attained the age of sixty years Should any employe however become totally and permanently disabled after twenty years of service and before attaining the age of sixty years he or she shall be entitled to the said pension Proof of total and permanent disability shall consist of the sworn statement of three practicing physicians designated by the board that the employe is in a permanent condition of health which would permanently disable him or her from performing the duties of his or her position or office

Section 5 That section five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 The employes of any such city of the third class [creating such pension fund and pension board] shall after the passage of this act pay unto the board of pensions monthly an amount equal to two per centum of their monthly salaries or wages in no event however paying at a rate greater than four dollars per month which shall be applied to the purpose of this act Payment of the monthly amount or contribution herein mentioned shall cease and be discontinued at the time the beneficiary receives the pension herein provided If for any cause any employe contributing to the pension fund shall cease to be an employe of any such cities of the third class before said employe becomes entitled to the pensions conferred by this act the total amount of the contributions paid into the pension fund by such employe shall be refunded to him or her in full without interest Provided however If any such employe shall have returned to him or her the amount contributed as aforesaid and shall afterward reenter the employ of such city said employe shall not be entitled to the pension designated until twenty years after said reemployment unless he or she shall return to the pension fund the amount withdrawn in which event that period of twenty years shall be computed from the time said employe first enters the service of the city In the event of the death of any such employe before the said employe becomes entitled to the pension aforesaid the said total amount of contributions paid into the pension fund by said employe shall be paid over to the estate of said deceased employe

Section 6 That section nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 9 The councils of every such city of the third class [may] shall annually set aside apportion and appropriate out of all taxes and income of such city unto the board of pensions a sum sufficient to maintain the pensions or compensations due under this act

And said bill having ben read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 18, as follows:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioners providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not effected by provisions of this act" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That State Highway Route number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid

highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of act inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred and sixty-one) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and ninety-three From McConnellsburg to Mifflintown—Commencing in McConnellsburg and running over Route one hundred ninety-two to Knobsville thence by way of Fort Littleton and Burnt Cabins to a point on the dividing line between Fulton and Huntingdon Counties thence by way of Shade Gap and [Blairs Mills] Shade Valley and by spur to Blairs Mills and thence to a point on the dividing line between Huntingdon and Juniata Counties then by way of Reeds Gap and Walnut into Mifflintown Juniata county

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 457, as follows:

An Act to amend route number three hundred of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assmbly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That route number three hundred of section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" is hereby amended to read as follows

Route Three Hundred A certain public road beginning at Pine Flats Indiana County at a point on Route number fifty-four thence [by way of] to Spruce [To Cherry Tree Borough connecting with Route number sixty-two]

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2143, (Senate Bill No. 787), entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2058, as follows:

An act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supples authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables residents in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selecton of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That an improved and impartial selection of persons to serve as jurors in the several courts civil and criminal of counties of the second class there is hereby created a commission to be known as the "Commission for the Selection of Jurors" hereinafter called "commission" Said commission shall consist of three members One of said members shall be the president judge of the court of common pleas of the respective county whose duty it shall be to preside at and oversee the drawing of jurors as hereinafter provided The other two members of said commission shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the said county at the municipal elections at which other county officers are chosen Provided however That in no event shall both of said elective members of the commission be members of the same political party but the majority political party in said county shall elect one of said elective commissioners and the other shall be the candidate for such office receiving the highest number of votes of the next ranking or minority political party the elective members of the commission to be chosen for a term of four years Any jury commisioner shall be eligible for reelection for any number of terms

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1982, (Senate Bill No. 245), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2081, as follows:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever any person has served as an enlisted man and officer of the Pennsylvania National Guard for a period of more than forty years and has commanded a regiment in any war in which the United States was engaged he shall upon retirement from the National Guard be retired as of the next higher grade

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 324, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-four) entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State and providing for their publication and distribution" by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-four) entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State and providing for their publication and distribution" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever the department commanders of the Grand Army of the Republic the United Spanish War Veterans the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War shall report to the Secretary of Internal Affairs the proceedings of the annual encampment or conventions of their respective departments with such general and special orders and circulars and other data which may form a part of said proceedings then the said proceedings so reported shall be considered State records and under the direction of the Secretary of Internal Affairs shall be printed and bound and a printed and bound copy thereof shall be sent to each post in the State of Pennsylvania of the organization of whose proceedings the same is a report

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 265, as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by the act approved fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' providing for reciprocity with other States in the taxation of the transfer of property of non-resident decedents" and which was also amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located

therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear value of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provisions of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amount to less than the following rates then in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal decendant to such child his wife or widow and passing from illegitimate child to his mother and also on the clear value of such property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and at a rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any other person or persons bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth in ascertaining the clear-value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amount the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to care and preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monuments or grave-stones and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such states and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for on on account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2076, as follows:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred three) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and one and five hundred and two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto' " is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 501 Open Season—The open season for game birds and game animals Sundays and other periods fixed by special regulations for particular counties excepted is as follows

KIND OF GAME	OPEN SEASON
Blackbirds [and upland or grass plover]	From Aug 1st to Nov 30th
Rail [reed-bird sand-piper curlew or any other kind of shore bird except as elsewhere enumerated in this section]	From Sept 1st to Nov 30th
Woodcock and Wilson or jacksnipe	From Oct 1st to Nov 30th
All birds known as wild water-fowl coots or mudhens and gallinules	From Oct 1st to Jan 15th
Raccoon	From [Oct 1st] Nov 1st to Jan 15th
Wild turkey ruffed grouse commonly called pheasant male ringneck pheasant Virginia partridge commonly called quail and Hungarian quail and gray black and fox squirrel	From Nov 1st to Nov 30th
Red squirrel	From Nov 1st to Aug 15th next following
Wild rabbit and hare	From Nov 1st to Dec 15th
Bear over one year old	From Nov 10th to Dec 15th
Male deer with two or more points to one antler	From Dec. 1st to Dec 15th
Male elk with four or more points to one antler	From Dec 1st to Dec 15th

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1380, as follows:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from Volume one to sixty inclusive

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall within fifteen (15) months after this act goes into effect cause to be printed on first class thin paper and bound in good buckram the Superior Court Reports of Pennsylvania from Volume one to Volume sixty inclusive exclusive of the indexes thereto four volumes shall be bound in one book and the original paging shall be retained and there shall be printed on the back of each volume "Superior Court Reports" and number of the volume or volumes in the series with the year when originally published

Section 2 The same shall be published under the supervision of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and shall be printed by contract to be entered into by the Secretary of the Commonwealth with a person or persons who in addition to furnishing the State Librarian for library and exchange purposes two hundred (200) copies of each volume shall also agree to publish and sell the said report on terms the most advantageous to the public and at the lowest price which contract shall be for a term of twenty (20) years and shall provide that every volume printed under such contract shall be kept by the contractor at some convenient place within this Commonwealth to be designated by the said Secretary of the Commonwealth for sale at the contract price to all citizens of the Commonwealth desiring the same during the said twenty (20) years period

Section 3 Before letting any contract as provided by this act the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall give notice of the time and place of warding the contract by advertisement in a newspaper having the greatest circulation in each of the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh once a week for six consecutive weeks immediately preceding the letting of such contract and shall receive sealed proposals or bids and shall award the contract to the lowest bidder who can give security required by this act

Section 4 The person to whom any contract shall be awarded under this act shall at the time of executing said contract give bond to the Commonwealth with at least three sureties to be approved by the Governor in the sum of thirty thousand ($30,000) dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract

Section 5 The Secretary of the Commonwealth shall deliver to the printer or contractor the stereotyped plates thereof in his possession and the contractor may use the same and after using same shall return them to the Secretary of the Commonwealth they being the property of the State

Section 6 To carry this act into full force and effect there is hereby appropriated the sum of five hundred dollars ($500)

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1706, as follows:

An Act providing for the consolidation of the Poor District of the Borough of Mayfield the Poor District of the Borough of Jermyn and the Poor District of Blakely Township all situate in the County of Lackawanna to be known as the Poor District of Blakely Township providing for the care of the poor of said consolidated district providing for the adjustment of indebtedness and providing for the appointment of directors and for the administration of said consolidated poor disrict

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Poor District of the Borough of Mayfield the Poor District of the Borough of Jermyn and the Poor District of Blakely Township all situate in the County of Lackawanna be and the same are hereby consolidated into one poor district

Section 2 The name of the said consolidated poor district shall be Poor District of Blakely Township

Section 3 The said consolidated poor district to be known as Poor District of Blakely Township shall have the same duties liabilities and shall be subject to the General Poor Relief Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five

Section 4 After such consolidation the rights privileges and franchises of each of the said poor districts and all the property and all debts due on whatever account and all taxes and other things in action belonging to each of the said poor districts shall be vested in and payable to the new poor district as consolidated The title to real estate vested in any of the said poor districts shall not revert or be in any way impaired by reason of such consolidation All rights of creditors and liens shall be preserved and all the liabilities and duties of any of said poor districts shall attach to said consolidated poor district and may be enforced against it

Section 5 In case of any dispute or controversy in regard to indebtedness of any of the said poor districts the indebtedness thereof shall be ascertained by the court of quarter sessions of said county in the manner now provided by law for the ascertainment of the indebtedness of poor districts

Section 6 The Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna County shall at its November sessions in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and every third year thereafter appoint three suitable persons residents of said consolidated district as directors of the poor of said consolidated district who shall hold office for the term of three years from the first day of January next ensuing their appointment All vacancies in said office of directors shall be filled by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna County until the regular time for appointment of directors as aforesaid

Section 7 The said directors of the poor shall each receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) and no other compensation

Section 8 The administration of the affairs of the said poor district and the government thereof shall be vested in the said directors of the said poor district and shall be in accordance with the laws now applicable to the Poor District of Blakely Township as the same is now constituted

Section 9 From and after midnight of the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine the offices of the directors or overseers of the poor of each poor district as now constituted shall be vacant and thereafter the government and administration of the said consolidated poor district will be conducted by the directors of the consolidated poor district

Section 10 The officers of the several poor districts as now constituted shall immediately upon the termination of their office deliver to the directors of the consolidated district all books records and papers relating to the said several poor districts

Section 11 All acts and parts of acts whether general special or local inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2035, as follows:

An Act to amend section three of article sixteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" providing that no councilman shall be appointed to any office position or employment of profit under the city

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of article sixteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 No person shall hold the office of councilman while holding any other office position or employment of profit under the city any department board commission or agency thereof under this Commonwealth any county city or other political subdivision thereof or under the United States except that of notary public or an office in the military or naval service of the United States or of this Commonwealth No councilman shall be [eligible] appointed to any office position or employment of profit under the city any department board commission or agency thereof during the term for which he shall have been elected as councilman

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1925, as follows:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That if the plaintiff in any case in the county court for the County of Allegheny demands a jury trial he shall at the time of filing his statement pay to the prothonotary a jury fee of four dollars and if the defendant demands a jury trial he shall at the time of filing his answer pay to the prothonotary a jury fee of four dollars and said jury fee by whomsoever paid shall be included as part of the costs of the case

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bil No. 2072, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the several [boroughs and] cities of this Commonwealth incorporated by general or special laws shall [have power to] establish by ordinance a police pension fund to be maintained by an equal and proportionate monthly charge against each member of the police force which shall not exceed annually three per centum of the pay of such member which fund shall be under the direction of councils or committee to the direction of such officers of the city [or borough] as may be designed by councils and applied under such regulations as councils may by ordinance prescribe for the benefit of such members of the police force as shall receive honorable discharge therefrom by reason of age or disability and the families of such as may be injured or killed in the service but such allowances as shall be made to those who are retired by reason of the disabilities of age shall be in conformity with a uniform scale

Such ordinance may prescribe a minimum period of continuous service not less than twenty years after which members of the force may be retired from active duty and such members as retired shall be subject to service from time to time as a police reserve until unfitted for such service when they may be finally discharged by reason of age or disability

Payments made under the provisions of this section shall not be a charge on any other fund in the treasury of the city [or borough] or under its control save the police pension fund herein provided for The basis of the apportionment of the pension shall be determined by the rate of the monthly pay of the member at the date of death honorable discharge or retirement and shall not in any case exceed in any year one-half the annual pay of such member computed at such monthly rate

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1379, as follows:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive together with eighty-one and one-half

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall within three months after this act goes into effect cause to be printed on first-class thin paper and bound in good buckram the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive including volume eighty-one and one-half but exclusive of the indexes thereto and shall be in form and manner of execution similar to Harris' reports except sets of four volumes shall be bound in one book and the balance in one book and the original paging shall be retained and there shall be printed on the back of each volume "Pennsylvania State Reports" the number of the volume or volumes in the serics of said reports with the years when originally published

Section 2 The same shall be published under the supervision of the Secretary of the Commonwealth by contract to be entered into by the said Secretary with a person or persons who in addition to furnishing the State Librarian for library and exchange two hundred (200) copies of each volume shall agree to publish and sell the said reports on terms the most advantageous to the public and at the lowest price which contract shall be for a term of twenty (20) years and shall provide that every volume printed under such contract shall be kept by the contractor at some convenient place within this Commonwealth to be designated by the said Secretary of the Commonwealth for sale at the contract price to all citizens of the Commonwealth desiring the same during the said twenty (20) year period

Section 3 Before letting any contract as provided by this act the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall give notice of the time and place of awarding the contract by advertisement in a newspaper having the greatest circulation in each of the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh once a week for six consecutive weeks immediately preceeding the letting of such contract and shall receive sealed proposals or bids and shall award the contract to the lowest bidder who can give security required by this act

Section 4 The person to whom any contract shall be awarded under this act shall at the time of executing said contract give bond to the Commonwealth with at least three sureties to be approved by the Governor in the sum of thirty thousand ($30,000) dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract

Section 5 The said volumes shall be sterotyped and the plates thereof preserved and the contractor shall deliver the same to the Secreary of the Commonwealth as the property of the State immediately upon the expiration of his contract

Section 6 To carry this act into full force and effect there is hereby appropriated the sum of five hundred ($500) dollars

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2029, as follows:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when the lien of a mortgage upon real estate is or shall be prior to all other liens upon the same property except other mortgages ground rents and purchase money due the Commonwealth and except taxes municipal claims and assessments not at the date of said mortgage duly entered as a lien in the office of the prothonotary of the proper county and except taxes municipal claims and assessments whose lien though afterwards accruing has by law priority given it the lien of such mortgage shall not be destroyed or in anywise affected by any judicial sale or other sale whatso ever except as hereinafter stated whether such sale be made by virtue or authority of any order or decree of any orphans' or other court or of any wit of execution or otherwise howsoever Provided That this section shall not apply to cases of mortgages upon unseated lands or sales of the same for taxes Provided also That a judicial or other sales in proceedings under a prior ground rent or in foreclosure of a prior mortgage shall discharge a mortgage later in lien And provided further That sales of land may be made in pursuance of an order or decree of the orphans' court free and discharged from the lien of mortgages as provided in section sixteen (o) of the Fiduciaries Act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts or decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents"

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth general special or local including those relating to the redemption of property from sheriff's sales on tax and municipal claims appertaining to the subject matter covered by this act and inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1378, as follows:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven inclusive

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Secretary of State shall within four months after this act goes into effect cause to be printed on thin Bible paper and bound in good Buckram the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven inclusive but exclusive of the indexes thereto and shall be in form and manner of execution similar to Harris' reports except four volumes shall be bound in one book and the balance bound in one book and the original paging shall be retained and there shall be printed on the back of each volume "Pennsylvania State Reports" the number of the Volume or Volumes in the series of said State Reports with the year when originally published

Section 2 The same shall be published under the supervision of the Secretary of State by contract to be entered into by the Secretary of the Commonwealth with a person or persons who in addition to furnishing the State Librarian for library and exchange two hundred (200) copies of each volume shall agree to publish and sell the said reports on terms the most advantageous to the public and at the lowest price which contract shall be for the term of twenty (20) years and shall provide that every volume printed under such contract shall be kept by the contractor at some convenient place within this Commonwealth to be designated by the said Secretary of the Commonwealth for sale at the contract price to all citizens of the Commonwealth desiring the same during the said twenty (20) years period

Section 3 Before letting any contract as provided by this act the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall give notice of the time and place of awarding the contract by advertisement in a newspaper having the greatest circulation in each of the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh once a week for six consecutive weeks immediately preceding the letting of such contract and shall receive sealed proposals or bids and shall award the contract to the lowest bidder who can give security by this act

Section 4 The person to whom any contract shall be awarded under this act shall at the time of executing said contract give bond to the Commonwealth with at least three sureties to be approved by the Governor in the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract

Section 5 The Secretary of the Commonwealth shall deliver to the printer the stereotyped plates now in his possession to enable the printer to expedite the performance of the work

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2096, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven article six of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act provided for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" providing for the printing and publishing of ordinances

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seven article six of an act approved

he twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred nd thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) ntitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation nd government of cities of the third class regulating nomina- ion and election of municipal officers therein and repealing onsolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" s hereby amended as follows

Section 7 All ordinances may be proved by the certificate f the City Clerk under the corporate seal and when printed r published in book or pamphlet form and purporting to be ublished by authority of the city shall be read and received s evidence in all courts and places without further proof All rdinances unless otherwise provided therein or by law (shall) ake effect in ten days after their passage upon their being igned by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk and every rdinance prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof shall e forthwith published at least three times in not more than wo newspapers printed and circulated within the City in uch manner as council may direct but the council may at ts discretion cause the said ordinance to be printed in full amphlet form instead of being published in newspapers as foresaid Provided the said pamphlets shall be supplied for eneral distribution and notice published at least three times n not more than two newspapers of general circulation in he City setting out in full the title of the said ordinance the enalties provided therein and that the said pamphlet may e had on request at the office of the city clerk All ordi- ances shall within one month after their passage be certified nd recorded by the City Clerk in a book provided by the City or that purpose which shall be at all times open to the in- pection of citizens

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. NOTHNAGLE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the fol- wing amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 8, by inserting after the word ordinances" the word "[shall]."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 9, by striking out the paren- nesis before and after the word "shall" and insert in lieu nereof light-faced brackets.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section seven article six of an act ap- oved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine ndred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and xty-eight) entitled "An act provided for the incorporation gulation and government of cities of the third class regu- ting nomination and election of municipal officers therein id repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in lation thereto" providing for the printing and publishing ordinances.

And said bill having been read at length the second time d agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of te Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera- tn of House Bill No. 2059, as follows:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and wenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) en- itled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve n the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section, twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 The salary of the two members of the said commission elected to the said office shall be [four thousand dollars ($4,000)] five thousand dollars ($5,000) per annum payable monthly or semi-monthly Neither the president judge of the court of common plets nor any other judge who may serve upon said commission shall receive any additional salary for such service The salary of all clerks assistants investigators or employes shall be such as may be fixed by the salary board hereinbefore provided for to fix the number and compensation of the clerks assistants investigators and employes of said commission

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1671, entitled:

An Act to authorize the suing out of writs of scire facias on Mechanics Liens where no scire facias has been issued within two years from the date of filing as required by existing law

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever heretofore within five years from the passage of this act a Mechanic's Lien has been filed against property for labor or material furnished in the construction or repair thereof but no writ of scire facias has been issued thereon within two years from the date of filing and the time therefor has not been extended as provided by law a writ of scire facias in the usual form may be issued

thereon within six months after the passage of this act for the collection of the amount justly due and unpaid on the original lien with the same force effect and validity as if issued within the two years Provided however that the defendant shall be entitled to interpose all defenses to and against such scire facias that the could have interposed against a scire facias issued on the lien within two years as required by law excepting and excluding only the defense that the scire facias was not sued out within the two years Providing also that this act shall not apply where the property described in the lien has been transferred to a bona fide purchaser and the judgment obtained on such scire facias shall be subsequent in lien to any mortgage judgment or other encumbrance which obtained priority over the original Mechanic's Lien by reason of failure to issue a scire facias thereon within the two years as required by law

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. SHORTZ. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 4, by striking out the word "siued" and insert in lieu thereof "sued."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to authorize the suing out of writs of scire facias on Mechanics Liens where no scire facias has been issued within two years from the date of filing as required by existing law.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 834, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties"

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section ten of the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-seven) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 10 Twenty-five per centum of the permanent two cent tax collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to the county where the tax was collected and shall be used only for the purpose of the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of roads and highways and for the payment of the interest on county bonds issued for road purposes and shall be paid over to such county semiannually on the first days of August and February of each year Fifty per centum of the said permanent two cent tax shall be placed by the State Treasurer in a separate fund in the State Treasury to be known as the State Reward Fund and the moneys so deposited in such fund shall be used by the Secretary of Highways for the payment of township reward in the manner prescribed by law for the distribution of township reward and for that purpose such money is hereby specifically appropriated On the first day of January of each year the unencumbered moneys remaining in the State Reward Fund shall lapse and be paid by the State Treasurer upon requisition of the Secretary of Highways into the Motor License Fund The remaining [seventy-five] twenty-five per centum of the said permanent two cent tax and the whole amount of the one cent emergency tax imposed by the provisions of this act shall be paid into the Motor License Fund and such moneys so paid into said fund are hereby specifically appropriated for the same purposes for which moneys in the said Motor License Fund are dedicated and appropriated by law

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. BICKETT. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, lines 4 to 29, both inclusive, by striking out all of the words in said lines.

Amend section 1, page 3, lines 1 and 2, by striking out all of the words in said lines to and including the word "tax" in line 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "one-half cent per gallon on any tax imposed and collected by the Commonwealth on liquid fuels or the sale of liquid fuels under the provisions of any act of Assembly."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 13 to 20, both inclusive, by striking out all of the words in said lines following the word "Fund" in line 13 to and including the word "law" in line 20.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the fourteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 287), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from, petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for

e distribution and use of the revenues derived from such x; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the le of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined this act; providing for the issuing, revoking, and use of rmits; and fixing penalties."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. BICKETT. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following mendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, by striking out all of said title follow-ng the words "AN ACT" and inserting in lieu thereof the llowing:

Relating to any tax imposed upon liquid fuels and directing that one-half cent per gallon of such tax shall be placed in a separate fund and used for the payment of township reward."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time nd agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of ie Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera-on of House Bill No. 2061, as follows:

n Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles trans-porting passengers and property for compensation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-ntatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General ssembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of ie same That the owner or operator of motor vehicle or otor vehicles which are operated over any highways in this ommonwealth for the purpose of transporting persons and roperty for compensation from a point outside the Com-onwealth to another point outside the Commonwealth or om a point outside the Commonwealth to a point within ie Commonwealth or from a point within this Common-ealth to a point outside this Commonwealth shall annually n or before the first day of March file with the Department Revenue on forms prescribed and furnished by said de-rtment a sworn report setting forth the name and address such owner or operator the number of motor vehicles so erated within this Commonwealth during the preceding ar the number of miles of highway in the Commonwealth er which such motor vehicles have been operated during e last preceding calendar year a copy of the schedule if ay on which such motor vehicle were operated and such other ch other information as the Department of Revenue may quire

Section 2 Upon the filing of such sworn report the said ner or operator shall pay to the Department of Revenue excise on the use of such highway of two cents for each ile so used which excise shall be covered into the State easury and the State Treasurer shall thereupon pay the me into the Motor License Fund

Section 3 If the Department of Revenue is not satisfied th the report made by any owner or operator under the ovisions of this act it may settle an account against such ner or operator based upon facts contained in the report or m information in its possession or that shall come into possession with the right to the owner or operator dissatis-d with such settlement to appeal therefrom in the manner w provided by law for appeals from tax settlements If y owner or operator shall neglect or refuse to make the statement or return as required by this act the Department of Revenue shall estimate an assessement against such owner or operator and settle an account together with a penalty of ten per centum from which there shall be no right of appeal

Section 4 Within thirty days after the passage of this act the Department of Revenue shall send by registered mail postage prepaid a copy of this act to each owner or operator of motor vehicles as described in section one hereof and regis-tered in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth for the registration of motor vehicles On or before the first day of August one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the owner or operator of such motor vehicle or motor vehicles shall file with the Department of Revenue a statement of acceptance of the provisions of this act

Section 5 The Secretary of Revenue shall suspend or re-voke the registration of any motor vehicle whose owner or operator shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act or who shall fail neglect or refuse to pay the excise due or settled against him or it under the provisions of this act Such suspension or revocation shall continue until the pro-visions of this act have been complied with

Section 6 This act shall be in effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor and the excise im-posed by this act shall be payable for the calendar year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for each year thereafter

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera-tion of House Bill No. 1347, as follows:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construc-tion of county bridges

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the moneys set apart by the Department of Highways and made available in any county for the construc-tion and improvement of State-aid highways shall hereafter be available in such county for the construction or recon-struction of county bridges Any county may in like manner as provided in the case of State-aid highways express a de-sire by petition to the Department of Highways to receive the aid and co-operation of the Commonwealth in the construc-tion or reconstruction of its county bridges In no case where the county receives the aid and co-operation of the Common-wealth under this act shall the Department of Highways agree to pay more than fifty per centum of the cost of such con-struction or reconstruction of any county bridge the remain-der to be paid by the county Such county bridges shall be constructed or reconstructed by the Department of Highways in the same manner as is provided for in the case of State-aid highways and after completion of the improvement shall be maintained at the sole expense of the county In such cases it shall not be necessary for the county commissioners to secure the approval of the court of quarter sessions or the grand jury for the expenditure of county moneys for the con-struction or reconstruction of county bridges as provided by this act

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and considera-tion of House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and en-force Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the

height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of publication and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residental commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

The first section was read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1—GRANT OF POWER—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purpose of promoting the health safety morals and general welfare of the community cities of the first class are hereby authorized and empowered to regulate and restrict by ordinance the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures the percentage of lot that may be occupied the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence or other purposes so that such uses may be permitted in or excluded from certain portions or sections of such cities or subject to special regulations

The second section was read as follows:

Section 2—DISTRICTS—For any or all of said purposes the Council may by ordinance divide the city into districts of such number shape size and area as may be deemed best suited to carry out the purposes of this Act and within such districts it may regulate and restrict the erection construction reconstruction alteration repair use or occupancy of buildings structures or All such regulations shall be uniform for each class or kind of building structures or land throughout each district but the regulations in one district may differ from those in other districts

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend Section 2, page 2, line 24, by inserting before the word "All" the word "land".

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

Sections three to twelve inclusive were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 3—PURPOSES IN VIEW—Such regulations shall be made in accordance with a comprehensive plan and designed to lessen congestion in the streets to secure safety from fire panic and other dangers to promote health and the general welfare to provide adequate light and air to prevent the overcrowding of land to avoid undue concentration of population to facilitate the adequate provision of transporation water sewage schools parks and other public requirements Such regulations shall be made with reasonable consideration among other things to the topography and character of the district and its peculiar suitability for particular uses with a view to conserving the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout such city

Section 4—METHOD OF PROCEDURE—The Council of such city shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such districts shall be determined established and enforced and from time to time amended supplemented or changed However no such regulation restriction or boundary shall become effective until after a public hearing in relation thereto at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard At least fifteen (15) days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be published in an official paper or a paper of general circulation in such city

Section 5—CHANGES—Such regulations restrictions and boundaries may from time to time be amended supplemented modified or repealed In case however of a protest against any such change duly signed and acknowledged by the owners of twenty (20) per cent or more either of the area of the lots included in such proposed change or of those immediately adjacent in the rear or adjoining on the sides thereof extending one hundred (100) feet therefrom or of those directly opposite thereto extending one hundred (100) feet from the frontage of such opposite lots such change shall not become effective except by the favorable vote of three-fourths of all the members of the council of such city The provisions of the previous section relative to public hearings and official notice shall apply equaly to all changes or amendments

Section 6—ZONING COMMISSION—In order to avail itself of the powers conferred by this act the Mayor of any such city shall appoint a commission of seven or more members to be known as the Zoning Commission to recommend the boundaries of the various districts and the appropriate restrictions and regulations to be enforced therein and to include in such recommendation such maps charts or prints as it may deem necessary desirable or convenient to show the locations and boundaries of the respective districts in which such regulations and restrictions shall apply The said recommendations shall be in the form of a proposed Zoning Ordinance and shall provide for a Board of Adjustment a Bureau of Zoning and the rules and regulations for the administration of said ordinance by the said Bureau in accordance with the provisions of this act The Zoning Commission shall make a preliminary report and hold public hearings thereon before submitting its final report and the Council of such city shall not hold its public hearings or take action until it has received the final report of such commission

Section 7—APPROVAL BY COUNCIL—The proposed bill or ordinance prepared by the Zoning Commission shall not become effective until it shall have been passed by the Council of such city in the manner required for the passage of other ordinances and subject to executive action as in other cases provided that before final action of the City Council shall be taken public hearings shall be held by the council or a committee thereof to which such proposed bill or ordinance may be referred whereat all persons interested in the subject matter be afforded an opportunity to be heard at specified time and place or times and places after due notice of such hearing or hearings published for six (6) consecutive days in two (2) daily morning and two (2) daily evening newspapers of general circulation in such cities

Section 8—BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT—If a city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act the Mayor of such city shall with the approval of Council appoint a Board of Adjustment and in the regulations and restrictions adopted pursuant to the authority of this act may provide that the said Board of Adjustment may in appropriate cases and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards make special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance in harmony with its general purposes and intent and in accordance with general or specific rules therein contained The Board of Adjustment shall consist of five (5) members one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January following the adoption of the zoning ordinance two until the first day of the second January thereafter and two until the first day of the third January thereafter Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve three years The members of the Board shall be removable for cause by the appointing authority upon written charges and after public hearing Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant The council may provide for the compensation of those members of the Board of Adjustment who do not hold any other office or position of profit under

he city government or any department thereof or in or under he government of the United States or of this Commonwealth r of any county city or other public political subdivision hereof The Mayor of such city shall designate the chairıan of the Board The Board shall adopt rules in accordnce with the provisions of any ordinance adopted pursuant o this act Meetings of the board shall be held at the call f the chairman and at such other times as the board may etermine The chairman or in his absence the acting chairıan may administer oaths and compel the attendance of witesses All meetings of the board shall be open to the public he board shall keep minutes of its proceedings showing the ote of each member upon each question or if absent or failing o vote indicating such fact and keep records of its xaminations and other official actions all of which shall be nmediately filed in the office of the board and shall be public record

Appeals to the Board of Adjustment may be taken by any erson aggrieved or by any officer department board or bureau f the city affected by any decision of the administrative fficer Such appeal shall be taken within a reasonable time s provided by the rules of the board by filing with the offier from whom the appeal is taken and with the Board of djustment a notice of appeal specifying the grounds thereof he officer from whom the appeal is taken shall forthwith ransmit to the board all the papers constituting the record pon which the action appealed from was taken

An appeal stays all proceedings in furtherance of the action ppealed from unless the officer from whom the appeal is aken certifies to the Board of Adjustment after the notice f appeal shall have been filed with him that by reason of icts stated in the certificate a stay would in his opinion ause imminent peril to life or property In such case proeedings shall not be stayed otherwise than by a restraining rder which may be granted by the Board of Adjustment or y a court of record no application and notice to the officer om whom the appeal is taken and on due cause shown

The Board of Adjustment shall fix a reasonable time for he hearing of the appeal given public notice thereof as well s due notice to the parties in interest and decide the same ithin a reasonable time Upon the hearing any party may ppear in person or by agent or by attorney

The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers

1 To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there error in any order requirement decision or determination ade by an administrative official in the enforcement of this ct or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto

2 To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of he ordinance upon which such board is required to pass under ich ordinance

3 To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance om the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to he public interest where owing to special conditions a literal nforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in nnecessary hardship and so that the spirit of the ordinance hall be observed and substantial justice done

In exercising the above-mentioned powers such board may n conformity with the provisions of this act reverse or affirm holly or partly or may modify the order requirement decision or determination appealed from and may make such der requirement decision or determination as ought to be ade and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer om whom the appeal is taken

The concurring vote of four members of the Board of Adstment shall be necessary to reverse any order requirement ecision or determination of any such administrative official to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon hich it is required to pass under any such ordinance or to fect any variation in such ordinance

Any person or persons jointly or severally aggrieved by any ecision of the Board of Adjustment or any taxpayer or ny officer department board or bureau of the city may present a court of record a petition duly verified setting forth at such decision is illegal in whole or in part specifying e grounds of the illegality Such petition shall be presented the court within thirty (30) days after the filing of the ecision in the office of the board

Upon the presentation of such petition the court may allow writ of certiorari directed to the Board of Adjustment to view such decision of the Board of Adjustment and shall prescribe therein the time within which a return thereto must be made and served upon the appellant's attorney which shall not be less than ten days and may be extended by the court The allowance of the writ shall not stay proceedings upon the decision appealed from but the court may on application on notice to the board and on due cause shown grant a restraining order

The Board of Adjustment shall not be required to return the original papers acted upon by it but it shall be sufficient to return certified or sworn copies thereof or of such portions thereof as may be called for by such writ The return shall concisely set forth such other facts as may be pertinent and material to show the grounds of the decision appealed from and shall be verified The Board of Adjustment shall be respondent in said appeal with the right to appear in person or by counsel and defend said action The court may permit any person or persons claiming an interest to assert his or their right by intervention

If upon the hearing it shall appear to the court that testimony is necessary for the proper disposition of the matter it may take evidence or appoint a referee to take such evidence as it may direct and report the same to the court with his findings of fact and conclusions of law which shall constitute a part of the proceedings upon which the determination of the court shall be made The court may reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the decision brought up for review

Costs shall not be allowed against the board unless it shall appear to the court that it acted with gross negligence or in bad faith or with malice in making the decision appealed from

All issues in any proceeding under this section shall have preference over all other civil actions and proceedings

Section 9—BUREAU OF ZONING—If any city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act there shall be attached to the Department of Public Works of such city a Bureau of Zoning under the direction of a chief of said bureau and with such other officials clerks and employes as the council may determine All ordinances passed under the provisions of this act shall be enforced by the Bureau of Zoning subject to the right of appeal to the Board of Adjustment and to the courts as herein provided for

Section 10—PENALTIES—If any building or structure shall be erected constructed reconstructed altered repaired converted or maintanied or any building structure or land used in violation of this act or of any ordinance or regulation made under authority hereof the person or persons artificial or natural knowingly so offending shall be subject to a fine of not more than one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars and not less than one hundred ($100.00) dollars as prescribed by the council of any such city to be recovered as fines and penalties of like amount are now recoverable by law The fact of such violation being committed shall be prima facie evidence that it was knowingly done In case of any such actual or threatened violation either the said city or the bureau officer or official designated for the enforcement of any ordinance passed by virtue of this act may institute any appropriate action or proceeding to prevent or abate such unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion maintenance use or occupation or to restrain or prevent any illegal act or business or use under this act or under any such ordinance or regulation

Section 11—VALIDITY—If any section clause portion or provision of this act shall be unconstitutional or invalid it is hereby declared to be the true intent and meaning hereof that all of the provisions of this act shall be severable and that all the other provisions or portions thereof excepting those so held unconstitutional or invalid shall be and remain in full force and effect

Section 12—CONFLICT WITH OTHER LAWS—Wherever the regulations made under authority of this act require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required in any other statute or local ordinance or regulations the provisions of the regulations made under authority of this act shall govern Wherever the provisions of any other statute or local ordinance or regulation require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or a less number of stories or require a greater per-

centage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required by the regulations made under authority of this act the provisions of such statute or local ordinanec or regulation shall govern

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same are hereby repealed

The title was read as follows:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land. the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts. yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto. and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission. Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 7, by striking out the word "publication" and insert "population"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2109, (Senate Bill No. 924), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealtth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated town with Commonwealth, governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State Highway routes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordred, to be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1645, (Senate Bill No. 508), entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims

The first and second sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever heretofore the council of any incorporated borough of this Commonwealth has required by ordinance and caused to be made graded paved curbed or macadamized with brick stone or other suitable material or otherwise improved any public street or thoroughfare or part thereof either cartway or footwalk or has covered or enclosed any watercourse or waterway in any streets or thoroughfare so as to improve or extend and increase the driveway in any street or thoroughfare or has caused sewers to be constructed therein or has caused ornamental lights to be erected pursuant to any ordinance or has by ordinance provided for the assessments against abutting property owners of benefits for such improvement—but owing to some defect in the petition action of council notice of publication or any other proceeding or action necessary under existing laws and ordinances to give jurisdiction to such council or because of noncompliance with existing laws as to publication of copies of ordinance and posting of handbills prior to or after the final passage of such ordinance or because the ordinance itself or the official record book containing the same has been lost mislaid or destroyed or has not been transcribed in the official record book or because of irregularity or error in the appointment of viewers to assess benefits against property abutting along the line of the improvement or because of any irregularity or error in the method or procedure for the ascertainment of the amount of benefits to such property or in arriving at or determining the

enefits assessed against such property or because of the fail-re to give notice as required by law or ordinance or the time or filing a lien or making claim for such improvements has xpired or the claim has not been filed after notice to do so r for any other reason the costs of such improvement or a ortion thereof cannot be legally assessed upon the property ounding or abutting on the street or part thereof improved r owing to some defect in the statement of claim filed to ecure the lien or the failure of the borough solicitor to file he lien in the court of common pleas or to sign the same for he costs of such improvement or the failure of the borough olicitor to preserve the lien or liens filed in the court of com-non pleas by the proper proceedings within the required eriod of time or any error made in the name of the owner r owners of the abutting property—payment thereof cannot e enforced as was contemplated by the act or acts of the eneral Assembly under which the improvement was at-empted to be made and statement of claim filed now by this ct such—improvements are made valid and binding and the ouncil of such incorporated borough may cause the property ounding or abutting on the stsreet or part thereof upon which he improvement has been made or is now being made to be ssessed in the manner now provided by law with such a por-ion of the costs of such improvement as is contemplated by he law under which the improvement was made or attempted o be made or is now being made and all such benefits and all ssessments heretofore made or determined are hereby ratified onfirmed and validated Such assessment or other assess-ient heretofore made shall be a lien upon the property as-essed The lien shall date from the completion of the im-rovement for which the assessment is made whether the ork was completed through one or several operations or con-racts and shall remain a lien until fully paid for and satis-ied Provided That a writ of scire facias is issued to revive he same during every period of five years after the lien is iled as hereinafter provided

Section 2 The council of any incorporated borough of this ommonwealth entitled to a lien under this act shall file a en therefor in the office of the prothonotary of the county ithin which the property lies within six months after the ompletion of the work where the improvement is now in rogress or within six months after confirmation absolute f the report of the viewers assessing benefits for such im-rovement or within six months after the approval of this ct where the improvement is now completed and the same hall be entered upon record as other municipal claims Such ens shall state the name of the party claimant which shall e the corporate name of the borough making the improve-ient name of the owne ror reputed owner of the property as-essed a reasonable description of the property assessed the mount or sum claimed to be due which shall include interest or not more than two years on the assessment from the ompletion of the improvement for what improvement the laim is made the date of its completion the date of the as-essment for which the lien is filed. Such lien when so filed nall be prima facie evidence of all matters therein set forth nd of the right of the boruogh to recover the amount therein laimed to be due together with interest from the date of the en or completion of the improvement costs and an attorney's ommission of five per centum for collecting

The third section was read as follows:

Section 3 The claim when so filed shall be proceeded upon or collection by writ of scire facias Provided That this act nall not apply to any proceeding suit or action wherein a final rde ror judgment of any court of record has already been ade or entered nor shall it affect the lien of any mortgage r judgment given on any property against which any such ssessment has been made] prior to the approval hereof nor nall it validate any lien filed or to be filed against any prop-ty sold and conveyed after any such improvement was com-leted and prior to the approval hereof

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following nendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 3, page 5, line 10, by striking out the bracket after the word "made."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs, of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2042, (Senate Bill No. 317), as follows:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any person who after having been convicted within or without this Commonwealth of the crime or attempt to commit the crime of treason murder voluntary manslaughter sodomy buggery burglary entering with intent to steal robbery arson mayhem kidnapping sale of narcotics perjury abortion pandering incest or any offense committed or attempted to be committed through the instrumentality of or with the aid of a deadly weapon or gun-powder or other explosive substance or corrosive fluid may upon conviction of any of such crimes for a second offense committed within five years after the first offense or subsequent offense committed within five years after the prior offense be sentenced to imprisonment for a term the maximum of which shall not be more than twice the longest term prescribed upon a first conviction for the crime in question

Section 2 A person who after having been three times convicted within or without this Commonwealth of crimes of the character above set forth or of attempt to commit any such crimes shall upon conviction of any such crimes for a fourth or subsequent offense committed within five years after the prior offense be sentenced in the discretion of the judge trying the case to imprisonment in a State penitentiary for the term of his natural life

Section 3 In computing the perior of time between convictions as provided in sections one and two of this act any period of servitude by a person in a penal institution within or without this Commonwealth shall not be included in the computation of any of said five year periods It is hereby declared that the intent of said sections is that said five year periods shall run only during the time any such person was at liberty

Section 4 If at any time within two years either after conviction or sentence it shall appear that a person convicted of any of the crimes set forth in section one of this act has previously been convicted of any such crimes three or more times it shall be the duty of the district attorney of the county in which the last conviction was had to file an information accusing the said person of such previous convictions and to serve a copy of such information upon the defendant thirty days before taking any further proceedings in court as hereinafter set forth Thereupon the court in which the last conviction was had shall cause the said person whether confined

in prison penitentiary or otherwise to be brought before it and shall inform him of the allegations contained in such information and of his right to be tried as to the truth thereof according to law and shall require such offender to say whether he is the same person as charged in such information or not If he says he is not the same person or refuses to answer or remain silent his plea or the fact of his silence shall be entered on record and a jury shall be empanelled to inquire whether the offender is the same person mentioned in the several records as set forth in such information If the jury finds that he is the same person or if he acknowledges or confesses in open court after being duly cautioned as to his rights that he is the same person the court may sentence him to imprisonment for life prescribed in section two of this act and shall vacate any previous sentence notwithstanding that the term of court in which the last sentence was imposed may have expired such sentence shall be reviewable on appeal by the Supreme or Superior Courts not only as to alleged legal errors but also as to the justice thereof and where any such defendant is indigent the costs of appeal together with reasonable counsel fee shall be paid by the Commonwealth Whenever it shall become known to any warden or prison probation parale or police officer or other peace officer that any person charged with or convicted of crime has been previously convicted within the meaning of this act it shall become his duty forthwith to report the facts to the district attorney of the county

Section 5 A person need not be formally indicted and convicted as a previous offender in order to be sentenced under this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2168, (Senate Bill No. 1152), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities accounts,. discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein ,and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefore; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. No. 2169, (Senate Bill No. 1154), entitled:

An Act authorizing and requiring the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States circuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1997, (Senate Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," as amended, further regulating the qualifications of members of council.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a thir reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1808, (Senate Bill No 811), as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and thirty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' " is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 432 That the Commonwealth offers rewards as hereinafter provided for the construction and improvement of township roads and the erection and construction of township bridges in townships of the second class

All moneys appropriated by the General Assembly from time to time for the payment of rewards to townships of the second class for the construction and improvement of roads and the erection and construction of bridges as in this act provided for shall be apportioned by the State Highway Department among the several counties of this Commonwealth in proportion to the number of miles of township road located in townships of the second class

Of the amount apportioned to the several counties for road and bridge improvements in townships of the second class

under the provisions of this act not more than fifteen per centum of such appropriation shall be available in any one township in any such county In case any excess in the amount set aside for use in the county remains after all applications from the several townships in the county have been considered the township commissioner of the State Highway Department shall apportion the excess amount among the townships that have applications on file for State reward for more than fifteen per centum Should there be not enough application from all the townships in a county filed on or before May first of the year next succeeding the appropriation to exhaust the apportionment of the State reward fund made to a county then such excess shall be apportioned to the counties where the applications of the townships call for the expenditure of a sum greater than the amount orriginally apportioned to said county

Application for rewards for the construction and improvement of township roads and for the erection and construction of township bridges shall be made by the township supervisors of townships of the second class on or before May first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and annually thereafter to the State Highway Department on blanks furnished by the department which applications shall be considered by the department by counties in their order of filing [Applications not granted by reason of a lack of funds shall be given first consideration in the following year or years]

Section 2 That section four hundred and thirty-four of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" and by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidatig the law relatig thereto' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 434 Rewards shall be granted by the Commonwealth for improvements only of the character herein set forth namely (a) For grading and draining a section of road not less than one-fourth mile in length (b) for graveling or cindering or using other approved materials on a graded and drained road not less than one-fourth mile in length (c) for constructing a road with broken stone base and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved material top not less than one-fourth mile in length (d) for macadamizing a road or for constructing a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (e) for a bituminous surface-treated macadam road (f) for constructing a concrete brick or bituminous surface road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (g) for the erection and construction of bridges of three feet or more span constructed of concrete or stone or a combination of concrete and stone or a steel bridge with a floor constructed of a material approved by the State Highway Department (h) for the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes

Whenever any improvements of the character mentioned in this section have been completed by any township of the second class the State will pay as a reward the followings sums namely One—[For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars per mile Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars per mile Seven — For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provision for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payments are made under clause one] For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000) per mile in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500) per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ($2,250) per mile in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.00) per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per mile in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000) per mile in 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division (f) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed nine thousand dollars ($9,000) per mile in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000) per mile Seven—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed seventy-five (75) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed twenty-five (25) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed

The aforesaid rewards shall be based upon roads the improvement of which shall be of a width of not less than sixteen feet and corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of reward shall be made as the width of the improved road is reduced or increased but no reward shall be paid for the improvement of any road of less width than twelve feet

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Counties and Townships for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is a companion to one of the bills that was passed by the House a week ago Monday night, on special order, and it is a companion to one of the bills introduced by Mr. Brown of Susquehanna. A similar bill was introduced in the Senate by Senator Gelder, and we who had to do with the shaping of the highway program feel that this bill should pass in its present form.

Permit me, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, to read to the members of the House a communication which has been sent to a number of the members and I read from this letter which was sent out under the name of the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Association of Township Supervisors.

"This bill, on the surface, is intended to extend greater aid to poorer Townships in the securing of the State Reward. In reality its provisions are such that its passage would be a very serious blow at the whole rural road program in Pennsylvania.

The Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, who are acting for the best interests of the townships of the State are vigorously opposing this bill and unhesitatingly brand it as a vicious measure and the worst blow that has been struck at our rural road system in many years.

In our opinion these companion bills should be either amended to eliminate the 25% classification of townships, or decisively beaten."

Signed, H. A. THOMPSON, Secretary,
Penna. Association Township Supervisors.

In other words, Mr. Speaker, if this bill is not amended to meet the objections of the Secretary of this State Supervisors' Association he says it should be defeated. I recall no such attempt at coercion on the part of any person in attempting to influence this House by a communication of this kind and I think the House should resent the attempt of the Supervisors' Association in attempting to kill this measure by sending it back to committee. I hope the motion will not prevail and that the bill will pass on second reading.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, far from resenting the actions of the Association for what they have done, I think we should thank the Association for calling our attention to a matter we did not understand when we were passing an important measure. In my own county a great number of townships will be penalized by the passage of this bill. I do not think it is fair that 207 townships should be penalized by this bill if an amendment can make it so that they will not be penalized and I do not know that there is any attempt to kill the kill but merely an attempt to save our townships. I thank the secretary for calling to my attention the fact of the matter and I think that all the members in this House who are affected will do the same.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, as the seconder of the motion, put by the member from Allegheny, it was my distinct understanding that amendments would be offered to this measure on the floor of the House that would be acceptable and satisfactory to the sponsor of the bill in the Senate. The gentleman to whom these amendments were offered said they were not acceptable and for that reason I seconded the motion that this bill go back into committee on Counties and Townships for the purpose of amendment, and I sincerely trust the members will support this motion.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I understand a bill similar to this has been amended in the Senate. It has been amended in the way the gentleman who seeks to recommit it in the House would desire. At the same time we must remember this is part of the program which passed the House almost unanimously a week ago and which has met with the approval of men in high places. Personally I am not prepared to oppose the amendment which the members of the House now seem to have in mind, but I do resent the method by which efforts have been made to amend this bill outside of the Legislature. In view of the fact that a bill similarly amended is now on final passage in the Senate, and in view of the fact that this bill is part of the present road program and further, in view of the fact that both bills will be finally subjected to the Chief Executive, I ask you to stand by the road program and vote the motion down.

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, unless this bill is amended to cnform somewhat

with the bill I understand is going through the Senate now, many of us representing rural districts cannot justify ourselves or our constituents if this bill passed in its present form. That is to say, we cannot justify ourselves in voting for an increase of one cent on the gasoline tax unless this bill is amended.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, representing a rural county of this Commonwealth, I want to go on record as endorsing the sentiment of Mr. Wheeler and Mr. Williams opposing the recommittment of this bill. The method which has been used to approach certain members of this Assembly, including myself, to influence us with reference to this matter, and particularly the last line of the letter read by the gentleman from Tioga, Mr. Williams, in which the secretary of this association of township supervisors recommended that unless certain amendments were made or were adopted he recommended that the bill should be killed. I consider that that is unfair. This bill is intended to afford great relief to the rural districts, and I think it would be a great mistake to have it tempered with in any way. Therefore I oppose this motion.

Mr. HAIGMAIER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, when I made this motion there was no intention on my part to kill this bill. As Mr. Talbot has already said, we were positively assured this afternoon that this bill would be amended. Allegheny County certainly would be penalized if this bill would go through and all of the first-class townships would be cut from five to twenty-five per cent. We have no objections to the poorer townships receiving aid but we do not think we should penalize other townships. We have added one cent on the tax for gasoline. Let them take it out of there and not take it from somebody else. That is all we ask, that the bill be amended satisfactorily to the people of the townships. We are not asking to kill the bill at all.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the gentleman from Forest, Mr. Wheeler.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Forest, Mr. Wheeler, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. WHEELER. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. TURNER. I would like to ask the gentleman from Forest, Mr. Wheeler, whether I understood him aright that a similar bill is on passage in the Senate?

Mr. WHEELER. That is correct.

Mr. TURNER. May I ask the gentleman from Forest if the amendments which are now proposed are placed in the bill in the Senate?

Mr. WHEELER. I am so informed.

Mr. TURNER. I would ask the gentleman from Forest, what difference would it make if this bill would fall as far as the State of Pennsylvania is concerned?

Mr. WHEELER. I think it would make a very great deal of difference.

Mr. TURNER. In what way?

Mr. WHEELER. It seems that there is a difference of opinion as to the method of the classification of townships, as to township reward.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, may I ask the gentleman if it is his idea that this amendment should not be inserted in the bill.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, that is right.

Mr. TURNER. Your purpose in attempting to defeat this motion it to defeat the amendment?

Mr. WHEELER. That is true.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I want to say further and in reply to the members from Bucks, Mr. Haines, that the county of Delaware went along on the general road program although we believed that the benefits to be obtained by our county were not commensurate with other counties of this Commonwealth that were benefited by these bills. We felt that while we had built most of our bridges by bonding ourselves and spending most of our money on the road program, yet for the general benefit we were willing to go along on this general road program. We did not understand this measure completely, but when it was called to our attention ti seems only fair that we should protect these townships of our State, and I therefore ask the members of this House to vote for the recommitment of this bill.

Mr. DAVIDSON. I want to add just a word to what my friend from Forest, Mr. Wheeler, has said. That is, that I resent any outside influence working in this Legislature.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The Speaker declared the yeas appear to have it.

Whereupon a division was called for, eighty-six gentlemen voting in the affirmative and fifty-seven in the negative the question was determined in the affirmative, and the motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requirring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2040, (Senate Bill No. 50), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1987, (Senate Bill No. 336), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty, two thousand five hundred and twenty-one, two thousand five hundred and twenty-two, and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1680, (Senate Bill No. 686), entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certain operators thereof; and providing for

the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue, for violation of the provisions of the public service company law; authorizing the rescission of such suspension; and providing for the disposition of fees.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 754, entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

The first and second sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representaitves of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter all township reward roads after completion of the improvement shall be maintained by the township supervisors in accordance with standards prescribed by the Department of Highways and the cost of the maintenance of such roads shall be paid by the township but the Commonwealth is hereby authorized to contribute towards such maintenance from funds appropriated for such purposes The sums appropriated from time to time for the maintenance of township reward roads shall be allocated by the Department of Highways among the several counties of the Commonwealth on the basis that the mileage of township reward roads in any county bears to the total mileage of township reward roads in the Commonwealth

Section 2 The sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the maintenance of township reward roads

The title was read as follows:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title by striking out the two lines of said title and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads; and making a appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes."

On the question.

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1902, entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

Eections one to eight inclusive were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when used in this act—

(a) The term "habit-forming narcotic drug" or "narcotic" means opium and coca leaves and the innumerable alkaloids derived therefrom the best known of these alkaloids being morphia hereoin and codeine obtained from opium and cocaine derived from the coca plant all compounds salts preparations or other derivatives obtained either from the raw material or from the various alkaloids Indiana hemp and its various derivatives compounds and preparations and peyote in its various forms

(b) The term "addict" means any person who habitually uses any habit-forming narcotic drug as defined in this act so as to endanger the public morals health safety or welfare or who is or has been so far addicted to the use of such habit-forming narcotic drugs as to have lost the power of self control with reference to his addiction

Section 2 A State institution is hereby established to be known as the State Narcotic Farm for the confinement detention and treatment of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs

Section 3 The Secretary of Welfare of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania are hereby appointed a committee to select a farm or farms of a total acreage of not less than one hundred fifty (150) acres to be used by the State Narcotic Farm for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the same to be purchased and paid for as now provided by law The said farm to be selected by the said committee at any point within the Commonwealth that in the opinion of said committee is most convenient for carrying into effect the purposes of this act

Section 4 The Secretary of Welfare of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized to cause the plans drawings designs specifications and estimates for the remodeling or construction of the buildings necessary for the purposes of this act to be prepared by a supervising architect to be chosen by the Department of Property and Supplies and after the approval of such plans drawings designs specifications and estimates by the said committee such buildings shall be erected and/or remodeled and additions made thereto on the said farms under the direction of the Department of Property and Supplies and in accordance with the laws relating to such constructions

Section 5 The control and management of the State Narcotic Farm shall be vested in the Secretary of Welfare who shall have power to appoint competent superintendents assistant superintendents physicians pharmacists psychologists nurses and all other officers and employes necessary for the safe keeping care protection treatment and discipline of the inmates There is hereby created in the office of the Secretary of Welfare a division to be known as the Narcotics Division which shall be in charge of a physician trained in the treatment and care of narcotic addicts and which division shall have charge of the management discipline and methods of treatment of all inmates of said narcotic farm

Section 6 That the authorities vested with the power to designate the place of confinement of prisoners are hereby authorized and directed to transfer to the State Narcotic Farm as accomodations become available all addicts as herein defined who are now or shall hereafter be sentenced to confine-

ment in or be confined in any penal correctional disciplinary or reformatory institution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania including those addicts convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth who are confined in State prisons penitentiaries and reformatories Provided That no addict shall be transferred to the State Narcotic Farm who in the opinion of the officer authorized to direct the transfer is not a proper subject for confinement in such institution either because of the nature of the crime he has committed or his apparent incorrigibility The authority vested with the power to designate the place of confinement of a prisoner is authorized to re-transfer from the State Narcotic Farm to the institution from which he was received or to such other institution as may be designated by the proper authority any addict whose presence in the State Narcotic Farm is detrimental to the well-being of the institution or if he has ceased to be a narcotic addict under the terms of this act

Section 7 That it shall be the duty of each prosecuting officer before sentence is pronounced by the Court to report to the court the name of each convicted person believed by him to be an addict as herein defined his reasons for such belief and all pertinent facts bearing on such addiction

Section 8 The Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General are hereby empowered and directed to formulate and promulgate rules and regulations for the control and management of the said Narcotic Farm and for the admission of private patients thereto and for their discharge therefrom

The ninth section was read as follows:

Section 9 The sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Welfare to be used for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 9, page 5, lines 4 to 8, both inclusive, by striking out the entire said lines.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm; providing for the confinement, detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs, who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth, and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment; providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes; and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare, the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such form.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requirring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1127, as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to erect construct and complete a building known as the Farm Show Building in the city of Harrisburg and to grade and terrace the ground in connection therewith providing for the letting of the contracts therefor and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized and empowered to erect construct and complete a building together with the necessary grading and terracing on surrounding land to be known as the "Farm Show Building" to be located in the city of Harrisburg on such site on the property of the Commonwealth now under the control of the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital as the Governor shall select Upon the selection of such site the Governor shall certify the same to the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital and thereafter said site shall be under the control and jurisdiction of the Department of Property and Supplies until the Farm Show Building shall be completed and thereafter under the control of the State Farm Products Show Commission Such building shall be erected constructed and completed in accordance with the plans and specification which have heretofore been approved or will hereafter be approved by the Secretary of Property and Supplies and the Governor All supervision architectural and engineering fees and all other necessary expenses shall be paid from the funds made available by this act

Section 2 The Secretary of Property and Supplies shall let a contract or contracts for the building to be erected hereunder to the lowest and best bidder after advertisement for bids once a week for four successive weeks in at least twelve newspapers published in different parts of the Commonwealth The Secretary of Property and Supplies shall have power to reject any and all bids and to readvertise for bids in like manner as above provided Before any contract is entered into the Secretary of Property and Supplies shall require from the contractor a bond to the Commonwealth in such sum as the Secretary shall deem sufficient conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms of the contract The contract and bond shall be approved by the Attorney General

Section 3 For carrying out the provisions of this act the sum of one million three hundred and forty thousand dollars ($1,340,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2293, (Senate Bill No. 1253), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Com-

missioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of townships or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2106, (Senate Bill No. 566), entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents, and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1978, (Senate Bill No. 920), entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks, savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1776, as follows:

An Act affecting martial relations providing grounds and proceedings for decrees of separation and defining the rights of spouses thereafter as to the disposition of property and the vesting thereof after death

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when a marriage has been heretofore or shall hereafter be contracted or celebrated between any two persons it shall be lawful for either spouse to obtain a decree of separation from the other whenever it shall be adjudged in the manner hereinafter provided that the other spouse

(a) Has knowingly entered into a second marriage in violation of the previous vows he or she made to the former spouse whose marriage is still subsisting or

(b) Shall have committed adultery or

(c) Shall have committed wilful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation of the injured and innocent spouse without a reasonable cause for and during the term and space of two years or

(d) Shall have by cruel and barbarous treatment endangered the life of the injured and innocent spouse or

(e) Shall have offered such indignities to the person of the injured and innocent spouse as to render his or her condition intolerable and life burdensome or

(f) Shall have procured the marriage by fraud force or coercion and which has not been subsequently confirmed by the acts of the injured and innocent spouse or

(g) Shall have been convicted as principal or as accessory either before or after the fact within or without this Commonwealth of the crime of arson burglary embezzlement forgery kidnapping larceny murder either in the first or second degree assault with intent to kill voluntary manslaughter perjury rape robbery sodomy buggery treason or misprision of treason or has been convicted three or more times of any misdemeanor or

(h) When the husband has neglected for a period of one year to provide his wife with the common necessaries of life having the ability to provide the same or failing to do so by reason of his idleness profligacy or dissipation or

(i) Shall have obtained a divorce in any other state or country or

Section 2 Whenever the husband and wife shall have voluntarily lived entirely separate and neither has made any bona fide effort for reconciliation and cohabitation for the space of three years next preceding the commencement o fthe act a decree of separation may be granted at the suit of either party

Section 3 The several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth shall have original jurisdiction of cases for the decrees of separation of married persons The said courts shall have power to grant decrees of separation notwithstanding the fact that the marriage of the parties and the cause for separation occurred outside of this Commonwealth and that both parties were at the time of the occurrence of said cause domiciled without this Commonwealth and that the respondent has been served with the subpoena only by publication as provided by this act

All petitions or libels for decree of separation shall be exercised to the court of the county where the libellant resides except where the husband and wife shall be resident in different counties of this Commonwealth and while so resident a cause of separation shall arise in which cases the libellant may at his or her option institute and prosecute proceedings either in the county of his or her own residence or in the county wherein the respondent shall be resident and the cause for separation shall have arisen

Section 4 No spouse shall be entitled to commence proceedings for separation by virtue of this act who shall not have been a bona fide resident in this Commonwealth at least one whole year immediately previous to the filing of his or her petition or libel The libellant and respondent shall be competent witnesses in said proceedings

Section 5 In cases where the spouse is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the courts of common pleas are invested with the authority under this act to receive a petition or libel for a decree of separation in which such lunatic or person non compos mentis is made respondent The proceedings except as otherwise expressly provided in this act shall in such cases be the same as in the proceedings for divorce

Section 6 In cases where the wife is a lunatic or non compos mentis the courts are invested with authority to re-

ceive a petition or libel for separation in her behalf which may be exhibited by any relative or next friend of the wife The proceedings except as otherwise expressly provided in this act shall in such cases be the same as in other proceedings for separation

Section 7 Any spouse may have his or her petition or libel for separation presented to the court of common pleas when in session or during vacation to a judge therof at chambers The petition or libel shall set forth therein particularly and specifically the cause of his or her complaint and shall be accompanied with an affidavit on oath or affirmation that the facts contained in said petition or libel are true to the best of his or her knowledge and belief

In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the fact of lunacy of the respondent and such circumstances as may be sufficient to satisfy the mind of the court as to the truth of the allegation shall be set forth in the petition or libel and the affidavit required by this section shall be taken by the petitioner

Section 8 Upon the presentation of the petition or libel a subpoena may be awarded by the said court signed by the prothonotary and directed to the party so complained against commanding him or her to appear which subpoena shall be returnable not less than fifteen days after the aware thereof either to any intermediate return day as shall have been or may be established for such court of common pleas either by statute or rule of court or both

Section 9 Upon due proof at the return of said subpoena that the same shall have been served personally upon the respondent within the Commonwealth and that a copy had been given to him or her on or before the return day of the same the said court shall and may make such preparatory rules and orders in the cause that the same may be brought to a hearing and determined at which hearing the court may determine the same exparte if necessary or the court may upon motion of either party appoint a master to take testimony and return the same to court

Section 10 If on the return of the subpoena proof shall be made that the respondent could not be found in the said county the court shall allow an order of publication and the sheriff of the county shall cause notice to be published in one newspaper printed within or nearest to the said county and in the legal journal if any designated by the rules of court for the publication of legal notices once a week for two successive weeks requiring the said party to appear and to answer said complaint which order of publication shall be returnable not less than fifteen days after the award thereof to any return days as shall have been or may be established for such court either by statute or rule of court or both after which the same proceedings shall be had as directed after the personal service of the subpoena

Section 11 In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the service of the subpoena in separation shall be made as provided in this act but such service shall be made upon the committee of such lunatic or person non compos mentis

Section 12 The respondent may in any case brought under the provisions of this act cause an appearance to be entered and file an answer to the petition or libel

Section 13 The court may upon the application of either party and upon such terms as it may order authorize and direct the master to take testimony of witnesses in any other country State or territory subject to the jurisdiction of the United States or in any foreign country

Section 14 In all proceedings for separation the libellant shall be fully competent to prove all the facts though the respondent may not have been personally served with the libel subpoena or rule to take depositions and may not be residing within the Commonwealth but have been served only by publication

Section 15 When the respondent in any action for separation shall have been convicted and sentenced for any crime the records of the said conviction shall be received in evidence on any application for separation by the injured libellant

Section 16 In any action or suit for a decree of separation for the cause of adultery if the respondent shall allege and prove that the libellant has been guilty of the like crime or has admitted the respondent into conjugal society or embraces after he or she knew of the criminal fact or that the said libellant (if the husband) allowed the wife's prostitution or received hire from it or exposed his wife to lewd company whereby she became insnared to the crime aforesaid it shall be a good defence and a perpetual bar against the same

Section 17 Where a master has been appointed he shall make a report to the court of the proceedings had before him and his opinion of the case

Section 18 The said courts may after hearing any cause whether before the court or a master determine the same as the law and justice shall appertain by either dismissing the petition or libel or entering a decree of separation by decreeing and adjudging that the spouses shall not be required to live and cohabit with each other in the relationship of husband and wife until both shall mutually agree to do so again

Section 19 After the entering of such decree of separation the said parties shall severally be at liberty to dispose of their property during life or by will wothout any liability to be interfered with or obtained by the other and in case of intestacy the property of each shall go to his or her next of kin as if the other spouse were previously dead and such decree of separation shall not entitle them to marry again or relieve either of any of the other duties rights and claims accruing as a result of such marriage and shall continue in full force and effect until both of them agree to rescind same or it shall appear to the court that right and justice shall require its revocation

Section 20 Either of the parties in any suit or action for separation may appeal therefrom to the Superior Court in the manner provided by law for such appeals and the said appeal shall be prosecuted in the usual manner and the Superior Court shall transmit the record with their judgment thereon with all the proceedings as in other cases to the court below to be carried into effect

But where a respondent in any proceeding for separation files with the prothonotary of the said court an affidavit that such appeal is not taken for the purpose of delay but because the appellant believes he has suffered injustice by the decree from which he or she appeals and that by reason of his or her poverty he or she is unable to furnish the required bail such respondent shall be entitled to take such appeal the same as if the required bail had been given

Section 21 The several courts of common pleas are hereby authorized to make and adopt such rules and practice as may be necessary to carry this act into effect and to regulate proceedings before masters and to fix their fees

Section 22 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions thereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 23 This act shall be in force from and after first day of August one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 24 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed except in so far as they relate to divorce proceedings

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1849, entitled:

An Act exempting scales and bottling equipment and appurtenances thereto leased hired or conditionally sold from levy or sale on execution or distress for rent

The first and second sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and is is hereby enacted by the authority of

the same That hereafter all personal property used in any commercial enterprise leased or hired by any person or persons residing within this Commonwealth or conditionally sold to any such person or persons under a contract of sale reserving title in the vendor until paid for shall be exempt from from levy and sale on execution or distress for rent so long as the title thereto remains in the owner lessor or conditional vendor Provided That either the name and address or owner lessor or conditional vendor of such personal property used in any commercial enterprise be marked on or be attached to said personal property on a conspicuous part thereof or that before levy or distress the owner lessor or conditional vendor of such personal property used in any commercial enterprise or his or their agent or the person or persons so leasing hiring or purchasing the same shall have given notice to the landlord or his agent that the same are leased hired or sold under reservation of title

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

The title was read as follows:

An Act exempting scales and bottling equipment and appurtenances thereto; leased, hired or conditionally sold, from levy or sale on execution or distress for rent.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. REYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title by striking out the words "scales and bottling equipment and appurtenances thereto" and inserting in lieu thereof "personal property used in any commercial enterprise."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to,

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2068, as follows:

A Joint Resolution providing for the reunion of the veterans of the twenty-eighth division in celebration of the tenth anniversary of their return from duty overseas imposing duties upon the Adjutant General and making an appropriation

Whereas The summer of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine will mark the tenth anniversary of the return from overseas of the twenty-eighth division and

Whereas It is fitting that the Commonwealth should show its appreciation of the valor and patriotism of the veterans of that division which represented it in the World War therefore

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That after the closing of the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine summer encampment of members of the National Guard of the Commonwealth at Mt Gretna the property of the Commonwealth at Mt Gretna shall be available for the purpose of the holding of a three day reunion of those soldiers who served with the twenty-eighth division in the World War at such time as may be determined by the officers of the Twenty-eighth Division Veteran's Association

Section 2 The Adjutnat General shall furnish such tents bedding and other equipment belonging to the Commonwealth for the use of those attending such reunion as may be necessary and shall make arrangements for the feeding and housing of the veterans of said twenty-eighth division including the purchase of necessary food and supplies and the preparation and service thereof and shall provide adequate entertainment of such nature as he may deem advisable during the period of such reunion

Section 3 That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Depatrment of Military Affairs for the purpose of providing and furnishing food entertainment and housing for such former soldiers of the World War who served with the twenty-eighth division in France who attend the said reunion and for the purpose of replacing or repairing any property of the Commonwealth lost injured or destroyed during such reunion

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. McKAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. HEFFNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2100, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of the construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" which was amended by the act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws thirty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges' providing for the establishment of lights on county bridges located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties and requiring lights on certain county bridges" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever considered necessary for the safety and convenience of the traveling public the county commissioners of any county within which a county bridge is erected or the county commissioners of two or more counties acting together with regard to any county bridge located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties may supply and equip any such county bridge with lights of such kind and character as they shall deem necessary Any such county bridge more than eight hundred feet in length shall be supplied and equipped with lights by the county commissioners

To carry out the provisions of this act the county commissioners severally or jointly are authorized to contract with any individual or with any municipal or private corporation for the purpose of supplying the necessary lights

The cost of the construction erection and maintenance of any lights placed upon any such bridge shall be paid by the county and where the said bridge is located partly in one county and partly in another or others the said cost of the construction erection and maintenance shall be paid by each of the several counties in proportion to their population

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the secon dreading and consideration of House Bill No. 993, as follows:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relaitng to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 601 Insurance Agents Defined An agent is an individual copartnership or corporation authorized in writing by a company association or exchange

(a) To solicit risks and collect premiums and to issue or countersign policies in its behalf or

(b) To solicit risks and collect premiums in its behalf

A person copartnership association or corporation not a duly authorized insurance broker who for or without compensation solicits insurance on behalf of any insurance company association or exchange or transmits for a person copartnership association or corporation other than himself or itself an application for a policy of insurance to or from such company association or exchange or offers or assumes to act in the negogiation of such insurance or in any manner aids in transacting the insurance business of any such company association or exchange by negotiating for or placing risks or delivering policies or collecting premiums for such company association or exchange shall be an insurance agent within the intent of this act and shall thereby become liable to all the duties requirements liabilities and penalties to which an agent of such company association or exchange is subject Provided however That the word "agent" shall not include nonresident salaried employes of foreign exchanges which maintain no offices in this Commonwealth and pay no commissions to such employes or officers or salaried employees of any insurance company association or exchange which is authorized to transact business in this Commonwealth who do not solicit negotiate or place risks

Section 2 Repealer All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensd with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1214, as follows:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual saving fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of repayment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual saving fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of repayment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 A borrower may repay a loan at any time and in case of the repayment thereof before the maturity of the shares pledged for said loan there shall be refunded to such borrower (if the premiums bonus or interest shall have been deducted in advance) such proportions of the premiums bonus or advance interest bid as the by-laws may determine unless the same amounts to two per centum or less of such loan in which case no return shall be made of such premiums bonus or interest so deducted in advance Provided That in no case shall the association retain more than one one-hundredth of said premiums or bonus for each calendar month that has expired since the date of the meeting upon which the loan was made or if interest in advance it shall retain only the interest due on the loan up to the time of settlement And further provided That such borrower shall receive the withdrawing value of the shares pledged for said loan and the shares shall revert back to the association

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with.

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1478, as follows:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgage on real estate

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all State banks incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized and empowered to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgage upon real estate and to make and execute such contracts and policies as may be required therefor Provided however That no such bank guarantee bonds in a total amount in excess of its combined capital stock and surplus

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1600, entitled:

An Act exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes

The first, second and third sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That after the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine all bank accounts bearing interest shall be exempt from taxation under the provisions of the act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes

Section 2 The provisions of this act shall in no way prevent or affect the collection of any tax which is or shall be collectible under the provisions of existing law

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed in so far as inconsistent with this act

The title was read as follows:

An Act exempting from taxation for county purposes, and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, by striking out the words "certificates of deposit and pass books issued by, and all interest bearing money deposited in banks, banking institutions, and trust companies" and inserting in lieu thereof "bank accounts bearing interest."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bill to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1750, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in citis coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock cmopany or association limited partnership bank or corporation from any person or persons copartnership or unincrporated association or company or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all personal property of the classes hereafter numerated owned held or possessed by any person persons copartnership or incorporated association or company resident located or liable to taxation within this Commonwealth or by any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation whatsoever formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government and liable to taxation within this Commonwealth whether such personal property be owned held or possessed by such person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation in his her their or its own right or as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any other person persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation—is hereby made taxable annually for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes at the rate of four mills on each dollar of the value thereof and no failure to assess or return the same shall discharge such owner or holder thereof from liability therefor that is to say—

All mortgagors all moneys owing by solvent debtors whether by promissory note or penal or single bill bond or judgment all articles of agreement and accounts bearing interest all public loans whatsoever except those issued by this Commonwealth or the United States and those made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof all loans issued by any corporation association company or limited partnership created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government including car-trust securities and loans secured by bonds or any other form of certificate or evidence of indebtedness whether the interest be included in the principal of the obligation or payable by the terms thereof except such loans as are made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof all shares of stock in any bank corporation asso-

ciation company or limited partnership created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government except shares of stock in any bank corporation or limited partnership that may be liable to a tax on its shares or its capital stock for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth or relieved from the payment of tax on its shares or capital stock for State purposes by the laws of the Commonwealth all moneys loaned or invested in other States Territories the District of Columbia or foreign countries all other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of the State all stages omnibuses hacks cabs and other vehicles used in transporting passengers for hire except steam and street passenger railway cars owned used or possessed within this Commonwealth by any person or persons or by any corporate body or bodies all annuities yielding annually over two hundred dollars Provided That this section shall not apply to bank notes or notes discounted or negotiated by any bank or banking institution savings institution or trust company And provided That the provisions of this act shall not apply to building and loan associations or to savings institutions having no capital stock but nothing herein contained shall be construed to relieve or exempt individual depositors in savings institutions having no capital stock from any taxation to which such depositors may be subject and if at any time either now or hereafter any persons individuals or bodies corporate have agreed or shall hereafter agree to issue his their or its securities bonds or other evidences of indebtedness clear of and free from the said four mills tax herein provided for or have agreed or shall hereafter agree to pay the same nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to relieve or exempt him it or them from paying the said four mills tax on any of the said such securities bonds or other evidences of indebtedness as may be held owned by or owing to the said saving institution having no capital stock And provided further That the provisions of this act shall not apply to fire companies fireman's relief associations life or fire insurance corporations having no capital stock secret and beneficial societies labor unions and labor union relief associations and all beneficial organizations paying sick or death benefits or either or both from funds received from voluntary contributions or assesments upon members of such associations societies or unions And provided further That corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations liable to tax on capital stock for State purposes shall not be required to make any report or pay any further tax under this section on the mortgages bonds and other securities owned by them in their own right but corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations holding such securities as trustees executors administrators guardians or in any other manner shall return and pay the tax imposed by this section upon all securities so held by them as in the case of individuals And provided further That none of the classes of property made taxable by this section for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes shall be taxed or taxable for any other local purpose or for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth And provided further That the provisions of this section shall not apply to personal property of the class hereinabove enumerated hereafter received from any person or persons copartnership or unincorpoated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or from any joint-stock company or asociation limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2088, as follows:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all depositories of city funds in cities of the first class shall upon the receipt of notice of their selection as depositoriees of city funds furnish a bond to secure payment of deposits and interest to the city with a proper warrant of attorney to confess judgement in favor of the city secured by a surety company or individual sureties to be approved by the court of common pleas Such bonds shall in all cases be in the amount of the deposit to be made If a corporate bond is given no one surety company shall be approved in an aggregate amount in excess of five times the capital surplus and reserve Whenever individual sureties are presented for approval they shall qualify in an aggregate over and above their individual liabilities to three times the amount of the deposit No one person may qualify for more than one -fourth of the total amount of the bond required Provided That in lieu of surety bonds of surety companies or surety bonds of surety companies or of individual sureties the deposit of city moneys may be secured by the deposit with the city treasurer of bonds of the United States or of any county municipality or municipal district of the Commonwealth equal to the deposit so secured and twenty per centum in addition thereto Said bonds shall be accompanied by a proper assignment or power of attorney to transfer the same and in any such deposit of securities shall be maintained to the full amount required in case of any depreciation in value thereof

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

RESOLUTION No. 22 .....

Mr. HEFFERNAN asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up Resolution No. 22, file folio 5683, which was twice read considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, March 27th, 1929.

Whereas In his message to the General Assembly at the opening of the present Session His Excellency the Governor stated that during the past two years every form disease had shown a falling off with the exceptions of cancer and diabetes and

Whereas He suggested that some provision should be made for exhaustive laboratory research work to alleviate the ravages of these diseases and

Whereas scientists have for years been pursuing the cancer germ and have so far failed in their afforts to isolate it and

Whereas Some effort should be made to put back of this so far unsuccessful task the power of the Commonwealth and the scientific ability and knowledge of those connected with the Department of Health therefore be it

Resolved If the Senate concur That His Excellency the Governor of the Commonwealth shall be requested to direct the Secretary of the Department of Health to make a survey of the efforts now being made to isolate the cancer germ and to check the ravages of the disease and be it further

Resolved, That the said Secretary of the Department of Health shall be requested to make a report of the results of such study to the Governor for the next Session of the Legislature and made such recommendations as to the policy the Commonwealth should adopt to assist in preventing the further spread of the disease as he may deem advisable

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence,

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, on last Tuesday in closing my remarks opposing the four-cent gasoline tax, I said if there was any attempt to amend my bill to a four-cent gasoline tax, I would oppose it. I wish to say to the membership of the House that the Ways and Means Committee have been particularly fair to me in this matter. They consulted me last night as to whether I was willing to have my bill amended and brought out with an amendment carrying a four-cent tax on gasoline, to which I said I was not, and at my request in a meeting of the Committee on Ways and Means today, that bill was killed. I still believe as I did just a week ago that a four cent tax on gasoine is not necessary. I cannot put myself in the position of being for one part of my bill and opposed to another part, and still be fair with the membership that went along with me in opposing that tax. I say this in fairness to the contradictory position we would be put in, and I also say it in fairness to the members of the Ways and Means Committee.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the Ways and Means Committee want to call to your attention the fairness of Mr. Talbot, and especially as regards the Talbot Bill. When House Bill No. 155 was before this House I said to you that in due course of time the Ways and Means Committee would give due study to the Talbot Bill; that it has done in two or three Committee meetings fixed especially for that purpose. The Ways and Means Committee as a unit are of the opinion that the system suggested in the Talbot Bill must be inevitable in this Commonwealth, because to a man the members of that Committee feel that the collection of the gasoline tax on a point other than from the retailers will bring greater benefits to the Commonwealth. The Committee found itself in great difficulty when it studied deeply the mechanics suggested by the Talbot Bill. Conferences were held with the fiscal officer whose duty it is to collect these taxes, and we are of the opinion, as a result of these conferences, that neither this House nor any officer connected with this State government would be justified at this time in taking the responsibility of putting upon the statute books a bill which would provide for the mechanical method of the collection of the tax as suggested by the Talbot Bill. It seems that because of the very peculiar position in which Pennsylvania stands with respect to the collection of the gas tax, especially when we consider that Pennsylvania is not only a refiner, but a manufacturer and distributor as well, of gasoline, that the collection at the point of distribution, or at the point of source, is a considerably more difficult problem to solve than in any other of the Commonwealths. It is for these resasons, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, that the Ways and Means Committee must reluctantly abandon for this session any change in the method of the collection of gasoline taxes.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2026, entitled,

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, six hundred eighty-eight), entitled, "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities, to wit: cities, boroughs and townships in counties of the second class, into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report, together with an act providing a method for such consolidation, and prescribing its powers and duties," and the supplements and amendments thereto; continuing the commissions under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years, requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class, and continuing and enlarging its powers, rights and duties.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the sponsor of the bill.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Marcus, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MARCUS. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. BALDRIGE. I would like to ask the gentleman from Allegheny, the sponsor of the bill, Mr. Marcus, what is the purpose of this bill?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in answer to the interrogation of the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Baldrige, the purpose of this bill is to carry out the progrom that was started in 1926 in the extraordinary session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature, wherein a constitutional amendment was voted on and subsequently voted on in 1927 and in the fall election of 1928 again voted on, and this constitutional amendment was passed by the voters of the State of Pennsylvania. As the result of that vote, the bill which precedes this bill on the calendar, known as Senate Bill No. 926, which is not on file, is a presentation of a charter for a metropolitan city for a greater Pittsburgh. If this charter meets with your approval, when this bill is on file, this charter will be submitted to the voters of Allegheny County on the fourth Tuesday in June of this year, and following that bill, the metropolitan commission, which was appointed by this honorable body will continue to function and endeavor to carry out its ideas for the advancement of the corporate charter in the session of 1931. I also wish to explain to the members of this body that this commission carries no State appropriation. Should this commission be continued, the moneys that they are permitted to collect is fixed as an amount from the boroughs and townships and municipalities if they care to contribute, or from the county commissioners, if they wish to contribute, on the basis of two dollars per hundred of population. We realize that Pittsburgh is growing and advancing and we hope that we will be able to make Allegheny County the garden spot of the world. Will not you members of the Legislature give us the opportunity of continuing this commission and in view of the fact that it carries no State appropriation, and in view of the fact that the Commission wishes to extend its field of activity, may I ask you to vote for this bill.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, I desire to further ask the sponsor of this bill, Mr. Marcus, if he can inform this House just how much money this commission has received from the city and municipalities of

Allegheny County, and how much they have expended?

Mr. MARCUS. In answer to the interrogation of the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Baldrige, I don't know what amount of money they have expended and I am not in a position to answer as to how much they have received.

I am in a position to answer that they have not received one penny from the State. On the besis of the increased population, if they were to receive money on the basis of two dollars per hundred of the population they would receive approximately thirty thousand dollars from the taxpayers of Allegheny County.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Is it not a fact that when this commission was first created that there was an appropriation by the State of $25,000?

Mr. MARCUS. Not to the best of my knowledge.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Is it not also a fact that preceding the last election the county of Allegheny gave to this commission $25,000 and also the city of Pittsburgh a like amount.

Mr. MARCUS. I know that there was some voluntary contributions made by some of the citizens of Allegheny County and contributions by the county commissioners and also that they received money from city council, what amount I do not know.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Is it not also a fact that when the commission checked up on the expenses at the last election, they published a statement in the Pittsburgh newspapers showing that they are over $70,000 in debt.

Mr. MARCUS. I cannot answer that question intelligently. I do not know.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Has this commission ever returned to this House a statement of its financial condition of its receipts and expenses?

Mr. MARCUS. I know that the commission has filed its report with the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania in which they made a recommendation as to a charter for greater Pittsburgh.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, he is not answering my question. I have asked if he knows of a financial statement having been filed by the commission.

Mr. MARCUS. I do not know.

Mr. BALDRIDGE. Mr. Speaker, ladies and gentlemen of the House, I did not oppose, two years ago, the continuation of this Commission, although I do know that in a bill that they passed here they asked for the Commission to be continued, not at the expense of the State, as it was originally created, but at the expense of the people of Allegheny County. There are people both inside the city and outside the city who are opposed to the metropolitan plan and idea.

I have personally written a letter to the Chairman of this Commission, early in this session, asking him to submit to this House a report of the receipts and expenditures of this Commission. I received an answer after I had sent this request for my personal use. Had he sent a report of the financial condition, of the receipts and expenditures, of this Commission it might have opened the eyes of the members of Allegheny County that don't know very much about the workings of this Commission. They have spent over one hundred thousand dollars since they have been created. The statement they filed in the Pittsburgh papers right after the election was to the effect that they are over seventy thousand dollars in debt.

What have they brought down here? They have been in existence six years, going on eight years, and what did they bring down here? They were created for the purpose, as specified in the act, to devise ways and means to create a metropolitan district for the county of Allegheny. In the first bill, it is my recollection that they were allowed twenty five thousand dollars for the expenses of that Commission. They spent all of that in the first year; ten thousand dollars of it went for the salary of an expert. They got one from Michigan; they didn't get a man from Pennsylvania who knew anything about Pennsylvania, or Allegheny county conditions at all.

I am most surprised that the city charter bill was introduced in the Senate not so long ago and not in the House. I am not surprised. I am not surprised it didn't come back here where it started from for introduction at this session. I am not surprised that the members of the State Senate from Allegheny county, and the people interested in the welfare of Allegheny County just threw the bill from hand to hand. Why, the sponsor of that bill would not know the bill if he saw it today. If that is the best they can give us, after spending all that money in that time, why fool with a commission like that. If we are going to have a commission let us have a commission that has some brains so that we will get some place. It is an outrage to the people of Allegheny County to continue this commission one iota further. They should be thrown out. They are not satisfied. Why, the State Senate would not even consider the amendments they offered to their own bill; they threw them in the waste basket. There is no further necessity for it. They have done the best they could, poor as it is, to the best of their ability. Why give them any more time? This charter if it goes through the House will be voted on by the people back home let them take care of it. I ask you to vote "No" on this bill.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I ask for a verification of the roll.

The roll was verified as follows:

YEAS—109.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister	Simon,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Greeby,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harding,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pitts,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Post,	Walker,
Burns,	Henderson,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Himes,	Reed,	Wells,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Rice,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Sautter,	Wood,
Dunn,	Linton,	Schilling,	Wright,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Sheely,	Zissenheim
Erdley,	Lucas,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Evans,	Lynch,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Fish,	Marcus,	Shutt,	
Flynn,	Mathay,		

NAYS—36.

Aston,	Gwynne,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Smith, W. B.
Behm,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Stevenson,

Davidson,	Howe,	Pethick,	Storer,
Dengler,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Donnell,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	King,	Rhodes,	Wolfe,
Gross,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Yerg,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up House Bill No. 1931, file folio 5983, on page 67 of to-day's calender, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. MARCUS,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1931, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. STANDTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 3, paragraph (1) on Page 2, white file folio 5984 by striking out of line 15, the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "six months"

Amend Section 3, paragraph (1) on Page 2, white file folio 5984 by striking out of line 17, the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "six months"

Amend Section 7, on Page 15, white file folio 5997 by striking out of line 6 the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "six months"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 327.

Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 4, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 327, file folio 3681, foor the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. LYNCH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 327 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. MICHEL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. LYNCH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. MICHEL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. LYNCH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 327, Printer's No. 612, File Folio No. 3681, in line 9, by inserting the words "for personal profit" between the words "engaged" and the word "in."

Amend line 10, on page 2, by adding after the word "court" the following: "Provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any member of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue Cutter Service or Coast Guard, or to any member of the National Guard while in service."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 933.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 933, file folio 33[illegible], for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 3, lin e24, by striking out after the word "page" the word [therein] and inserting in lieu theeof the word "wherein".

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS Nos. 915, 916, 918, 919, 920, 1065.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor,s Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House bill No. 915, file folio 3777, entitled, "An Act relating to the finances of the State government Providing for the settlement assessment collection and lien of taxes bonus and all other accounts due the Commonwealth the collection and recovery of fees and dther money or property due or belonging to the Commonwealth or any proceeds of its sale the custody and disbursement or other disposition of funds and securities belonging to or in possession of the Commonwealth and the settlement of claims against the Commonwealth the resettlement of accounts and appeals to the courts refunds of moneys erroneously paid to the Commonwealth auditing the accounts of the Commonwealth and all agencies thereof of all public officers collecting moneys payable to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof and all receipts of appropriations from the Commonwealth and imposing penalties Affecting every department board commission and officer of the State government every political subdivision of the State and certain officers of such subdivisions every person association and corporation required to pay assess or collect taxes or to make returns or reports under the laws iimposing taxes for Staate purposes or to pay license fees or other moneys to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof every State depository and every debtor or creditor of the Commonwealth".

House Bill No. 916, file folio 4697, entitled, "An Act to amend sions two hundred eighteen and six hundred twenty-five of the Act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws page seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled 'An Act relating to insurance cstblishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companiees associations of exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws' by substituting the Department of Revenue for the Insurance Commissioner as the agency for the collection of taaxes imposed thereunder".

House Bill No. 918, file folio 4637, entitled, "An act to amend Section three of an act approved the thorteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and ninety-eight) entitled 'An act imposing a tax for State purposes on marine insurance underwriting profits and providing for the collection of such tax' ".

House Bill No. 919, file folio 4663, entitled, "An Act to amend sections three hundred two as amended three hundred three three hundred four three hundred five three hundred six three hundred seven three hundred eight three hundred nine three hundred ten and twelve hundred one as amended of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto' as amended."

House Bill No. 920, file folio 4643, entitled, "An Act to amend sections two hundred twenty as amended two hundred twenty-one two hundred twenty-two two hundred twenty-three two hundred twenty-four two hundred twenty-five as amended and two hundred eighty-five as amended of the act approved second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled 'An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 1065, file folio 4653, entitled, "An Act to repeal section seventeen and to amend sections three five eleven and fourteen as amended and section fifteen of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-two) entitled 'An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties' substituting the Department of Revenue for the Department of Agriculture as the agency having supervision over the issuance of dog and kennel licenses."

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1097.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed House Bill No. 1097, file folio 2183, entitled,

"An act to amend section seven of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-nine) entitled 'An act relating to the right to practice medicine and surgery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing a Bureau of Medical Education and Licensure as a bureau of the Department of Public Instruction and means and methods whereby the right to practice medicine and surgery and any of its minor branches may be obtained and exemptions therefrom and providing for an appropriation to carry out the provisions of said act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said bureau and providing penalties for violation thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith' as amended providing for the payment of annual registration fees into the State Treasury."

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 967.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval the Resolution of th House and Senate dated April 3, 1929, recalling from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, House Bill No. 967, file folio 1805, entitled, "An act to amend section six hundred and ninety-nine of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws ight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended by prohibiting the stopping filling up confining paving or otherwise interfering with any drain ditch watercourse or drainage facilities in any township of the first or second class without the approval of the township commissioners or supervisors by making certain provisions with regard to the approval and filing of plans thereof."

This Resolution was not received in my office until Tuesday, April 9, 1929. I vetoed House Bill No. 967 on April 5, 1929, and returned the bill to the House of Representatives without my approval.

For this reason the Resolution recalling the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence, bills number and entitled as folows:

SENATE BILL No. 1238. (HOUSE BILL No. 2343).

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six), entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity or property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 1248. (HOUSE BILL No. 2344).

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repeal all laws, general special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL No. 435. (HOUSE BILL No. 2345).

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL No. 788. (HOUSE BILL No. 2346).

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys, providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 928. (HOUSE BILL No. 2347).

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1090. (HOUSE BILL No. 2348).

An Act providing for the acquisition by cities, boroughs, and townships jointly or severally by purchase or by the exercise of eminent domain of the works, plants, property and franchises of water companies, or gas and water companies; and for the operation thereof after such acquisition.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

COMMITTEE TO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a committee to draft resolutions upon the death of ex-Lieutenant Governor Edward E. Beidleman, Messrs. Flynn, Reed, Rice, Fox and S. H. Miller.

BILL ON THIRD READING

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 311, entitled:

An Act providing for the pensioning of certain persons, residents of this Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, who have been or shall be soldiers, sailors, marines, or members of the enlisted nurse corps, designated as "blind veterans;" defining ing an appropriation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stein,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Wettach
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	White,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Deigler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rice,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wood,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheely,	
Fox,	McCann,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 835.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 836, file folio 4039 for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. ... passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 5, line 28, by striking out at the beginning thereof the word [all] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "All"

Amend page 7, line 21, by striking out after the word "the" and before the word "five" the words [State Treasurer] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"

Amend page 7, line 25, by striking out after the "[[]" the words [set aside in]

Amend page 7, by striking out lines 26 and 27.

Amend page 7, line 28, by striking out the first word at the beginning of the line [act]

Amend page 7, line 28, by striking out after the "[[]" the [[]

Amend page 7, line 28, by striking out after the word ""Treasurer" the "[]]."

Amend page 8, line 8, by inserting after the word "cense" the words "or permit."

Amend page 8, line 13, by striking out after the "[[]" the word "[special]."

Amend page 8, line 13, by inserting before the word "Fund" the word "General."

Amend page 8, line 13, by striking out at the end thereof the word "[Appropria-]."

Amend page 8, line 14, by striking out at the beginning thereof the word "[tion]."

Amend page 8, line 17, by striking out after the "[[]" the balance of the line.

Amend page 8, by striking out lines 18 to 22 inclusive.

Amend page 8, line 23, by striking out at the beginning thereof before the word "[cost" the words "[the payment of the]."

Amend page 8, line 27, by striking out after the word "dollars]" the balance of the line.

Amend page 8, by striking out line 28.

Amend page 9, by striking out lines 1 to 9 inclusive.

Amend page 9, line 10, by striking out before the word "[payment" the words [commission for the].

Amend page 10, line 5, by striking out at the end thereof the word [use].

Amend page 10, by striking out line 6.

Amend page 10, by striking out lines 7 to 14 inclusive.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11.00 o'clock.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 10.20 P. M. the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11.00 o'clock.

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SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, April 10th, 1929.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Thou God of Eternity, we recognize Thee as our Creator and the One in whom all things have their origin. Thou hast not merely created us but Thou hast made ample provision for the supplying of all our needs, whether material, intellectual, social, aesthetic, moral or spiritual. For all of these, Thy mercies, we tender Thee our most profound gratitude.

We pray that Thou mayest give unto us this day our daily bread, as we have need for the supply of our complex nature; and we pray for a like blessing to come unto all of our fellow men.

We pray Thee for forgiveness of all our sins, in the name of our Redeemer and Lord. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. Harvey, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

SENATE BILL NO. 809 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six, as amended, and sections seven hundren and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 15, by removing the bracket before the word "six"; also line 16, by removing the bracket after "($600.00)"; also by striking out the following "five hundred dollars ($500.00)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL NO. 249 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 249, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 4, line 4, by striking out "authorieed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "authorized."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House fo Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL NO. 939 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, (P. L. 129), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change, alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties, and for preparing, making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof," restricting the powers therein conferred, in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record, to the orphans' court of such counties.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 14, by inserting after the word "the" the word "offices"; also by inserting after the word "of" the word "the".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the Act of May twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and forty-one by providing for the removal by the courts of quarter sessions of constables in cases of malfeasance or misfeasance in office et cetera.

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382) entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter.

Senate Bill No. 379, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph two, section nine, article four and paragraph three, section fourteen, article four of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 382, entitled:

An Act to amend sections nine and ten of article four and rules nine ten and twelve of article twelve of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 176) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the antharcite coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

Senate Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

Senate Bill No. 468, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

Senate Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire land in Falls Township, Bucks County, known as "Pennsbury," to be known thereafter as "Pennsbury Memorial," providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, improvement and maintenance thereof, authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof.

Senate Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes," by exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, loans, shares of stock or other securities held by bankers or brokers solely for trading purposes, and accounts or debit balances owing by customers of bankers and brokers in the usual course of business.

Senate Bill No. 658, entitled:

An Act empowering the Department of Welfare to transfer male prisoners from unsuitable penal and correctional institutions to other penal and correctional institutions regulating future commitments by the courts of counties having unsuitable institutions and imposing the cost of maintenance and transfer of such prisoners upon the county from which transferred or committed

Senate Bill No. 672, entitled:

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 673, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 788) entitled "An act to protect the health of the persons employed in bakeries by requiring the ventilation drainage sanitation and purity of bakeries the cleanliness of persons employed therein and of all bakery products tools implements ingredients and other things used in connection with their manufacture delivery and sale by regulating and in certain cases restricting the use of such products by requiring all persons employed or permitted to work therein to be certified as free from certain diseases and skin affections by prohibiting the presence of all animals by requiring a certificate of compliance and regulating the issuance of same by providing for the enforcement of this act and by providing penalties for violations hereof"

Senate Bill No. 680, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seventeen and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred twenty-four), entitled "An act to protect the public health and welfare, by regulating the employment of females in certain establishments, with respect to their hours of labor and the conditions of their employment; by establishing certain sanitary regulations in the establishments in which they work; by requiring certain abstracts and notices to be posted; by providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry and others; by prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; by defining the procedure in prosecutions; and by repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions thereof."

Senate Bill No. 710, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 603) entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bonds securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations and validating past transactions of such character

Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs.

Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

Senate Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with the approval of the court.

Senate Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

Senate Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act for the Better Government of Cities of the first class of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania" approved June twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and eighty-one) as heretofore amended by providing for a Department of Supplies and Purchases and a Department of City Architecture and regulating the said departments.

Senate Bill No. 857, entitled:

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson, prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto.

Senate Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act relating to deductible assets in the calculation of the percentage of the assessed valuation of taxable property representing indebtedness in proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness by counties cities boroughs towns townships municipal districts and divisions

Senate Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

Senate Bill No. 1029, entitled:

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts expenditures or payments heretofore made ratified or approved by boards of school directors and providing for and directing in the manner herein provided the stay of execution and upon certain conditions as to costs the satisfaction of judgments of surcharge entered on account of such contracts payments or expenditures.

Senate Bill No. 1081, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1083, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 278. RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 278, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and or including provisions for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups and or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

Mr EARNEST, from the Committee on Repeal Bills reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1591, (House Bill No. 1892), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 426), entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings."

Mr. BELL, from the Committee on Repeal Bills, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 74, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 884), entitled "An act exempting in certain cases the net proceeds of life insurance policies or annuities from the claims of creditors."

Mr. HARVEY, from the Committee on Repeal Bills, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1309, (House Bill No. 131), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee and Finance reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1494, (House Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section.

Mr. NORTON, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1055, (House Bill No. 911), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-two), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations issuing for money consideration policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles defining motor vehicles providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner and payment of examination expenses and filing fees providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner and to come under provisions of the act providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1569, (House Bill No. 299), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three, three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. McCLURE, from the committee on Judiciary General reported or amended, Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third and fourth classes and poor districts, in conection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties," by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof.

Mr. WOODWARD, from the Committee on Judicial General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1074, (House Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act regulating the return of search warrants and the making of inventories of property taken by virtue of a search warrant by officers.

Mr. McCROSSIN, from the Committee on Repeal Bills reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 75, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 103), entitled "An act relating to policies of life insurance and annuities."

Mr. PRINCE, from the Committee on Repeal Bills, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479) entitled an act "Imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses.

Mr. PARKINSON, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 960, (House Bill No. 317), entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

Mr. HOFFMAN, from the Committee on Repeal Bills reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1589, (House Bill No. 1882), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, (P. L. 1341), entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County."

TIME OF NEXT MEETING.

Mr. DAVIS offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur) That when the Senate and House of Representatives adjourn this week they reconvene Monday evening, April 15, at eight o'clock.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 380.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 380, file folio 5373, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 380, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act to amend Rule Twenty-five of Article Twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?
Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I voted "aye".
Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.
The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?
Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I voted "aye".
The motion was agreed to.
And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finaly?
Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.
The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?
Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I voted "aye".
Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.
The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?
Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I voted "aye."
The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 2, line 6, by inserting after the word "holes" the words "in any mine".

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate communication in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 674.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 674, file folio 2057, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NO. 674, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen; authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free, public, nonsectarian libraries.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 2, line 18, by inserting after the word "operation" and before the word "of" the words "according to the terms of any agreement authorized by law."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of House Resolution No. 6.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The resolution was read as follows:

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that the authorities in charge of all schools and educational institutions of every character in this Commonwealth should at the opening exercises each day such schools and institutions are conducted require the pupils and students attending to take with fitting ceremony the following pledge

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America for which it stands One Nation indivisible with Liberty and Justice for all"

Resolved That a copy of this resolution be transmitted by the Department of Public Instruction to each school and educational institution in the Commonwealth

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

RESOLUTION RECOMMITTED.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that the resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Education for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 377 as follows:

An Act requiring the Department of Revenue to prepare and distribute lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to provide for a more efficient collection of the county and city four mills tax on intangible personal property it shall be the duty of the Department of Revenue of the Commonwealth to prepare from time to time and at least once each year a list of stocks bonds and evidence of indebtedness issued by corporations joint-stock associations limited partnerships companies resident or non-resident in this Commonwealth which are exempt from taxation for county and city purposes under the provisions of the act approved the seventeenth day

of June one thousand nine hundred and thriteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" and to furnish a copy of such list to each bank and trust company in the Commonwealth and to the board of county commissioners or board for the assessment and revision of taxes in each county charged with the assessment of such tax

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 776, as follows:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of Section three hundred and eighty-one and section eight hundred and fifty and to add sections eight hundred and fifty-one eight hundred and fifty-two eight hundred and fifty-three and eight hundred and fifty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause one (1) of Section three hundred and eighty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 381 The corporate power of the township of the first class shall be vested in the board of township commissioners The board shall have power

I To adopt by-laws and ordinances prescribing the manner in which the powers of the township shall be carried out and generally regulating the affairs of the township All such ordinances unless where otherwise provided in this act shall be published at least once a week for two consecutive weeks in one newspaper of general circulation published or circulating in the township or if there be no such newspaper in a newspaper of general circulation published in the municipality nearest to the township Such ordinance shall not become effective until ten days after the second publication aforesaid

Section 2 That Chapter eleven article three of said act as added by the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 673), entitled "An act to amend chapter eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and forty), entitled 'An act concerning townships, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto,' by adding thereto article three, section eight hundred and fifty, authorizing townships of the second class to accept as part of the township road system roads dedicated to the public use," as amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 55), entitled "An act to amend section eight hundred and fifty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and forty), entitled 'An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto,' by providing that only roads and streets may be accepted by townships of the second class as part of the highway system thereof, and requiring the consent of the Court of Quarter Sessions before such acceptance," is hereby further amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE III

(ACCEPTANCE OF DEDICATED ROADS IN TOWNSHIPS OF THE SECOND CLASS)

APPROVAL OF PLANS FOR ROADS AND STREETS AND DRAINAGE FACILITIES

Section 850. (The Board of Supervisors of any township of the second class may accept any roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, or any part thereof as dedicated to public use by a plot duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the county in which such township is; said acceptance to be evidenced by a resolution of the said board of supervisors properly describing said roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, adopted by a majority thereof by a vote duly recorded and entered upon the minutes of the said board. Upon the filing with the clerk of the Courts of Quarter Sessions of said county of a certified and attested copy of said resolution such roads, streets, lanes, or alleys, shall become a part of the public highway system of said township and shall be so recorded in the said court of quarter sessions). No person shall construct, open or dedicate any road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities in connection therewith, for public use or travel in any township, without first submitting plans thereof to the township commissioners or township supervisors for their approval, such plans shall be prepared in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the commissioners or supervisors, and shall show the profiles of such roads, streets, lanes or alleys, the course, structure and capacity of any drainage facilities and the method of drainage of the adjacent and continguous territory, and also any other or further details that may be required under the rules or regulations adopted by the township commissioners or township supervisors. Before acting upon any such plans the commissioners or supervisors may, in their discretion, arrange for a public hearing, after giving such notice as they may deem desirable in each case. The township commissioners or township supervisors are authorized to offer such plans and to specify any change or modifications of any kind which they, in their discretion, may deem necessary with respect thereto, and may make their approval of such plans subject to any such alterations, changes, or modifications. Any plans when so approved shall be signed on behalf of the township by such officers the commissioners or supervisors may designate, and shall be filed in the township office, where the same shall be available to public inspection. No road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities therewith, shall be opened, constructed or dedicated for public use or travel, except in strict accordance with plans so approved by the commissioners or supervisors or with further plans subsequently approved by them in the same manner.

In any case where the township commissioners or township supervisors shall refuse to approve any plans submitted to them in accordance with this act, any person aggravated by the action of the commissioners or supervisors may within

thirty days after such action, appeal therefrom by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county, which court shall hear the matter de novo, and after hearing, may enter a decree affirming, reversing or modifying the action of the commissioners or supervisors as may appear just in the premises. The court shall designate the manner in which notice of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given to all parties interested. The decision of the court shall be final.

The action of the township commissioners or township supervisors, or the court on appeal in approving any such plans, and such plans, shall be recorded by the person applying for such approval in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the county.

Section 851. If any road, street, lane or alley, or any drainage facilities in connection therewith, shall be opened, constructed or dedicated to public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans approved by the township commissioners or township supervisors, as provided in this act neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors, nor any public authorities shall place, construct, or operate any sewer drain, waterpipe or other facilities, or do any work of any kind in or upon such road, street, lane or alley, and neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors nor any other public authorities shall have any responsibility of any kind with respect to any such road, street, lane or alley, or drainage facilities, notwithstanding any use of the same by the public. Provided, however, That nothing herein contained shall prevent the laying of trunk sewer drains, water or gas mains, if required by engineering necessity for the accommodation of other territory.

The township commissioners or township supervisors and their representatives and workmen may enter upon any land and property and maintain marks and monuments so far as the commissioners or supervisors deem necessary in carrying out their powers and duties hereunder.

Section 852. Any person who shall construct, open or dedicate any road, street, lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township, without having first complied with the provisions of this act and of any ordinances or resolutions of the township authorities adopted pursuant hereto, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to suffer imprisonment not exceeding two years or pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or both in the discretion of the court.

Section 853. No approval of plans by a township of the second class pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall obligate or require any such township to construct, reconstruct, maintain, repair or grade such roads, until and unless authorized and ordered so to do by the proper court pursuant to the provisions of existing law in that regard.

Section 854. Nothing herein contained shall be held to restrict or limit the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth or any county, in the exercise of any of its duties, powers and functions under the provisions of any act of Assembly now in force or hereafter to be enacted.

Section 3 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1157, on final passage, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

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BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1334, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population does not exceed ten thousand inhabitants shall be seven hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than ten thousand and does not exceed twenty thousand inhabitants shall be seven hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than twenty thousand and does not exceed thirty thousand inhabitants shall be six hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than thirty thousand and does not exceed forty thousand inhabitants shall be one thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than forty thousand and does not exceed fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than fifty thousand and does not exceed sixty thousand inhabitants shall be fifteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than sixty thousand and does not exceed seventy thousand inhabitants shall be eighteen hundred and seventy-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than seventy thousand and does not exceed eighty thousand inhabitants shall be twenty-five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than eighty thousand and does not exceed ninety thousand inhabitants shall be thirty-one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than ninety thousand and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be five thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than two hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed three hundred

and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be six thousand dollars per year and the salary of the District Attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars per year

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 78, on third reading, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a joint legislative committee to investigate and report upon the conduct, operation, management and administration of building and loan associations; defining the duties of said committee and making an appropriation to meet its expenses.

Senate Bill No. 107, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 719), entitled "An act regulating certain political parties; providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices, the election of delegates and alternate delegates to national party conventions ,and of certain party officers, including State committeemen; a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States; and the payment by the several counties, and their reimbursement by the State, of the expenses of the same; authorizing the State committee of a political party to make, and to alter, amend and revoke, rules; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein; and repealing inconsistent legislation;" as amended.

and Senate Bill No. 108, on third reading, entitled:

An Act permitting any citizen to inspect certain election records and obtain certified copies thereof.

are not up from the printer and will go over in their order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 399, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 367), entitled "An act authorizing the council of cities of the second class to fix the salary of the heads of departments of said cities, and providing the maximum amount thereof," by removing the limitation on the amount of the salaries of heads of departments.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 422, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Luzerne, and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 425, as follows:

An Act providing that when Cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks curbs gutters or sewers or make other improvements they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when any City of the Third Class shall authorize the grading sub-grading or the permanent paving of any streets or alleys or parts thereof or the construction of sidewalks curbs gutters or sewers or make other improvements and the entire costs or any part thereof shall be assessed against the properties abutting on such improvement whether by the footfront rule or according to benefits the council may by ordinance provide that the assessments may be paid in semi-annual or annual installments such installments shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six percent from such date and payable in such manner as shall be prescribed by ordinance

Section 2 In order to provide for the payment of the cost and expenses of any such improvement the council of such city may from time to time during the progress of the work

or upon the completion of the improvement issue bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness in such sums as may be required in all to an amount not exceeding the assessable portion of the cost and expenses and interest thereon providing however that such bonds can be issued based on a preliminary estimate as provided by law Bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness issued during the progress of the work may be refunded upon the completion of the improvement The bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness shall bear the name of the particular improvement for which they are issued and shall be payable in the manner and at such periods not exceeding ten years from the date of their issue as provided by ordinance

Section 3 As a condition precedent to the issuance and negotiation of such bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness council shall not be required to file any statement of the City with any court or court officer or with any Bureau or Department of the Commonwealth or advertise their sale except in such manner as shall be prescribed by ordinance Such bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness shall be issued negotiated and paid upon such conditions and terms and at such rate of interest as council may by general or special ordinance direct provided they shall not be negotiated at less than par or bear interest in excess of six per cent per annum payable semi-annually or annually and the proceeds thereof shall be applied solely to the payment of such improvement In case the bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness are not negotiated by the council they may be delivered to the contractor in payment of the work but when so delivered must be at not less than par

Section 4 Liens to secure the assessments shall be entered in the Prothonotary's Office of the county in the same form and collected in the same manner as municipal claims are now or may hereafter be filed and collected

Section 5 The assessments shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer or such other place as council may by ordinance provide in semi-annual or annual installments with interest from the date and at the rate prescribed by ordinance The moneys so received by the City shall be applied to the payment of such bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness and any deficiency shall be paid from the general revenues of the city

Section 6 In case of default in the payment of any installment and interest for a period of sixty days after the same shall become due the entire assessment and accrued interest shall become due and the City Solicitor shall proceed to collect the same under the general laws relating to the collection of municipal claims.

Section 7 Any owner of property against whom any such assessment has been made may pay the same in full at any time with interest thereon to the next semi-annual or annual payment or such other date as council may prescribe and such payment shall discharge the lien If any owner shall subdivide any property after the lien attaches he may in like manner discharge the same upon any subdivided portion thereof by paying the amount for which such part would be liable as determined by the City Engineer

Section 8 Whenever any City shall so issue bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness the treasurer of the City shall keep a registry book in which the same shall be registered Such registry shall show the date of the issue of the bond note or certificate of indebtedness

Section 9 The bonds notes or certificates may be transferred at any time and the treasurer shall make the proper entry of any such transfers in the registry book and on such bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness and the interest thereon shall be paid only to the last registered owner

Section 10 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 505, on third reading, entitled:

An Act regulating the compounding, dispensing and preparation of drugs, medicines or poisons; providing for the enforcement thereof, and providing penalties.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 506, on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings,' and or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces, appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

and Senate Bill No. 512, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 691, as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides providing a system of examination approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith creating the Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act" excepting from examination under said act news reels

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides providing a system of examination approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith creating the Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of this act" is hereby amended to read as follows

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Section 6 The board shall examine or supervise the examination of all films reels or views to be exhibited or used in Pennsylvania and shall approve such films reels or views which are moral and proper and shall disapprove such as are sacrilegious obscene indecent or immoral or such as tend in the judgment of the board to debase or corrupt morals This section shall not apply to announcement or advertising slides or to films or reels containing current news events or happenings commonly known as news reels which are not in violation of provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 714, on third reading, entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 758, (House Bill No. 326), entitled:

An Act to enable city county poor ward school borough and township tax collectors their executors and administrators if they are deceased or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes to collect taxes for the payment of which they have become personally liable without having collected the same by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants or by the expiration of their terms of office and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

The PRESIDENT (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) in the Chair

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 864, (House Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,

Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—1.

Kunkle,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 904, (House Bill No. 1140), on third reading, entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all (or part) of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 944, (House Bill No. 33), entitled:

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors, except in cities of the first class and counties of the second sixth seventh and eighth class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 952, (House Bill No. 1190), entitled:

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 998, (House Bill No. 1094), entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and forty-seven), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities,, accounts, discharge, and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audits and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds, transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—40.

Apple,	Coyne,	Heaton,	Painter,
Aron,	Daix,	Homsher,	Parkinson,

Baldwin,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baumer,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Krause,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Gelder,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harris,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Clark,	Harvey,	Norton,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—8.

Ealy,	Kunkle,	Lanius,	Sones,
Huffman,	Lamb,	Roberts,	Williamson,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1085, on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

and Senate Bill No. 1185, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

are not up from the printer and will go over in their order.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1214, (House Bill No. 1772), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1217, (House Bill No. 931), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

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BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1219, (House Bill No. 1095), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof." as amended; providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1222, (House Bill No. 1459), entitled:

An Act relating to licenses permits fees fines penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1226, (House Bill No. 1630), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred fifty-eight), entitled "An act to fix regulate and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1236, (House Bill No. 1793), entitled:

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1241, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

Senate Bill No. 1242, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

and Senate Bill No. 1256, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof" as amended; more specifically outlining the power of the board with respect to licenses, and providing procedure relative thereto, and providing for the disposition of moneys collected.

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BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1262, (House Bill No. 485), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies, and savings institutions, with capital stock, heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth, and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations;" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1267, (House Bill No. 1431), entitled:

An Act to amend Sections 1017 and 1047 of "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," approved May 4, 1927.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1269, (House Bill No. 1437), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended, seventeen as amended, twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State highways in boroughs; providing for the removal of structures within

the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases; providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State-aid highbefore constructing State-aid highways; and authorizing the ways; requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases Secretary of Highways to change the width, lines and location of State-aid highways; and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1271, (House Bill No. 1562), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1272, (House Bill No. 1589), entitled:

An Act to amend clause four, section three, article five of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended, by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1280, (House Bill No. 1723), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the County Treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1286, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

Senate Bill No. 1287, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

and Senate Bill No. 1306, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 95), entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

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BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1308, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1313, (House Bill No. 850), entitled:

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and prior sessions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1317, (House Bill No. 1535), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1319, (House Bill No. 1554), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1333, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

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BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1355, (House Bill No. 1744), entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five), entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1359, (House Bill No. 1767), entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1361, (House Bill No. 1842), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Ealy,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—1.

Kitts,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1479, on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation.

is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 73, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for discharged prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 202, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 203, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Allegheny County

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 204, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association, located on Sherman Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 224, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 242, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 273, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 371, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 373, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 423, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie.	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 442, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 443, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by placing a dark faced bracket after "($6,000)."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 461, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged, located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 653, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 684, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged, at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 695, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 845, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants, located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery, at McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince.
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1184, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs to assist in the payment of the expenses of the National Convention of the United Spanish War Veterans.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1293, entitled :

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1331, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1340, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1342, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1368, (House Bill No. 1072), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital Easton Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1369, (House Bill No. 748), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital, Braddock, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,

Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1370, (House Bill No. 12), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital, West College Avenue, York, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1371, (House Bill No. 16), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows: viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thrid of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1372, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1373, (House Bill No. 47), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital at Charleroi Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—13.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1374, (House Bill No. 76), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Ten

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1375, (House Bill No. 77), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital Franklin Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1376, (House Bill No. 88), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter.	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1377, (House Bill No. 92), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Grand View Institution of Oil City Venango County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June

first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1378, (House Bill No. 100), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital Oil City Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1379, (House Bill No. 108), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars ($6,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Annie M Warner Hospital located in the borough of Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1380, (House Bill No. 115), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital, of Indiana County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senator having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1381, (House Bill No. 132), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Altoona Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1382, (House Bill No. 134), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1383, (House Bill No. 162), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital, Ridley Park, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1384, (House Bill No. 164), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,

Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1385, (House Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital, West Chester, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1386, (House Bill No. 173), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital Kittanning Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1387, (House Bill No. 176), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital, Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend bill, page 1, section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "sixteen"; also line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the following: "five hundred"; also line 4, by striking out "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "($16,500)."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1388, (House Bill No. 185), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1389, (House Bill No. 191), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital, at Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1390, (House Bill No. 205), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1391, (House Bill No. 206), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1392, (House Bill No. 235), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association of Roaring Spring Blair County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1393, (House Bill No. 240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association, of the City of Pittston, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1394, (House Bill No. 243), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Canonsburg General Hospital Association, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1395, (House Bill No. 250), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association of Monongahela City Washington County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1396, (House Bill No. 255), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1397, (House Bill No. 260), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1398, (House Bill No. 275), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of sixteen thousand five hundred dollars ($16,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the maner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1399, (House Bill No. 277), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1400, (House Bill No. 286), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgomery Hospital, at Norristown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

greeably to order,

he Senate proceeded to the third reading and considera-
n of Senate Bill No. 1401, (House Bill No. 307), entitled:

n Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hos-
al Ellwood City Pennsylvania

nd said bill having been read at length the third time
l agreed to,

n the question,

hall the bill pass finally?

he yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions
the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

ole,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
n,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
dwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
mer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
l,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
vers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
rd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
ndt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
kman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
rk,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
ne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
x,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

wo-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the
stion was determined in the affirmative.

rdered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of
resentatives with information that the Senate has passed
same without amendments.

greeably to order,

he Senate proceeded to the third reading and considera-
of Senate Bill No. 1402, (House Bill No. 335), entitled:

n Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

nd said bill having been read at length the third time
agreed to,

n the question,

hall the bill pass finally?

he yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of
Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

pe,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
ri,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
win,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
ner,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
ers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
l,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
dt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
man,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
k,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
ne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

wo-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the
tion was determined in the affirmative.

dered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of
esentatives with information that the Senate has passed
same without amendments.

greeably to order,

he Senate proceeded to the third reading and considera-
of Senate Bill No. 1403, (House Bill No. 345), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1404, (House Bill No. 352), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital city of Scranton Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1405, (House Bill No. 362), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1407, (House Bill No. 393), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1408, (House Bill No. 403), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association, Incorporated, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1409, (House Bill No. 418), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1410, (House Bill No. 419), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1411, (House Bill No. 440), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1412, (House Bill No. 450), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1413, (House Bill No. 458), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1414, (House Bill No. 462), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($120,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Mount Sinai Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the reg-

ular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1415, (House Bill No. 463), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1416, (House Bill No. 480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, of Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1417, (House Bill No. 484), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1418, (House Bill No. 660), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1419, (House Bill No. 664), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1420, (House Bill No. 667), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eleven thousand five hundred dollars ($11,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby specifically appropriated to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3.00) per diem for medical and surgical services rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said Hospital who is entitled to free services and for each day of part-pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3.00) per diem rate as the part of the regular ward charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears t- the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however that said Hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1421, (House Bill No. 673), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1422, (House Bill No. 675), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1423, (House Bill No. 676), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1424, (House Bill No. 678), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1425, (House Bill No. 690), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1426, (House Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1427, (House Bill No. 706), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1423, (House Bill No. 717), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1429, (House Bill No. 734), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1430, (House Bill No. 739), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1431, (House Bill No. 746), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars ($19,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1432, (House Bill No. 762), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1433, (House Bill No. 767), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the following purposes namely The sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars ($8,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said

hospital That sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1.500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a clinic exclusively for crippled children

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1434, (House Bill No. 779), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1435, (House Bill No. 784), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital in the city of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1436, (House Bill No. 807), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1437, (House Bill No. 846), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1438, (House Bill No. 847), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1439, (House Bill No. 870), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Carretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1440, (House Bill No. 879), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kensington Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments,

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1441, (House Bill No. 880), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1442, (House Bill No. 881), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1443, (House Bill No. 889), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1445, (House Bill No. 906), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association of Erie Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1446, (House Bill No. 909), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,

Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1447, (House Bill No. 980), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1448, (House Bill No. 983), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital of Philadelphia, two thousand one hundred and thirty-seven North College avenue.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1449, (House Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital of Dixonville Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1450, (House Bill No. 996), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives located at Eagleville Montgomery County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1451, (House Bill No. 1044), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1452, (House Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital, Bradford, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye' 'the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1453, (House Bill No. 1152), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas nad nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1454, (House Bill No. 1175), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1455, (House Bill No. 1181), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1456, (House Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital, Renovo, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1457, (House Bill No. 1186), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital Lock Haven Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1458, (House Bill No. 1209), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1459, (House Bill No. 1231), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital located at Frankford Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1460, (House Bill No. 1240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital Berwick Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1461, (House Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital Bloomsburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1462, (House Bill No. 1302), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Suburban General Hospital located at Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3), per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1463, (House Bill No. 1305), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1464, (House Bill No. 1308), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1465, (House Bill No. 1405), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1466, (House Bill No. 1428), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1467, (House Bill No. 1457), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1468, (House Bill No. 1508), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1469, (House Bill No. 1525), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital of Warren Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure.	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1470, (House Bill No. 1560), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital Waynesboro Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell.	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd.	Gelder,	Leslie.	Sones.
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey.	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton.	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1471, (House Bill No. 1561), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,

Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1472, (House Bill No. 1588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital at McKees Rocks Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1475, (House Bill No. 1636), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1476, (House Bill No. 1637), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1477, (House Bill No. 1675), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,

Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 47, as follows:

An Act to repeal sections one and three of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve seven hundred and nine and seven hundred and twenty and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto'"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That sections one and three of an act approved May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve seven hundred and nine and seven hundred and twenty and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto'" be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 288, as follows:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be and the same is hereby proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof

That section one of article eight is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Every citizen twenty-one years of age possessing the following qualifications shall be entitled to vote at all elections subject however to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact

1 He or she shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month

2 He or she shall have resided in the State one year (or having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State he or she shall have removed therefrom and returned then six months) immediately preceding the election

3 He or she shall have resided in the election district where he or she shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 516, (House Bill No. 125), entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands providing for their adjustment and for granting of patents.'"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 567, as follows:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing requiring boroughs cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours providing penalties for removing destroying defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities except in certain cases further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged or their agents or contractors shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided and repealing certain acts

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act except in the case of emergencies wherein the safety of the public would be endangered no public road or highway in this Commonwealth shall be closed to vehicular traffic except upon order of the authorities having charge of the maintenance of such highways nor for a longer period than is necessary for the purpose for which such order is issued Provided however that no public road or highway shall be closed to vehicular traffic when the same has been designated as a detour by the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth unless the written consent of the Department of Highways has first been obtained or unless the authorities having jurisdiction over said road or highway shall by resolution duly recorded on their minutes declare such closing necessary for the protection of the public safetv

Section 2 When any borough town or city street which forms a part or section of a State highway is closed to vehicular traffic the borough town or city shall at once notify the Department of Highways of the creation of a detour as hereinafter provided and when such detour is removed the Department of Highways shall also be notified at once of the removal

Section 3 When any public road or highway shall be closed as hereinbefore provided it shall be the duty of the authorities authorizing the closing to immediately designate or lay out a detour on which they shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained while such detour is in use legible signs at each

public road intersection throughout its entire length indicating the direction to the main highway and during the period when such detour is in use it shall be the duty of the authorities closing the main highway to maintain such detour in safe and passable condition It shall also be the duty of the authorities closing the main highway and maintaining the detour to immediately remove all detour signs when the highway originally closed is opened for traffic and said authorities shall as soon as possible repair the road designated as a detour and place same in a condition at least equal to its condition when designated as a detour Whenever necessary in the creation of a detour as aforesaid the authorities responsible for laying out the detour may enter into agreement with the owners of private lands covering the acquisition of right-of-way privileges over private property for the period when the main highway shall be closed to traffic In the exercise of the rights conferred by this section the authorities responsible are hereby empowered to pay for the necessary maintenance subsequent repair and land rental out of such funds as are available for the construction and/or maintenance of the highways in their charge

Section 4 Any person who shall wilfully remove deface destroy or disregard any barricade light danger sign detour sign or warning of any other character whatsoever erected or placed under authority of this act or who shall drive on over or across any highway which has been closed by proper authority shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before a magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars and the costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall be imprisoned one day for each dollar of fine and costs unpaid Provided however that persons who have no outlet due to the closing of a highway may drive on over or across such highway with the consent in writing of and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by the authorities responsible for the closing or their agents or contractors without being subject to the penalties imposed by this section

Section 5 In addition to the penalties herein provided the authorities responsible for the maintenance of a highway which has been closed to vehicular traffic or their agents or contractors may in an action at law recover damages from any person or persons who have damaged a highway by driving on over or across same when it is closed to vehicular traffic in accordance with the provisions of this act

Section 6 All fines collected under the provisions of section four of this act shall be paid by the officer receiving the same to the treasurers of the respective cities boroughs towns or townships in which the offense was committed

Section 7 The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" and providing penalties" the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act to further amend section one and paragraph one of section two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" as amended and the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act to further amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" as amended by providing further that when any borough street forming a part of a State highway is closed to vehicular traffic the borough shall notify the Department of Highways of the creation of a detour and of the removal of said detour when such street is again opened to traffic" be and the same are hereby repealed

Section 8 The repeal of any of the aforesaid acts of Assembly shall not affect any prosecution pending at the date of the passage of this act nor prevent the institution of any prosecutions for violations of any of the provisions of the aforesaid act committed prior to the passage of this act but all such pending prosecutions shall be terminated and all such violations shall be prosecuted in the same manner and under the same authority and with like effect as prior to the passage of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 914, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and provided for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" which was amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-five) entitled 'An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes' by requiring notice of any such sale to be served upon the owner of the property or upon the terre tenant and a copy thereof posted on the tenant's premsies" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That return of taxes assessed by the authorities of any county school district poor district borough incorporated town or township against seated lands shall be made to the commissioners of the county on or before the first day of February succeeding the date when the taxes were assessed Whenever any such taxes are not paid within two years after the date of the assessment such seated lands shall be advertised and sold by the county treasurer except as herein otherwise provided at the time and in the manner and with the same conditions and effect as unseated lands At least ten days before any such sale written notice thereof shall be served by the sheriff upon the owner of such land and if the whereabouts of the owner is unknown such notice shall be served upon the terre tenant if any and a copy thereof posted in a conspicuous place on the premises When the owner of the property is known to be in any other county of the Commonwealth the said notice shall be served upon him by the sheriff of such county he being deputized for that purpose by the sheriff of the county in which the property is situate The costs of such notices and the service thereof shall be

taxed as part of the costs of such proceedings and shall be paid the same as the other costs

The notice to be served and posted under the provisions of this act shall be prepared by the county treasurer and shall be in substantially the following form

To.....
(Owner or reputed owner of property)

You are hereby notified that your property situate.....
.....has been returned for non-payment of taxes for the year .....and unless such taxes are paid before the.....day of ..... the said property will be sold by the undersigned at his office at the courthouse in the county of.....of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the.....day of.....
.....
County Treasurer

Return of any such notice shall be made by the sheriff of the county in which said property is situate to the county treasurer who shall make a record thereof on his docket

Whenever such returns are made to the county commissioners of such taxes due a fee of one dollar shall be charged by the county commissioners if paid before the sale for each piece or parcel of land same to be paid by the owner of the premises to the county commissioners to defray the expenses of filing indexing and entering satisfaction on the record

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 948, (House Bill No. 939), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations' approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1031, (House Bill No. 313), entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1065, (House Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1117, (House Bill No. 1466), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway; providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads; declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such; conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1134, as follows:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bond rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administra-

tion and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 All such acts of administrtaion as would be in due course of law in case of intestacy if done in good faith and without notice of a will and all such acts of any executor as would be in due course of law if the will under which letters testamentary were issued were the last will of the testator and if done in good faith and without notice of a later will shall not be impeached though a will or a later will should afterward be discovered and establihsed In any such case when letters testamentary are issued to the proper party under the provisions of such will or such later will and the letters previously issued revoked the adminisrtator or executor whose letters are revoked shall within twenty days file an account of his administration of such estate down to the time of such revokation Such account shall be confirmed by the judge of the orphans' court unless exceptions thereto are filed within ten days from the filing thereof by the executor of such estate who shall be served with notice of the filing of such account

The said accountant shall not be required to give notice of or advertise the filing of his account except as hereinabove provided

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1135, as follows:

An Act fixing the salary of county controllers in counties of the fourth class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the county controller in counties of the fourth class shall be five thousand dollars per annum payable by the county from the county treasury in the manner provided by law

Section 2 Section fourteen of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteenth of the constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the state or county treasury in counties containing over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitant" in so far as said section refers to salaries of controllers in counties of the fourth class and its amendments is hereby specifically repealed

[Section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws twelve) entitled "An act to amend section first of the act of Assembly approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'An act to amend an act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants' being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled 'An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants by a further classification of counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of county officers therein' and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" in so far as said section refers to salaries of controllers in counties of the second class and its amendments is hereby specifically repealed

Section eleven of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand six) entitled "An act relating to certain county officers in counties of the fifth class providing for their salaries and the compensation of deputies and clerks in the respective county offices establishing a salary board and defining its powers and duties placing certain duties on the county commissioners county controllers and county auditors requiring the payment into the respective county treasury of the fees of such county officers and providing penalties for violation of this act" in so far as said section refers to salaries of controllers in counties of the fifth class and its amendments is hereby specifically repealed

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixteen) entitled "An act fixing the salaries of the county controller recorder of deeds and clerk of courts in counties of the third class' in so far as said act relates to salaries of controllers in counties of the third class is hereby specifically repealed]

All acts and parts of act inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1137, as follows:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the annual salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class is hereby fixed at seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500)

Section 2 This act shall take effect on the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1178, (House Bill No. 1511), entitled:

A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 566), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

And said bill having been read at length the second itme and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1191, (House Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1192, (House Bill No. 395), as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 402 Board Empowered to Grant Licenses Under the conditions and limitations hereinafter prescribed the board may grant licenses at their discretion good for the term of one year from their date Such licenses shall not be transferable Such licenses may be issued (a) to any person within this Commonwealth of known scientific attainment in ornithology or mammalogy (b) to any agent of any public museum in this Commonwealth (c) to a teacher of ornithology in any school within this Commonwealth (d) to any person within the Commonwealth desiring to breed or raise game in captivity and to sell the same (e) to any person desiring to possess breed or sell ferrets (f) to any person qualified to practice taxidermy [and] (g) to fur dealers or persons purchasing or receiving raw furs for commercial purposes and (h) to any person within the Commonwealth desiring to raise animals classed as fur bearing animals for commerial purposes

No person so long as he is legally acting under the authority of a license issued by the board shall be liable to any of the penalties provided for in this act

Section 2 That section four hundred and four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 404 Applications for Licenses Any person firm association or corporation desiring a license as provided for in this article shall present a petition therefor on forms supplied by the board and shall pay to the secretary one dollar except in the [case of] following cases Breeders and dealers in ferrets [in which case he] shall pay to the secretary twenty-five dollars fur buyers who resell furs within this State to licensed dealers of this State shall pay five dollars fur dealers of this State purchasing or receiving raw furs for commercial purposes shall pay ten dollars and non-resident fur dealers purchasing or receiving furs for commercial purposes in this State shall pay fifty dollars All such license fees shall be paid into the State Treasury for the use of the game fund The petition shall be accompanied by the written statement of at least two well known citizens of the community in which the applicant resides certifying to his good character and to his fitness to be intrusted with the authority granted by such special license

In the case of applications for licenses by firms associations or corporations the petitions shall bear the name of the president or general manager and the license shall be issued in his name All petitions for propagating licenses shall be accompanied by the written description of the premises to be used for such purpose with the location thereof Upon notification of the favorable consideration of any petition for a propagating license the applicant shall file with the board a duly executed bond in the sum of five hundred dollars given to the Commonwealth conditioned for the faithful observation by the principal named in the license and his agents and employes of all the provisions of this act Upon the conviction of the principal named in any such bond or any of his agents or employes of violating any of the provisions of this act such bond shall be forfeited to the Commonwealth

All of the provisions of this section shall apply to licenses for fur farmers

Section 3 That article four of said act is hereby amended by adding the following section

Section 411 A (a) Licenses to Raise Fur-Bearing Animals Any person residing within this Commonwealth and of the age of twenty-one years or upwards or association or corporation resident within this Commonwealth desiring to raise animals classed as fur-bearing animals in an enclosure or pen for commercial purposes shall first secure a license from the Board

All persons associations or corporations desirous of securing such license shall make application to the Board in writing on forms prescribed by the Board They shall give their name and address location area and equipment of the proposed farm also as far as possible the number kind and sex of all the animals to be used for breeding purposes

The fee for such license shall be one dollar ($1.00) and shall accompany the application The Board may issue such license which shall be effective from June first to May thirty-first next following at its discretion and may recall or revoke the same for just cause at any time

The holder or holders of such license shall furnish the Board a yearly report under oath of his or its operation not later than June fifteenth of each year following the expiration of such license giving as far as possible the number kind and sex of the animals on the farm on May thirty-first preceding and the number kind and sex of animals reared bought sold killed for pelts or exchanged

(b) Disposing and Removing Fur-Bearing Animals from Licensed Fur Farm Where fur-bearing animals of any kind are raised in pens or approved fenced enclosures under the authority of a fur farming license they may be sold or given away and shipped alive or may be killed and pelted within said enclosure without regard to sex or numbers at any time of the year under the following regulations

a Before any fur-bearing animals can be removed from the enclosure the licensee must secure from the Board a tag which shall be supplied at cost Said tag shall be composed of two parts and when detached one part thereof containing the name and address of the purchaser and the kind and number of animals either alive or dead or pelts shall be attached to the container of the animals or pelts The other part of the tag containing the information required shall be immediately returned to the Board The tag attached to the container of the animals or pelts shall remain until the animals or pelts are delivered to the consignee when said tag shall at once be returned to the Board

b Before any animals can be killed or pelted during the closed season for the taking of fur-bearing animals the licensee shall notify the Board of the number and species said licensee wishes to kill or pelt

(c) Marshes The owner or owners or bona fide lessee or lessees of marshes or other land and water areas naturally inhabited or stocked with muskrats who may desire to operate a fur farm without fencing may obtain a license as provided in section one of this act and thereafter shall comply unless otherwise provided with all provisions of this act

Upon making application for a license to operate a fur farm on a marsh land or water area not fenced the applicant shall give the approximate area and location of such proposed farm The licensee may post such areas with notices setting forth that this is a licensed fur farm such notices to be posted at conspicuous places and not to be more than five hundred yards apart Fur-bearing animals raised under a license on a marsh or other area not fenced cannot be killed or pelted except during the open season for the taking of fur bearing animals A permit can be issued by the Board to the licensee to take alive for exchange or breeding purposes not more than ten fur-bearing animals of both sexes in any one year

(d) Penalties Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) and costs

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1194, (House Bill No. 520), as follows:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1001 Bounties on Certain Animals A reward or bounty shall be paid for the killing within the Commonwealth only of the following animals For each Canada or bay lynx commonly called bobcat or wildcat fifteen dollars for each gray fox four dollars [and] for each weasel two dollars and for each goshawk killed within the Commonwealth between the first day of November and the first day of May of the next following year and shipped to the office of the Board at Harrisburg within thirty-six hours after killing five dollars

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1195, (House Bill No. 521), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1197, (House Bill No. 842), entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county and prescribing its organization jurisdiction and powers therein and otherwise" by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1201, (House Bill No. 1174), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1204, (House Bill No. 1416), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 276) entitled "An Act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1205, (House Bill No. 1418), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1221, (House Bill No. 1208), entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth, and validating such improvements assessments, claims, and liens; providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1224, (House Bill No. 1559), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 417), entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons, and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, in whole or in part maintained by State aid, to acquire lands for hospital purposes; and to take waters, streams, lands, property, and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes; prescribing the manner in which said land, streams, property, and materials may be taken, and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking," extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State aid.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1230, (House Bill No. 1393), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, (P. L. 408), entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations," by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger, to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1231, (House Bill No. 1697) entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1273, (House Bill No. 1596), entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1285, (House Bill No. 1867), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1304, as follows:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may req ire from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let answers to a questionnanre or inquiry with regard to the financial status capital resources experience outstanding contracts or commitments plant equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to facilitate the work of any city of the first class or any Department or Branch of Government thereof it shall be lawful for such City or Head or Director of any such Department or Branch of Government to require from any person proposing to bid on public work amounting to the sum of one thousand (1000) dollars or more after the advertisement for such bids and in anticipation of receiving same answers to a standard form of questionnaire or inquiry to be submitted to such person The questionnaire or inquiry and answers thereto shall be so framed as to elicit a complete statement of the person's financial status capital resources experience outstanding contracts or commitments plant equipment and ability to perform the work and such other information as may be necessary or desirable to ascertain the fitness of the bidder to perform the said contract The Council of any such city is hereby authorized to provide regulations for the foreging purposes

Section 2 Should any such proposed bidder refuse to furnish such information or should the Director of Head of such Department or Branch of the Municipal Government not be satisfied from the facts furnished with the fitness of such proposed bidder to perform properly and satisfactorily the contract or contracts involved he shall refuse to receive or schedule any bid from the proposed bidder for the said work

Section 3 The awarding official of the City shall forthwith notify the proposed bidder if he shall decide that his bid should not be received and scheduled and should such proposed bidder be dissatisfied with the decision of such awarding official he may request a hearing before him and present such further evidence with respect to his financial responsibility plant equipment experience and other matters concerned as he may deem proper After hearing the additional evidence or matters so presented the said awarding official may in his discretion revise and change his decision

Section 4 Any person who shall make or cause to be made any false deceptive or fraudulent statement in answer to such questionnaire or inquiry or upon the hearing provided for in Section 3 of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than $100 or more than $1000 or in the case of any individual or any officer or employe charged with the duty of making such answers for a person firm co-partnership association or corporation to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months or both and any certified check money or other security accompanying such bid made by him may be retained by such city to reimburse it for any loss or damage arising therefrom

Section 5 The word "person" as used herein shall mean and include any individual co-partnership association corporation or joint stock company their lessees trustees or receivers

Section 6 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1311, (House Bill No. 758) entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," fixing the open season for muskrats.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1310, (House Bill No. 1086), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one thousand two hundred and five and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That sections one thousand two hundred and five and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provision by which it shall be adminstered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1205 In school districts of the second third and fourth class all contracts with teachers shall be in writing in duplicate and shall be executed on behalf of the board of school directors by the president and secretary and signed by the teacher

After the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine each board of school directors or board of public education in school districts of the second third and four class in this Commonwealth shall enter into contract in writing with all teachers supervisors supervising principals and principals employed by them and said contract shall contain the following

IT IS AGREED BY and between ..... Teacher and the Board of Directors of the school district of ..... Pennsylvania that said teacher shall under the authority of the said Board and its successors and subject to the supervision and authority of the properly authorized superintendent of schools teach in the said school district for a term of.....months for an annual compensation of $..... payable monthly or semi-monthly during the school term less the contribution required by law to be paid to the Teachers' Retirement Fund

This contract is subject to the provisions of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" and the amendments thereto and to such regulations as the Board of School Directors of this district may impose consistent with the said act

AND IT IS FURTHER AGREED by the parties hereto that this contract shall continue in force year after year with the right of the Board of Education or the Board of School Directors to increase the compensation over the compensation herein stated from time to time as may be provided under the provisions and proper operation of the established salary schedule if any for the school district or to change said salary subject to the provisions of law without invalidating any other provision of this contract unless terminated by the teacher at the close of the school term by written resignation presented on or before the close of said school term or by the Board of School Directors by official written notice presented to the teacher on or before the close of the school term

Section 2 That section one thousand two hundred and five A of said act as amended by the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws ninety-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1205—A The salary of any teacher principal supervisor district superintendent or assistant district superintendent in any of the school districts of the Commonwealth may be increased at any time during the term for which such person is employed whenever the board of school directors of the district deems it necessary or advisable to do so [Whenever such increase is determined upon by the action of the school board by mutual consent of the parties the contract existing between them may be cancelled Thereupon a new contract shall be entered into between the parties The new contract shall contain no changes from the original contract except in the matter of salary unless expressly agreed upon between the contracting parties

Any increases of salary heretofore granted and paid by any school board during the school year shall be as valid and binding upon the school district as if made after the passage of this act notwithstanding that the original contract was not cancelled or a new contract entered into]

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1318, (House Bill No. 1540), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," further defining game and protected birds.

And said bill having been read at lentgh the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1321, (House Bill No. 1665), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1323, (House Bill No. 1741), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1336, as follows:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Lawss four hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health making further provisions for the administration of said act increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six entitled "An act further amending section one of an act entitled 'An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one extending the provisions of said act to all cities of the third class" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 That from and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for any persons to carry on or work at the business of plumbing or house or building drainage in the cities of the second (and) or third class or in boroughs incorporated towns or townships of the first class of this Commonwealth until a certificate or license to engage in or work at said business shall have been granted said persons (by the Director of the Department of Public Safety or Department or Board or Bureau of Health of such cities) nor until they have registered as such (in the office of the Department or Board or Bureau of Health of said cities) as hereinafter provided

Section 2 That section two of said act as last amended by the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act further amending section two of an act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred one entitled 'An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof' as heretofore amended authorizing and rquiring second and third class cities to provide for the appointment and payment of plumbing inspectors" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All and every person or persons engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing and house and building drainage in said cities shall apply in writing to the (said) director of the department of public safety department or board or bureau of health for such certificate or license and in boroughs towns and townships of the first class such application shall be made to the Department of Health of this Commonwealth of such department thereof or department or board or bureau of health as the said Department shall designate and if after proper examination made by the department or board or bureau of health (of said cities) such person or persons so applying shall be found competent the same shall be certified to the director of the department of public safety department or board or bureau of health in the case of cities and to the Department of Health of this Commonwealth in the case of boroughs towns townships of the first class who shall thereupon issue a certificate or license to such person or persons which shall for the period of one calendar year or fractional part thereof next ensuing the date of such examination entitled him or them to engage in or work at the business of plumbing and house and building drainage. The mayor of said cities is hereby authorized to appoint a board of examiners to consist of one member of the board or bureau of health one plumbing inspector and two competent plumbers in nowise connected with the city government who shall examine all applicants for license under the provisions of this act The Secretary of Health of the Department of Health of this Commonwealth in the case of boroughs towns and townships of the first class is hereby authorized to appoint a board of examiners to consist of such competent persons as he may designate who shall examine all applications for license under the provisions of this act outside of cities In the performance of this duty he may divide the State into a convenient number of districts and appoint separate boards for the several districts or may direct that applicants from certain districts shall submit themselves to examination by city boards in certain cities designated by him and may also upon satisfactory evidence that certain municipalities outside of cities have constituted a competent board of examiners appointed by the burgess of said borough direct that the applicants be examined by such board The said (board) boards shall make all reasonable rules regulations and examinations which shall be approved by the said director of the department or board or bureau of health in the case of cities and by the Secretary of Health in all other cases An examination of any one member of a firm or corporation or of the superintendent or foreman therefor shall be deemed sufficient Said person or persons firm or corporation engaged or engaging in the business of plumbing or house or building drainage shall pay for each examination the sum of (five) ten dollars and each journeyman or person engaged in the work shall pay the sum of (fifty cents) five dollars which sum shall be paid into the State city or other municipal treasury (for the use of said cities) The proper officers (of said cities) are hereby authorized to pay to the plumbers acting on said board the sum of (five) ten dollars per day for each day or session thus actually employed

The mayor of said cities hereby authorized and required to appoint a competent person as plumbing inspector whose duty it shall be to supervise superintend and inspect all plumbing (and) house and building drainage in conformity with the provisions of this act And the several cities are hereby authorized and required to make proper provisions for the payment of the salary of the said plumbing inspector as provided by law

In order to afford the opportunity for local administration and enforcement of this law the burgess of any boruogh or town or commissioners of townships of the first class are hereby authorized by appropriate municipal action providing therefor to appoint a competent person as plumbing inspector whose duty it shall be to supervise superintend and inspect all plumbing house and building drainage in conformity with the provisions of this act and to make provsiions for the payment of the salary of the said plumbing inspector whenever this is done by such municipality When this is done the matter shall be submitted to the Secretray of Health of this Commonwealth by application setting forth the action taken and the name of the person or persons selected as inspector and his qualification If the Secretary of Health is satisfied that the enforcement of the act can safely be left to the municipality under this action taken he may commit the same to it Should in its administration after being thus committed the local authorities fail in the proper administration of the law then the Secretary of Health of this Commonwealth may revoke such permit upon reasonable notice and hearing subject to this provision In cases outside of cities the Secretary of Health of this Commonwealth is authorized and required to appoint such number of competent persons as plumbing inspectors for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania whose duty it shall be to supervise superintend and inspect all plumbing house and building drainage under the provisions of this act and to do any acts necessary for the carrying this act into effect He may however at his discretion and upon such terms as he may prescribe appoint permit or designate the plumbing inspector of any city or borough to perform these duties within a district or districts convenient

Every registered master plumber shall have a bona fide place of business in said cities or in the case of any borough town or township of the first class either within said municipality or within a distance of ten miles from its nearest boundary and shall display on the front of his car or their place of business a sign "Registered Plumber" bearing the name or names of the person firm or corporation in letters not less than three inches high

No person other than a registered master plumber shall be allowed to carry on or engage in the business nor shall any person or persons expose the sign of plumbing (or) house or building drainage or any advertisement pertaining thereto unless he or they have first secured a license or certificate and been registered in the office of the board of bureau of health of such cities or in the case of a borough town or township of the first class then register with the board or bureau of health of such municipality if any functioning and if none such then with the Department of Health of the Commonwealth nor shall any person or persons other than a registered master plumber or registered plumber (or person) in his or their employ (or under his or their supervision) be allowed to alter repair or make any connection with any drain-soil-waste-or vent-pipe or any pipe connected therewith

Every registered master plumber firm or corporation shall give immediate notice of any change in his their or its place of business and upon his their or its retirement from business shall surrender his their or its certificate of registry to the board or bureau of health Every person firm or corporation or representative thereof in registering shall give full name or names of the person firm or officers' names of the corporation for which he or they shall register

At the expiration of each calendar year said certificate or license shall be null and void A licensed master or journeyman plumber desiring to continue in or work at the business of plumbing (and) house and building drain-

age for the ensuing year shall between the first and thirty-first days of December of each and every year surrender the said certificate or license to the department or board or bureau of health and re-register his their or its name or names and business or home address upon such form or forms as may from time to time be furnished by said department or board or bureau of health

A re-examination will not be necessary for re-registration unless the license master or journeyman plumber should have failed to make an application for re-registration at the specified time The sum of one dollar shall be paid by master plumbers firms or corporations and the sum of twenty-five cents by journeymen plumbers for re-registration which sum shall be paid into the city treasury for the use of said cities A register of all such applicants and the license or certificates issued shall be kept in said department board or bureau of health which said register shall be open to the inspection of all persons interested therein Any person firm or corporation holding a license or certificate granted by or for any (first second or third class) city borough town or township of the first class of this Commonwealth to engage in or work at the business of plumbing and drainage work desiring to do plumbing or drainage work in any other city borough town or township of the first class than the one in which said license or certificate was granted shall without examination be registered before entering upon such work Provided however That such registration shall be restricted and limited to such plumbing and drainage work as he they or it shall have contracted for at the time of registry On the completion of such contract or contracts the registration of such person firm or corporation shall be null and void and no further permit shall be issued until he they or it shall have first registered his or its name or their names and addresses as hereinbefore provided

Section 3 That section seventy-one of the said act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-three) which was amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act amending section one two eight twenty-one twenty-five twenty-nine thirty-five thirty-six sixty sixty-one sixty-two sixty-six seventy and seventy-one of an act entitled 'An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one extending the provisions of said act to cities of the third class having a system of water-supply and sewerage or this Commonwealth and providing further rules regulations and requirements for the construction or reconstruction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools and providing penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 71 Any person or persons who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions of this act regarding the procuring of a license or certificate to engage in or work at the business of plumbing (or) house or building drainage shall be liable upon conviction for a first offence to a fine of not less than ten dollars ($10) nor exceeding fifty dollars ($50) for each and every day he or they shall engage in or work at said business without first having obtained said certificate or license and for a second offense in like manner to a fine of not less than twenty dollars ($20) nor exceeding one hundred dollars ($100) for each and every day and for a third offense to a like fine as for a second offense or to imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding ninety days or both in the discretion of the alderman justice of the peace or magistrate together with costs of prosecution in each case and any person or persons who shall violate any of the rules regulations or requirements set forth in this act regarding the construction reconstruction or testing of plumbing house and building drainage or cesspools shall be liable upon conviction for (every such) a first offense to a fine of not less than ten dollars ($10) nor more than fifty dollars ($50) and for a second offense to a fine of not less than twenty dollars ($20) nor exceeding one hundred dollars ($100) and for a third offense to a like fine as for a second offense or to imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding ninety or both at the discretion of the alderman justice of the peace or magistrate together with costs of prosecution in each case

(All fines and penalties imposed by this act shall be recoverable) All prosecutions for violations of this act shall be by summary proceedings brought in the name and for the use of the municipality or the Commonwealth as the case may be within or against which the alleged offense is committed before any alderman police magistrate or justice of the peace in (said cities) the county wherein the offense is alleged to have been committed (and all suits or actions at law instituted for the recovery thereof shall be in the name and for the use of the city within or against which offense is committed) (And upon recovery thereof) All (such) fines and penalties shall be paid to the (city) treasurer (thereof) of the municipality or Commonwealth as the case may be In default of the payment of any fine or penalty imposed by any alderman police magistrate or justice of the peace under the provisions of this act the person or persons so offending may be committed to the jail work-house or other penal institution of the county (in which said city is situated) for a period not exceeding thirty days provided however that in cases of third offense such period not exceeding thirty days may be added to the sentence of imprisonment if any

Section 71 That in all other respects the said act except as modified hereby and as otherwise amended or supplemented be and the same shall remain in full force and effect

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1338 as follows:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That

1 To co-operate with the Federal Government with other State commissions with trade bodies corporations and individuals in the saving of life and property regulating and reducing freight rates promoting industry commerce and agriculture by providing adequate inland navigation along the Atlantic seaboard and completing the Intra-Coastal Waterway across the State of New Jersey thus uniting the ports of New York and Philadelphia and connecting waterways north east south and west and for the purpose of collecting and disseminating information statistics and engineering data there is hereby created an Inter-State Canal Commission

2 As soon after this act shall take effect as is practicable the Governor shall appoint by and with the advice and consent of the Senate eight suitable persons residents of the State who shall be known as the Pennsylvania Inter-State Canal Commission In addition thereto the Governor shall be ex-officio a member of the Commission The Commission shall be appointed for a term of four years and shall continue in office thereafter subject to such changes and reappointments as the Governor may make at the expiration of the said four years vacancies by death or otherwise in the membership of the Commission shall be filled for the remainder of the four year term by the Governor The members of the Commission shall receive no compensation for their services but the State Treasurer shall upon the warrant of the Auditor General reimburse them for their necessary expenses

3 The Commission shall organize by the selection of a chairman a vice-chairman and the appointment of a secretary who shall not be a member of the Commission but who shall be subject to removal by the Commission The Commission shall hold not less than twelve stated meetings each year and all stated meetings and the minutes thereof shall be open to the public

4 The Commission is hereby authorized to appoint an engineer and such assistants clerks and employes as may be

necessary for its work and shall fix their compensation and term of employment and define their duties

5 The Commission shall provide for the proper audit of all accounts of money expended and of labor performed or material furnished for use in its work and for the collection and tabulation of such statistics as may be proper or necessary for its use for the carrying out of the provisions of any law or laws

6 An appropriation of $25,000 be and hereby is authorized for the purposes of the Commission which funds may be used in conjunction with any other funds provided for other State commissions for joint use as the joint commissions when organized may agree upon

7 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and this act shall take effect immediately

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1345, (House Bill No. 155), entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combusion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealer and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combusion engines for the generation of power and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naptha benzol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm co-partnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to amend page 3, by inserting between lines 2 and 3, the following: The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership, joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second to the tenth sections inclusive of the bill read as follows and agreed to.

Section 2 (a) All dealers and consumers of liquid fuels in this Commonwealth engaged in such business at the time this act shall go into effect within thirty days thereafter and all dealers and consumers of liquid fuels engaging in the transaction of such business hereafter shall prior to the commencement of such business file a duly acknowledged certificate with the department on a form prescribed prepared and furnished by it which shall set forth the name under which such dealer or consumer transacts or intends to transact such business and the place of business of such dealer or consumer if such dealer or consumer has more than one place of business within the State the address of the principal place of business within the State and if such dealer or consumer is a firm copartnership or association the name and addresses of such persons constituting such firm copartnership or association and if a corporation the names and addresses of the principal officers thereof and any other information demanded by the department for the purposes of identification shall be set forth in said certificate Within ten (10) days of the approval of the certificate by the department it shall be the duty of such dealer or consumer to file a surety bond in an amount to be approved by the department said surety bond not to be less than five hundred dollars ($500) conditioned upon the faithful compliance by the dealer or consumer with the terms of this act No dealer or consumer as herein defined shall after the date this act becomes effective sell or use any liquid fuels until such certificate and surety bond are filed as required by this act nor shall any dealer or consumer engaging in such business subsequent to the passage of this act commence such business without first filing such certificate and surety bond with the department

(b) Upon approval of the certificate and surety bond provided for in this section the department shall issue to each such dealer or consumer a "Liquid Fuel Permit" for each place of business of such dealer or consumer within this Commonwealth Such liquid fuel permits shall not be assignable and shall be valid only for the dealer or consumer in whose name issued and for the transaction of business at the place designated therein Such permit shall be conspicuously exposed by such dealer or consumer at each place of business maintained by him or it within the Commonwealth and shall authorize such dealer or consumer to engage in the sale or use of liquid fuels upon condition that the tax imposed by this act is assessed collected reported and paid into the State Treasury as provided by this act

It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels at any place within this Commonwealth without having on public display a liquid fuel permit issued to him for such place

(c) All liquid fuel permits issued under the provisions of this act shall be revocable by the department upon proof furnished to it that the holder thereof has violated any of the provisions of this act or has failed or neglected to collect or report or pay over any tax imposed by this act It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels after any such permit has been revoked

(d) Whenever any dealer or consumer in liquid fuels shall cease to sell or use liquid fuels within this Commonwealth e shall within ten days thereafter notify the department thereof make the report required by this act pay the tax due as shown by said report and surrender to the department all liquid fuel permits in his possession

(e) Nothing contained in this section shall require the filing of any certificate or the necessity of having a liquid fuel permit for such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State

(f) Any dealer or consumer or any of his or its agents or employes violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to

pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days nor more than six months

Section 3 Until the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirty a State tax of four cents a gallon or fraction thereof and thereafter a State tax of three cents a gallon or fraction thereof is hereby imposed and assessed upon all liquid fuels sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale and upon all liquid fuels used within this Commonwealth by consumers when no such tax has been collected thereon by a dealer except liquid fuels purchased received or consumed by the United States or any department board commission or other agency or instrumentality thereof Duplicate taxation is not intended but the tax hereby imposed shall apply to all liquid fuels sold or used within this Commonwealth excepting such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State The taxes on sales hereby provided for shall be collected by the dealers selling liquid fuels to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale and the taxes on use shall be paid by the consumers who use liquid fuels upon which the tax has not been paid and said taxes shall be paid by such dealers and consumers in the State Treasury through the Department in the manner and within the times herein specified For and in consideration of the filing of the certificate and bond as provided for in this act and for and in consideration of the collection of the aforesaid tax the dealer shall be allowed a commission of one per centum on the first two thousand dollars or any part thereof tax paid by him to the Department of Revenue and one-half of one per centum on all sums in excess thereof The comission may be deducted by the dealer in making his payments The commission shall be allowed only on the aggregate of the tax paid by a dealer for any period whether his report of sales and use of liquid fuels are combined in one report or made in separate reports

Section 4 For the purpose of ascertaining the amount of the taxes it shall be the duty of every such dealer and consumer to transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the department a statement or return under oath or affirmation of the liquid fuels purchased sold or used by such dealer or consumer during the preceding month such statement or return shall show the number of gallons of such liquid fuels purchased sold or used within the State during the month for which it is made from the respective places of business of such dealer or consumer with such further information as the department shall prescribe Upon such statement or return the Department shall make a determination of the taxes owing to the Commonwealth If any such dealer or consumer shall neglect or refuse to make such statement or return as herein required and provided an additional ten per centum of the amount of the tax shall be added by the Department and collected as hereinafter provided and in addition thereto the liquid fuel permit of such dealer may be revoked by the department

Section 5 Every dealer and consumer at the time of making every statement or return required by section four of this act shall pay to the State Treasurer through the Department the amount of the tax due for the month covered by such statement or return The amount of all taxes determined by the Department under the provisions of this act shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date they are due and payable until paid

Section 6 The department or any agent appointed in writing by it is hereby authorized to examine the books and papers of any dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act to verify the accuracy of any statement or return made under the provisions of this act but any information gained by the department or any other person as a result of the reports investigations or verifications herein required to be made shall be confidential and any person divulging such information shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars or to undergro imprisonment of not more than one year or both

Section 7 (a) If the department is not satisfied with the statement or return made by any dealer or consumer under the provisions of this act it is hereby authorized and empowered to determine the tax due by such dealer or consumer based upon the facts contained in the statement or return or upon any information within its possession or that shall come into its possession

(b) Promptly after the date of any such determination the department shall send by mail or otherwise a copy thereof to such dealer or consumer Within thirty days after the date of any such determination such dealer or consumer may file with the department a petition for redetermination of such tax Every petition for redetermination shall fully state the reasons which the petitioner believes entitle him to such redetermination It shall be the duty of the department wtihin three months after the date of any determination to dispose of any petition for redtermination Notice of the action taken upon any petition for a redetermination shall be given to the petitioner promptly after the date of redetermination by the department

(c) Within thirty days after notice by the department of the action taken on any petitoin for redetermination filed with it the dealer or consumer against whom such determination was made may by petition request the Board of Finance and Revenue to review such action Every petition for review filed hereunder shall state specifically the reasons upon which the petitioner relies The petition shall be supported by affidavit that it is not made for the purpose of delay and that the facts therein set forth are true If the petitioner be a limited partnership association or corporation the affidavit must be made by one of the principal officers thereof The Board of Finance and Revenue shall dispose of such petitions filed with it within ninety days after they have been received and in the event of the failure of said Board to dispose of any such petition within ninety days the department's action taken upon the petition for redetermination shall be deemed sustained The Board of Finance and Revenue may sustain the action taken on the petition for redetermination or it may redetermine the tax due upon such basis as it shall deem according to law and equity Notice of the action of the Board of Finance and Revenue shall be given by mail or otherwise to the department and to the petitioner

(d) The department or any person aggrieved by the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or by the Board's failure to act upon his petition for review within ninety days may within sixty days thereafter appeal to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County from the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or from the decision of the department as the case may be in the manner now or hereafter provided by law for appeals in the case of tax settlements

(e) If any dealer or consumer or other person shall neglect or refuse to make the statement or return required by this act the department may estimate the tax due by such dealer or consumer and determine the amount due by him for taxes interest and penalty thereon as prescribed herein from which determination there shall be no right of review or appeal

Section 8 Any dealer or consumer who shall fail neglect or refuse to make the statements or returns or pay the tax as herein prescribed or who shall refuse to permit the department or any agent appointed by it in writing to examine the books or papers of any such dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act or who makes any incomplete false or fraudulent statement or return hereunder or who does or who attempts to do anything whatsoever to avoid a full disclosure of the amount of such business done or liquid fuels consumed or to avoid the payment of the whole or any part of the tax due shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars or in the case of an individual or the officer or employe charged with the duty of making such statement or return for a person firm copartnership association or vorporation to undergo imprisonment not exceeding six months or both Such penalty shall be in addition to the penalty imposed by any other section of this act

Section 9 The tax imposed by this act shall be paid by the person firm copartnership association or corporation purchasing liquid fuels from dealers for his own use and not for the purpose of resale or by the person firm copartnership association or corporation using liquid fuels upon which no tax has been collected by a dealer and every person firm copartnership association or corporation required by this act to collect the tax herein specified shall state the amount of such tax separately from the price of the said liquid fuels on all liquid fuel price display signs sales or delivery slips bills state-

ments et cetera and any one failing so to state separately the tax and price of the said liquid fuels shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

Section 10 One-half cent per gallon of the tax collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund of the State Treasury and shall on the first days of August and February of each year be paid to the respective counties in which the tax was collected and shall be used by them only for the purpose of the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of roads and highways and for the payment of the interest on county bonds issued for road purposes The remainder of the net tax and penalties imposed by the provisions of this act and all interest earned on deposits of the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund shall be paid into the motor license fund and such moneys so paid into said fund are hereby specifically appropriated for the same purposes for which moneys in the said motor license fund are appropriated by law

The eleventh section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 11 Every person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which sells liquid fuels for the purpose of resale within the Commonwealth shall transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the Department a statement under oath or affirmation of the number of gallons of liquid fuels sold within the State for the purpose of resale during the preceding month such statement shall show the name and business address including the county of each dealer to whom such liquid fuels were sold and the amount sold to each such dealer Such name and address shall correspond to the name and address of the dealer as shown in his or its liquid fuel permit It shall be unlawful for any person firm copartnership association or corporation to fail neglect or refuse to make the statement required by this act and any person firm copartnership or corporation failing or neglecting to file such statement shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to amend page 13, line 23, by striking out after the word "by" and before the word "[him]" the word "[him]".

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The twelfth section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

Section 12 All taxes collected by a dealer or consumer for the Commonwealth shall be considered a public account after being determined in the manner herein prescribed and as such shall be a lien upon the franchises or property both real and personal of any dealer or consumer after the same has been entered and indexed of record by the prothonotary of the county where the dealer's or consumer's franchises or property are situated

The thirteenth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 13 Whenever such taxes interest or penalties forming the public account herein provided are not paid within thirty days from the date of their determination if no petitio for redetermination has been filed or from the date of re determination if no petition for review has been filed within ninety days from the date of the decision of the Boar of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for review or th expiration of the Board's time for acting upon such petitio if no appeal has been filed and in all cases of judicial sale assignments or bankruptcies the department shall call upo the Department of Justice to collect such account The De partment of Justice may employ counsel to collect the sam and such counsel is authorized and directed to add to th amount of such public account and to collect from suc dealer or consumer for the purpose of compensating such coun sel so employed a counsel's commission based on the amoun of such collection at the following rates viz ten per centu on the first five hundred dollars ($500.00) any part thereof fiv per centum on the next two thousand dollars ($2,000) any pa thereof two and one-half per centum on any amount in excess o two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) which commissio together with costs shall be paid by such dealer or consume and shall have the same priority and lien as such publi account provided for herein Provided That the Departmen of Justice shall not so employ counsel as aforesaid until it sha have first given ten days' notice in writing of its intention to do to such dealer or consumer

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to amend page 1 line 19, by inserting after the figures "($500.00)" and befo the word "any" the word "or"; also line 21, by inserting befo the word "any" at the beginning of the line the word "or"; al line 21, by inserting after the word "thereof" the word "and

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fourteenth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 14 (a) Whenever such taxes interest or penalti forming the public account herein provided are not pa within thirty days from the date of their determination no petition for redetermination has been filed or from t date of redetermination if no petition for review has be filed or within ninety days from the date of the decision the Board of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for revi or the expiration of said Board's time for acting upon su petition if no appeal has been filed and if such public accou has become a lien upon the goods chattels and effects of su dealer or consumer in the manner provided in Section twel hereof the department may issue its warrant to the sheriff any constable of the appropriate county or to any deputy the department authorizing and directing such officer to coll such public account by distraint and sale in the manner her inafter provided of the goods chattels and effects includi liquid fuels of such dealer or consumer

(b) When distraint is made as aforesaid the officer maki the same shall make or cause to be made an account of t goods chattels and effects distrained a copy of which sign by the officer making such distraint shall be left with t owner or possessor of such property or at his dwelling usual place of business with some person of suitable age a discretion if any such can be found with a note of the s demanded and the time and place of sale and the said offi shall forthwith cause notice of the time and place of the s sale to be publicly posted upon the premises in which t distrained goods chattels or effects are located and in t other public places in the vicinity The time of sale shall be less than ten nor more than twenty days from the date such notification to the owner or possessor of the prope The place proposed for the sale shall not be more than f miles distant from the place of making such distraint S sale may be adjourned from time to time by said officer he deems it advisable but not for a time to exceed in

hirty days It shall be unlawful for the owner or possessor o remove molest or otherwise intermeddle with the goods hattles and effects so distrained at any time after such dis-raint and before the sale thereof It shall be the duty of the fficer making such distraint to prevent any such removal olestation or intermeddling therewith and if necessary he ay appoint a watchman or watchmen therefor

(c) Upon any sale under a distraint as hereinabove pro-ded the amount of the public account herein provided for hall after deducting the expenses of such sale and all prior ens upon the property be first appropriated out of the pro-eds thereof to the payment of the said public account in any se of distraint for the payment of a public account herein rovided for the goods chattels or effects so distrained shall restored to the owner or possessor if prior to the sale pay-ent of the amount due is made to the proper officer charged ith the collection together with his fees and the other charges pon any such sale the bill of sale of the officer conducting e same shall be prima facie evidence of the right of the ficer to make such sale and conclusive of the regularity of s proceedings in making the sale and shall transfer to the rchaser all right title and interest of such delinquent in d to the property sold

(d) The sheriff constable or other officer making the col-ction by distraint shall promptly pay into the State Treasury rough the department all taxes interest and penalties col-cted by him and for his services he shall receive a fee or mmission based on the amount of such collection at the llowing rates viz five per cent on the first one thousand llars and two per cent on any amount in excess of one ousand dollars which commission together with the com-ensation of watchmen if any and other expenses of the sale all be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the goods attels and effects distrainted before the amount of the said blic account is paid therefrom

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to amend page 17, ne 25, by striking out after the word "or" the word "[watch-an]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "watchmen"; so page 18, line 21, by inserting after the word "dollars" the rds "or any part thereof."

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth sections of the bill re read as follows and agreed to.

Section 15 All fines imposed under this act shall be payable the magistrate alderman justice of the peace or officer lecting the same to the State Treasurer through the De-tment The State Treasurer shall deposit the same to the dit of the motor license fund

Section 16 The provisions of this act are severable and if y of its provisions shall be held unconstitutional the deci-n of the court shall not affect or impair any of the remain-provisions of the act It is hereby declared as a legislative ent that this act would have been adopted had such uncon-tutional provision not been included herein

Section 17 This act shall become effective the first day of y one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All acts parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed n and after the effective date of this act

ROVIDED However that nothing herein contained shall aken or construed to relieve any person or persons firms artnerships associations or corporations whatsoever from payment of any tax interest or penalty due or owing to Commonwealth under any laws in force at the time this becomes effective

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1346, (House Bill No. 1328), entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1348, (House Bill No. 1404), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1350, (House Bill No. 1593), entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1351, (House Bill No. 1653), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1352, (House Bill No. 1654), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admited therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1356, (House Bill No. 1746), as follows:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it shall be unlawful for any person partnership association or corporation to manufacture bottle sell offer for sale or have in possession with intent to sell or for the purpose of selling in this Commonwealth any artificial or natural mineral spring or other bottled water for drinking purposes which is impure or bears evidence of potential pollution or the use of which will be injurious or detrimental to the public health

Section 2 No person partnership association or corporation shall manufacture bottle sell or offer for sale in this Commonwealth any such water without first having secured a annual permit therefor from the Department of Health The Department of Health shall have authority after hearing upon notice to revoke any permit or permits at any time when after a thorough investigation and examination of any such water so manufactured bottled sold or offered for sale by any person partnership association or corporation it shall appear that such water is impure or bears evidence of potential pollution or the use thereof will be injurious or detrimental to the public health An appeal from the action of the Department of Health in revoking any such permit or permits may be taken to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County No permit shall be required however where any public water supply is conducted through closed pipes and connected with a carbonated apparatus from which it is dispensed directly to the consumer without coming in contact with the air and being handled in any way

Section 3 The Department of Health shall have authority to inspect the premises used by any person partnership association or corporation in the manufacturing bottling selling or offering for sale any such waters and to procure by purchase or otherwise samples thereof for inspection and examination and under the advice and concurrence of the Advisory Health Board to make and promulgate such rules and regulations as shall be necessary reasonable and appropriate for the effective administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act The provisions of this act and the rules and regulations so promulgated shall be enforced by the Department of Health and the local boards of health and health officers

Section 4 The provisions of this act may be enforced by bill in equity instituted by the Department of Health or any local board of health or any health officer

Section 5 Any person partnership association or corporation violating or failing to comply with any of the provisions of this act or any such rules and regulations shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof forfeit his or its permit or pay a penalty not to exceed five hundred dollars or both at the discretion of the court If the violation is by a partnership association or corporation the members of such partnership or association or the officers and directors of such corporation and agents and employes with guilty knowledge of the fact shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the provisions of this act to the same extent as though said violation was committed by them personally

Section 6 The provisions of this Act shall not repeal or in any wise affect any of the provisions of any Act of this Commonwealth relating to carbonated beverages or still drinks

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dsipensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1357, (House Bill No. 1756), entitled

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1358, (House Bill No. 1757), entitled

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton Pennsylvania and Philipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1360, (House Bill No. 1833), entitled

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1334, (House Bill No. 1851), entitled:

An Act authorizing directors of the poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1473, (House Bill No. 1625), entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transacted for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1481, as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board also when the adjudication is within said period

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in case of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" which was amended by section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ten) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-four) entitled 'An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully' extending the provisions of said act to suits brought after the passage of said act and prior to the passage of this amendment" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever [before passage of this amendment] in case of any accident suit has been wrongfully brought in the court of common pleas in any of the counties of this Commonwealth and proceedings should have been commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board it shall be lawful and upon request of either of the parties to the suit the prothonotary of the said court shall certify the same including all the proceedings had before said court to the said Workmen's Compensation Board the said board to proceed and hear the case in the same manner as if it had been originally commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board

Section 2 That section two of said act which was amended by section two of said amending act is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 That no case [brought before the passage of this amendment any court] shall be certified as set forth in section one of this act unless the said proceeding had or shall have been commenced in the said court within [one year from the date of the accident which caused the injury or death for which the action was brought] the period fixed or as shall be prescribed for the limitation of the beginning of proceedings before the Workmen's Compensation Board or unless such determination shall be made within such period of limitation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1485, (House Bill No. 789), entitled:

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

An Act creating in Cities of the First Class a Bureau of Building Inspection Regulating the Erection Enlargement Alteration Repair Moving Removal Demolition and Inspection of Buildings and other Structures and the Erection Encroachment Extension Repair Inspection and Use of Party Walls Defining Certain Words and Terms Used Repealing Conflicting Legislation and Providing Penalties for Violations of this Act

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Enactment Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That there shall be in cities of the First class a Bureau of Building Inspection attached to the Department of Public Safety and under the supervision and control of the Director of Public Safety

CHAPTER 1 Title Purpose and Scope

Section 100 Title This act shall be known as "The Building Code for Cities of the First Class" may be cited as such and will be referred to in this act as "this code"

Section 101 Purpose and Scope The purpose of this act is to supplant the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled "An Act to Create a Bureau of Building Insection and to Regulate the Construction Maintenance and Inspection of Buildings and Party walls in Cities of the First Class" and its supplements as set forth

in Chapter forty-nine and to provide regulations for safe and stable design methods of construction and uses of materials in buildings and structures hereafter erected enlarged altered repaired moved converted to other uses or demolished

Part 1 ADMINISTRATION

CHAPTER 2 Organization of the Bureau

Section 200 Officers of the Bureau The chief officer of said Bureau shall be called the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection The other officers shall consist of a Deputy Chief a Second Deputy Chief a Chief Clerk or Secretary a Chief Engineer seven or more Engineers and not less than thirty-five Inspectors There shall be in addition such number of clerks stenographers and messengers as the City Council may from time to time by ordinance determine None of the aforesaid officers clerks stenographers or messengers shall be employed or engaged in any other business or be interested in any contract for building or furnishing materials to be used for building in said cities

Section 201 Qualifications The Chief of the Bureau shall be either a practical builder civil engineer or architect at least thirty-five (35) years of age who shall have had at least ten (10) years practical experience All of the inspectors shall be either practical builders civil engineers architects carpenters welders or bricklayers at least thirty (30) years of age and who shall have had at least eight (8) years practical experience but shall not all be of the same occupation These qualifications shall apply to all new appointments

Section 202 Appointment All of said officers shall be appointed by the Directro of the Department of Public Safety and City Council shall from time to time fix their salaries

Section 203 Oath of office The Chief every engineer and inspector before he enters upon the duties of his office shall be required to make and subscribe before some person authorized by law to administer the same the ordinary oath supporting the Constitutions of the United States and of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the following oath or affirmation "I do solemnly and sincerely swear or affirm (as the case may be) that I am duly qualified by law to act as an inspector of buildings and that I will faithfully impartially and truly execute and perform the duties of an inspector of buildings and see that the buildings inspected by me are built as required by the laws of this Commonwealth according to the best of my judgment and abilities" Which said oath or affirmation shall be reduced to writing and filed in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas and shall be entered on the record in said office

Section 204 Bond Every such officer shall moreover before entering on the duties of his office be required to execute and thereafter maintain at the expense of the said City a bond to the Commonwealth in the sum of five thousand dollars with one or more sureties to be approved by the said court or by one of the judges thereof in vacation conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties imposed upon him by law which bond shall be for the use of the said cities and of any and all persons who may be aggrieved by the act or neglect of such officer Whenever the connection of any such officer with the Bureau is severed the bond herein provided for shall be after the expiration of ninety (90) days cancelled and marked satisfied of record by the City Solicitor upon the request of the Director of Public Safety who shall first certify that the accounts of such officer are correct and that there is no dereliction and that no claim has come to his knowledge from or on belief of any person or persons alleged to have been aggrieved by the acts or neglect of such officer

Section 205 Duties of officers (a) The Chief shall under the direction of the Director of Public Safety have the management and control of all matters pertaining to the Bureau

(b) In case of the temporary absence or disability of the Chief the Deputy Chief shall during the absence or disability of the Chief exercise all the powers of the Chief

(c) The inspectors of buildings shall under the direction of the Chief examine all buildings in the course of erection or alteration as often as necessary and shall make written reports to the said Chief of all violations of this code together with the street and number where such violations are found the name or names of the owner architect contractor or agent and other matters relative thereto They shall moreover examine all buildings damaged by fire or accident or such as may be reported in writing by any qualified citizen as being in an unsound condition structurally or erected in violation of this code A record shall be made of all walls and buildings found unsafe or dangerous with the name of the owner or agent and the street and number where such dangerous walls or building exist and when immediate action shall be deemed to be necessary it shall be taken in accordance with the method prescribed in Section 403

CHAPTER 3 General Provisions

Section 300 Application for Permits It shall be unlawful to proceed with the erection enlargement alteration repair removal or demolition of any building or any part or appurtenance thereof or of any platform or staging to be used for standing or seating purposes or of any structure within the meaning of any of the provisions of this code unless a permit shall first be obtained from the Bureau Application for permits shall be made in writing by the owner or his agent and shall be made on forms to be issued for that purpose Each application in addition to giving required information shall contain the name and address of the owner the applicant for the permit and the name and address of any architect engineer or contractor who may be employed and in the case of firms corporations or other legal entities the name and address of the principal executive officer of such firm corporation or other legal entity Such application shall contain moreover an affidavit executed by the owner or his agent or some other responsible person satisfactory to the Bureau deposing to the truth of the statements made in such application and the accompanying drawings and that the work for which permit is asked will be done in compliance with this code The Chief may require such additional affidavits as he may deem necessary The said application shall remain on file in the Bureau

Section 301 Notice to Persons Affected The Chief may require any applicant for a permit to give notice of the application to all persons occupying any adjacent ground and to any persons whose interests may be affected by the proposed work and to submit evidence of compliance with such requirement

Section 302 Permit Fees Cities of the First Class may by ordinance regulate and determine the license fees for the permits as required by the provisions of this code the said fees to be paid into the city treasury in the manner and form as provided by law

Section 303 Drawings There shall be furnished with the application for any permit such drawings as shall sufficiently set forth the character of the work in all its structural parts together with such supporting data as may be required Drawings for buildings of the first intermediate and second classes of construction shall be marked with the dead loads live loads and soil values for which the building has been designed All drawings shall consist of two complete sets of prints (or more if required by the Bureau) one set to be printed in black or colored line on white paper and the other set or sets to be ordinary blue-prints Each white paper print shall be signed in ink by the person who signs the affidavit on the application certifying and deposing that the information in such application is in conformity with this code

All drawings shall clearly set forth the following information

Class and type of building

Exact location the Ward the name of streets or streets and number on street if the property have a number

The location of all street and party lines and the lines of the building in relation to such street and party lines

General over-all dimensions

Meridian line

Names of owner and architect or engineer and in the case of firms corporations or other legal entities the name and address of the principal executive officer and where contracts have been awarded the name of the contractor or contractors

Gross area of the building

The elevations at grade of building

All fire walls and fire doors

All stairs and fire towers

All elevator shafts

The lay-out of sprinkler and standpipe equipment

Section 304 Corrections to Drawings Presented No alterations or corrections of drawings presented shall be made in the office of the Bureau Where such drawings do not con-

form to this code corrections may be indicated but the applicant shall and will be required to prepare and file prints of new drawings in corrected form

Section 305 Issue of permits No permit shall be granted until the application together with the drawings accompanying and illustrating the same have been approved by the Bureau but no such drawings shall be approved unless they conform to the provisions of this code Permits shall be granted or refused within fifteen days after the filing of the application and drawings unless a greater time is required to properly check the drawings After a permit is issued such permit together with a duplicate set of the approved drawings shall be kept at the building or structure during its erection or alteration and be accessible to the inspector at all times Every permit shall be considered cancelled if active work is not commenced within six months from the date of its issue In case the contract passes to another before commencement or completion of the work the permit may be transferred upon payment of a fee of three (3) dollars

No permit shall be granted for the erection of any building designed for human occupancy for which water supply and drainage of an acceptable and legal character are not available or will not be made available prior to the completion of said building

Section 306 Special Permits Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to prevent the Chief from (1) granting a permit for the erection of a building or other structure where preliminary drawings and detailed statements have been submitted such permit being conditioned upon the approval of the final drawings or (2) for the erection of temporary structures or (3) from requiring permits to be taken out for signs billboards party line fences fence walls retaining walls tank towers wireless towers coal pockets trestles and similar structures fireplaces heating systems and flues furnaces ranges foundations for engines and power boilers the installation of motors roof tanks and supports underground tanks fire-escapes spires roof signs marquise and projecting sign anchorage and other miscellaneous appurtenances to buildings or (4) for checking safe floor load computations

Section 307 Revocation of permit It shall be unlawful to do any work in connection with any building or structure for which permit has been granted except such work be in conformity with the provisions of this code and the approved application and drawings on file in the Bureau Wherever on inspection it is found that construction work is in progress in violation of this code or of the terms of the approved permit or drawings or is being done in an unsafe or dangerous manner or where a permit was issued as the result of misrepresentation or misapprehension of the facts in the case any inspector may order work stopped by notice in writing served on any person or persons engaged in the doing or causing such work to be done and any such person or persons shall forthwith stop such work until authorized by the Bureau to proceed with the work and the Chief shall have the right to revoke the permit for such construction and to issue such other orders as he may deem necessary

Section 308 Invalidity of one section not to affect any other In the event that any provision of this code should be judiciarry declared unconstitutional and invalid such invalidity shall be restricted to the sentence paragraph or section containing such provision and shall in no way affect the validity of the remainder of this code

CHAPTER 4 Enforcement

Section 400 Powers of Chief The Chief shall have authority to enforce the provisions of this code in the form and manner herein provided

Section 401 Right of entry The Chief or any inspector attached to the Bureau on producing the necessary credentials or proofs of identity shall have the right of entry upon any premises for the purpose of making any inspection during daylight hours and at such other times only as might be required in an emergency as provided in Section 403

Section 402 Approval of materials and construction The Chief shall have the right at any time to require tests of any materials used in building construction for the purpose of determining their suitability and to make regulations for the testing of all new building materials or types of construction as hereinafter provided in Chapter Six (6)

Section 403 Protection or demolition of dangerous structures In any case where a wall or building is found to be in such a dangerous condition as to constitute an immediate menace requiring instant action and where because of such emergency the mode of procedure prescribed in Section 404 of this code is ineffective the Bureau shall have the right to order the premises vacated and if necessary to secure the co-operation of the police authorities in the execution of such vacating order and to temporarily shore up any dangerous wall or walls or tear same down the costs to be collected as hereinafter provided

Section 404 Violations In the event of failure to obtain a permit or in any case where final decision of an inspector or of the Chief or of an examining commission is rendered such decision or order or certificate indicating that no permit has been issued or that violations have occurred after issuance of permit may be at once certified to any court of Common Pleas The court shall upon application of such bill of complaint duly verified by affidavit of the Director of Public Safety the Chief any inspector or any member of an examining commission issue a mandatory injunction requiring compliance with such order or decision within five days or within a shorter time if the relief sought is the removal of a dangerous wall ceiling chimney or other structure or unsafe portion thereof Should the court deem proper to fix a shorter time then all petitions bills or complaints to compel compliance with the provisions of this code shall be given priority over other business or cases by any Court of Common Pleas to which the final decision of an inspector the Chief or an examining commission appointed by the Director of Public Safety shall be certified If said injunction is not complied with within the time specified by the court or if it cannot for any reason be served the court shall have power to enforce its order by attachments or to issue an order to any sheriff commanding him to remove the wall building or structure condemned by the building inspectors (either as contrary to the provisions of this code or as dangerous) under the supervision of the Bureau or such inspector as the Chief may designate The sheriff shall have power to employ such competent builders riggers and workmen as shall be necessary to carry out the order of the court He shall certify to the court when he has performed the work required to be done and the costs incurred and such bill being approved by the court and not being paid by the owner of the premises the court shall have the power by mandamus execution to compel the City to pay such costs The court shall upon the issuing of such mandamus execution direct the Prothonotary of the court to enter the amount thereof as a lien against the premises on which the order was enforced and the costs were incurred and the City paying such costs may thereafter proceed in the case wherein the order was made to collect such bill of costs and the proper docketed costs thereon by the same process and proceedings and under the same restrictions as are provided for or required by law for the collection of claims for the removal of nuisances in said cities and said lien shall not be discharged by any judicial sale until paid and the said City paying such costs may also by action of assumpsit recover the same from the owner or owners of the said premises

Section 405 Penalties Any person or persons firm corporation or other legal entity whether owner architect builder contractor or workman who shall make or cause to be made any alteration construction or removal of any building or structure whatsoever without permit therefor first issued or in violation of any of the provisions of this code or who shall have become the owner thereof after the same has been so done and who shall omit neglect or refuse to remove the same if dangerous or in violation of this code or to make the same safe and secure and in all respects conform to the requirements of this code within one week after notice to that effect shall forfeit and pay for each offence the sum of one hundred ($100) dollars and the further sum of fifty ($50) dollars for every period of one week for which the said person or persons shall omit neglect or refuse to remove the same or make it comply with this code after the expiration of the notice aforesaid and any person or persons firm corporation or other legal entity who shall contract for the erection or construction of any building addition alteration or other thing in violation of any of the provisions of this code shall be subject to the same penalties as aforesaid All of the aforesaid penalties to be recovered as penalties of equal amount are or shall be recoverable in the name and for the use of the city and when collected shall be paid into the treasury thereof

Section 403 Board of Appeals The Chief the engineers and all the inspectors shall constitute the Board of Appeals The decision of a majority of the members shall constitute the decision of the board The board shall hear all appeals as hereinafter provided for and after hearing shall render such decision or issue such orders as to them may seem proper

Section 407 Appeals (a) Any applicant for a permit from the Bureau whose application has been refused or any person who has been ordered by an inspector to incur any expense may appeal by giving notice in writing of such appeal If the appeal shall be from an order refusing a permit it shall be taken within fifteen days from the refusal of such permit If the appeal is from an order to take down and remove a dangerous building or structure or a dangerous wall or walls it shall be taken within three days from the issuing of such order

(b) Any person the value of whose property may be affected by work done or to be done under any permit granted by the Bureau may within three days after the commencement of the work appeal by giving notice in writing that he does so appeal

(c) In computing the time within which an appeal may be taken if the last day fall on Sunday or on a legal holiday the appeal shall be taken on the succeeding day Notice of appeal may be given either by leaving such notice in writing with the Chief or the Chief Clerk at the office of the Bureau or it may be mailed addressed to the Bureau If mailed the date of the postmark shall be taken as the date of the appeal

Section 408 Further Appeal to Examining Commission Should any party aggrieved object to the decision of the Board of Appeals he may further appeal in writing to the Director of the Department of Public Safety within three days of the decision of the Board of Appeals specifying in such appeal the reasons and ground therefor and accompanying the same by the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) The Director of the Department of Public Safety shall thereupon appoint an examining commission to consist of three experts who shall be either practical builders engineers or architects one of whom shall be named by the Chief one by the party taking the appeal and the third by the first two who shall within such time as the director shall specify carefully consider the said appeal and make decision thereon The decision of any two shall be the decision of the commission They shall be paid for their services fifty dollars ($50) each out of the aforesaid sum of one hundred and fifty (150) dollars

Section 409 Finality of Decisions (a) The decision of a building inspector or of the Board of Appeals unappealed from shall be final and conclusive in any subsequent proceeding on the matter in question in court or otherwise

(b) The decision of an examining commission in case of appeal to such commission shall be final and conclusive when certified to the building inspectors provided however that no commission named in accordance with this code shall have any power or authority to set aside or nullify or alter any of the provisions herein or order or require any permit to be issued for a building to be constructed otherwise than as is herein required

PART II DEFINITIONS

CHAPTER 5 Definitions

Section 500 Unless otherwise stated the following words or terms when used in this code shall be construed to have the meaning herein given Words used in the singular include the plural words used in the present tense include the future words used in the masculine gender include the feminine and/or the neuter gender and vice-versa the word "person" includes a corporation as well as an individual "writing" includes printing and printed or typewritten matter "oath" includes affirmation "signature" or "subscription" includes "mark" when a person who cannot write his nme makes his mark near his name at the time it is written by another person

Section 501 Adjoining Owner The owner authorized agent or trustee of any premises adjoining those under consideration

Section 502 Addition Any change to a structure which increases any of its exterior dimensions

Section 503 Alteration Any change to a structure which does not increase any of its exterior dimensions

Section 504 Apartment A room or suite of two or more rooms which is or are occupied as a home for one or more persons

Section 505 Apartment house Any building or portion thereof containing three or more apartments For the purpose of this code an apartment house is a tenement

Section 506 Approval The acceptance and sanction by the Bureau expressed in writing of any plan permit application device building material or type of construction

Section 507 Approval in part (a) The acceptance and sanction by the Bureau expressed in writing of any plan or permit application for a portion of a proposed alteration addition or new building pending approval of plans for the complete project

(b) The acceptance by the Bureau expressed in writing of new materials or types of construction but restricting or limiting their use

Section 508 Areaway Any sub-surface space adjacent to a building for lighting or ventilating cellars or basements or for other purposes

Section 509 Attic That part of a building wholly or partly within the roof framing unfinished not inhabited nor used for sleeping purposes

Section 510 Basement A story or portion thereof partly but not more than one-half below the average grade of the ground surrounding the building as shown on the drawings upon which the permit was granted and counted as a story in determining the height of the building

Section 511 Bay That space within a building between two adjacent rows of columns or between a row of columns and a bearing wall

Section 512 Bay window Any window extending beyond the wall of a building

Section 513 Building Anything erected by art and fixed upon or in the soil composed of different pieces connected together and designed for use in the position in which so fixed

Section 514 Building line A line beyond which property owners or others have no legal or vested right to extend a building or any part thereof without provision therefor in this code or without special permission and approval of the proper authorities ordinarily a line of demarcation between public and private property

Section 515 Building owner The owner authorized agent or trustee of the building or premises under consideration

Section 516 Bureau The Bureau of Building Inspection

Section 517 Cellar A story or portion thereof more than one-half below the average grade of the ground surrounding the building as shown on the drawings upon which the permit was granted and not counted as a story in determining the height of the building

Section 518 Chief The Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection

Section 519 Court An open unoccupied space other than a yard on the same lot with a building

Section 520 Dimensional figures Nominal sizes or dimensions obtainable as acceptable commercial standards

Section 521 Dwelling Any house or building not a lodging house tenement rooming-house or inn all or any part of which is occupied as the home or residence of a family or of two families living independently of each other

Section 522 Fire door A door designed and constructed to successfully resist a fire in accordance with test specifications as prescribed by the Chief

Section 523 Fire Window A window frame with sash and glazing in which no single pane shall exceed seven hundred twenty square inches and which will successfully resist a fire for one hour in accordance with test specification as prescribed by the Chief

Section 524 Floor area The number of square feet of floor space enclosed within the exterior walls of a building exclusive of elevator shafts ducts stairways fire towers columns or such other parts of a building as cannot be used by the occupancy for which the building is intended

Section 525 Floor system A system of construction which carries the load for which it has been designed to the bearing walls or the beams girders and/or columns in skeleton construction used also to mean a similar type of construction in a roof

Section 526 Footing The spreading course at the base or bottom of a foundation wall pier or column

Section 527 Garage A public garage shall mean any place where space is rented for the storage of more than two automobiles or motor-driven vehicles

A private garage shall mean any place other than a public garage where motor-driven vehicles are stored

Section 528 Grade The surface of the ground court lawn or sidewalks adjoining a building

The "established grade" is the level of the street curb as fixed by the municipality

Section 529 Height of building (a) The vertical distance of the highest point of the roof in the case of flat roofs and for high-pitched roofs the average of the height of the gable about the mean grade of the curbs of all the streets or the mean grade of the natural ground adjoining the building if the said grade or ground is not below the grade of the curb

(b) The number of stories in a building including the basement but not including the cellar

Section 530 Length of building The greatest horizontal dimension

Section 531 Living room A living room is any room not a water closet bathroom or a room used solely for storage or closet purposes and which is used in whole or in part for any household purpose

Section 532 Load (a) Dead load The weight of the walls permanent partitions framing floors roofs and all other permanent stationary construction forming a part of the building

(b) Live load The load or loads other than the dead load but including the weight of movable partitions for which a building is designed

Section 533 Mezzanine An intermediate floor placed in any story or room and which does not exceed one-third of the total floor area in said story or room

Section 534 Occupancy The purpose for which a building is used or intended to be used

Section 535 Pent house Any structure erected on the roof of a building for the purpose of enclosing stairways to the roof elevator machinery water tanks ventilating apparatus exhaust chambers or other building equipment machinery

Section 536 Repair The renewal or reconstruction of any part of an existing building for the purpose of its maintenance or restoration

Section 537 Rigid connection A connection not depending on friction nor built up without additional material and of sufficient strength to hold the members without unsafe distortion while the member is tested to twice its rated carrying capacity

Section 538 Shall A mandatory word

Section 539 Sprinkler system An installation for the purpose of extinguishing fires by means of water or other acceptable extinguishing agent expelled through automatically operated spray heads

Section 540 Story (a) That portion of any building included between the upper surface of any floor and the upper surface of the floor next above

(b) A "half story" is that part of any building wholly or partly within the roof framing finished and inhabited

Section 541 Tenement Any house or building which or a portion of which is occupied as a residence by three or more families living independently of each other and doing their cooking on the premises and having a common right in the halls stairways yard cellar or water-closets thereof or some of them

Section 542 Tower fire escape A stair tower enclosed in walls of solid masonry having fire doors and fire windows and reached by means of an outside balcony or vestibule facing on a street alley or court leading to a street or alley

Section 543 Walls (a) Bearing A wall which supports any vertical load other than its own weight

(b) Curtain A non-bearing wall between columns and/or piers and which is not supported by girders or beams

(c) Exterior Any outside wall which serves as a vertical enclosure of a building including a party wall when not used in common

(d) Faced A wall in which the masonry facing and backing are so bonded as to exert common action under load

(e) Fire A wall of solid masonry or reinforced concrete which sub-divides a building to restrict the spread of fire and which starts at the foundations and extends continuously through all stories to and above the roof

(f) Fire Division A wall of solid masonry or reinforced concrete which sub-divides a building to restrict the spread of fire but is not necessarily continuous through all stories nor extended through the roof

(g) Interior A wall entirely within the space enclosed by the exterior walls of a building

(h) Non-bearing A wall which supports no load other than its own weight

(i) Parapet A masonry wall extending above the roof line

(j) Partition An interior non-bearing wall wholly supported at each story

(k) Party A wall which or portion of which encroaches upon ground of an adjoining owner and is used jointly or adapted to joint use

(l) Proscenium A fire-division wall between a stage and an auditorium

(m) Retaining A wall used to resist the lateral thrust of any material

(n) Spandrel An exterior non-bearing wall in skeleton construction built between columns or piers and wholly supported at each story

(o) Veneered A wall having a masonry facing which is not attached and bonded to the backing so as to form an integral part of the wall for purposes of load bearing and stability

Section 544 Width (a) The width of a building shall be considered as the distance between the outside faces of the exterior columns in the direction of the shortest axis

(b) In wall bearing construction the width shall be determined by the centers of the party walls or the outside of exterior walls

Section 545 Yard An open unoccupied space on the same lot with a tenement rooming-house or dwelling and which space extends in its full width or depth between opposite lot line

PART III ENGINEERING STANDARDS

CHAPTER 6 General Requirements

Section 600 Methods of design The unit stresses specified in this code shall not be exceeded The dimensions of each piece or combination of pieces of materials required in a building or structure shall be ascertained by computation according to the rules prescribed by modern standard authorities on the strength of materials applied mechanics and engineering practice

Materials Any materials to be acceptable under this code together with their test requirements if the above are not specifically given in the code shall conform to standards promulgated by the Chief which standards shall be in accordance with generally accepted standards established by authorities of national repute Such standards when promulgated by the Chief shall be public records

Unit stresses for materials which are not given in this code shall be ascertained by the means hereinafter called for

Section 601 Filing of computations Plans for all buildings of the first second and intermediate classes of construction shall be accompanied by computations which shall set forth in detail the design of all typical structural features and details all columns loadings and complete wind calculations

Section 602 Soil conditions This information may be derived from a record of the soil conditions existing at other operations which in the opinion of the Chief are near enough to warrant such records being used When such information is not available test borings will be made as directed by the Chief Each boring shall be carried down at least six (6) feet below the deepest foundation or footing bottom

Section 603 Use of old materials Nothing in this code shall prevent the use of old materials provided they meet the requirements of this code

Section 604 Temporary construction Every temporary support or construction used during the erection or alteration of any building shall be of sufficient strength to carry safely the load to be placed thereon in conformity with this code When the Chief shall require it plans and computations covering

such construction shall be filed in the manner specified for original plans

Section 605 Injury during construction No cutting for piping or any other purpose shall be done which reduces the strength of any part of the structure below that which is required by this code

Section 606 Revision of floor loading Should tests or inspections of the materials or systems of construction entering into a building reveal that such materials or systems of construction are incapable of sustaining the loads for which they were designed but are otherwise safe for lesser loads the Chief in the event that such materials or systems of construction are not removed shall reduce the allowable live load capacity of all floors so affected

Section 607 General test requirements Tests shall be made only by a testing laboratory fully equipped for the purpose or other recognized authority acceptable to the Chief All tests shall be made under conditions similar to those under which it is proposed to use the material or system of construction

Section 608 Tests by recognized authority Materials or systems of construction may be approved by the Chief upon the presentation of certified records accompanied by affidavits as to their authenticity of tests of such materials or systems of construction when made by laboratories or recognized authorities

Section 609 Approval of new materials The approval or disapproval of new materials or new systems of construction shall be in writing Approvals shall give in detail such requirements for the use of the said new material or new system of construction as the Chief shall make

Section 610 Additional tests The Chief is authorized to call at his discretion for tests of any material or system of construction in use. The procedure in such cases shall be as provided for in Sections 607 and 608

Section 611 Failure of existing materials In the event that an approved material or system of construction shall be tested and found no longer to meet the requirements of this code notice to the effect that the material or system of construction is no longer acceptable shall be served on the interested parties The procedure shall be the same as required for new materials or new systems of construction

Section 612 Field tests Every material or system of construction shall be capable of sustaining without injury or permanent deformation a load of not less than twice the live load for which the material or system of construction has been designed plus the dead weight of the material or system of construction and provided that test requirements in other parts of this code are complied with

CHAPTER 7 Loading

Section 700 Dead loads There shall be included under dead loads the entire weight of the floor or roof surfacing fills floor construction ceilings fixed partitions walls columns footings or such other items of permanent construction not included under the heading of live loads Should the nature of the building be such that there is a possibility of the partitions' being shifted their weight shall be treated as uniformally distributed load and all parts of the structure shall be designed to carry them

Section 701 Live loads for floors The loads given in Sections 702 and 703 are to be considered as uniformly distributed in pounds per square foot In the event that the building is called upon to sustain loads greater than those specified such loads shall be estimated from actual conditions and a report submitted to the Chief for his approval

When a building is of an occupancy not hereinafter mentioned the Chief shall place it in an appropriate classification

Section 702 Human Occupancy (a) Residential Dwellings Guest Rooms of Hotels Apartments Lodgings and Tenements Dormitories Monastries Convents Orphanages Asylums Homes Reformatories Houses of Correction Jails and Prison Rooms and Wards of Hospitals and Sanitoriums.....40

(b) Educational Class Rooms with fixed seats 50

(c) Assembly Offices Churches with fixed seats Reading Rooms 60

(d) Public Assembly Lodge Rooms Dance Halls Auditoriums Theatres Motion Picture Houses Amusement Park Structures Stadiums Gymnasiums Grand Stands Rooms for Athletic Activities Galleries and Museums Armories Exhibition and Convention Halls Restaurants Banquet Rooms Public Buildings Public Baths and Swimming Pools Police and Fire Stations Libraries Railway Passenger Stations Lobbies Halls Aisles Corridors Stairways and Fire Escapes or Any Room of any structure of Human Occupancy of 2500 square feet or more used for dancing 100

Section 703 Commercial and Industrial Occupancy

(a) Private Passenger Car Garages and Stables.....100

(b) General Purposes Garages 100

(Minimum concentrated load at any point 8000 pounds)

(c) (Commercial Uses) Wholesale and Retail Stores Storage of Household Goods only.....110

(d) (Light Manufacturing) Where the work is done by hand on benches and tables or with light machines like sewing machines or ordinary looms Machine shops without overhead power cranes 120

(e) (Industrial Occupancy) Machine Shops other than above Light Printing Plants Factories with heavy machinery Warehouses for Ordinary Merchandise 150

(f) (Heavy Manufacturing) Manufacturing Presses Storage of overhead power cranes Heavy Printing Presses Storage of Heavy Materials.....200

(g) Interior Courts Sidewalks Gratings and Vault Lights not accessible to a driveway

First Class Construction only.....120

Section 704 Roof loads Roofs of a pitch of forty-five (45) degrees or less shall be designed for a vertical load of thirty (30) pounds per square foot in horizontal projection and roofs of a greater pitch than forty-five (45) degrees shall be designed for a horizontal load of thirty (30) pounds per square foot in vertical projection

Section 705 Safes No safe shall be placed on a stair landing or in a stair hall

Section 706 Minimum concentrated live loads Every floor beam in any building hereafter erected or altered and used for commercial or industrial occupancy shall be capable of sustaining a live load at any point of at least four thousand (4000) pounds except as required by Section 703 (b)

Section 707 Moving loads The dynamic effect of all moving loads shall be taken into consideration in the design of a building wherein such loads occur In the case of traveling cranes this shall not be less than an increase of twenty-five (25) percent above the static loads and in the case of elevators one hundred (100) percent increase in the static load on beams girders and first tier columns immediately below the place of application of the elevator loads

Section 708 Wind pressure For purposes of design the wind pressure upon the vertical plane surface of all buildings and structures except as noted below shall be taken at not less than twenty (20) pounds per square foot over the entire surface

The wind pressure upon tanks signs or similarly exposed structures and their supports shall be taken at not less than thirty (30) pounds per square foot of plane surface acting in tanks or chimneys this pressure shall be assumed to act on six-tenths of the projected area Tension to resist wind may be taken at twenty-six (26) pounds per square inch in radial brick chimneys laid in cement mortar A reduction in the area of signs may be made where openings exist but this reduction must not be more than fifty (50) percent

Where it shall appear that an isolated building or structure may be exposed to the full force of the wind throughout its entire height and width the pressure upon all vertical surfaces thus exposed shall be taken at not less than twenty-five (25) pounds per square foot

Where a building is of the skeleton frame type the skeleton frame shall carry the full wind load Each bay of the skeleton frame shall be designed independently of all others unless the horizontal floor slabs or systems are rigidly attached to the skeleton frame and braced laterally to transmit the horizontal loads proportionally among all columns or unless the floor slabs and fireproofing of the steel beams and girders are of concrete in intimate contact with the steel in which case the floor system may be considered as transmitting the horizontal forces proportionally to all the columns Monolithic reinforced concrete structures may be considered as transmitting the forces proportionally among all columns

Section 709 Anchorage Every member must be designed to have a dead weight equal to at least one-half more than the tendency toward uplift

Section 710 Reduction of live load Except in buildings used or to be used for storage purposes the following reductions in assumed total floor live loads are permissible in designing trusses girders columns piers walls or foundations

Reduction of live load per increment	Per Centum
Carrying one floor	0
Carrying two floors	10
Carrying three floors	20
Carrying four floors	30
Carrying five floors	40
Carrying six floors (or more)	50

For determining the area of footings the full dead loads plus the live loads with reductions figured as permitted above shall be taken except that in buildings for human occupancy a further reduction of one-half the live load is permitted

Section 711 Eccentricity Unless the reaction of any load is concentric with the axis of the supporting member or column the member or column shall be increased in strength to take care of the effects of the resultant eccentricity

Section 712 Allowable deflections The maximum permissible deflections caused by the live load for beams and girders are as follows

1/300 unplastered 1/360 plastered

The fraction gives the ratio of the deflection to the span length

Section 713 Posting of live loads In every building of a commercial or industrial occupancy hereafter erected and in every existing commercial or industrial building where heavy materials are kept or stored or machinery introduced there shall be posted on the walls of each floro in a conspicuous place a card in a permanent frame stating the following the weight in pounds per square foot the floor will safely support the date of examination the signature of the architect or engineer making examination the stamp of the Bureau with the date the calculation was accepted the signature of the examining engineer of the Bureau and such other notations as the Chief may require in any particular case

It shall be the duty of the owner to see that these cards are kept in position and in good condition

If drawings are not on file in the Bureau for the building the architect or engineer shall prepare diagrammatic drawings and data and submit them with his computations as directed by the Chief

Section 714 Overloading of floors It shall be the duty of the owner and tenant of a building to see that the safe loading of a floor is not exceeded

Should the strength of a floor of a building erected prior to the passage of this act be such that the live load resulting is less than one-half that required in the code for the occupancy in question the owner shall reinforce the floor or building in such manner that the required safe loading is obtained Proper reduction shall be made for old or damaged materials

Section 715 Lost drawings When it is necessary to post cards for floor loads in buildings where no plans are available and where the internal structure cannot be determined without demolition of the various parts the Chief may permit a series of tests to be made

CHAPTER 8 Excavations and Bearing Values

Section 800 Excavations sheeting bracing shoring underpinning When in the opinion of the Chief an excavation will endanger an adjoining property structure building or street such property structure building or street shall be protected by properly braced sheeting or underpinning or by shoring or by any combination of these which shall be properly maintained Construction drawings for such sheeting bracing underpinning and shoring shall be submitted to the Chief for approval

When the Chief finds that a condition is hazardous the drawings shall be so stamped and he may require that extraordinary methods be used for safe-guarding the work

Section 801 Depth of foundations The foundation loads of all permanent structures shall be carried down to satisfactory bearing material by means of walls piers caissons or piling which shall be so designed that the entire loads which they transmit will be distributed over the bearing area at a unit intensity not exceeding the allowable bearing value hereinafter prescribed in this chapter

Every footing shall be carried down at least three feet below any adjoining surface exposed to freezing except in dwelling houses two stories in height as to which footings shall be at least two feet below any adjoining surface exposed to freezing weather provided the said exposed surface is covered with a cement pavement properly drained that extends three feet beyond said footings so as to protect said footings against frost action

Section 802 Satisfactory bearing material Satisfactory bearing material shall mean only rock in its natural bed natural deposits of sand gravel or clay or any combination of the foregoing materials neither containing nor overlying an appreciable amount of organic matter

In the absence of satisfactory load tests the allowable bearing values of the above materials shall be limited by the following unit pressures in tons per square foot

Confined dry soft clay	1
Confined wet fine-grained sand with mica or a little soft clay	2
Dry fine-grained sand with or without hard clay but without mica or medium clay dry or wet coarse or medium grained sand with mica or hard clay hard clay	4
Dry or wet coarse or medium-grained sand without mica or clay gravel with mica or clay	5
Coarse gravel without mica or clay	6
Boulder gravel shale and hard pan	8
Cemented conglomerate	10
Soft firm rock	12
Medium rock	24
Hard rock	48

The classification of any bearing material shall be approved by the Chief Upon his order the allowable bearing value on such material shall be determined by test

All cesspool wells or other open holes of similar character existing in the site of a building shall be cleaned out and filled with concrete to the satisfaction of the Chief

Section 803 Pier or column footings All foundations under piers or columns shall be concentrically loaded and where necessary shall hav ea slip joint connection with other masonry Where beams are placed under piers or columns to distribute the loads such beams shall be proportioned as girders carrying uniform loads within the limits of the stresses prescribed hereinafter If stones are used for pier or column footings the stones shall be at least ten inches in thickness Otherwise footings for piers or columns shall be subject to the same regulations as for walls

CHAPTER 9 Caissons

Section 900 Excavation lining When caissons are used the excavation during construction shall be protected by a shell of sufficient strength to prevent slipping of the soil and to withstand any pressure caused by adjacent structures The Chief may call for such tests as he deems necessary to ascertain the quality and extent of the bottom upon which a caisson is intended to rest

The center line of the excavation shall not deviate more than two and one-half (2½) per cent of the height from the vertical The length of no caisson shall be more than fifteen (15) times its least diameter unless properly reinforced

Section 901 Concreting The excavation shall be filled with concrete as specified in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete If the shell is withdrawn concrete must be placed at the same time and in such manner as to prevent caving in of the excavation

Section 902 Design If the shaft of the caisson passes through material equal to that specified as in Section 802 capable of withstanding a pressure of two tons or more per square foot it need not be reinforced The stresses on reinforcement and on concrete with or without reinforcement shall be as called for in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

CHAPTER 10 Piles

Section 1000 General All piles intended to support any structure or part thereof shall be driven to the resistance hereinafter specified by such methods as will not impair their strength and as will insure the retention of that resistance

No pile shall be driven through material which is to be subsequently excavated unless it is afterward cut off and capped below the bottom of such excavation

Any type of pile construction not provided for in this section shall meet such standard requirements as may be prescribed therefor by the Chief

No pile or group of piles shall be designed so as to be loaded eccentrically

Any detached column or pier footing supported on piles shall rest upon at least three piles unless such column or pier footing be supported laterally by proper masonry or steel construction Any continuous wall footing supported on piles shall rest upon at least two rows of piles which shall be not less than one foot between centers of the rows unless such wall footing be supported laterally by proper masonry or steel construction

The allowable load on any pile not driven to rock shall be determined by the following formulae except that in no case shall the maximum allowable load hereinafter prescribed in this section for each particular type of pile be exceeded

For Drop Hammers .....$P = \frac{2 W H}{S + 1}$

For Single Acting Steam or Air Hammers.....$P = \frac{2 W H}{S + \frac{1}{10}}$

In which P equals the allowable load on the pile in pounds
W equals the weight of the striking part of the hammer in pounds
H equals the fall in feet of the striking part of the hammer
S equals the average penetration in inches under the last five blows after pile has driven to a point where successive blows produce equal penetration

When any doubt exists as to the safe sustaining power of piles not driven to rock the Chief may order such piles to be driven until the safe load indicated by the proper above-named formula is fifty (50) per cent greater than the load it is proposed to carry on the pile or he may order a load test to be made under his supervision

Except in the case of timber capping of wood piles when permitted all capping of piles shall be of reinforced concrete mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland cement to not more than six (6) parts of aggregate conforming to the provisions prescribed therefor in the section on Reinforced Concrete The stresses in such concrete capping shall not exceed those prescribed therefor in the section on Reinforced Concrete

The distance from the top of any pile to the bottom of its concrete capping shall not be less than three (3) inches for concrete piles and six (6) inches for wood piles and the distance from the edge of its capping to the cutside of any pile in any horizontal direction shall not be less than three (3) inches for concrete piles and six (6) inches for wood piles The thickness of the capping above the top of any pile shall be determined by the distribution of the load that the piles must carry but shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in any case

Section 1001 Wood piles Timber for wood piles shall be cut off above the ground swell from live trees of sound and approved timber A straight line joining the center of the point with the center of the butt of any wood pile shall fall wholly within the pile

The diameter of a wood pile at its point shall be not less than five (5) inches The diameter of such a pile measured two (2) feet from its butt shall be not less than ten (10) inches when the pile is twenty (20) feet or less in length and shall be not less than twelve (12) inches when the pile is of greater length All diameter shall be measured under the bark No wood pile shall be loaded in excess of fifteen (15) tons

Wood piles shall be spaced not less than twenty-seven (27) inches between centers of piles The tops of all wood piles shall be cut off at permanent water level except under frame dwellings built over water where they may project above the water a sufficient height to raise the building above high tide Permanent water level shall be mean low tide unless special conditions exist in which case the Chief may determine such other level as in his opinion represents the permanent water level

When ranging and capping timbers are placed on wood piles for foundations they shall be of heart wood not less than six (6) inches thick They shall be properly joined together and the tops shall be laid below the permanent water level

Section 1002 Concrete piles Concrete piles may be either precast or cast-in-place or may be concrete-filled steel tubes

The concrete in concrete piles shall be mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland Cement to not more than six (6) parts of aggregate conforming to the provisions prescribed therefore in the section on Reinforced Concrete

(a) Precast piles Precast concrete piles shall be properly designed and reinforced in accordance with the provisions prescribed in the section on Reinforced Concrete to permit of handling and driving them without injury The Reinforcing Steel shall be so located in the piles that it will be covered by at least one and one-half (1½) inches of concrete The diameter of lateral dimension of such piles shall be not less than eight (8) inches at the point and shall average not less than twelve (12) inches throughout the length of the pile The length of any such pile shall not exceed twenty (20) times the average diameter of the pile When driven to rock their points shall be protected by a metal shoe of approved design and their tops shall be protected during driving by cushions of approved design No precast pile shall be loaded in excess of thirty (30) tons

(b) Cast-in-place piles Concrete piles cast-in-place shall be so made and placed as to insure the exclusion of any foreign matter and secure the full cross section contemplated by such means as have been established by standard as promulgated by the Chief

When such piles penetrate material which may distort freshly placed concrete in adjacent piles the piles shall be driven in such orde rand with such increased spacing as to insure against such distortion or additonail piles shall not be driven until the freshly placed concrete has attained its initial set

The average diameter of any cast-in-place concrete pile when driven to final resistance shall be not less than eleven (11) inches and the diameter at its point shall be not less than eight (8) inches The length of such pile shall not exceed thirty (30) times its average diameter unless the lateral support of the earth warrants a greater length No cast-in-place concrete pile shall be loaded in excess of thirty (30) tons

(c) Composite piles When it is determined that a pile must be driven partly above and partly below the permanent water level a composite pile may be used the lower part wood and the upper concrete Each section of the composite pile shall meet the requirements stated above for its class The joint between the two sections shall be suffiently strong to provide for vertical and lateral support The load on composite piles shall not exceed twenty (20) tons

(d) Concrete-filled steel tubes For piles consisting of steel tubes filled with concrete the tubes shall have a diameter of nine (9) inches or more and a thickness of not less than five-sixteenths (5/16) of an inch The ends of each tube shall be faced perpendicular to its axis Splices shall be of an approved design Each pile shall be driven to a full bearing on rock The allowable load on any such pile shall not exceed one thousand (1,000) pounds per square inch on the net concrete section

MASONRY IN GENERAL

CHAPTER 11 Mortars and Mass-Concrete

Section 1100 General No mortar or mass-concrete shall be used the ingredients of which are not fresh and clean and in accordance with the provisions of this code and are not thoroughly mixed and free from lumps or unmixed portions of any of the ingredients No mortar or concrete shall be remixed or retempered after it has reached its initial set

Section 1101 Cements limes and aggregates Cement wherever referred to throughout this chapter or code shall be taken to mean Portland Cement or other hydraulic cement of an approved standard brand masons cement quick lime and hydrated lime shall be of approved standard brands All aggregates for mortars concrete concrete brick and block and

other material shall conform to the specifications for them in the chapters of this code relating to Reinforced Concrete and Fireproofing unless otherwise herein provided

Section 1102 Mortars (a) Cement mortar Shall be made of cement and sand in the proportions of one (1) part cement and not more than three (3) parts sand by volume Hydrated lime not to exceed 15 per cent of the cement by volume may be added but shall not be considered as reducing the cement content

(b) Cement-lime mortar Shall be made of one (1) part cement one (1) part hydrated lime and not more than six (6) parts sand by volume Lime-paste when thoroughly slaked may be used in the same proportion as hydrated lime and in place thereof if the two mortars are first mixed separately and then together

(c) Masons cement motar Shall be made of one (1) part masons cement and three (3) parts sand by volume and may be used in place of cement-lime mortar

(d) Lime mortar shall be made of one (1) part thoroughly slaked lime or dry hydrated lime and not more than four (4) parts sand by volume

Section 1103 Mass concrete Mass concrete shall consist of one (1) part Portland Cement to not more than seven (7) parts fine and coarse aggregates by volume mixed in conformity with the requirements specified in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

Section 1104 Rubble concrete Rubble concrete shall consist of a mixture of concrete as specified in Section 1103 to which is added stones which shall not be larger than one man size There shall not be less than six (6) inches of concrete between any two (2) stones or any stone and the forms Rubble concrete shall not be used for a projecting footing

CHAPTER 12 Footings and Foundation Walls

Section 1200 Depth and bearing The footings or foundation walls of all buildings excepting those that are erected on wharves or wharf piers on a water front shal extend below the level of frost action and in no case less than three (3) feet below the exposed surface of the earth and be laid on solid ground or level surface of rock in accordance with soil bearing values prescribed in Chapter 8 Footings of all buildings other than dwellings shall start at least twelve (12) inches below the levels of excavations for cellar or basement floors Where solid earth or rock is not attainable the said walls may be supported by a foundation of piles or caissons filled with concrete or such other foundation as the Bureau shall direct No footing or foundation shall be laid on any soil containing organic matter nor shall footings or foundations be laid on frozen soil and when such footings and foundations are laid in freezing weather adequate precautions shall be taken against frost action

Section 1201 Wall footings Footings for foundation walls other than is provided for in the section on Dwellings shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in vertical thickness and not less than six (6) inches wider than the horizontal thickness of the wall above with such increase in size as may be required by soil conditions in accordance with Chapter 8 to safely bear the weight to be imposed thereon Such footings or base courses shall be of stone or concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau

Section 1202 Pier or column footings Shall be in accordance with Section 803

Section 1203 Mortar for footings and foundations Cement mortar only shall be used in footings and foundations of all buildings other than as provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings and Buildings Similarly Light in character Provided that this Section shall not prohibit the use of cement-lime mortar when in the judgment of the Chief the nature of the construction may permit of its use

Section 1204 Footing limitations and extensions Footings of all buildings having exterior curtain walls must be set back six and one half (6½) inches from the party line The Bureau of Highways in cities of the First class shall be privileged to allow the projection of footings of walls piers or columns three (3) feet beyond the building line Provided that on streets used or proposed to be used for subways the use of the bed of the street such footing shall be constructed within the building line And Provided further that in the event of any future public improvements necessitating the reclaiming of the bed of any street by said cities of the First class any such projections which may have been constructed shall be removed by the owner of the property affected at his expense

Section 1205 Foundations of minor buildings Foundation walls of dwellings garages stables and of buildings of similar light construction shall be in accordance with the chapter on "Dwellings" unless otherwise provided for

Section 1206 Exterior foundation walls Foundation walls of all other buildings shall be built of stone concrete reinforced concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau If such walls be constructed of stone they shall be at least six (6) inches thicker than the wall next above to a depth of twelve (12) feet below said wall and shall be increased six (6) inches in thickness for every additional ten (10) feet in depth below the said twelve (12) feet If foundation walls be built of concrete or solid masonry other than stone they shall be at least four (4) inches thicker than the wall next above to a depth of twelve (12) feet below the said wall and shall be increased four (4) inches in thickness for every ten (10) feet below said twelve (12) feet All exterior foundation walls shall be sufficiently strong to resist lateral pressure

Section 1207 Foundation walls above grade In buildings built to the street grade the foundations shall not be built above the curb level unless the Bureau exempt such a building from this requirement when it appears to the Bureau that such building is located on a street which is not likely to be used for business purposes in which case the Bureau shall make necessary rules and regulations for such exceptions Foundation walls for buildings of the Fourth class shall be built up to the underside of the floor supports but not less than twelve (12) inches above grade

Section 1208 Underpinning of walls Walls used for underpinning shall be built solid of large flat stones concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau laid up in cement mortar as the Bureau may direct Underpinning of party walls shall conform to the requirements of Section 1807

Section 1209 Footings foundation and piers not permitted hollow No hollow units or hollow construction shall be permitted for footings or foundations or piers below ground story levels of any buildings including dwellings

Section 1210 Retaining walls All walls including foundations walls which support earthwork or any kind of fill coal cinders ashes et cetera shall be designed as retaining walls

CHAPTER 13 Wall and Pier Requirements in General

Section 1300 General All buildings hereafter erected or altered except such as are otherwise provided for shall have all outside or division walls (exclusive of party walls which shall be as required in Chapter 18) constructed of solid masonry iron or other hard non-combustible material properly bonded and solidly put together all the said walls shall be built to a line and carried up plumb and straight and the several component parts of each building shall be constructed in accordance with the various provisions of this code

Section 1301 Story heights governing thickness of walls The height of stories for all given thicknesses of walls must not exceed eleven (11) feet in the clear for basement eighteen (18) feet in the clear for the first story fifteen (15) feet in the clear for the second story fourteen (14) feet in the clear average height for any upper story and if any story exceeds these heights respectively the walls of such story and all the walls below the same shall be increased four (4) inches in thickness additional to the thickness thereafter required The Chief may increase the thickness of any of the walls hereinafter specified if in his judgment the nature of the construction requires it

Section 1302 Thickness of walls and piers In one-story buildings with solid division walls the division walls shall be of legal thickness for party walls and be provided with a legal battlement

Where concentrated loads occur on spans of twenty-six (26) feet or less walls shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches thick with pilasters projecting not less than four (4) inches For spans over twenty-six (26) feet four (4) inches shall be added to the projection or thickness of pilasters for each additional thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof

Pilasters shall have a width of not less than eight (8) inches plus one tenth of the distance center to center of pilasters

No thirteen (13) inch wall shall be over twenty-two (22) feet in height between pilasters or thirty (30) feet in height between steel or concrete columns designed to take bending from wind

The maximum distance between pilasters shall be eighteen (18) feet for thirteen (13) inch walls twenty-four (24) feet for eighteen (18) inch walls and thirty-two (32) feet for twenty-two (22) inch walls Provided that thirteen (13) inch walls with four (4) inch pilasters are not over eighteen (18) feet high

All walls having thirteen (13) inch pilasters or over shall be considered as having the proper piers or buttresses for lengths of buildings over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet

Where openings in walls exceed fifty (50 percent of the length of the wall center to center of piers in Second and Third class construction the piers or sections of walls between openings shall have a width of at least thirty (30) percent of the distance center to center of piers with a thickness of at least eighteen (18) inches for the upper story and shall be increased four (4) inches for every two stories in height Provided that piers or sections of walls may be of a lesser width if the same number of square inches are provided in the cross section of the pier or wall but in no case to be less than eighteen (18) inches in thickness The unsupported height of piers shall not exceed ten times their least dimension For spans exceeding twenty-six (26) feet in width four (4) inches shall be added for every thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof in excess of twenty-six (26) feet except that non-bearing wall piers may be eighteen (18) inches in thickness in the two uppermost stories increasing four (4) inches in thickness for every two additional stories

These requirements shall apply to all walls irrespective of length Provided that in no case shall the masonry be stressed to a greater limit than the allowable loads prescribed in this code for the kind of material used in a wall

Section 1303 Door and window openings Openings for doors and windows in all buildings except as provided for in the chapter on Dwellings or otherwise shall have good and sufficient arches of solid or hollow masonry or terra-cotta well built and keyed with abutments or shall have lintels of stone with bearings not less than four (4) inches or of masonry on shelf angle which need not be fireproofed On the inside of all openings six (6) feet or less in width in buildings other than First class or Intermediate construction in which the lintels shall be less than the thickness of the wall to be supported there may be a proper size timber lintel which shall rest at each end not less than four and one-half (4½) inches on the wall and shall be beveled on each end and shall have a double counter or dead arch turned over the same Openings over six (6) feet and less than eight (8) feet in width shall have the inside lintel of iron steel or reinforced concrete All lintels eight (8) feet and over in width shall be iron or steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders All exterior window sills shall be of stone or other hard incombustible material

Section 1304 Spanning of other openings All masonry arches spanning other openings shall be solid through the thickness of the wall with a rise of at least one (1) inch per foot of span and properly buttressed or anchored All iron steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders used as lintels to span openings eight (8) feet or over in width and not exceeding twelve (12) feet upon which a wall rests when not supported by iron or steel jamb boxes shall have a bearing of at least eight (8) inches at each end by the thickness of the wall supported For openings over twelve (12) inches In all cases the bearing shall be sufficient to support so by plates or the filling of masonry if hollow All iron or steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders used in any building shall be throughout not less in width than the thickness of the wall to be supported

Section 1305 Chases and recesses Except as provided in chapter forty-three on Dwellings no chases or recesses shall be permitted in party walls or in fire walls or fire division walls or in nine (9) inch walls or within the required area of piers No horizontal chase shall exceed four (4) feet in length nor shall the horizontal projection of any diagonal chase exceed four (4) feet Recesses for stairways or elevators may be left in walls but in no case shall the walls at such points be less than the required thickness of walls of the fourth story above the ground floor unless reinforced by additional piers by steel or reinforced concrete girders or steel or reinforced concrete columns and girders securely anchored to the walls on each side of such recesses and in no case shall any recess be made in any wall more than one-third of its required thickness Recesses for alcoves shall be not more than eight (8) feet in width and shall be arched over or spanned with lintels and not carried up higher than eighteen (18) inches below the floor next above The aggregate area of recesses in any wall shall not exceed one-fourth the whole area of the face of the wall in any story nor shall any such recess be made within a distance of six (6) feet of any other one in the same wall.

Section 1306 Carrying up and bonding or anchoring of walls In no case shall any wall or walls of any building be carried up more than two stories in advance of any other wall without the permission of the Bureau The front rear side and party walls shall either be properly bonded together or anchored to each other every six (6) feet in their height by wrought-iron tie anchors not less than one and one-half (1½) inches by three-eighths (⅜) of an inch in size When walls are not bonded together the said anchors shall be built into the side or party walls not less than sixteen (16) inches and into the front and rear walls in such manner as to secure the front and rear walls to the side or party walls

Section 1307 Protection against freezing No masonry shall be built when the temperature is below 28 degrees F on a rising temperature or 32 degrees on a falling temperature at the point where the work is in progress unless provision be made to protect against freezing No frozen materials shall be built upon

Section 1308 Use of existing walls An existing masonry wall may be used in the renewal or extension of a building or may be increased in height beyond that allowed by this code for walls of its existing thickness and materials of construction provided that such wall is structurally sound or can be made so by reasonable repairs In no case shall linings be less than eight (8) inches thick and laid in cement mortar The foundations and lateral support shall be equivalent to those elsewhere required for newly constructed walls under similar conditions All linings shall be thoroughly bonded into existing masonry No existing wall shall be increased in height or be used for renewal or extension of a building without permission of the Bureau

Section 1309 Removal of walls No existing walls in any building shall be removed so as to leave an undivided floor area in excess of that permitted in this code

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CHAPTER 14 Stone Walls

Section 1400 Quality of materials Stones shall be hard and durable free from seams and flaws that would affect their serviceability or strength as large as practicable for the intended work and of approved quality and shape In rubble work no stone shall have less bed than face

Section 1401 Mortar Except as provided in chapter forty-three on "Dwellings" stone walls above ground story levels shall be laid in cement mortar or in cement lime mortar

Section 1402 Bond and workmanship All stone walls shall be laid to a line plumb and straight and shall be faced on both sides No stone shall be laid in a rubble wall other than a dwelling in any other position than on its natural bed Walls twenty-four (24) inches or less in thickness shall have at least one header extending through the walls every three (3) feet in height from the bottom of the wall and every four (4) feet in length and if over twenty-four (24) inches in thickness shall have one header for every six (6) superficial feet on both sides of the wall All headers shall consist of good flat stones Each stone shall be thoroughly bedded in mortar under the entire area in such manner that it will not rock All interstices between individual stones must be thoroughly filled with mortar and if the spaces should be large pieces of stone must be driven into the mortar

Section 1403 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses in rubble stonework due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed one hundred and forty (140) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar one hun-

dred (100) pounds per square inch in cement-lime mortar and seventy (70) pounds per square inch in lime mortar

Section 1404 Thickness The thickness of stone walls shall be the same as provided for in section 1502 except that rubble stone walls shall be four (4) inches thicker than is required for solid brick walls but in no part less than sixteen (16) inches The minimum thickness for walls or piers of ashlar masonry properly bonded shall be the same as required for solid brick walls and piers under similar conditions

CHAPTER 15 Brick Walls

Section 1500 Quality of materials Brick clay and shale sand-lime brick concrete brick all of which units are included wherever the word brick occurs in this code and other units of similar size and shape used for bearing or non-bearing walls piers party walls fire walls and fire division walls when delivered on the site shall have a compressive strength of not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds per square inch of gross cross-sectional area tested in the position as laid in the wall This figure shall represent the average of five tests with a minimum for any sample of two thousand (2000) pounds per square inch except that one only may have a compressive strength of not less than eighteen hundred (1800) pounds per square inch All brick shall be well burned well shaped and free from such cracks warpage stones pebbles or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength except as provided in Section 4305 All sand-lime bricks shall be of compact pasture reasonably uniform in shape and free from such cracks warpage large pebbles balls of clay or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength All concrete brick shall be free from such cracks or irregularities as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used as aggregate they shall conform to the requirements stipulated in the chapter on fireproofing The Chief may require a brand or other mark of identification to be pressed into any material covered by this section

Section 1501 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses in clay and shale brick sand lime brick and concrete brick masonry due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed the following Where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than four thousanr five hundred (4500) pounds per square inch when tested as defined in section 1500 three hundred (300) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar two hundred and twenty-five (225) pounds per square inch when laid in cement-lime mortar and one hundred (100) pounds per square inch when laid in lime mortar Where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than three thousand (3000) pounds per square inch two hundred and fifty (250) two hundred (200) and ninety-five (95) respectively and where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds per square inch two hundred (200) one hundred and seventy (170) and ninety (90) pounds respectively Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the Chief from permitting stresses on masonry not to exceed four hundred (400) pounds per square inch where the units used have an ultimate compressive strength in excess of four thousand five hundred (4500) pounds per square inch when such bricks are laid in cement mortar with all vertical joints filled and all bed joints are filled and not grooved and where the workmanship is supervised in a manner satisfactory to the Chief

Section 1502 Thickness of exterior and interior walls party walls and piers other than in skeleton construction The thickness of walls for business manufacturing and public buildings twenty-five (75) to one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet long by twenty-six (26) feet or less clear span shall not be less than the number of inches in the following table for story heights as stipulated in Section 1301 and as further governed by openings and other provisions set forth in Chapter 13

	STORIES											
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth	Eleventh	Twelfth
One-story	13											
Two-Story	13	13										
Three-story	13	13	13									
Four-story	18	18	13	13								
Five-story	22	18	18	13	13							
Six-story	22	22	13	18	13	13						
Seven-story	26	22	22	18	18	13	13					
Eight-story	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13				
Nine-story	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13			
Ten-story	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13		
Eleven-story	34	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13	
Twelve-story	34	34	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13

For buildings of the same character less than seventy-five (75) feet long also hotels apartment and tenement houses the thickness of the walls may be reduced by making the three upper stories thirteen (13) inches thick and following from that down to the lowest story in the same sequence as in the above table Non-bearing walls of buildings hereinbefore in this section specified may be four (4) inches less in thickness Provided however that none are less than thirteen (13) inches thick except as hereinafter specified If there is to be a clear span of over twenty-six (26) feet between walls the bearing walls shall be four (4) inches more in thickness than is in this section specified for every thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof the said walls are more than twenty-six (26) feet apart all buildings over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet in length or depth without a cross wall or proper piers or buttresses shall have the side or bearing walls increased in thickness four (4) inches more than is specified for every seventy-five (75) feet or fraction thereof that said walls are over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet in length The amount of materials elsewhere herein specified may be used in either piers or buttresses but no curtain wall between such pier or buttress shall be less than thirteen (13) inches thick Walls surrounding stairs elevator shafts fire escapes and light wells if of solid masonry shall not be less than eight (8) inches thick but they shall be increased in thickness with the increase in height of a sufficient extent to keep the load on the masonry within the maximum load elsewhere herein specified Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prevent the erection of light wells constructed of a framework of iron or steel filled in with glass Stores warehouses and factories over twenty-six (26) feet clear span shall have the floors carried on solid masonry partition walls or girders supported by columns of wood iron steel or reinforced concrete or piers of masonry Iron or steel trusses or girders or reinforced concrete girders may be used Provided the supporting walls are increased in thickness by the addition of piers or buttresses to a sufficient extent to keep the load on the masonry within the maximum load elsewhere herein specified

Section 1503 Bond mortar and workmanship In brick walls at least every seventh course of brick shall be a heading course except where walls are faced with face brick in which case at least every seventh course shall be bonded with Flemish headers or by cutting the corners of the face brick and putting diagonal headers behind the same or iron ties

All walls of brick shall be thoroughly bonded and solidly put together and shall be built to a line plumb level and straight all bricks to be laid and bedded with well-filled joints Every course when laid shall have the joints well flushed up all bed joints not covered are to be struck The brick walls below the curb level of all buildings other than as provided for in Chapter forty-three on Dwellings shall be laid in cement mortar Piers built for the support of any column post or wall shall be laid in cement mortar Provided that this section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of cement-lime mortar when in the judgment of the Chief the nature of the construction may permit its use

CHAPTER 16 Plain Concrete Walls

Section 1600 Working stresses The maximum allowable stresses in masonry of plain concrete of the materials and proportions specified in Section 1103 for a 2000 pound concrete due to combined dead and live loads shall not exceed four hundred (400) pounds per square inch in compression thirty-five (35) pounds per square inch in tension or diagonal tension or ninety (90) pounds per square inch in punching shear When plain concrete of greater strength is used the foregoing stresses may be increased to twenty (20) percent of the ultimate compressive strength for concrete in compression two (2) percent in tension or diagonal tension and four and one-half (4½) per cent in punching shear

Section 1601 Thickness Except as otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings the minimum thickness of plain concrete bearing walls shall be not less than eighty (80) percent of the thickness of solid brick walls as regulated by Section 1502 and in no case less than one-eighteenth of the clear story height for the top story and one-twentieth of the clear story height for lower stories Hollow monolithic walls of plain concrete shall have the same net cross section area of material irrespective of the space within the wall as required for solid walls The inner and outer parts of such walls shall be securely braced and tied together with noncorrodible ties or other means to bring them into common action Where floor and roof systems are carried by such walls provision shall be made for the distribution of these loads to the full cross section of the wall All plain concrete walls shall otherwise be in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 13 on Wall and Pier Requirements in General

CHAPTER 17 Solid Concrete Block Walls

Section 1700 Quality of materials When delivered on the site the average ultimate compressive strength of solid concrete block used for bearing walls except as hereinafter excepted shall be not less than two thousand (2000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area This figure shall represent the average of five tests when tested in the position as laid in the walls with a minimum for any individual sample of sixteen hundred (1600) pounds per square inch All solid concrete block shall be sound of compact structure reasonably uniform in shape free from such cracks warpage or foreign substance as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from Portland cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used they shall conform to the requirements in Section 2702

Section 1701 Working stresses and thickness The maximum allowable compressive stresses in masonry of solid concrete block shall be not more than two hundred (200) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar and one hundred and seventy (170) pounds per square inch when laid in cement-lime mortar and ninety (90) pounds per square inch when lime mortar is used Wall thickness shall be the same as called for in Section 1502 for solid brick walls

Section 1702 Bond mortar and workmanship Solid concrete blocks shall be bonded at each course by lapping each block one-half over the unit below Mortar shall be carefully placed to insure a full bed and contact and all vertical joints shall be fully mortared and all walls shall be plumb level and straight

Section 1703 Marking All concrete block complying with the provisions of this Chapter shall be clearly marked by the manufacturer with a means of identification All unmarked solid concrete block shall be rated in accordance with Section 1900

CHAPTER 18 Party Walls Fire Walls and Fire Division Walls

Section 1800 Party walls All new party walls of buildings hereafter erected shall be built solidly from the bottom up and extended as a parapet or battlement at least three (3) feet above or beyond the roof covering except in dwellings and buildings of similar light construction when they shall extend at least ten (10) inches above or beyond the roof covering Such walls above roofs shall be at least as thick as the wall of the story beneath except that they need not in any case be more than thirteen (13) inches thick provided that the height does not exceed four times the thickness without being latterally supported Such walls shall be of solid masonry in cement mortar and shall be coped with salt glazed tile stone metal or other hard incombustible material Where the roof is mansard unless the same is constructed of fireproof material throughout the lower slope of said wall shall extend at least six (6) inches distant and parallel with the roof covering and be corbeled to the outer edge of all projections and coped with incombustible material Provided that with the approval and under the supervision of the Bureau openings may be made in party walls of contiguous buildings All parapets or battlements of exterior walls shall be governed by the same structural requirements as for party walls

Section 1801 Construction and thickness of party walls Except as may be otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings all party walls shall be built of solid masonry which shall meet the requirements of the Sections relating to such materials and of the thickness required in Chapters 14 and 15

Section 1802 Wall encroachments and party lines Any lot of the width of sixteen (16) feet or less shall not be encumbered with more than nine (9) inches of any stone foundation basement or cellar wall or more than four and one-half (4½) inches of the wall above any lot of greater width than sixteen (16) feet shall not be encumbered with more than ten (10) inches for the stone wall nor more than six and one-half (6½) inches for the wall above nor in any case shall any lot be encumbered with more than one-half the thickness of the party wall Footings of all buildings of the skeleton frame type having exterior curtain walls shall be kept back six and one-half (6½) inches from the party line

Section 1803 Insertions in party walls Wooden joists rafters or other timbers in the party walls of any buildings hereafter erected shall be separated from the joists or timbers entering into the opposite side of the wall by at least four (4) inches of solid masonry except that in dwellings not over three stories in height the separation may be two (2) inches of solid incombustible material Other than such separated structural timbers no studs stringers or other woodwork shall be inserted in a party wall except light nailing strips or plugs Battlement walls of dwellings may have roofing paper or other flashing material entered two (2) inches on either side

Section 1804 Chases and Recesses No recesses chases or other depressions or cuttings of any kind shall be permitted in any party wall that would decrease its required thickness except as provided for in Chapter forty-three on Dwellings

Section 1805 Examination of existing party walls Inspectors of buildings shall upon the application of any owner or owners of any buildings or their authorized agents or upon the application of any person or persons about to erect any new building or buildings examine any or all existing party or division walls and if they are deemed by the inspector to be defective out of repair or insufficient and unfit for the purpose of the old building existing upon the adjoining premises or of the new buildings about to be erected such party or division wall or walls shall be repaired or made good or taken down by the parties building as the inspector's decision may be In every case where such wall or walls are defective out of repair or insufficient for the purpose of the buildings there existing upon the adjoining premises and using the same the cost or expense of such repair or removal together with the expense of the new wall or walls to be erected in lieu thereof shall be borne and paid by the owner of said buildings upon the adjoining premises and the party erecting the new buildings in proportion to the amount of such wall or walls which is or shall be respectively used by their said buildings and in every case where such wall or walls are defective out of repair or insufficient only for the purpose of the new buildings the cost and expense of such repair or removal together with the expense of the new wall or walls to be erected in lieu thereof shall then be borne and paid exclusively by the parties erecting the new buildings and they shall also in such case make good all damages occasioned thereby to the adjoining premises

Section 1806 Use of existing party walls Walls heretofore built for or used as party walls whose thickness at the time of their erection was in accordance with the requirements of the then existing laws but which are not in accordance with the requirements of this code may be used if in good condition for the ordinary use of party walls Provided the height of the same be not increased In case it is desired to increase the height of existing party or independent walls which walls are less in thickness than required under this code the same may be done with a lining of brickwork to form a combined

thickness with the old walls of not less than four (4) inches more than the thickness required for a new wall corresponding with the total height of the wall when so increased in height The said lining shall be supported on proper foundations and carried up to such height as the Bureau may require No lining shall be less than nine (9) inches in thickness and all lining shall be laid up in cement mortar and thoroughly anchored to the old brick walls with suitable wrought-iron anchors placed two (2) feet apart and properly fastened or driven into the old walls in rows alternating vertically and horizontally with each other the old walls being first cleaned of plaster and other coatings where any lining is to be built against the same In all cases where there is such increase of walls a new foundation shall be built in such manner as to carry jointly both the new and old walls and the soil under such foundation shall not be loaded beyond the limits specified in chapter eight of this code This section shall not be construed to prohibit the raising of the party walls in dwellings an additional story if upon inspection the walls are found good and the load on the solid masonry is within the maximum specified in the chapter on Dwellings

Section 1807 Underpinning of existing party walls Whenever the owner or owners of property wish to excavate to a depth below the bottom of any existing party or other walls wholly or partly upon adjoining land and standing upon or near the boundary line of said lot upon which the excavation is made the owner or owners of the ground to be excavated shall protect and underpin such existing party or other walls and the buildings of which they form a part which may be located wholly or partly upon adjoining land or in proximity to such excavation If the owner or owners of ground upon which an excavation is made refuse to underpin or protect any party or other walls or buildings wholly or partly upon adjoining land or in proximity to such excavation after having had notice of twenty-four hours from the Bureau so to do any inspector of the Bureau may enter upon the premises and employ such labor and take such steps as in his judgement may be necessary to make the same safe and secure or to prevent the same from becoming unsafe or dangerous at the expense of the person or persons owning the ground on which the excavation is made and any person or persons doing said work or any part thereof under and by the direction of said inspector may bring and maintain an action against the owner or owners or any one of them of the ground on which an excavation is made for any work done or materials furnished in and about the said or any adjoining premises in the same manner as if he had been employed to do the work by the owner or owners of the premises excavated

Section 1808 Fire walls Fire walls when not built upon party lines or within six and one-half (6½) inches of same may in addition to the materials prescribed in this chapter for Party Walls be constructed also of reinforced concrete or of plain concrete when conforming otherwise to the requirements of this chapter and to the chapters relating to walls of the materials of which constructed

Section 1809 Fire division walls Fire division walls shall be constructed the same as Fire Walls In buildings for storage and heavy manufacturing purposes such fire division walls shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches thick

Section 1810 Openings in fire walls fire division walls and enclosures Openings may be made in fire walls and fire division walls of the size number and character as determined by the Chief if protected by fire doors as provided herein Each opening shall be provided with two sets of approved fire doors separated by the thickness of the wall or division These doors shall be constructed and hung in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief Openings in enclosure walls of fire resistive construction other than herein provided for shall have metal frames or studs securely fastened to floor and ceiling Structural members and such metal frames or studs shall be approved by the Chief No wood for framing or fastening shall be used for such openings Provided that this section shall not apply to private dwellings nor to one-story buildings used only for working in non-combustible materials

CHAPTER 19 Hollow Masonry Walls

Section 1900 Quality of materials Hollow-burned clay tile shall have a compressive strength of not less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when tested with the cells vertical and seven hundred (700) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when tested with the cells horizontal. This figure shall represent the average of five tests with a minimum for any individual sample of twenty percent from the stated averages Tiles shall have outer shell or wall not less than seven-eighths inches thick in its least dimensions All interior webs shall be not less than three-fourths inches in thickness. Non-bearing walls of hollow tile in spandrel walls may have five-eighths of any inch thickness of outer shell and webs provided the unsupported length of the shell and web is not over six (6) inches Tiles shall be constructed with at least fifty (50) percent solid material and shall be free from such cracks wrapage pebbles or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength

Hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile and solid unmarked concrete block When delivered on the site the average ultimate compressive strength of hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile or solid unmarked concrete block shall be not less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area for the average of five specimens tested with a minimum of not less than eight hundred (800) pounds per square inch for any one specimen All hollow concrete block and hollow concrete tile shall have at least fifty (50) per cent solid material Where exposed to the weather they shall have walls of sufficient thickness so that the exposed surface including any stucco or other facing shall be at least two (2) inches in thickness Blocks and tiles shall be sound of compact structure reasonably uniform in shape free from such cracks warpage or foreign substances as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used the same shall conform to the requirements for Cinders stipulated in Section 2702

Brick Brick and other units of similar size and shape made of clay shale or other material and used for hollow walls shall conform to the requirements of Section 1500

Section 1901 Working stresses For walls of burned clay tile and hollow walls of clay and shale brick sand-lime brick or concrete brick hollow concrete block and hollow concrete tile and solid unmarked concrete block masonry the allowable compressive stresses due to dead and live load shall not exceed eighty (80) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when laid in cement mortar and seventy (70) pounds per square inch of gross sectional area when laid in cement-lime or masons cement mortar

Section 1902. Thickness and Height other than in Party Walls and in Skeleton Construction Walls of hollow burned clay tile hollow concrete block or hollow concrete tile solid unmarked concrete block or hollow walls of brick in dwellings and third class buildings for human occupancy shall be constructed as called for in Section 1503 and shall not exceed four stories in height The thickness shall be governed by the upper four stories of wall thickness set forth in Section 1502 and in Chapter 13 One story buildings not over five thousand (5000) square feet in area for commercial occupancy other than highly hazardous may be constructed with the walls not less than nine (9) inches thick

Section 1903 Bond mortar and workmanship When two or more hollow units are used to make up the thickness of walls the inner and outer courses shall be bonded at vertical intervals not exceeding three courses by lapping at least one cell completely over a cell of the unit below Suitable provision shall be made at each line of floor joists or beams in hollow walls or walls of hollow units to shut off the spaces above from those below and to insure good bearing for beams and uniform distribution of loads Where walls of hollow building units are decreased in thickness the top course of the thicker wall shall be made solid or other adequate means for supporting the full web section of the units above shall be provided All hollow units shall be placed with the cells in alignment and the mortar on all cells of hollow units set vertically shall be carefully placed to insure a full bed and contact All vertical joints shall be at least fully mortared at the inside and outside faces and all walls shall be plumb level and straight No lime mortar shall be used for walls of hollow unit construction or hollow walls of brick except as otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings

Section 1904 Piers Hollow burned clay tile hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile or hollow walls of brick shall not be

used for isolated piers unless solidly filled with concrete The unsupported height of such piers shall not exceed ten times their least horizontal dimension

Section 1905 Marking All hollow concrete block shall be marked in accordance with the provisions of Section 1703 for solid concrete block

CHAPTER 20 Veneered Walls

Section 2000 Quality and kind of materials Materials used in the backing and veneering of veneered walls shall conform in all respects to the requirements prescribed for such materials in the chapters on Masonry in this code Stone or architectural terra-cotta ashlar or other approved masonry material used for structural veneering shall be not less than three (3) inches thick and for applied veneering not less than seven-eighths (⅞) inches

Section 2001 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses on the backing of veneered walls due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed those elsewhere In no case shall the veneering be considered a part of the wall in computing the strength of bearing walls nor shall it prescribed for masonry of the type which forms such backing be considered a part of the required thickness of the wall

Section 2002 Attachment of veneering When walls are veneered with brick terra-cotta stone or concrete trim the veneering shall be tied into the backing either by a header for every three hundred (300) square inches of wall surface or by substantial non-corrodible metal anchors or clamps spaced not farther apart than sixteen (16) inches vertically and two (2) feet horizontally

Section 2003 Height and thickness Except in skeleton construction veneered walls shall not exceed forty (40) feet in height above foundations and the thickness of such walls exclusive of the veneer shall be regulated by the requirements for the uppermost stories in Section 1502

CHAPTER 21 Faced Walls

Section 2100 Quality and kind of materials Materials used in the backing and facing of faced walls shall conform in all respects to the requirements prescribed for such materials in the chapters on Masonry in this code

Section 2101 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses on faced walls due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed those elsewhere prescribed for masonry of the type which forms the backing Where bonded to the backing as provided hereinafter the full cross section of the facing may be considered in computing bearing strength

Section 2102 Height and thickness Faced walls may be of the same height but shall be not less in thickness than is required for masonry walls of the type which forms the backing Where bonded to the backing as provided herein the facing may be considered a part of the wall thickness

Section 2103 Bond Brick facing shall be bonded to walls of brick or of hollow burned clay tile or of solid or hollow concrete block or hollow concrete tile with at least one header course in every seven courses or there shall be at least one full length header in every seventy-two (72) square inches of wall surface Stone ashlar facing shall have at least 20 per cent of the superficial area not less than three and three-quarter (3¾) inches thicker than the remainder of the facing to form bond stones which shall be uniformly distributed throughout the wall When some stones in every alternate course are at least seven and one-half (7½) inches thick bonded into the backing at least three and three-quarter (3¾) inches and at least 20 per cent of the superficial area of the wall is constituted of such bond stone uniformly distributed the ashlar facing may be counted as part of the wall thickness. Every stone not a bond stone and every projecting stone not a bond stone shall be securely anchored to the backing with substantial non-corrodible metal anchors

CHAPTER 22 Spandrel Walls Curtain Walls and Similar Non-Load-Bearing Walls

Section 2200 Such walls shall be not less than nominal nine (9) inch walls in thickness and shall be constructed of the classes of materials heretofore designated as masonry Such materials other than brick sand lime brick concrete brick and other units made of clay or shale of similar sizes and shape shall have an average ultimate compressive strength of not less than seventy-five (75) per cent of that specified in Chapters 14 16 and 19 Thickness of web area etc may be reduced proportionately

CHAPTER 23 Interior Partitions

Section 2300 Bearing partitions All interior bearing walls except party walls fire walls and fire division walls shall be considered as bearing partitions and shall be constructed of materials meeting the standards required by the various classifications in this code Where not utilized as party fire or fire division walls partitions exclusive of plaster shall be not less than one-eighteenth of the height between floors or floor beams and shall otherwise meet the provisions of Section 1502 and Chapter 13 on Wall Requirements in General

Section 2301 Non-bearing partitions Such partitions when of masonry shall be as follows Non-bearing partitions of solid or hollow masonry materials or of gypsum block or other similar materials shall be built solidly against floor and ceiling construction below and above and for all classes of construction shall not exceed the following unsupported heights

Thickness exclusive of plaster Inches	Maximum unsupported height Feet
2	9
3	12
4	13
6	20
8	25

Section 2302 Plaster Partitions Solid plaster partitions reinforced with steel may be used in any class of construction and shall be not less than 2" thick for heights not exceeding twelve (12) feet nor less than 3" thick for heights not exceeding twenty (20) feet Hollow plaster partitions reinforced with steel shall not exceed twenty (20) feet for their unsupported height

CHAPTER 24 Timber and Woodwork

Section 2400 Quality of Lumber and Timber All lumber and timber shall be equivalent to the commercial association grades conforming to the basic grading provisions prescribed by American Lumber Standards in conformity with Section 600

Section 2401 Sizes of timber When sizes are called for in this chapter or elsewhere in this code they shall be considered as the nominal or commercial sizes of rough lumber but for calculation purposes to determine the required size of lumber and timber members the net cross-sectional area or actual size shall be used and not the nominal size Where nominal sizes are given the actual dressed dimensions conforming to American Lumber Standards shall be accepted In no case shall the corresponding rough sizes be less than permits surfacing to such dressed dimensions

Section 2402 Allowable stresses in timber The Following stresses in pounds per square inch shall not be exceeded

Species	Bending Extreme Fibre Fiber	Horizontal Shear	Compression Perpendicular to Grain	Compression Parallel to Grain	Elasticity Modulus
Southern Long Leaf Yellow Pine	1600	110	345	1175	1600000
Short Leaf Pine.....	1200	83	325	880	1600000
Douglas Fir Structural Grade	1600	90	345	1175	1600000
Douglas Fir	1200	72	325	880	1600000
Red and White Oak ..	1400	125	500	1000	1500000
West Coast Hemlock...	1300	75	300	900	1400000
Spruce	1100	85	250	800	1200000
Eastern Hemlock	1100	70	300	700	1100000

Douglas Fir and West Coast Hemlock shall be identified by a registered species mark or grade mark or other authentication acceptable to the Chief The Compression in columns and posts equals C minus 20 L/D wherein C is the compression parallel to grain in the above table L is the length in inches and D is the least dimension of the cross section in inches The ratio L/D shall not exceed 40

The permissible stresses other than the minimum on each species specified above shall be determined by tests as required in Chapter Six

Section 2403 Beams and girders The ends of all wooden floor or roof timbers in second class buildings shall enter the wall to a depth of at least four inches and the end of all such beams shall be furnished with plates providing anchorage and shall be so shaped or arranged that in case of fire they may fall without injury to the wall

Roof rafters and floor joist in third class construction shall be properly braced with bridging not less than eight feet apart

All wood beams shall be trimmed away from flues and chimneys Header and trimmer beams shall not be less than four (4) inches from the outside face of the chimney Any header beam supporting a trimmer arch in front of a fireplace shall be not less than sixteen (16) inches from the face of the chimney breast

A wooden beam in a party or fire wall shall be separated from any other beam in the wall by at least four (4) inches of solid masonry except as required in Chapter 43 "Dwellings"

Section 2404 Bolting All bolts in wood construction shall be provided with washers of such porportions that the compression on the wood at the face of the washer will not exceed the working stresses prescribed in this chapter

Section 2405 Stud partitions Stud bearing partitions which rest directly over each other and are not parallel with wood floor beams shall run down between the wood floor beams and rest on the top plate of the partition below and shall have the studding filled in solid between the uprights to the depth of the floor beams with suitable incombustible materials Stud partitions shall not be used for bearing purposes except in dwellings and buildings for human occupancy with a floor load not greater than forty (40) pounds per square foot

CHAPTER 25 Iron and Steel

Section 2500 Skeleton frame The skeleton frame of all structures shall be considered as the columns and all girders beams trusses or spandrels and wind bracing having rigid connections to the columns the members of floor or roof panels which have no connection to the columns shall be considered secondary members

The skeleton frame and secondary members shall be designed and constructed to carry all dead live and other loads to which they may be subjected both during erection and after completion of the structure All members shall be such that the stresses which they may carry can be satisfactorily determined by the analytical methods of engineering practice

The skeleton frame shall provide all the necessary rigidity for the structure except that in the case of building wherein the secondary systems are rigidly attached to the skeleton frame and braced laterally the secondary system may be considered as providing stiffening to aid in transferring the horizontal forces to the foundations

Section 2501 Design The requirements of Section 600 shall govern the designing detailing fabrication and erection of all structural steel

All girders and beams shall be considered as not continuous unless rigid connections to the webs and top and bottom flanges are sufficient to develop the required stresses from beam to beam so that true continuity results

The design must take into full account all dead loads live loads wind or other horizontal forces eccentricity and the effect of any moving loads Allowance shall be made for any undue loading during erection including wind

The stresses produced by the loading and its distribution shall not exceed those hereinafter stated

Section 2502 Material Structural or carbon steel for buildings made by the open hearth or Bessemer process shall conform to standards promulgated by the Chief in order that the stresses specified in section 2504 may be employed for design the ultimate tensile strength shall be between 55,000 and 65,000 pounds per square inch and the minimum elongation of the specimen tested shall not be less than 1,400,000 divided by the ultimate tensile strength

Section 2503 Minimum thickness No steel used in the skeleton frame shall be less than thirty one-hundredths (30/100) inches thick when used for exterior construction nor less than "twenty-three one-hundredths (23/100) inches" for interior construction

These provisions do not apply to rolled steel beams used as light structures such as stairways skylights marquises fire-escapes secondary members of floor and roof panels linings filler or capes light one-story buildings or light miscellaneous steel work

Section 2504 Allowable stresses All parts of the structure shall be so proportioned that the sum of the maximum static stresses in pounds per square inch shall not exceed the following

(a) Tension rolled steel on net section 18,000

(b) Compression rolled steel on short lengths or where lateral deflection is prevented 18,000

Compression in columns

$$= \frac{18000}{1 + \frac{L^2}{18000\ r^2}}$$

With a maximum of 15,000

In which L is the unsupported length of the column and r is the corresponding least radius of gyration of the section both in inches

When a structural steel column is encased in stone concrete it may be designed in conformity with Section 2622

For main compression members the ratio L/r shall not exceed 120 and for bracing and other secondary members 200

(c) Bending On extreme fibres of rolled shapes and built up sections net sections if lateral deflection is prevented 18,000

Modulus of Elasticity 30,000,000

When the unsupported length L exceeds fifteen times b the width of the compression flange stress in pounds per square inch in the latter shall not exceed

$$= \frac{18000}{1 + \frac{L^2}{2000\ b^2}}$$

The laterally unsupported length of beams and girders shall not exceed forty times b the width of the compression flange

On extreme fibres of pins when the forces are assumed as acting at the centre of gravity of the pieces 27,000

(d) Shearing On pins 13,500

On turned bolts in reamed holes with a clearance of not more than 1/50" 13,500

On power-driven rivets 13,500

On hand-driven rivets 10,000

On unfinished bolts 10,000

On the gross area of the webs of beams and girders where H the height between flanges in inches is not more than 60 times t the thickness of the web in inches 12,000

On the gross area of the webs of beam and girders if the web is not stiffened where H the height between flanges in inches is more than 60 times t the thickness of the web the maximum shear per inch S/A shall not exceed

$$= \frac{20000}{1 + \frac{H^2}{7200\ t^2}}$$

in which S is the total shear and A is gross area of web in square inches

	Double Shear	Single Shear
(e) Bearing On pins	30,000	24,000
On power-driven rivets	30,000	24,000
On turned bolts in reamed holes	30,000	24,000
On hand-driven rivets	20,000	16,000
On unfinished bolts	20,000	16,000

On expansion rollers per lineal inch 600 times the diameter of the roller in inches

(f) Combined stresses For combined stresses due to wind with other loads the permissible working stress may be increased by one-third provided the resulting section is not less than that required by the dead and live loads alone

(g) Members carrying wind only For members carrying wind stresses only the permissible working stresses may be increased by one-third

Section 2505 Combined stresses (a) Members subject to both direct and bending stresses shall be so proportioned that the greatest combined stresses shall not exceed the allowed limits

(b) All members and their connections which are subject to stresses in both tension and compression due to the action of live loads shall be designed to sustain the stress giving the largest section with fifty (50) per cent of the smaller stress added to it If the reversal of stress is due to the action of wind the member shall be designed for the stress giving the largest section and the connections proportioned for the largest stress

(c) Full provision shall be made for stresses caused by eccentric loads

Section 2506 Workmanship All workmanship shall be equal to the best practice in modern structural shops The use of a burning torch is permissible if the burned metal is not carrying stresses during the burning Stresses shall not be transmitted into the metal through a burned surface

Section 2507 Painting (a) Parts not in contact but inaccessible after assembling shall be properly protected by paint

(b) All steel work shall be thoroughly cleaned and except where encased in stone or slag concrete in intimate contact shall be given one coat of acceptable metal protection well worked into the joints and open spaces before leaving the shop and one coat in the field of a paint acceptable to the Chief

(c) Machine finished surfaces shall be protected against corrosion

Section 2508 Erection (a) The frame of all steel skeleton buildings shall be carried up true and plumb and temporary bracing shall be introduced wherever necessary to take care of all loads to which the structure may be subjected including erection equipment and the operation of same Such bracing shall be left in place as long as may be required for safety

(b) As erection progresses the work shall be securely bolted up to take care of all dead loads wind and erection stresses

(c) Wherever piles of material erection equipment or other loads are carried during the erection proper provision shall be made to take care of stresses resulting from the same

(d) No riveting shall be done until the structure has been properly aligned

(e) Rivets driven in the field shall be heated and driven with the same care as those driven in the shop

(f) The skeleton frame must be riveted but secondary members twelve (12) inches or less in depth may be bolted except as provided for in Section 3202

(g) The Chief may approved the use of turned or machined bolts in reamed holes in lieu of rivets provided that he is satisfied that riveting is either impractical or inadvisable

Section 2509 Welded connections Nothing in this code shall prevent the Chief from establishing rules and regulations under which welding may be permitted which rules and regulations shall conform to generally accepted practice

Section 2510 Cast iron Compresssive stresses in hollow cast iron columns shall not exceed values determined by the formula

$$P=9000—40\ L/r$$

in which P equals compression in pounds per square inch
L equals length of column in inches
r equals minimum radius of gyration of the column in inches

(b) The maximum allowable ratio L/r shall not exceed 70 except that when allowable working stresses computed by the above formula are reduced one-third the ratio of L to r may be increased but shall not exceed 120

(c) Cast iron columns shall not be used in any case where the load is so eccentric as to cause tension in the cast iron nor shall they be used for parts of the structural frame of buildings which are required to resist stress due to wind Tensile stresses in the extreme fibre of cast iron lintels or elsewhere except in columns shall not exceed 3000 pounds per square inch

(d) All columns resting on or supporting other columns shall have their ends machine faced to a plane surface perpendicular to the axis

(e) Cast iron shall not be used structurally except for columns column bases and post caps It shall not be used in First class construction

Section 2511 Pipe and concrete columns Except in First and Intermediate class construction circular hollow steel or wrought iron columns filled with concrete may carry a load equal to the capacity of the metal casing plus the capacity of the concrete filling The average unit stress in the casing shall be that specified elsewhere in this section for columns and that in the concrete filling shall be in the same ratio to the unit stress in the casing as the modulus of elasticity of the concrete bears to that of the casing

Section 2512 Special steels Steels containing ingredients other than carbon or manufactued by special processes may be used for structural purposes in conformity with regulations promulgated by the Chief which regulations shall conform to generally accepted practice

CHAPTER 26 Reinforced Concrete

Section 2600 Definition The term Reinforced Concrete in these regulations shall mean an approved concrete mixture in which steel is embedded in such a manner as to resist the tensile stresses and to add rigidity and strength to concrete in compression

Section 2601 Application Reinforced concrete will be approved for all types of building construction provided the design conforms with good engineering practice and the working stresses do not exceed those herein specified

Section 2602 Cement All cement used in reinforced concrete work shall be Portland or other hydraulic cement meeting the standards promulgated by the Chief

Section 2603 Fine aggregate Fine aggregate shall be clean and well graded sand crushed stone or gravel screenings air cooled blast furnace slag or other generally accepted materials which when used for concrete mixes will produce a concrete of the required strength and fire resistance when tested in conformity with Chapter Six (6) The largest particles shall pass when dry a screen having holes not larger than one-quarter inch in diameter Not more than six (6) percent shall pass a screen of 100 meshes per lineal inch

Section 2604 Coarse aggregate Coarse aggregate shall consist of clean well-graded crushed stone gravel air cooled blast furnace slag or other generally accepted materials which when used for concrete mixes will produce a concrete of the required strength and fire resistance when tested in conformity with Chapter Six (6) The largest particles shall pass when dry through a one and one-quarter inch diameter ring and all particles must be retained on a screen having holes one-quarter inch in diameter Sizes passing a 2¼ inch ring may be used in foundations walls 12 inches or more in thickness and slabs over 6 inches thick

Section 2605 Reinforcement Steel used in reinforced concrete shall meet the standard requirements for plain or deformed bars as promulgated by the Chief and shall be of new billet or standard rail steel grade All requirements for quality shall conform to those nationally recognized as standard practice

Section 2606 Defects in reinforcement Steel for reinforcement shall be free from excessive rust scale grease paint or any coating which would tend to reduce or destroy the bond between the steel and the concrete Bars shall also be free from injuries seams slivers flaws and other mill defects The weight of any lot of bars shall not vary more than five per cent from the standard weight of the lot as given by manufacturers' handbooks

Section 2607 Design of concrete Concrete shall consist of a mixture of a plastic or viscuous consistency in the proportions hereinafter specified for the various classes of stresses

Section 2608 Inspection All structural concrete work shall be inspected and tested by an inspector possessing the requisite technical knowledge to proportion the mixing and to make the tests set forth elsewhere in the code Written reports of the results of such inspections and tests shall be filed with the Bureau Field tests shall be made on all reinforced concrete work in conformity with requirements promulgated by the Chief

Section 2609 Mixing of concrete The measuring and mixing of the cement the fine aggregate the coarse aggregate and the water shall be done by mechanical means in conformity with standard requirements promulgated by the Chief

Ready mixed concrete delivered from central mixing plants may be used after demonstrations conducted in co-operation with the Chief have shown that the strength of the concrete so delivered meets with the requirements of this Code

The concrete shall be proportioned by the inspector to give the necessary workability without exceeding the following ratios by volume of water to cement the ratio of cement to the sum of separated volumes of dry and rodded fine and coarse aggregates shall be as indicated in the following table The strengths indicated below represent the minimum strength in compression which must show in the tests at the end of twenty-eight days as specified hereinafter

Approximate Volume of Portland cement to sum of separate volumes of dry and rodded fine and coarse aggregate	Water-cement ratio United States gallons per ninety-four pounds sack of cement	Assumed ultimate strength at twenty-eight days
1—8—½	8—¼	1500
1—6—½	7—½	2000
1—5—½	6—¾	2500
1—5	6	3000

Water or moisture contained in the aggregate and ascertained by daily tests must be included in determining the ratio of water to cement

Section 2610 Thickness of concrete fireproofing Where structural steel is used as column cores the thickness of concrete fire proofing shall be not less than four (4) inches

Around reinforcing bars in columns	2	inches
At bottom of girders	2	"
At sides of girders	1½	"
At bottom and sides of beams	1½	"
At bottom of joists	1	"
At sides of joists	1	"
Of slabs	1	"

The fireproofing of other structural steel shall conform to the requirements of Section 2701

Section 2611 Modulus of elasticity of concrete The following shall be taken as the ratio of the modulus of elasticity of the reinforcing steel to that of the concrete of the grades indicated

1 Uultimate stresses up to and including 2000 lbs ratior..15
2 " " over 2000 lbs and up to and including 2500 lbs ratio 12
3 Ultimate stresses over 2500 lbs ratio 10

Section 2612 Working stresses in concrete The following indicates the percentage of the ultimate strength which may be used for design

Direct compression 25%
Columns
1 With spirals as defined in Section 2620
2 Longitudinal reinforcement and lateral ties on gross area of concrete 25%

Piers and pedestals 25%
Compression in extreme fiber
1 Extreme fiber stress in compression 40%
2 Extreme fiber stress in compression adjacent to supports of continuous beams 45%
Tension in concrete members .....None

Shear
1 Beams without web reinforcement 2%
2 Beams with web reinforcement and longitudinal bars having special anchorage 9%

Bond
1 Deformed bars 5%
2 Plain bars 4%

Bearing on a reinforced concrete surface having a greater area than that of the loaded portion may be increased proportionally until 37½% of the ultimate strength of the concrete may be used when the said surface is three or more times the area of the loaded portion

Section 2613 Working stresses in reinforcing steel These shall be 13,000 per square inch in tension and steel in compression shall be figured at a stress equivalent to the compressive stress of the concrete times the ratio given in Section 2611

Section 2614 Assumptions for design The design of reinforced concrete structures shall be in conformity with Section 600 Slag concrete shall be considered in all respects as equal to stone concrete

Section 2615 Self-centering Self-centering shall not be considered as furnishing section to take tension in slabs of reinforced concrete

Section 2616 Thickness of slabs The minimum thickness of floor slabs shall be two and one-half (2½) inches and roof slabs two (2) inches Up to a span of 2 feet 6 inches

This need not apply in one-way or two-way composite floors containing filler blocks so designed as to permit of mechanical bond between the blocks and the concrete

Section 2617 Floor Finish The cement finish of a concrete floor shall not be considered in calculating the strength of floor members unless it is an integral part of the slab laid at the same time that the slab is poured

Section 2618 Composite floors Composite floors consisting of a combination of reinforced concrete and fillers are permitted provided that their design is based on rational theory in conformity with this code or on formulas developed from tests made in conformity with this code and that such design has been substantiated by tests as heretofore described and provided that all materials entering into the construction are fireproof

No filler block shall be considered as adding to the strength of the girders or beams supporting the floor systems nor shall they be considered as adding to the strength of the floor systems unless such fillers are so designed as to permit of mechanical bond between the blocks and the concrete between them The unit stresses in this code and in the fillers shall be proportioned in conformity with this code but no filler shall be considered as acting in this respect that has a compressive strength of less than sixty per cent of the concrete the effective width of a joist shall not be taken at more than the actual width of the concrete plus half the thickness of the adjacent shells

Section 2619 Length of columns The length of columns shall be taken as the maximum unsupported length

The unsupported length of column shall not exceed fifteen times the least side or diameter and in no case shall the least side or diameter be less than twelve (12) inches. The length shall include any corbel or knee brace attached to the columns

Section 1620 Columns with spirals The axial load on columns reinforced with longitudinal bars and closely spaced spirals enclosing a circular core shall be not greater than that determined by the following formula

$$W = Ac\ (1 + (n-1)\ p)\quad (300 + (0.10+4p)\ f'c$$

wherein P=Percentage of longitudinal reinforcement
f'c=28 day test strength
Ac=Area of concrete within the spiral

The longitudinal reinforcement shall consist of at least six bars of minimum diameter of one-half inch and the total effective cross-sectional area shall be not less than one per cent more than six per cent of that of the core

The spiral reinforcement shall be not less than one-fourth the volume of the longitudinal reinforcement It shall consist of evenly spaced continuous spirals held firmly in place and true to line by at least three vertical spacer bars The spacing of the spirals shall be not greater than one-sixth of the diameter of the core and in no case more than three inches

Section 2621 Columns without spirals Axial compression in reinforced concrete columns without hoops bands or spirals containing not less than one-half of one per cent nor more than three per cent of vertical reinforcement secured against lateral displacement by steel ties placed not farther apart than fifteen diameters of the vertical rods nor more than twelve inches shall not exceed the stresses given in Section two thousand six hundred twelve and two thousand six hundred thirteen Steel ties shall not be less than one-quarter inch in diameter or least dimension At least four vertical bars shall be used in every reinforced column and no bar shall have an area of less than one-half square inch

Section 2622 Structural steel and concrete columns Axial compression in structural steel columns thoroughly encased

in concrete having a minimum thickness of four inches and reinforced with not less than one per cent of steel (that is a volume of concrete within hoops) equally divided between vertical reinforcement and hoops or spirals spaced not more than twelve inches apart may be taken at 18,000 pounds per square inch on the net section of the structural steel no allowance being made for the concrete casing The hoops or spirals shall be placed not nearer than one inch from the structural steel or nearer than one and one-half inches from the outer surface of the concrete The ratio of length to least radius of gyration of the structural steel section shall not exceed one hundred twenty When these columns are reinforced in conformity with Section 600 they may be designed as therein provided

Section 2623 Bearing on footings When a base plate or other bearing is of less area than the surface on which it bears the unit stresses may be increased until they are thirty-seven and one-half per cent of the ultimate 28 day strength of the concrete when the plate is not more than one-third the area of the supporting surface

Section 2624 Construction The construction of forms the placing wiring splicing and protection of reinforcement the deposition of concrete the joints protection against drying and freezing shall be done in a workmanlike manner according to the requirements as promulgated by the Chief

No pipes for steam or water shall be placed within any reinforced concrete slab beam girder column or fireproofing

Section 2625 Removal of forms All reinforced concrete shall be carefully inspected to insure its soundness and reliability before the main supports are removed but in no case shall the forms be removed for the usual 200 pound concrete in less time than given in the following schedule Bottom of slabs spans of 6 feet..... 4 days plus one day extra for each additional foot of span

Bottom of beams and girders of ordinary length	14 days
Beams of span of twenty feet	21 days
Sides of Lintels girders and beams	3 days
Columns	3 days
Thin walls	3 days

Due consideration shall be given to weather conditions loads on floors above and building materials stored thereon which may require all or some of the supports to remain for a longer period of time

When richer mixes or high early strength cements are used the forms may be removed when the concrete has attained a strength equal to the strength of the usual 2000 pound concrete according to the above schedule

Girders of twenty-five feet span or over shall be considered as special cases and shall be subject to the approval of the Chief before removal of the supports

The chief may permit a system of reshores to be used

Section 2626 Exceptions When the mechanical means for the proportioning of the aggregates and the water are not employed in the mixing of the concrete the following shall govern

The amount of water used including the moisture content of the aggregate shall not be more than seven and one-fourth gallons per bag of cement weighing ninety-four pounds In the absence of accurate information the following assumptions may be made

Moisture content of Fire Aggregate one-half gallon per cubic foot

Moisture content of Coarse Aggregate one-eighth gallon per cubic foot

Such concrete shall develop a crushing strength of at least two thousand pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days Test specimens shall be made in the field from the concrete as it is placed in the forms care being taken to obtain a sample representative of the entire batch Written reports of the results of such field tests shall be filed by the inspector with the Bureau in conformity with Section twenty-six hundred eight within forty-eight hours after the completion of tests

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to six part of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than two thousand pounds per square inch in twenty-eight days and the following working stresses shall be used

	Lbs. per sq. in.
Extreme fibre stress on concrete in compression	650
Concrete in direct compression	500
Shearing stress in concrete when diagonal tension is not resisted by steel	40
Shearing stress in concrete when web reinforcement is proportioned to resist two-thirds of the external shear	120
Bond stress between concrete and plain reinforcing bears	80
Bond stress between concrete and deformed bars....	100
Tensile stress in steel reinforcement	18,000

Working stress in columns may be taken at five hundred pounds per square inch on the gross area of the column plus seventy-five hundred pounds per square inch on the longitudinal reinforcement No column shall be longer than fifteen times its least dimension The steel shall not be less than one-half of one per cent nor more than three per cent of the gross area and it shall be sufficiently tied horizontally

When the horizontal ties are continuous circular bands having a volume not less than one per cent of the enclosed concrete spaced not over three inches on centers and the longtiudinal bars not less than one per cent nor more than four per cent the stress on the enclosed concrete may be taken at seven hundred fifty pounds per square inch and on the longitudinal steel at fifteen times this amount

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to four and one-half parts of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than twenty-five hundred pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days and the working stress of such concrete may be increased twenty-five per cent over that permitted above

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to three parts of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than three thousand pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days and the working stress of such concrete may be increased fifty per cent over that permitted above

In continuous beams the extreme fibre stress in concrete in compression may be increased fifteen per cent adjacent to the supports

The last paragraph of Section twenty-six hundred twelve may apply in this section

Section 2627 Tests of floor construction Whenever the Chief has doubt as to the quality of materials or workmanship in any building he may require the owner or contractor at his own expense to make such tests as will establish the safety of the construction before occupancy takes place Tests shall be made as called for in Section six hundred twelve

If the portion tested should fail to meet the requirements of this test the Chief may still approve the structure for use and if necessary additional tests may be made on different portions to determine the critical load The detail records of this test and the results of the tests upon the samples of concrete used in the construction shall be taken into consideration by the Chief in determining the working load to be permitted However no substandard construction shall be accepted by the Chief if in his judgment the structure is unsafe for the purpose intended

CHAPTER 27 Fireproofing

Section 2700 Fireproofing A protection for steel of the thickness required in this code of plain or reinforced concrete cinder concrete gypsum solid or hollow masonry or other fireproofing material conforming with the requirements of this code.

Fire protection A protection of the materials acceptable for fireproofing but of thickness not less than one-half those required for fireproofing Cement or gypsum plaster properly held may be considered as fire protection providing that the construction so protected will pass the standard one hour fire test

Fireproofing material A material of the thickness specified in this code for fireproofing providing it is capable of passing the standard four-hour fire test in conformity with requirements as promulgated by the Chief

Section 2701 Minimum thickness of fireproofing The minimum thickness of fireproofing material shall not be less than the following

For structural and reinforcing steel in reinforced concrete construction as required in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

For the outside faces of exterior steel columns and the webs of girders eight (8) inches of solid or hollow masonry four (4) inches of solid masonry plus two (2) inches of stone or slag concrete or four (4) inches of stone or slag concrete

For interior steel columns and interior facing of exterior steel columns three inches

For trusses beams and girders two inches on flat surfaces one and one-half inches on edges of flanges one inch for lugs or brackets on minor details

For the tops of all steel in floors and roofs one inch if one additional inch of fire proof material is provided in the floor finish

For the protection of structural steel in foundations adjacent to the earth not less than four inches

Steel supporting a roof only and not fireproofed or fire protected on the inside may be used in buildings of all classes except for buildings of the Highly Dangerous and Hazardous Commercial Occupancy provided that such steel is at least fourteen (14) feet above the finished surface of the top floor

The fireproofing of steel supporting masonry shall completely envelop each member and be in intimate contact with all parts of the member and the fireproofing of any member supporting another member or members of the skeleton frame shall be at least equal to that of the member or members supported

Section 2702 Cinders Cinders shall be only from high-pressure boilers and composed of hard well-burned vitreous clinker reasonably free from sulphides fine ashes and foreign matter

Cinder concrete shall be mixed in the proportions of one part Portland cement two parts fine aggregate and five parts of crushed cinders. It shall develop a unit stress in crushing of not less than eight hundred (800) pounds per square inch in 28 days

Gypsum used for fireproofing of structural steel and in the construction of roofs and ceilings of all occupancies and of floors in buildings of human occupancies shall be of calcined natural gypsum or equal

Gypsum when used neat shall develop when the resulting slab has been dried to constant weight an ultimate compressive strength of not less than twelve hundred (1200) pounds per square inch

Gypsum containing intimately mixed not more than 15 per cent by weight of wood chips excelsior or vegetable fibre shall develop when the resulting slab has been dried to constant weight an ultimate compressive strength of not less than five hundred (500) pounds per square inch

All reinforcement less than one-quarter inch in diameter for all Gypsum construction shall be galvanized

Section 2703 Thickness of span of slabs The maximum span between the flanges of steel beams supporting all but stone or slag concrete shall be eight feet

The following shall be the maximum distances between the flanges of steel beams as determined by slab thickness

	Roofs	Floors
2 inches thick	2'-0"	None
2½ inches thick	2'-6"	2'-6"
3 inches thick	5'-0"	None
4 inches thick	8'-0"	7'-0"
4½ inches thick	None	8'-0"

Nothing in this section shall prevent the use of ribbed floor slabs or composite slabs no slabs on ribbed or reinforced fabric with a suspended fireproofing for building of the First class or a suspended fire protection for buildings of the Intermediate class Approved self centering may be considered as furnishing section to take tension in spans up to 2 feet 6 inches

Section 2704 Brick arches When brick is used as floor filling it shall consist of segmental arches having a thickness of not less than four inches Such arches shall be built of good hard common or hollow brick laid to a line and solidly bonded Each longitudinal line of brick shall break joints with the adjoining lines The arches shall spring from suitable skewbacks and shall be properly keyed The rise shall not be less than one inch for each foot of span

Clay tile arches When clay tile is used as floor filling it shall consist of hollow blocks either hard burned or semi-porous of uniform density and hardness The thickness of shells and webs of each block shall be not less than five-eighths of an inch Interior vertical and horizontal webs of arch blocks shall not be spaced more than four inches apart The skewbacks shall be of such form and section as to accurately fit the beams and properly receive the thrust of the arches The arch blocks shall be laid in cement mortar and be properly keyed

Segmental arches These blocks shall be not less than six inches in depth with at least two cellular spaces in such depth The rise shall be not less than one inch for each foot of span

Flat arches The depth of these blocks unless reinforced with steel shall be not less than one inch for each foot of span between the steel beams exclusive of the portion of the block projecting below the underside of the beams

Strength of clay tile arches Clay Tile filling shall be so designed that it will safely sustain the superimposed loads by increasing so far as may be necessary the depth and the thickness of shell and webs of the blocks For such filling reinforced by wire fabric steel rods or other steel shapes thoroughly embedded cement mortar and bonded to the tile the strength of the construction may be determined by accepted engineering formulae For the purpose of this section the working stresses in pounds per square inch shall be taken at 500 for the tile in compression 18,000 for steel in tension and 100 for bond between steel and mortar and between the tile and mortar

The stiffness of the flanges of the steel beams shall not be depended on to resist the arch action of the filling unless steel tie rods are placed to reinforce the beams

Segmental arches shall be leveled up with cinder concrete or other acceptable filling

Section 2705 Cinder concrete Cinder concrete may be used structurally as fireproofing for floors and roofs between steel beams and for interior non-bearing walls or partitions

When reinforcement is required it shall consist of steel rods or other suitable shapes or steel fabric The tensional reinforcement in any case shall be not less than twelve hundredths per centum in the case of cold drawn steel fabric nor less than twenty-five hundredths per centum in the case of other forms the percentage being based on the sectional area of slab above the center of the reinforcement The center of the reinforcement shall be at least one inch above the bottom of the slab but in no case shall any part of the reinforcement come within five-eighths of an inch from the bottom of the slab

Segmental Forms When the concrete floor filling is used in the form of segmental arches the thickness shall be at least four inches at the crown Such arches shall have a rise of not less than one inch for each foot of span

Flat Construction When the concrete floor filling is in the form of slabs the thickness shall be not less than the thickness called for in Section 2703

Flat concrete arches When a floor or roof slab of stone or cinder concrete is cast monolithic with the fireproofing of the supporting steel beams and the reinforcement consists of cold drawn steel bars or fabric of a ratio of not more than .0035 the area of the reinforcement may be determined by assuming the effective depth of 7/8 for stone concrete and 3/4 for cinder concrete of the depth from the top of the slab to the center of gravity of the steel at the center of the slab and a bending moment coefficient of 1/8 for non-continuous slabs of 1/12 when the steel is hooked over the top flanges of the supporting beams and of 1/20 when continuous over the top flange of the supporting beams The unit stress in the steel as described above may be assumed at 20,000 pounds per square inch When the steel bars or other tension reinforcement are as described in Section 2705 the unit stresses therein described shall be used The area of steel in any case parallel to the steel beams shall be not less than 10 per cent of that across the beams The slab must conform in all other respects to the design requirements of other parts of the code

In determining the safe carrying capacities of concrete floor filling segmental in form the compressive stress in pounds per square inch in the concrete shall not exceed 300 for cinder concrete or 500 for stone concrete .

Nothing in this chapter shall prevent the determination of the safe carrying capacity of any form of concrete floor filling as fireproofing under the provisions of this chapter by the usual methods of calculation provided the stresses used in pounds per square inch shall not exceed 300 for cinder concrete in compression 18,000 for steel in tension and 50 for bond between cinder concrete and steel with a ratio of the moduli of steel to cinder concrete equal to 30 or in the case of

stone concrete the values fixed by chapter on Reinforced concrete

When all steel members of a skeleton frame are encased in concrete as defined by the requirements of the chapter on Reinforced concrete allowances may be made for the additional strength resulting in conformity with the principles defined in this code and provided further that the reinforcement is such as to insure united action between the two materials

Section 2706 Pre-cast gypsum Precast reinforced slabs of tile of gypsum having a wood floor or cement finish on top shall conform with the general requirements for gypsum specified in Section 2702

The steel reinforcement provided to take the tensile stresses shall be anchored within the gypsum by looping or shall be embedded within the gypsum in such manner and position that it will resist all tensile stresses and will assist in the resistance to shear so that the stresses in the combination can be ascertained by computation and verified by tests Continuity shall not be allowed in the design of these slabs unless the connections of the steel reinforcement are rigid as defined in Section 537

The steel reinforcement shall be shown either by indentation at the proper points exposure of the steel at the ends or by stamping the slab or tile with the words "this side up"

Precast reinforced gypsum units shall be so proportioned that the maximum stresses in pounds per square inch shall not exceed the following

Tensile stress in steel	18,000
Compression in extreme fibre of gypsum	250
Compression in extreme fibre of gypsum composition	110
Shear in gypsum	20
Bearing of neat gypsum on looped reinforcement anchor plates or cross welded wires	225
Similar bearing for gypsum composition	100
Modulus of Elasticity of gypsum	1,000,000
Modulus of Elasticity of gypsum	200

Section 2707 Gypsum suspension systems Gypsum suspension systems poured-in-place shall conform with the general requirements for gypsum specified in Section 2702 and shall be designed to safely carry the total loads in such manner that the stress in the suspension wires or cables shall be determined by standard formula

In this type of construction the gypsum must not be calculated to resist any of the direct stresses

The cables consisting of at least two (2) strands shall be of cold drawn steel of at least 80,000 pounds per square inch ultimate strength and in which the allowable working stress shall not exceed 20,000 pounds per square inch Cables shall be held uniformly to the required deflection and must be kept firmly tied to the form work until the gypsum has become set All cables shall be completely encased in the gypsum composition and the ends shall be securely anchored to the supporting construction independently of the gypsum or to anchorage supports which shall be properly braced to resist the tension without distortion of the structural steel

Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the issue of a permit for the construction of suspension systems of precast gypsum which conform in design construction and test to the requirements of this Code

Section 2708 Gypsum fireproofing Fireproofing two inches thick of reinforced calcined gypsum (containing no sand and not more than fifteen per cent of wood chips excelsior or vegetable fibre) may be used under the flanges of beams in fireproof buildings provided that there is not less than one inch of gypsum under the reinforcement It shall be supported structurally from the floor in such manner that the hangars shall be protected from below by not less than one inch of gypsum

Section 2709 Filling of Grillages Grillages shall be filled solid between the beams with stone concrete Where wood sleepers are used the spaces between shall be filled solid or fire stops provided not less than twelve inches nor more than ten feet apart of cinder concrete fill

Section 2710 Miscellaneous floor and roof systems Nothing in this code shall prevent the Chief from approving for use as secondary systems in floors and roofs metal joists manufactured from previously rolled steel

Joists made of strip steel bent and/or welded to form a beam section shall be designed in conformity with standard design methods for plate girders

Joists made from rolled steel sections expanded to form a truss and joists made of bars rolled sections or a combination welded to form a truss shall be a true truss and designed in conformity with standard design methods for trusses

These joists shall not be used in any building wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width The provision shall not apply to rolled steel sections nor to assembled joists wherein the connections between the separate parts are all of the rigid type as prescribed in Section 537

Bridging shall be placed at the time the joists are installed Such bridging shall be of sufficient strength to provide lateral support The minimum concentrated load required under Section 706 shall apply to commercial occupancies and offices and each joist shall be designed to sustain the same except that each joist may be designed for half this amount provided the bridging is designed to transmit the remainder to the joist or joists adjacent

Joists shall be held at their bearings by some means other than the load they are intended to carry

Rolled steel beams permitted in other parts of this code shall conform to the above requirements

Section 2711 Nothing in this code shall be construed to prohibit the use of pre-cast or porous slabs made of Portland or other hydraulic cement of thickness less than called for elsewhere in this code provided that the stresses conform to those required in this chapter on Reinforced concrete and that the slabs are in conformity with requirements promulgated by the Chief

Section 2712 No pipe for steam or water shall be placed within the fireproofing of any structural member or floor system

CHAPTER 28 Chimneys Flues Fireplaces and Incinerators

Section 2800 The provisions herein shall apply to all ordinary chimneys flues and vents within a building or which form a part of a building and not to chimneys flues stacks or vents for high pressure boilers furnaces used in the manufacturing ranges in restaurants hotels etc or for other heating or cooking appliances where high temperatures occur all of which shall be designed constructed and maintained in accordance with best engineering and fire prevention practice acceptable to the Chief and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

Section 2801 Chimney construction The walls of all chimneys shall be built of solid masonry or of radial brick but this shall not preclude the use of a metal smokestack when located inside of a shaft properly enclosed with noncombustible materials having an air space between the walls and stack on all sides Flues in party walls shall not extend closer than four inches from the center of the walls The walls of all unlined chimneys shall be built of good sound hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick The walls of lined chimneys shall be not less than four (4) inches thick All concrete chimneys cast in place shall be suitably reinforced vertically and horizontally The walls of lined concrete chimneys shall be not less than four (4) inches thick and of lined solid concrete block chimneys not less than eight (8) inches thick Chimney walls of rubble stone shall be at least ten (10) inches thick properly bonded and shall have flue linings

Section 2802 Flue linings All flue linings shall be of fire clay or other suitable refractory clays either natural or compounded adapted to withstand reasonably high temperatures and flue gases Flue linings shall be of standard commercial thickness but not less than five-eighth inch They shall be carefully bedded one upon another in mortar and with all joints left smooth on the inside Linings shall start from a point not less than eight (8) inches below the center line of smokepipe intakes or in the case of fireplaces from the apex of the smoke chamber and shall be continuous to the required height of the chimney The masonry walls around flues shall not be built hollow and the lining dropped inside but shall be laid up together with the lining with mortar around each successive length of lining as it is set All joints and spaces between the masonry and lining shall be thoroughly slushed full as each course of masonry is laid No flue lining

already set in place shall be cut away or broken to receive a smokepipe intake

Section 2803 Chimneys without lining Lining may be omitted in brick chimneys provided the walls of the chimneys be not less than eight (8) inches thick and the inner course be of hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick and that all joints on the flue side be struck smooth No mortar lining or parging shall be permitted Linings may likewise be omitted in reinforced concrete chimneys provided the walls of such chimneys be not less than six (6) inches thick

Section 2804 Mortar for chimneys All mortar used in the construction of independent chimneys except as otherwise provided herein shall be cement or cement-lime mortar When a masonry wall of a building forms part of a chimney with flue linings the mortar for chimney walls may be the same as that employed in the building wall Mortar used between the joints of flue linings and in the portions of a chimney above a roof or otherwise wholly exposed to the weather shall be cement mortar

Section 2805 Foundations of chimneys Chimneys or breasts shall be built upon solid masonry foundations properly proportioned or may start from floors or walls in buildings of the First class The footing for an exterior chimney shall start below the frost line but not less than three (3) feet below the finished grade Chimneys shall not rest upon or be carried by wooden floor beams or brackets nor be hung or supported by metal stirrups from wood or metal construction

Section 2806 Corbeling of chimneys The total offset overhang or corbel of an independent chimney in other than First class construction shall not exceed three-eighths the width of the chimney in the direction of the offset Corbeled chimneys shall not be supported by hollow walls or walls of hollow units and corbeling shall not project more than one inch per course and not more than twelve (12) inches in any case

Section 2807 Chimneys through and above roofs No increase of chimney wall thickness nor any projecting masonry or setback shall be permitted within a distance of six (6) inches above or below rafters or roof joists Chimneys shall be built at least three (3) feet above flat roofs and not less than two (2) feet above the ridge of gable and hip roofs or the high point of mansards

Section 2808 Fireplaces Fireplace walls shall be not less than eight (8) inches thick and if built of stone or hollow units not less than twelve (12) inches thick The faces of all such minimum thickness walls exposed to fire shall be lined with firebrick hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick soapstone cast iron or other suitable fire resistive material When lined with four (4) inches of firebrick or hard-burned brick such lining may be included in the required minimum thickness All fireplaces and all chimney breasts with openings shall have trimmer arches or other approved fire-resistive construction supporting hearths The arches and hearths shall be not less than twelve (12) inches wide measured from the face of the chimney breast and not less than twelve (12) inches wider than the opening on either side The arches shall be of brick stone or hollow tile not less than four (4) inches thick A flat slab of slate or similar stone or a reinforced concrete slab may be used to carry the hearth instead of an arch if it be properly supported and a suitable fill be provided between it and the hearth Hearths shall be of brick stone tile or other incombustible material Wood centering under a trimmer arch shall be removed after the masonry has thoroughly set No heater burning solid liquid or gaseous fuel shall be placed in a fireplace which does not conform to the foregoing requirements

Section 2809 Flues Flues shall be built as nearly vertical as possible but in no case at an angle greater than forty-five (45) degrees from the vertical other than in First class construction Where flues change direction the abutting linings at the angle joints shall be built to fit closely Not more than two lined flues shall be permitted in the same flue space and the joints of any such adjoining flue linings shall be staggered at least seven (7) inches When there are more than two flues in a chimney at least each third flue shall be separated from the others by a smoke-tight withe or division wall of masonry or concrete not less than four (4) inches thick and bonded into the chimney walls Each flue intended for a heating furnace or boiler connection or for a fireplace shall be separated from other flues by such a withe When any single flue has an effective area exceeding two hundred (200) square inches the walls shall be not less than eight (8) inches thick and shall have flue lining as previously specified but when flues become so large as to render it impracticable to obtain fire clay lining such flues shall be lined with fire brick for a distance of at least twenty-five (25) feet from the point of intake The effective area of any flue shall be considered as the full area if a round flue and as the largest circle or oval which could be inscribed in a square or oblong flue Ordinary and low pressure heating devices burning solid fuels shall have a minimum effective flue area not less than the following

Small special stoves and heaters .....28 square inches
Stoves ranges and room heaters .....40 square inches
Fireplaces (at least 1/12 the fireplace opening) .....
.....50 square inches
Warm air furnaces steam and hot water boilers in buildings over two stories in height .....70 square inches

The construction and size of flues to be used for oil and gas fired furnaces boilers and automatic water heaters shall be the same as required for corresponding appliances burning solid fuel except that in the case of a vent for a domestic water heater the same may be connected into a similar flue from a heating apparatus when in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief Vent flues for non-automatic water heaters stoves ranges and other domestic gas appliances having relatively small gas consumption (excepting gas plates and portable gas heating appliances) shall have a flue area of not less than ten (10) square inches Such flues unless enclosed in solid masonry walls shall be of incombustible material not less than three-fourths of an inch thick with air tight joints and shall vent to the outside air

Section 2810 Thimbles and intakes A thimble or flueing of fire clay metal or masonry shall be suitable installed on the side of any chimney where smokepipe enters or is intended to enter a flue The top of such intakes shall be set not less than eighteen (18) inches below any ceiling of sheet metal wood lath and plaster or exposed wooden beams No thimble shall enter a chimney within six (6) inches of any wood-work When a smokepipe enters a chimney breast through a studded-off combustible partition the thimble of such smokepipe shall be kept six (6) inches clear of all woodwork and if plastered shall be surrounded by metal lath

Section 2811 Incinerators A flue serving a non-fuel fired incinerator combustion chamber having grate-area of nine (9) square feet or less shall have enclosing walls of hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick four (4) inches thick and shall be lined with standard fire-clay flue lining or shall be constructed to conform to the following requirements A flue serving a no-fuel fired incinerator combustion chamber having a grate-area exceeding nine (9) square feet shall be enclosed by hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick four (4) inches thick with a lining of four (4) inches of fire brick for a distance of not less than thirty (30) feet above the roof of the combustion chamber beyond this point flue enclosing walls shall consist of hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick not less than eight (8) inches thick Flues or stacks for fuel fired incinerators shall be lined with four (4) inches of fire brick for a distance of forty (40) feet above incinerator breeching Flues or stacks of rubbish and waste material incinerators shall be enclosed by eight (8) inches of hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick and a lining of four (4) inches of fire brick laid in fire clay Such fire brick linings shall extend to the top of the flue or stack An incinerator of this type or of the fuel fired type may connect to a boiler or similar stack if the area of the stack is at least four times the area of the incinerator breeching All flues or stacks shall terminate in a substantially constructed spark arrester When an incinerator flue is used as a garbage depositing chute it shall have approved doors in each opening and access to such flue shall not be within the building The vestibules of firetowers may be adapted to this purpose When such chutes occur in First class buildings the access doors may be within the building The area and heights of incinerator flues and the construction of enclosing walls of combustion chambers which must be of masonry shall be in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief

Section 2812 Testing and tightness of flues If after completion there be any doubt as to the tightness or safety of

any flues to which large ranges heating furnaces boilers automatic gas water heaters fireplaces or incinerators are to be connected they shall be subjected to a smoke test but the test shall not be made until the mortar has thoroughly seasoned The test shall be made by the masonry contractor in the presence of the building inspector or other person designated by the Chief and any flue proved to be leaky shall be abated as a nuisance and rebuilt tight All chimneys in any building already erected which shall be dangerous in any manner whatever shall be repaired and made safe or taken down

Section 2813 Woodwork around chimneys and fireplaces All such woodwork shall be placed in conformity with the requirements governing same in Chapter 24 of this code

CHAPTER 29 Heating and Cooking Apparatus Pipes and Appliances

Section 2900 No boiler to be used for steam or motive power no furnace and no hotel or restaurant type of range oven or similar apparatus where high temperatures occur shall be placed on any floor above the cellar unless the same is set on non-combustible beams and arches or an incombustible platform extending not less than fifteen (15) inches beyond the base in all directions and in no case without a permit from the Bureau No permanent or stationary heating apparatus of any kind whatever shall be introduced in any building now erected without a permit from the Bureau

Section 2901 Location of heating apparatus All boilers furnaces or other similar heating apparatus shall be so located as to provide a distance of not less than three (3) feet from any unprotected woodwork or wood lath and plaster Where combustible ceilings walls or partitions occur closer than three feet to such heating apparatus such ceilings walls or partitions shal be properly protected with incombustible material to an extent not less than twelve (12) inches beyond the outline of such apparatus Where the distance is less than one foot all such heating apparatus shall be shielded as herein provided for stoves and ranges using solid fuel The tops of all boilers or furnaces set in brick shall be covered with brick slate or metal supported by metal bars and so constructed as to be perfectly tight said covering to be in addition to and at least six (6) inches from the ordinary covering to the hot air chamber

Section 2902 Location of stoves and ranges (Solid fuel) Stoves an dranges using solid fuel and having an enclosed base shall be set upon solid masonry foundations or hollow or porous masonry arches or hearths not less than fur (4) inches thick and extending not less than six (6 inches beyond the base on all sides and twelve (12) inches on the front If such hearths are built upon wooden floors the latter shall first be covered with sheet metal or ⅛-inch asbestos board Such stoves and ranges supported by rigid legs and which have at least a four inch clearance under ash pans may be set upon wood floors when such floors are protected by heavy sheet metal extending not less than twelve (12) inches beyond the front and not less than six (6) inches beyond the sides and back of the same Where any such stoves or ranges are set less than eighteen (18) inches from any wood lath and plaster or less than twelve (12) inches from any incombustible lath and plaster the studding shall be cut away and framed to a height of not less than three (3 feet above the top and one foot from the side of the stove or range and the space from floor to header filled in with brick an dother incombustible material laid in cement mortar or the same shall be protected in such manner as may be set forth in regulations promulgated by the Chief

Section 2903 Furnaces stoves and ranges (Liquid fuels) All heating and cooking apparatus using liquid fuel shall be located as provided for apparatus using solid fuel and together with its piping and fuel storage shall be otherwise installed and maintained in accordance with regulations promulgated by the Chief and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

Section 2904 Smokepipes All smokepipes shall enter chimneys on a vertical face connecting to the flue through a thimble or intake in the chimney wall as elsewhere provided Smokepipes shall be located not less than eighteen (18) inches from any unprotected woodwork or any wood lath and plaster unless protected as hereinafter provided when the minimum clearance shall be six (6) inches Such protection shall consist of a sheet metal shield or its equivalent set out at least one inch from the surface to be protected extending the full length of the stovepipe and not less than twelve (12) inches beyond its edges Smokepipes shall not pass through any floor nor through a combustible roof A smokepipe shall not pass through a combustible partition or wall construction unless a section of the construction is removed and the smokepipe is insulated from the construction by a galvanized iron double-walled ventilated thimble having a diameter of not less than twelve (12) inches larger than the pipe or by not less than four inches of incombustible construction Smokepipes shall not be permitted in closets nor in concealed air spaces and shall not be permitted to connect with the chimney in an attic All smokepipes shall be firmly connected at the inlet and outlet and shall be securely anchored in position throughout

Section 2905 Warm-air pipes and registers Horizontal warm-air furnace pipes shall be placed not less than six (6) inches below wooden floor joists or wood lath and plaster ceilings if the floor joists or ceiling are protected by metal lath and plaster or the pipe is covered with not less than one-half inch of corrugated asbestos or equal insulation the distance from the woodwork or wood lath and plaster may be reduced to not less than three (3) inches Cold-air ducts for warm-air furnaces shall be made of incombustible material for a distance of at least three (3) feet from the furnace Warm-air ducts or pipes passing through combustible partitions or floor shall be protected by ventilated thimbles providing for not less than three (3) inches of air space Warm-air ducts or pipes contained within combustible partition or ceiling construction shall be doubled metal with not less than ⅜-inch space between or shall be single metal ducts or pipes securely covered with asbestos or equal insulation No such pipe or covering shall be closer than one inch to any wood studding joist or floor unless the same be protected by metal or asbestos and metal lath or wire lath shall be used to cover that portion of the partitions or ceilings in which the warm-air ducts or pipes are located Warm-air registers in floors or partitions shall be set in metal slate or other incombustible frames which will provide not less than three inch air space between the register opening and any combustible construction to which the frame is attached The register boxes shall be of sheet metal and be kept not less than one inch from any unprotected woodwork

Section 2906 Openings through floors and partitions Pipe holes or other small openings through floors or partitions shall be protected by continuous metal sleeves properly flanged at each end

Section 2907 Installation of wall heaters When a gas or electric heater is installed in a wood stud wall or partition all wooden surfaces adjacent to the heater and the space between the studs behind above and below the heater shall be protected in accordance with standard practice as promulgated by the Chief

PART IV CLASSIFICATION

CHAPTER 30 Classification of Buildings Based on Types of Construction

Section 3000 All buildings shall be classified according to types of construction occupancies floor areas heights and districts where located in conformity with this Part of the code

Section 3001 All buildings shall be divided into the following classes of construction and First Class Type A shall be deemed to be the most fire-resistive type of construction and Fourth Class Type B the least fire-resistive type of construction

The terms "fireproofed" and "fire-protected" shall be understood to have the specific meanings given to them in chapter twenty-seven

First Class Type A)
First Class Type B) Fireproofed construction
First Class Type C)
Intermediate Class Fireprotected construction
Second Class Type A)
Second Class Type B) Slow-burning construction
Third Class Ordinary construction
Fourth Class Type A) Metal Frame construction
Fourth Class Type B) Wood Frame construction

CHAPTER 31 Walls and Partitions

Section 3100 Exterior and inner court walls Exterior or inner court walls for all classes of construction except as specifi-

cally permitted elsewhere shall be divided into the following
Wall Bearing Type in which the wall carries loads other than its own weight This type of wall shall be of masonry or reinforced concrete as permitted in the Chapter on Masonry It may be used in all classes of construction provided that proper means are taken to give it lateral support and provided that wind and other horizontal forces are resisted by the floors columns or other structural parts of the building

Self Supporting Type in which the wall carries its own weight but no other load This type of wall shall conform to the requirements for and be used as permitted in the Chapter on Masonry

Spandrel Type in which the wall is supported at each floor and carries no load other than its own weight This type of wall may be either solid masonry or reinforced concrete hollow masonry or a combination of any of these It may be used in all classes of construction provided that it is carried on and braced laterally by fireproofed construction

Section 3101 Partitions In buildings of the First and Intermediate classes of construction partitions shall be of incombustible materials as prescribed in Chapter 23 and in buildings of Second class construction partitions may be of two or more layers of plank of a total thickness of not less than three inches spiked together so that the joists are not parallel except as elsewhere required

Section 3102 Office partitions In buildings or sections thereof used for office purposes where fireproofed partitions are called for wood rails or partitions may be ussd provided that they do not extend to within eighteen inches of the ceiling or wood office partitions may be used up to the ceiling provided that not less than one third of their area is of glass In all cases where wood is used the building or section thereof shall be occupied by one tenant only

Section 3103 Floor openings The enclosure of all elevators stairs and fire towers shall be as called for in chapter forty

All other openings in floors not designed for the passage of people through them but used for pipe ducts dumb waiters etc shall be enclosed in fireproofed shafts

CHAPTER 32 First Class Buildings Fireproofed Construction

Section 3200 "First Class Type A" defined First Class Type A Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame and the floor systems is in intimate contact with all parts of the steel and the floor systems are rigidly connected to the skeleton frame

Section 3201 "First Class Type B" defined First Class Type A Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame is in intimate contact with all parts of the steel and the floor systems are of steel rigidly connected to the skeleton frame and fireproofed on the top and bottom flanges but need not be in contact

Section 3202 "First Class Type C" defined First Class Type C Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame entirely envelops each member but need not be in intimate contact with the steel and the floor systems are of steel which need not be rigidly connected to the skeleton frame and which is fireproofed on the top and bottom flanges but need not be in contact

CHAPTER 33—Intermediate Class Buildings Fire-protected Construction

Section 3300 "Intermediate Class" defined Intermediate Class Buildings shall be constructed in accordance with the requirements or First Class Type C buildings as specified in section 3202 except that the structural frames and floor systems may be fire-protected instead of fire-proofed and each individual member of the skeleton frame need not be entirely enveloped

CHAPTER 34 Second Class Buildings—Slow-burning Construction

Section 3400 "Second Class Type A" defined Second Class Type A Guildings shall have floors and roofs of heavy timber of the following minimum sizes columns or posts 8 inches beams and girders 6 inches floor planking 3 inches roof planking 2 inches

Section 3401 "Second Class Type B" defined Second Class Type B Buildings shall conform to the requirements of Second Class Type A buildings except that columns beams and girders may be fireprotected steel or of reinforced concrete

CHAPTER 35 Third Class Buildings Ordinary Construction

Section 3500 "Third Class Buildings" defined Third Class Buildings shall have floors and roofs of timber in which the floor joists shall not be less than three inches thick in occupancies for which the live load prescribed in Chapter seven exceed one hundred pounds per square foot and in no case less than two inches thick and in all cases the roof rafters shall not be less than two inches thick and the floor and roof planking not less than one inch thick Structural steel may be used without fire-proofing or fire-protection unless such steel supports bearing walls or fire partitions

Section 3501 Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the Bureau from issuing permits for buildings of third class construction having incombustible walls other than masonry if the walls are fireprotected where buildings of the fourth class are permitted

CHAPTER 36 Fourth Class Buildings Metal Frame and Wood Frame Construction

Section 3600 "Fourth Class Type A" defined Fourth Class Type A buildings shall be those having frames of unprotected structural steel wherein the walls are of sheet meeal or other incombustible materials supported on steel masonry or concrete

Section 3601 "Fourth Class Type B" defined Fourth Class Type B Buildings may be of timber the studding joists or rafters of which are not less than 2 inches thick and the sheathing and siding not less than one inch thick or the studding may be covered with stucco not less than one inch thick reinforced with metal furred out three-eighths of an inch and shall have foundations of masonry or concrete

Section 3602 Councils of cities of the First Class may by general ordinance define the limits within which frame buildings may be erected regulate the erection of frame buildings and permit and regulate the erection of frame sheds on wharves or elevators for the storage of grain coal and lumber

CHAPTER 37 Classification of Buildings Based on Occupancy

Section 3700 For the purposes of this code all buildings shall be divided into the following groups In the event that a building should not fall within one of these groups its grouping shall be determined by the Chief

Section 3701 Human occupancy

Special hazards

A Theatres and motion picture parlors

Ordinary hazards

B Dance Halls Amusement Park Structures Convention Halls Stadiums Exhibition Halls Restaurants School Churches any room of 2500 sq ft or over in a school or church possible to be used for dancing any room with fixed seats of 2500 sq ft in a school or church rooms for athletic activities armories gymnasiums libraries railroad passenger stations museums

Institutional

C Hospitals Sanitariums Orphanages Asylums for the feeble-minded Nurseries Old Folk's Homes accommodating six or more Jails and Prisons Reformatories and Houses of Correction Monasteries and Convents accommodating ten or more Municipal Fire and Police Stations

Residential

D Hotels Apartment Houses Lodging Houses Dormitories Fraternity Houses and Clubs

E Dwellings

Office Buildings etc

F Office Buildings Public Baths and Swimming Pools

Section 3702 Commercial occupancy

Highly hazardous

M Buildings for the manufacture of highly inflammable or explosive materials etc

Hazardous

N Buildings for the storage of highly inflammable or explosive materials etc paint or oil storage buildings dry cleaning establishments paint shops planing mills box factories wood-working shops mattress factories filling stations gas stations

Semi-hazardous

O Public Garages
P Private Garage

Ordinary usage

Q Wholesale or Retail Stores or Salesrooms Factories or Shops not using highly combustible or inflammable materials etc Buildings or Shops for the storage or sale of ordinary combustible goods Printing Plants Creameries and Cold storage Plants

Non-hazardous

R Power Plants Ice Plants Pumping Plants Factories or Shops for Incombustible or Non-explosive materials etc Buildings for the storage of incombustible or non-explosive materials etc

Accessories and appurtenances

S Signs Water Tanks and Towers Sheds Fences etc

Section 3703 Mixed occupancy When a building is used for two or more occupancies which are not of the same group it shall conform in all respects to the most stringent requirements of any of the groups to which the occupancies pertain unless the building is divided into sections containing the different occupancies by horizontal and vertical fire divisions

Section 3704 Exception No building of a Highly Hazardous Commercial occupancy (Group M) shall be used for any other purpose than for accessories and appurtenances (Group S) in connection only with its own use

Section 3705 Exits When a building is used by occupancies coming under different groups firetowers and stairs may be used in common provided that each occupancy has its own separate entrance to each firetower or stairs independent of the other occupancy or occupancies A firetower required by one occupancy may be used as a stairs by an occupancy not requiring a firetower

Section 3706 Change of occupancy When the use or the character of the occupancy of any building is changed from one group to another group such building if not conforming to the requirements for the proposed use or occupancy shall be remodeled to comply with the requirements of this code for the proposed use or occupancy

Section 3707 Group R buildings classified under Group R with structural steel columns and floor and roof systems not fireproofed or fireprotected from the inside shall be considered First Class Buildings Steel roof decking properly insulated and weatherproofed may be used in group R buildings or in one story buildings of commercial occupancy except groups M and N without fireproofing or fireprotection on the outside in conformity otherwise with this Section provided the building is separated on all sides from other structures by not less than 25 feet

Section 3708 Group S construction Accessories and Appurtenances of steel not fireproofed or fire-protected in connection with the exterior of a building may be considered as not lowering the class of the building

CHAPTER 38 Requirements based on Floor Area

Section 3800 Should the area of any floor of a building exceed in any case the maximum areas hereinafter given the said floor shall be subdivided by fire walls or fire division walls

Maximum Undivided Floor Areas

Commedcial and Industrial Occupancies	One Street Frontage		Two Street Frontage		Three Street Frontage	
	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled
First Class A..	Unlimited	25,000	Unlimited	30,000	Unlimited	Unlimited
First Class B ..	27,500	20,000	30,000	25,000	Unlimited	30,000
First Class C ..	25,000	17,500	27,500	22,500	30,000	25,000
Inter. Class	22,500	15,000	25,000	20,000	27,500	22,500
Second Class ..	20,000	10,000	22,500	15,000	25,000	17,500
Third Class ...	10,000	5,000	15,000	7,500	20,000	10,000

Section 3801 A paved driveway 25 feet wide may be classed as a street For human occupancies the above areas may be increased by 20 per cent

Section 3802 No building of a highly hazardous commercial occupancy Group M as specified in Section 3702 shall have an undivided floor area greater than one-half of those hereinbefore given and in any case the said building shall be sprinkled and the undivided floor area shall not exceed twenty-five thousand square feet

Section 3803 This chapter shall not apply to private dwellings nor to one story buildings used only for the storage of or the working in non-combustible materials

Section 3804 No building used as a garage or automobile service station or for any similar purposes which is not of first class construction shall be erected to a greater height than two stories nor have an undivided floor area exceeding five thousand square feet provided that one-story buildings of second class construction used for the purpose set forth in this section may have an undivided floor area of ten thousand square feet

Section 3805 Third Class Buildings with floor and roof plank of 1¾ inches or more may have a maximum floor area of 7,500 square feet and Second Class Buildings one story high sprinkled may have a maximum floor area of 50,000 sq. ft.

3806 Fourth Class Type A may be used only for Commercial Occupancy and for floor areas the same as Intermediate Class

Fourth Class Type B may be used for floor areas the same as Third Class Commercial Occupancy

Section 3806 All one story buildings not over five thousand square feet in area of commercial occupancy with non-combustible contents may be of Fourth Class Type A construction

CHAPTER 39 Requirements based on Height

Section 3900 All buildings of commercial occupancy over 85 feet high wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width shall be of First Class Type A construction

Section 3901 All buildings of human occupancy over 85 feet high wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width and all unsprinkled buildings of commercial occupancy over 85 feet high shall be of a grade not lower than First Class Type B construction

Section 3902 All buildings other than defined in Section 3900 and 3901 over 85 feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than First Class Type C construction provided that for commercial occupancies the floor systems are rigidly connected

Section 3903 All buildings not more than eight stories and not over 85 feet in height and all buildings of any height used for forcible detention such as jails prisons and asylums and all buildings over two stories in height used as schools hospitals or for similar occupancies shall be of a grade not

lower than Intermediate Class construction except as provided in Section 3904

Section 3904 All buildings not more than six stories and not over 75 feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than Second Class construction except as provided in Section 3905

Section 3905 All buildings not more than four stories and not over fifty feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than Third Class construction provided that all ceilings all vertical enclosures all bearing partitions and store enclosures and all divisions between tenants are fireprotected except as provided in Section 3906

Section 3906 All buildings not more than three stories and not over forty feet in height except dwellings shall be of a grade not lower than third class construction provided that the ceilings and other separations of cellars and basements and all store enclosures in buildings containing sleeping quarters shall be fireprotected

Section 3907 All buildings not more than three stories and not over forty feet in height may be of Fourth Class Type B construction within certain districts defined by the Councils of Cities of the First Class provided that all interior fireprotective requirements of Section 3903 are complied with

PART V EGRESS

CHAPTER 40 Means of Egress

Section 4000 Scope The provisions of this part of the Code shall apply to all buildings over two stories in height except Theatres Motion Picture Houses and Dwellings all of which are specified in the separate sections thereon

Section 4001 Stairs All stairs in buildings of the First and Intermediate Classes for human occupancy shall be entirely closed in walls of hard incombustible materials not less than six inches thick except that the main stairs from the first to second floors and first floor mezzanine stories may be unenclosed

All stairs in buildings of the First and Intermediate Classes for Commercial Occupancy any floor area of which above the first floor exceeds 5000 square feet shall be entirely enclosed in walls of hard incombustible materials not less than six inches thick The main stairs from the first to a messanine in the first story may be unenclosed All stairs in buildings of other than First and Intermediate Classes any floor area of which above the first floor is 3500 square feet or over shall be enclosed in not less than nine inches of solid masonry

All stairs in buildings of other than the First and Intermediate classes any floor of which other than the first floor is less than 3500 square feet and exceeds 2000 square feet shall be enclosed in not less than three inches of solid plank or two inches of solid plaster on metal lath or other fireprotected construction supported by incombustible studding

All stairs in buildings of lesser area per floor than provided above in this section but not more than three stories in height may be unenclosed unless used for sleeping purposes

Enclosure walls in buildings other than of the First and Intermediate Classes shall extend not less than three feet above the roof

All doors in enclosures of six inches or more shall be of metal or wood doors covered with metal acceptable to the Chief

Windows shall have metal frames and sash All glass shall be wire glass no pane of which shal exceed two hundred and fifty square inches

The stairs in buidings of the First and Intermediate Classes shall be of incombustible construction

No riser shall exceed eight inches and no tread shall be less than nine inches exclusive of any nosing

A metal skylight with wire glass or windows having an area of one fourth that of the shaft shall be provided above the top landing A stair which does not extend down to the ground shall be sealed off at the bottom by fireproof construction

Buildings for Human Occupancy other than the First Class may have stair enclosures of fire protected construction

Section 4002 Elevators The enclosure of elevators shall conform to the requirements for stairs except that they shall be enclosed throughout the entire shaft with incombustible material when more than one elevator is used the entire group may be contained within one enclosure

Section 4003 Shafts and Ducts All other vertical openings shall be enclosed as called for in Part IV on classifications

Section 4004 Fire Towers Tower fire escapes shall be provided in accordance with Section 4013 and shall be separated from the building by and completely enclosed with walls not less than 8 inches in thickness of brick or such other solid fireproof materials as shall be accepted by the Bureau The said walls in buildings other than of the First or Intermediate Classes shall be built solidly from the foundation to and at least thirty-six inches above the roof

The roof of said tower shall be built of hard incombustible materials

The stairs of said tower may be of wood but in all cases there must be provided stone or iron thresholds iron frames or wood frames covered with metal and iron doors or wood doors covered with tin The rise of said stairs shall not be more than eight (8) inches and the tread not less than nine (9) inches exclusive of any nosing

The entrance to said tower shall be by means of an outside balcony or an incombustible vestibule of which one side shall be entirely open and extend from the top of floor to under side of ceiling and the full width of the tower The said open side to face a street or such space as provides for exit of said tower There shall be a brick wall or other wall of hard incombustible material separating the tower from the vestibule The opening into tower from said vestibule shall be not over seven (7) feet in height The floor ceiling and sides of said vestibule shall be of hard incombustible material

The rails inclosing the side facing the open space or street shall be not over four (4) feet high and not less than three (3) feet and may be open or inclosed

The entrance to the tower from the building shall be through the vestibule

Towers that have not the fireproof vestibule shall have outside balconies the floors of which shall be built of solid hard incombustible material and be of sufficient strength to carry the imposed loads

The rails around the balconies shall be not over four (4) feet in height nor less than three (3) feet and may be inclosed or open

Not more than one half the fire towers may be stopped at the second floor and metal fire escapes with drop ladders acceptable to the Chief provided from the second floor to the grounds No fire tower shall extend below the street level and in no case to a cellar or basement

If locks are placed on any door of a fire tower they shall be of the type known as panic bolts

Section 4005 Horizontal Exits A horizontal exit shall be considered as a protected opening through a fire wall to another area provided with legal exits or a bridge to another building provided with legal exits When two buildings or two areas of one building are connected by means of horizontal exits then the other exit facilitation called for for each or both may be reduced by one third

Section 4006 Cellars and Basements The exits from a cellar or a basement or other story below shall in no case be less than two

Section 4007 Roofs One half the fire towers and not less than one shall serve the roof of a building unless the roof is occupied in which case it shall count as a floor

Section 4008 Area The word area used in this part of the Code shall be defined as Floor Area in the chapter on Definitions

Section 4009 Office Buildings and Schools Buildings of the First Class or intermediate Classes used for office purpose occupancies above the first floor and school buildings of First Class construction need not require a fire tower Enclosed stairs shall be provided one when the area of any floor above the second is five thousand square feet or less and two for areas greater than five thousand square feet Partitions between corridors and stairs may be metal with glazed windows

Section 4010 Public Assembly For any building or portion therof coming under Group B there shall be provided one fire tower for every seventy-five hundred (7500) square feet of area so used

Section 4011 Ramp Fire Towers Ramp fire towers may be substituted for the stair type of fire towers in buildings under Group C The width of the ramp and its grade shall be acceptable to the Chief

Section 4012 Special Fire Towers The Chief is permitted to approve the use of double fire towers of the scissors type

or stairs of greater width than four feet These may be considered as reducing the requirements hereinafter stated in such manner as the Chief shall direct provided the doors balconies and other details are in his opinion sufficient

Section 4013 Fire Tower Requirements All buildings other than as noted above shall have fire towers as required below in addition to the main stairs or other exits

First and Intermediate Class of Construction

One Fire Tower

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	25,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	20,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	15,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	12,000
Stories	7	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	10,000
Stories	8	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	9,000
Stories	9	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	8,000
Stories	10	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	7,500
Stories	11	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	7,000
Stories	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	6,500
over	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	65,000

Two Fire Towers

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	50,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	40,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	30,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	25,000
Stories	7	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	22,000
Stories	8	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	20,000
Stories	9	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	18,000
Stories	10	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	17,000
Stories	11	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	16,000
Stories	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000
Over	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000

Second and Third Class Buildings

One Fire Tower

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	10,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	6,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	4,500
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	3,500

Two Fire Towers

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	12,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	10,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	8,000

Section 4014 Chief to approve The Chief shall determine what additional fire towers are needed for areas greater than the above

The location of fire towers shall be as required by [him] the Chief

Section 4015 Sprinkler For buildings of Human Occupancy which are sprinkled in areas given in Section may be increased ten percent

Section 4016 Enclosed Passages An enclosed passage with walls similar to the fire tower and with floors and ceilings fireproofed may connect a fire tower to the outside but there shall be no opening into it other than at the fire tower and the street and it shall not be longer than fifty feet

Section 4017 Exit Doors The exit doors from all places of public assembly and from all buildings covered by this part of the Code shall open outwardly

PART VI PLACES OF AMUSEMENT

CHAPTER 41 Theatres and other Places of Amusement

Section 4100 Application of chapter Every building hereafter erected or altered and designed to be used as a public theatre opera house or other building intended for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainment of any kind where stage scenery and apparatus are employed shall be built to comply with the requirements of this chapter but all theatres or places of amusement now existing may be altered providing such alteration does not amount to a virtual reconstruction thereof so as to make it a new building No building which of this act is not in actual use January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty for theatrical or operatic purposes and no building hereafter erected not in conformity with the requirements of this chapter shall be used for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainments of any kind where stage scenery and apparatus are employed until the same shall have been made to conform to the requirements of this chapter

Section 4101 Exceptions None of the provisions of this chapter shall apply to any hall club place of worship or other place not devoted to the business of such public entertainments so as to prohibit the giving of a single or occasional theatrical vaudeville or operatic performance therein if a permit for each such entertainment shall first be obtained from the proper licensing authorities of such cities

Section 4102 Drawings Before proceeding with the erection or aleration of any building to be used for theatrical or operatic purposes the owner or his agent shall submit for approval to the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection detailed drawings showing the size of the auditorium balconies galleries foyers lobbies boxes loges courts passages corridors and stairs the size location and number of exits the number width and length of all aisles the number and width of all seats with the distance between rows back to back and their arrangement and complete details of the curtain and its lifting mechanism Such owner or his agent shall also submit to both the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief of the Bureau of Fire for their approval detailed drawings showing the location of the standpipes and the size and number thereof the number and character of hose outlets the location size and arrangement of piping the location and spacing of sprinklers valves alarms and Fire Department couplings and the character of interior water supply from tank or city mains

Section 4103 Approval No building described in Section 4100 of this chapter shall be opened to the public for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainments of any kind where stage scenery or apparatus are employed until the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively shall have approved the same in writing as conforming to the requirements of this chapter and the mayors of the said cities shall refuse to issue any license for any such building and shall close the same and prevent its opening until a certificate in writing of such approval shall have been given by the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively

Section 4104 Type of construction Every such building hereafter erected shall be of First Class Type A Construction

Means of Egress

Section 4105 Frontage and street exits Every theatre accommodating three hundred (300) persons shall have at least two exits When accommodating five hundred (500) persons at least three exits shall be provided these exits not referring to or including the exits to the open court at the sides of the theatre

Every such building shall have at least one front on the street which shall be as wide as the widest part of the auditorium or assembly hall and in such front there shall be suitable means of entrance and exit for the audience unless there shall also be a way or passage leading directly from the auditorium to another street in which case the means of entrance and exit by such way or passage shall be taken into consideration and to such extent as they shall furnish entrances and exits and if they shall be of sufficient width to meet the requirements of this chapter there need be no means of entrance or exit in front saving by the side courts hereafter stipulated for Any building located on a street having a width thereon as wide as the widest part of the auditorium or assembly hall shall be considered as having a front on said street within the meaning of this chapter if in addition thereto there shall be a way or passage leading from said theatre to another street which way or passage shall be of a width not less than twenty-five (25) feet in the clear

The entrance of the main front of the building shall not be on a higher or lower level from the sidewalk than four steps unless approved by the Bureau

Each exit shall be at least five (5) feet in width in the clear and provided with doors of incombustible material All of said doors shall open outwardly and must be fastened with panic bolts

Section 4106 Exits to courts In addition to the aforesaid entrances and exits on the street there shall be reserved for service in case of an emergency an open court or space on each side of the auditorium not bordering on a street

The unobstructed clear width of every such open court or space shall be not less than eight (8) feet where the total number of persons to be accommodated in the auditorium is not over seven hundred (700) increasing proportionatly in width above eight (8) feet in the ratio of one foot for every five hundred (500) persons above seven hundred (700) to be accommodated

Every such open court or space shall extend from each and every exit required to lead thereto to a street or open public space and opening thereon either directly or through a corridor or passageway of fireproof construction not less than ten (10) feet high in the clear having an unobstructed clear width equal to that required for the open court or space and seperated completely by solid walls floors and ceilings from the building or structure through which it passes provided that no such corridor or passageway shall pass under any portion of the auditorium or stage

Any open court or space may be used in common for two or more auditoriums provided the unobstructed clear width of such open court or space is equal to that required for the total number of persons to be accommodated in all the auditoriums opening on the same

If there be in addition to the front on a street a way or passage of the width aforesaid leading into another street then it will be sufficient if said open court or courts shall extend along the auditorium on each side thereof to said front on said street on which the theatre shall be located

Said courts or corridors shall have no projection in the same the outer openings to be provided with doors or gates opening toward the street

From the auditorium opening into the said open courts or on a street there shall not be less than two exits on each side in each tier from and including the parquet and each and every gallery

The said open courts and corridors shall not be used for storage purposes or for any purpose whatsoever except for exit and entrance from and to the auditorium and stage and must be kept free and clear during performances

Section 4107 Exit doorways Doorways of exit or entrance for use of the people shall not be less than five (5) feet in width and there shall be five (5) doorways for the first five hundred (500) persons and an additional five (5) foot doorway for each two hundred (200) persons or portion thereof thereafter

These doorways of exit and of entrance may be in the said front altogether or in the case of a theatre having also an exit and entrance directly to and from another street through a way or passage covered or otherwise of a width not less than twenty-five (25) feet in the clear some of the said doorways may be made therein to such extent as said entrance or passage will accommodate the same

All doors of exit or entrance shall open outwardly and be hung to swing in such manner as not to become an obstruction in a passage or corridor and no such doors shall be locked from the inside during any presentation or when the building is open to the public

Section 4108 Foyers lobbies and corridors The aggregate capacity of the foyers lobbies corridors passages and rooms for the use of the audience not including aisle space between seats shall on each floor or gallery be sufficient to contain the entire number to be accommodated on said floor or gallery in the ratio of one hundred and fifty (150) square feet of floor room for every one hundred (100) persons

The level of said corridors at the front entrance to the building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk where they being at the street entrance

Section 4109 Aisles All aisles on the respective floors in the auditorium having seats on both sides of same shall not be less than three (3) feet wide where they begin and shall be increased in width towards the exits in the ratio of one and one-half (1½) inches to five (5) running feet Aisles having seats on one side only shall not be less than two (2) feet wide at their beginning and increased in width the same as aisles having seats on both sides Theatres having three (3) exits to the side courts on each side shall have a cross-over aisle five (5) feet wide connecting the two (2) central exits

Section 4110 Gradients To overcome any slight difference of level in or between courts corridors lobbies passages and aisles gradients or inclined planes shall be employed instead of steps where possible Such gradients shall be not over one (1) foot in ten (10) feet with no perpendicular rise

Section 4111 Gallery exits Distinct and separate places of exit and entrance shall be provided for each gallery above the first A common place of exit and entrance may serve for the main floor of the auditorium and the first gallery provided its capacity be equal to the aggregate capacity of the outlets from the main floor and said gallery No passage leading to any stairway communicating with any entrance or exit shall be less than four (4) feet in width in any part thereof

From the auditorium opening into the said open courts or on the side street there shall be not less than two (2) exits on each side in each tier from and including the parquet and each and every gallery

Section 4112 Staircases in galleries Where the seating capacity is for more than one thousand (1000) people there shall be at least two (2) independent staircases with direct exterior outlets provided for each gallery in the auditorium where there are not more than two (2) galleries and the same shal be located on opposite sides of said galleries Where there are more than two (2) galleries one (1) or more additional staircases shall be provided the outlets from which shall communicate directly with the principal exit or other exterior outlets All said staircases shall be of width proportioned to the seating capacity as elsewhere herein described Where the seating capacity is for one thousand (1000) people or less two (2) direct lines of staircases only shall be required located on opposite sides of the galleries and in both cases shall extend from the sidewalk level to the upper gallery wth outlets for each gallery to each of said staircases Stairs leading to the galleries may be left open on one side in which case they shall be constructed as provided for similar stairs leading from the entrance hall to the main floor of the auditorium No door shall open immediately upon a flight of stairs but a landing at least the width of the door shall be provided between such stairs and door

Section 4113 Stage stairways At least two (2) independent staircases with direct exterior outlets shall also be provided for the service of the stage but they shall not both be located on the same side of the stage

Section 4114 Stairways All stairs within the building shall be constructed of incombustible material througout and the openings to said staircases from each tier shall be of the full width of the stairs In the case of enclosed stairways from balconies or galleries such stairways shall not communicate with the basement or cellar All stairs shall have treads of uniform width and risers of uniform height throughout in each flight Stairways serving for the exit of fifty (50) people shall be at least four (4) feet wide between railings or between walls and for every additional fifty (50) people to be accommodated six (6) inches must be added to their width The width of all stairs shall be measured in the clear between hand rails In no case shall the risers of any stairs exceed seven and one-half (7½) inches in height nor shall the treads exclusive of nosings be less than ten and one-half (10½) inches wide in straight stairs No circular or winding stairs for the use of the public shall be permitted When straight stairs return directly on themselves a landing of the full width of both flights without steps shall be provided Stairs turning at an angle shall have a proper landing without winders introduced at said turn

In stairs when two (2) side flights connect with one (1) main flight no winders shall be introduced and the width of the main flight shall be at least equal to the aggregate width of the side flights All stairs shall have proper landings introduced at convenient distances

Section 4115 Stairway handrails All inclosed staircases shall have on both sides strong handrails firmly secured to the wall about three (3) inches distant therefrom and about three (3) feet above the stairs but said handrails shall not run on level platforms and landings where the same is more in length than the width of the stairs All staircases eight (8) feet and over in width shall be provided with a centre handrail of hard wood or metal not less than two (2) inches in diameter placed at a height of about three (3) feet above the centre of the treads and supported on wrought-

iron or brass standards of sufficient strength placed not farther than four (4) feet apart and securely bolted to the treads or risers of stairs or both

Section 4116 Fire-escapes In the said open court or courts there shall be balconies at each level or tier above the parquet on each side of the auditorium of sufficient length to embrace the two (2) exits and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over eight and one-half (8½) inches to a step and not less than nine (9) inches tread exclusive of the nosing

Said balconies shall be not less than four (4) feet in width where the seating capacity is not over one thousand (1000) five (5) feet in width where the seating capacity is more than one thousand (1000) and not over fifteen hundred (1500) and six (6) feet in width where the seating capacity is over fifteen hundred (1500)

If the said balconies be carried to and connect with an enclosed tower stairway having its exit directly to the street the open courts or corridors hereinbefore described may have deducted from their width the capacity of the staircases herein called for

Every staircase from the galleries and balconies to the court level shall be of the same width as the balcony directly above such staircase and as before mentioned in this section

All the before-mentioned balconies and staircases shall be constructed of iron throughout including the floors which shall be of solid safety tread and of ample strength to sustain the load to be carried by them and they shall be covered with a metal hood or awning to be constructed as shall be directed by the Bureau

Section 4117 Auditorium walls Interior walls built of fireproof materials shall separate the auditorium from the entrance vestibule and from any room or rooms of the same also from any lobbies corridors refreshment or other rooms

Section 4118 Roof and floors of auditorium The roof over the auditorium and the entire main floor of the auditorium and vestibule also the entire floor of the second story of the front superstructure over the entrance lobby and corridors and all galleries and supports for the same in the auditorium shall be constructed of iron or steel and fireproof materials not excluding the use of wooden floor boards and necessary sleepers to fasten the same to but such sleepers shall not mean timbers of support and by the spaces between sleepers excepting a portion under the stepping in the galleries which shall be properly fire stopped shall be solidly filled with incombustible material up to the under side of the floor boards

Section 4119 Partitions and Walls The partitions in that portion of the building which contains the auditorium the entrance and vestibule and every room and passage devoted to the use of the audience shall be constructed of fireproof materials prescribed in Chapter 23 including the furring of outside or other walls The walls separating the actors' dressing rooms together with the partitions dividing the dressing-rooms from the stage and the partitions dividing the dressing rooms together with the partitions of every passageway from the same to the stage and all other partitions on or about the stage shall be constructed of fireproof material prescribed in Chapter 23 All doors in any of said partitions shall be of iron or of wood constructed as hereinbefore described

Section 4120 Proscenium construction A fire wall of solid masonry exceptable to the bureau shall separate the auditorium from the stage and the same shall extend at least four (4) feet above the stage roof or the auditorium roof if the latter be higher and shall be coped If such wall is of the self-supporting bearing type it shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches in thickness if of the standard type supported on a steel frame it shall be not less than nine (9) inches thick Such wall shall not be recessed more than four (4) inches for the introduction of such fixtures as electric switches etc Above the proscenium opening there shall be an iron girder covered with fireproof materials to protect it from the heat The molded frame around the proscenium opening shall be formed entirely of fireproof materials if metal be used the metal shall be filled in solid with non-combustible material and securely anchored to the wall with iron

There shall be no opening through the proscenium wall except the curtain opening and not more than four others which shall be located at or below the level of the stage These latter openings shall not exceed twenty-one (21) superficial feet each and have iron or standard fire doors in each face of the wall securely hung to rabbeted iron frames or rabbets in the brick work or made to slide on track of heavy flat-rolled steel They shall be hung so as to be opened from either side at all times Direct access to these doors shall be provided on both sides and the doorways and approaches shall always be kept free from any incumbrance

Should there be constructed an orchestra over the stage above the proscenium opening the said orchestra shall be placed on the auditorium side of the proscenium fire wall and shall be entered only from the auditorium side of said wall

Section 4121 Fireproof curtain 1 General requirements The proscenium opening shall be provided with a curtain made of incombustible materials and installed to lap the masonry opening not less than eighteen (18) inches on each side and two (2) feet at the top and to intercept flame and smoke and prevent glow from a severe fire on the stage from showing on the auditorium side for a sufficient length of time to permit the safe exit of all persons from the auditorium The period of protection shall be taken as not less than fifteen minues The emergency closing of the curtain in case of fire shall be effected by gravity in less than one minute from the full open position but the last six (6) feet of travel shall require not less than five (5) seconds

2 General design of frame The curtain shall have a rigid framework of steel covered with asbestos cloth on both the auditorium and stage sides

The curtain shall in no case have a thickness of less than five (5) inches nor less than 1/120 of its span

The framework shall have interior members of tubes structural shapes bars or rods of steel The horizontal members to be spaced not more than eight (8) feet apart and the vertical members not more than ten (10) feet apart

The bottom of the curtain shall have a yielding pad of incombustible material not less than three (3) inches thick to form a seal against the floor

3 Covering Both the auditorium and stage sides of the framework shall be covered with a brass wire reinforced close-woven asbestos cloth The cloth shall have a content of ninety five (95) per cent asbestos and shall weigh not less than three (3) pounds per square yard All strips shall be in one continuous length the full height of the curtain the strips of cloth shall be lapped not less than one inch and sewed with two lines of stitching of asbestos thread which shall be of the same or greater strength than the yarns of the cloth

The asbestos cloth covering shall be secured by a clamping strip of 1¼x5/16 half oval iron bolted eight (8) inches on centers to the outside members of the frame

4 Painting The asbestos cloth on both sides of the curtain shall after erection be painted with a mineral paint composed of four (4) parts of casein to ten (10) parts of concentrated solution of sodium silicate to which may be added twenty (20) parts of pigment The paint shall be applied hot and be well brushed into the cloth

5 Curtain Guides The curtain shall be guided throughout its travel by rigid steel guides These guides shall be built integral with the smoke pockets and shall extend from the stage level to a height of twice the height of the proscenium opening plus five (5) feet The smoke pocket shall be not less than a nine (9) inch channel and a fourteen by a quarter 14 x ¼) inch steel plate or equivalent section Such guides and smoke pockets shall be securely bolted in place every four (4) feet to approved anchors built into wall or ¾ inch bolts through the wall and designed to form a stop between the curtain and the wall to prevent smoke and flame from passing around the edges of the curtain

6 Lifting Cables and Rigging The curtain shall be hung on steel lifting cables one at each end and one at intermediate points not over ten (10) feet apart These cables shall be ½ inch in diameter and shall be attached to drums twenty (20) inches in diameter which are keyed fast to a heavy rolled operating shaft

The operating shaft shall run in machined and self-lubricating journals one on each side of each drum and one at each end

The journals shall rest in substantial fireproof supports

The curtain shall be balanced by two counterweights only to such an extent that when released it shall descend by gravity Each counterweight shall be supported by two lifting cables of one-half inch diameter which shall be attached to drums keyed fast to operating shaft Counterweight frame to be made with top and bottom weights connected with one-inch

tie rods to receive counterweight Counteweights to operate on 2½ x 2½ x ⅜ inch tee bar tracks secured to proscenium wall by 2½ x ⅜ inch "U" brackets Each bracket is to be double-bolted to wall Counterweight guides to be set on the stage floor and continue for the full travel of the counterweight frame plus five (5) feet The counterweight tracks at the stage floor shall be enclosed with a sheet metal guard of number 16 metal to a height of eight (8) feet above the stage floor

7 Operating Equipment The curtain shall be normally operated at least once during each performance

The normal operation of the curtain is to be the raising and lowering electrically from one station by ⅜ inch steel tiller cable controlling operating switch and shall be equipped with travel and over-travel limit stops The emergency lowering of the curtain shall be by gravity obtained by under balancing the curtain with reference to the counterweight

Emergency control stations shall be located at each side of the proscenium opening of the stage floor and there shall be at least three quick-acting heat-operated release devices for automatically closing the curtain

For checking the automatic lowering of the curtain an oil dash pot of five-inch diameter cylinder machine bored and fitted with plunger and rod with a sixteen-inch sheave on top of rod with necessary cable for checking the curtain six (6) feet above the floor and then allowing curtain to lower slowly and settle easily on the stage floor

8 Hoisting Machine The hoisting machine to be of simple design and positive in operation to be connected by roller chain and sprockets keyed fast to operating shaft Machine to have machine-cut gears with bronze worm and steel worm direct-connected to a three (3) horsepower electric motor All gears and worms to be enclosed in self-lubricating housings all mounted on a single base plate

9 Approval of Plans and Installations Complete details of a proposed curtain and lifting mechanism shall be submitted to the Bureau and approval obtained before the installation or erection of any proscenium curtain is begun The completed installation shall be similarly approved after operating tests before any theatre is opened for public performances

Section 4122 Stage 1 Construction All that portion of the stage not comprised in the working of scenery traps and other mechanical apparatus for the presentation of a scene usually equal to the width of the proscenium opening shall be built of iron or steel beams filled in between with fireproof materials and all girders for the support of said beams shall be wrought iron or rolled steel The fly galleries entire including pin-rails shall be constructed of iron or steel and the floors of said galleries shall be composed of iron or steel beams filled with fireproof materials and no wood boards or sleepers shall be used as a covering over beams but the said floors shall be entirely fireproof The rigging loft shall be fireproof except the floor covering the same

Iron ladders or stairs securely fixed to the wall on the stage side shall be provided to overcome any difference of level existing between the floor or galleries on the stage side of the fire wall and those on the other side in the auditorium

2 Skylights There shall be provided over the stage metal skylights of an area or a combined area of at least one-eighth of the area of the said stage fitted up with sliding sash and glazed with double thick sheet glass not exceeding one-eighth of an inch thick and each pane therof measuring not less than three hundred square inches and the whole of which skylights shall be so constructed as to open instantly on the cutting or burning of a hempen cord which shall be arranged to hold said skylights closed or some other equally simple approved device for opening them may be provided There shall be provided immediately under the glass of said skylight a wire netting or the skylight may be glazed with wire-glass.

3 Scenery and fittings All stage scenery curtains and decorations made of combustible material and all wood-work in or about the stage shall be saturated with some non-combustible material or otherwise rendered safe against fire to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal and all such stage scenery shall be raised and lowered without the use of counterweights unless such counterweights are so situated that they operate against the wall and do not overhang the stage

Section 4123 Dressing rooms Dressing rooms may be placed in the fly galleries Provided that proper exits are secured therefrom to the fire-escapes in the open courts and that the partitions and other matters pertaining to dressing-rooms shall conform to the requirements herein contained but the stairs leading to the same shall be non-combustible

Dressing rooms shall not be placed under the stage or in or under the auditorium The walls separating the dressing rooms from the stage shall be of solid masonry not less than nine (9) inches in thickness and each opening therein shall be protected with approved automatic-closing fire-doors

Section 4124 Seats All seats in the auditorium excepting those contained in the boxes shall be not less than thirty (30) inches from back to back measured in a horizontal direction and firmly secured to the floor There shall be not more than fourteen (14) seats in any row extending from one aisle to another nor more than seven (7) seats in any row extending from one aisle to a wall No stool or seat shall be placed in any aisle All platforms in galleries formed to receive the seats shall not be more than twenty-one (21) inches in height of riser nor less than thirty (30) inches in width of platform

Section 4125 Heating The heating shall be by means of steam hot water or mechanical hot air Heating apparatus shall be in an approved fireproof room with walls and ceiling constructed of solid masonry not less than nine inches in thickness with entrances to same from the outside Steam or hot water pipes and hot air ducts are not to pierce ceiling Pipes when passing through side walls are to be filled in tight with non-combustible material Air ducts to be filled in tight with non-combustible material and be provided with automatic fire doors or approved automatic louvers of metal plate of not less than twelve U S gauge at wall line

Every steam boiler which may be required for heating or other purposes shall be located outside the building and the space allotted to the same shall be enclosed by walls of masonry on all sides and the ceiling of such space shall be constructed of fireproof materials All doorways in said walls shall have iron doors No coil or radiator shall be placed in any aisle or passageway used as an exit where it forms an obstruction but all said coils and radiators shall be placed in recesses formed in the wall or partition to receive the same All supply return or exhaust pipes shall be properly encased and protected where passing through floors or near woodwork

Section 4126 Lighting 1 Every building described in section 4100 of this chapter shall be lighted throughout by an approved system of incandescent electric lights In addition to the regular lighting system there shall be provided an approved system of emergency lighting to operate automatically on failure of the current

2 Adequacy Every portion of the building devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public also all outlets leading to the streets and including the open courts and corridors shall be well and properly lighted during every performance and the same shall remain lighted until the entire audience has left the premises.

3 Lights in stairs and corridors All lights in the hall corridors lobby or any other part of the said building used by the audience except the auditorimum must be controlled by a separate shut-off located in the lobby and controlled only in that particular place

4 Fireproofing No light shall be inserted in the walls woodwork ceilings or in any part of the building unless protected by incombustibile materials

5 Stage lights All stage lights shall be installed according to the best known methods and subject to the approval of the Bureau of Fire The trough containing the footlights shall be formed of and surrounded by incombustible materials

6 Border lights The vertical border lights at the proscenium opening shall be located inside the asbestos curtain and in substantial metal receptables and shall be permanently fixed in position Hinged or movable border lights will not be allowed under any circumstances and the receptacle for the border lights shall be absolutely clear in every way from any possible contact with the curtain

Section 4127 Fire extinguishing appliances In every building described in section 4100 of this chapter there shall be provided

1 Standpipes Standpipes of four-inch internal diameter or larger shall be provided with two and one-half (2½) inch hose valves and standard City Fire Department couplings on every floor and gallery as follows namely One or more on each side of the auditorium in each tier also one on each side

of the stage in each tier and in the corridors or passageways leading to the dressing rooms property room music rooms storage rooms carpenter and paint shops basements used for mercantile purposes and such other sections as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire who at his discretion may permit a reduction in the pipe size of branch lines supplying single hose outlets in small rooms or passages All such standpipes shall be kept clear of obstructions

2 Hose A proper and sufficient quantity of one and one-half (1½) inch unlined linen hose fitted with a reducer having a two and one-half (2½) inch standard City Fire Department female coupling on one end and a one and one-half (1½) inch male screw coupling on the other and with hose-nozzles of one-half (½) inch diameter attached thereto and with hose spanners at each outlet shall be kept attached in readiness for immediate use at all times The length of hose shall be sufficient to furnish streams of water at all portions of the building but in no case shall it exceed fifty (50) feet in length

3 Hose cabinets Hose cabinets shall be provided with glass front doors so that the hose will be plainly visible at all times

4 Water supply The water supply shall be from a tank of five thousand (5,000) gallons net capacity or more as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire at an elevation of twenty (20) feet above the stage roof The tank and its pipe connections for filling heating and draining shall be constructed and fitted in accordance with the standard regulations of the Philadelphia Fire Underwriters' Association and Associated Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Companies

5 Tank A single tank may be used for supply to both hose and sprinkler system provided its capacity is sufficient to meet the specific requirements in each case and the pipe connections are so arranged that an ample reserve supply is maintained for the sprinkler system at all times

Where the city water supply is sufficient to furnish not less than twenty-five (25) pounds pressure at the upper hose outlets at all times a four (4) inch connection with city mains may be substituted for the elevated tank at the discretion of the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

6 Standpipe connection A Siamese Fire Department connection shall be provided on the front wall of building with female couplings of standard City Fire Department size and construction so that connections can be made to the standpipe systems with City Fire Department hose and water supply either from city fire engine or high pressure hydrant and to be clearly marked "Standpipe Connection"

7 Valves A gate valve of outside screw and yoke pattern shall be provided at an accessible location inside the building to control the water supply to standpipe system either from tank or city mains Horizontal swing check valves shall be provided in all tank and city connections and in the Siamese Fire Department connection

8 Fittings Fittings in the main water connections shall be of the long turn patterns and pipe hangers and supports shall be of substantial type well secured

9 Test At the time of installation standpipe systems shall be tested and proved tight at a hydrostatic pressure at least twenty-five per cent in excess of the highest normal working pressure to which they will be subjected Test to be for a two-hour period and pressure taken at the base of the system Concealed piping to be tested before being covered in

10 Automatic sprinklers A separate and distinct system of automatic sprinklers not connected in any manner with the hose standpipe system (Except that the water supply may be taken from an elevated tank of sufficient capacity for both systems provided it meets the specific requirements and the pipe connections are so arranged that an ample reserve supply is maintained for the sprinkler system at all times) shall be installed throughout all portions of the stage section of the building including the roof of stage under gridiron or rigging loft fly galleries under stage in dressing rooms property rooms music rooms storage rooms carpenter and paint shops store basements basements occupied for restaurant purposes and such other sections as may be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

11 Water supply for sprinklers The water supply shall be from a tank of five thousand (5,000) gallons net capacity or more as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire at an elevation of twenty (20) feet above the upper lines of sprinklers in the stage roof section

Where the city water supply is sufficient to furnish not less than fifteeen (15) pounds pressure at the upper lines of sprinklers at all times a connection of approved size with city mains may be substituted for the elevated tank at the discretion of the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

12 Sprinkler connection A Siamese Fire Department connection shall be provided on front walls of building with female couplings of standard city Fire Department size and construction so that connection can be made to the sprinkler system with city Fire Department hose and water supply either from city fire engine or high pressure hydrant and to be clearly marked "Automatic Sprinklers"

13 Valves A gate valve of the outside screw and yoke pattern shall be provided at an accessible location inside the building to control the water supply to sprinkler system either from tank or city mains Horizontal swing check valves shall be provided in all tank and city connections and in the Siamese Fire Department connection

14 Alarm Valve and Gong A water flow alarm valve and gong shall be provided on outside of building to give notice of fire

15 Approval The entire equipment including tank tank connections the size of distributing pipes the manner of erection spacing of sprinklers sprinkler heads sprinkler alarm valves sprinkler gongs gate and check valves shall be of types approved by the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

16 Definition Sprinkler systems as mentioned in this chapter except as may be otherwise prescribed by the Bureau of Building Inspection must be systems of automatic sprinklers which conform to the standard regulations of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

17 Test At the time of installation automatic sprinkler systems shall be tested and proved tight at a hydrostatic pressure of one hundred and fifty (150) pounds per square inch Duration of test to be for a two hour period and pressure taken at the base of system Concealed piping to be tested before being covered in

18 Miscellaneous There shall also be kept in readiness for immediate use on the stage at least four (4) chemical fuel fire extinguishers of two and one-half (2½) gallons capacity and at least four axes and two twenty-five (25) foot hooks two fifteen (15) foot hooks and two ten (10) foot hooks on each tier or floor of the stage

19 Control The entire lighting system and all apparatus for extinguishing of fire or guarding against same as in this chapter specified shall be in charge and under the control of the Bureau of Fire Department of Public Safety and said Department is hereby directed to see that the arrangements in respect thereto are carried out and enforced and Council may by ordinance fix a reasonable compensation for such services

Section 4128 Miscellaneous Requirements 1 Ceilings The ceiling of the auditorium and under each gallery shall be formed of fireproof materials

2 Wall and Ceiling Coverings None of the walls or ceilings shall be covered with wood sheathing canvas or any other combustible material but this shall not exclude the use of wood wainscoting to a height not to exceed six (6) feet which shall be filled in solid between the wainscoting and the wall with fireproof materials

3 Fronts of Galleries The front of each gallery shall be formed of fireproof materials excepting the capping which may be made of wood

4 Lathing All lathing wherever used shall be of metal or other incombustible construction affording fire protection

5 Shelving and Cupboards All shelving and cupboards in each and every dressing room property room or storage room shall be constructed of metal slate or some other incombustible material

Section 4129 Offices Stores Etc Any portion or portions of the premises bordering on a main street may be used for offices stores or rooms for similar purposes Provided the walls ceilings and floors separating such portion or portions from the theatre proper are built or constructed of such fireproof material as shall be approved by the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Fire Marshal and that the portion or portions so used for offices stores or rooms for similar purposes with the theatre proper and also that a fireproof exit is provided

from the theatre on each tier equal to the combined width of exits opening on opposite sides in each tier communicating with balconies and staircases leading to the street and in a manner provided elsewhere in this chapter

Said exit passages shall be entirely cut off by brick walls from said offices stores or apartments and the floors and ceilings in each tier shall be fireproof

Section 4130 Storage Rooms Workshops Etc No workshop storage or general property room shall be allowed above the auditorium or under the same or in any of the fly galleries

Section 4131 Use and Occupancy Restriction (a) No portion of any building hereafter erected or altered used or intended to be used for theatrical or other purposes as in this chapter specified shall be used or occupied as a factory workshop or manufactory or for storage purposes except as may be herein specifically provided for Said restriction as relates not only to that portion of the building which contains the auditorium and the stage but applies also to the entire structure in connection therewith

(b) No store or room contained in the building as aforesaid shall be let or used for carrying on any business dealings until such occupancy has been approved and so certified by the Fire Marshal of such city of the First class

(c) No lodging accommodations shall be allowed in any part of the building communicating with the theatre section

(d) When human occupancy is contemplated the theatre section shall be separated from the balance of the structure both horizontally and vertically by unpierced walls and ceiling and floor slabs of approved solid masonry or reinforced concrete not less than nine (9) inches in thickness and such portion used or intended to be used for human occupancy shall have sufficient means of entrance and exit entirely separate and distinct from those for the theatre portion

Section 4132 Diagram of exits A diagram or plan of each tier gallery or floor showing distinctly the exits therefrom each occupying a space not less than fifteen (15) square inches shall be printed in a legible manner on the program of the performance Every exit shall have over the same on the inside the word "EXIT" painted in legible letters not less than eight (8) inches high

Section 4133 Saving clause It shall be within the power of the Mayor after full report from the Department of Public Safety to cause the closing up of any theatre opera house or public hall where in the judgment of the Mayor and the Department of Public Safety the ingress and egress are not reasonably safe for the safe and speedy exit of the audience in case of fire or panic

CHAPTER 42 Motion Picture Buildings

Section 4200 Application of chapter Every building hereafter erected or altered and designed to be used for the public exhibition of motion pictures with or without synchronized reproduction of sound shall be built or altered to comply with the requirements of this chapter but any building which is in actual use at the time of the passage of this act for the exhibition of motion pictures may be altered provided such alteration does not amount to a virtual reconstruction thereof so as to make it a new building No building which at the time of the passage of this act is not in actual use for motion picture exhibitions and no building hereafter erected or altered shall be used for motion picture purposes unless it conforms to the requirements of this chapter

Section 4201 Exceptions None of the provisions of this chapter shall apply to any hall club place of worship or other place not devoted to the exhibition of motion pictures so as to prohibit the giving of a single or occasional motion picture exhibition therein if a permit for each such exhibition shall first be obtained from the proper licensing authorities of such cities

Section 4202 Approval No building described in section 4200 of this chapter not in actual use for such purposes at the time of the passage of this act shall be open to the public for the exhibition of motion pictures until the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Bureau of Fire respectively shall have approved the same in writing as conforming to the requirements of this chapter and the mayors of the said cities shall refuse to issue any license for any such building and shall close the same and prevent its opening until a certificate in writing of such approval shall have been given by the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively

Section 4203 Drawings Before proceeding with the erection or alteration of any building to be used for the exhibition of motion pictures the owner or his agent shall submit for approval to the Chief drawings as required in section 303 of this code Such drawing shall show in detail the size of the auditorium lobbies and courts the size location and number of exits the number width and length of all aisles and the number and width of all seats with the distance between rows back to back and their arrangement

Section 4204 General requirements 1 Auditorium The auditorium in every such building shall be located in the first story only except that the auditorium may be located in the first story and in the first gallery as respects any building of fire proof construction for the exhibition of motion pictures only Provided that the said first gallery shall have a seating capacity of not more than two hundred seats and furthermore provided there shall be two exit stairways not less than five feet in width each leading to the lobby of the main floor or entrance of the theatre The number of exits from the main auditorium shall be equal to the requirements for the aggregate capacity of the main floor and shall have in addition two (2) five foot doors for the exits of the galleries and provided that the said building shall be approved by the Bureau of Fire Bureau of Building Inspection and Fire Marshal

2 Lobby There shall be provided in the rear of the seats abutting upon a street a lobby of sufficient size to provide at least one and one-half square feet of lobby room exclusive of the aisle space between seats for every person who may be seated in the building

3 Booth The booth for the moving picture machine shall be constructed of fireproof material with a ventilator extending through the front of the partition Such booth shall be constructed to conform to regulations of the Fire Marshal and shall not be used until approved by him

4 Heating The heating shall be as required in section 4123 of Chapter Forty-one of this code

5 Lighting The lighting shall be as required in section four thousand one hundred twenty-six chapter forty-one of this code All electrical installation throughout the building shall be approved by the Chief of the Electrical Bureau of said cities

Section 4205 Types of construction 1 Every such building covering an area in excess of five thousand (5,000) square feet and or having a seating capacity in excess of five hundred (500) shall be of First Class Type A construction as defined in section 3200 of this code and shall comply in every respect with all the provisions in Chapter forty-one governing the erection of theatres When so erected such building may contain any or all of the structural and equipment features such as stage and scenery dressing rooms balcony and galleries etc permitted in Chapter forty-one and may contain stores and/or offices as provided in section 4129 and shall be subject to the use and occupancy restrictions prescribed in section 4131

2 Every such building covering an area of five thousand (5,000) square feet or less and or with a seating capacity of five hundred (500) or less need not be of First Class Type A construction but shall comply in its construction with the general requirements of section 4204 of this chapter and in addition with the following special minimum requirements

(a) Construction The building shall be enclosed with solid masonry exceptable to the bureau walls the rear wall to abut on a street or alley or other open space with proper exit therefrom Buildings located upon the corner of two streets may in lieu of one of the rear exits therein provided for have an exit upon the side street providing said street is at least ten feet in width he first floor of such building shall be constructed of iron steel or reinforced concrete filled in with masonry concrete or other fireproof material the said iron or steel to be thoroughly fireproofed and the basement columns to be of fireproof construction The ceiling shall be covered with metal lath plastered with cement or gypsum or shall be other incombustible construction affording fire protection Every such building shall not be over one story in height nor have a balcony between the first floor and the roof There shall be provided a solid masonry exceptable to the Bureau wall separating the auditorium from the platform said wall to continue to a height of at least four (4) feet above the highest point of the roof

The platform shall be constructed of fireproof material except that portion equal to the width of the proscenium opening and the depth of the platform All partitions shall be constructed of fireproof material as prescribed in Chapter 23 and firmly secured to the floor and ceiling In the floor construction a wooden top floor may be used if attached to sleepers embedded in cinder concrete

(b) Frontage and Street Exits Every such building shall have at least one front abutting upon the street which front shall be not less than tweny-five (25) feet in width and shall be as wide as the widest part of the auditorium There shall be provided in the street front at least two five-foot exits where the seating capacity is two hundred and fifty (250) or less with two additional rear exits not less than five (5) feet in width and where the seating capacity is more than two hundred and fifty (250) and not more than five hundred (500) there shall be provided in the front at least three five-foot exits with two (2) additional exits in the rear each of which shall be six (6) feet in width Such rear exits shall lead directly to a street or alley not less than ten (10) feet in width The Chief may require additional exits in any case if in his judgment they may be deemed necessary or proper for the safety of the public

(c) Aisles All aisles shall be at least three (3) feet wide at the beginning and shall increase in width toward the exits in the ratio of one and one-half (1½) inches to five (5) running feet Aisles having seats on one side only shall be not less than two (2) feet wide at the beginning and shall increase in width in the above-mentioned ratio

(d) Gradients Gradients shall be used instead of steps wherever possible

(e) Seats All seats shall be placed not less than thirty (30) inches from back to back measured in a horizontal direction and firmly secured to the floor There shall be not more than fourteen (14) seats in any row extending from one aisle to another nor more than seven (7) seats in any row extending from one aisle to a wall No stool or seat shall be placed in any aisle

(f) Curtain The curtain shall be an approved asbestos curtain

(g) Decorations All decorations must be fireproofed and firmly fixed in position The flies or decorative fixtures upon the platform must be fireproofed and firmly fixed to the said platform

(h) Structural and Occupancy Restrictions No dressing room shall be allowed in such buildings The cellar shall not be used for manufacturing purposes or for the storage of materials No portion of any such buildings shall be occupied or used as a dwelling or tenement house apartment house hotel or department store Such restriction shall relate and be applicable not only to the portion containing the auditorium but also to the entire structure or building used for moving picture exhibitions or in connection therewith

Section 4206 Saving Clause It shall be within the power of the Mayor after full report from the Department of Public Safety to cause the closing up of any motion picture building where in the judgment of the Mayor and the Department of Public Safety the ingress and egress are not reasonably safe for the safe and speedy exit of the audience in case of fire or panic

PART VII DWELLINGS ETC

CHAPTER 43 Dwellings and Buildings Similarly Light in Character and Private Garages

Section 4300 Application of Chapter The provisions in this chapter shall be taken to govern the construction and alteration of one and two-family dwellings and other buildings similarly light in character where such structures do not exceed three stories or forty (40) feet in height and do not exceed one thousand five hundred (1500) feet in undivided area to govern the construction and alteration of private garages in connection with such dwellings or otherwise located when such garages do not exceed two (2) stories or twenty-five feet (25) in height and are not greater in area than three car capacity All other buildings and garages than those herein provided for shall conform to the other requirements of the code

Section 4301 Lot and Yard No dwelling house shall be erected on a lot of a less average width than fourteen (14) feet Provided that this limitation shall not apply to lots of less than fourteen (14) feet in width having buildings erected thereon Provided further that a dwelling house may be erected on a lot of less width than fourteen (14) feet and a lot of less width than forty-two (42) feet may be sub-divided into lots of equal width upon which dwelling houses may be erected but no such lot shall be decreased in width to a greater extent than five per centum of fourteen (14) feet This provision shall only apply when the aforesaid lots are bounded by ground having buildings erected thereon at the time of the approval of this act or when bounded on each side by ground belonging to other owners at the time of the approval of this act and every such dwelling shall have an open space attached to it in the rear or at the side equal to at least one hundred and forty-four (144) square feet of clear space unobstructed by any overhanging structure and no portion of any alley shall be counted as a part of such yard space and where a garage is part of a dwelling the one hundred and forty-four (144) square feet of open space may be in the rear of the garage

Section 4302 Building over dwelling yard Where a dwelling property is made vacant for the purpose of building over the required yard space for business purposes the building shall be so altered as to make it unavailable for dwelling purposes excepting that where dwellings are erected on corner lots at the intersection of two streets neither of which is less than twenty (20) feet in width the yard space required for dwellings may be encumbered in whole or in part by structures not exceeding one story or twelve (12) feet in height provided such structures do not diminish the light of any room in the dwelling below that required for tenement houses in Section 12 of Act of the General Assembly No four hundred twenty approved June eleventh one thousand nine hundred fifteen and further provided that every room in such structures also complies with the above provisions

Section 4303 Cellars and requirements in lieu of Cellars In all dwellings hereafter erected the cellars shall extend underneath the whole house and be ventilated from both ends or in lieu of such cellar it shall have a free air space of not less than eighteen (18) inches between the surface of the ground and the underside of the floor joists except that where the floor is of waterproofed masonry construction not less than four (4) inches thick such free air space may be omitted In case of a free air space is provided in lieu of a cellar it shall be drained and there shall be openings in the exterior walls for cross ventilation Such openings shall be screened by heavy galvanized wire mesh screen or closely fitted iron bars or other acceptable substitute so as to prevent the ingress of small animals When cellars are omitted dwellings may be set upon piers or foundation walls which shall extend below the frost line and to a depth required by law and shall have suitable footings to a depth required by law and shall have suitable footings to keep load distribution within carrying capacity of the soil In low damp or made ground the bottom of all cellars shall be covered with concrete or asphalt at least three (3) inches thick or such material as shall be approved by the Chief Additions of fourteen (14) feet or less to existing dwelling houses with cellars shall not be required to have a cellar provided there is an air space of eighteen (18) inches between the underside of the joists and the ground beneath such additions

Section 4304 Footings and foundation walls In all soils of less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square foot of bearing value suitable piles shall be driven to insure a bearing value sufficient to safely carry the load to be imposed thereon All footings and foundation walls of dwellings and buildings similarly light in character hereafter erected shall conform to the requirements of this code relating to stonework brickwork plain concrete reinforced concrete or solid concrete block and shall start six (6) inches below cellar bottoms All such footings and walls shall be built and all footings shall be laid in cement mortar Foundation walls may be laid in lime mortar machine mixed the mortar shall be tempered with ten per cent of hydraulic cement and provided further that foundations supporting concentrated loads shall be laid in cement mortar Where mass concrete is used for footings and foundation walls it shall conform to the requirements for mass concrete given in Section 1103 Reinforced concrete foundation walls shall not be built as party walls When built of concrete cast in place foundation walls shall be at least as thick as the walls supported but in no case less than

twelve (12) inches When built of solid concrete block foundation walls shall conform to the requirements for thickness of solid brick walls

Section 4305 Exterior walls above ground story levels All exterior walls of dwellings and other buildings covered by this Chapter otherwise than as may be provided for private garages shall be constructed in accordance with the requirements of the Chapters in this code relating to masonry except that such requirements may be modified as follows

(a) Stone walls Solid walls of stone masonry may be laid in lime mortar when not stressed beyond the limits provided in Section 1403

(b) Solid walls of brick sand-lime brick and concrete brick Such units having an average compressive strength of not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds to the square inch as prescribed in Section 1500 may be used in bearing and non bearing walls but this Section shall not be taken to exclude the use of sound salmon clay brick when such units are not exposed to the weather Solid bearing and non-bearing walls may be nine (9) inches thick when not more than twenty-six (26) feet in height measured from the first floor joist height at the front facing the highest grade When gable construction is used for such dwellings an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(c) Plain concrete walls Bearing and non-bearing walls of concrete may be nine (9) inches thick when not more than twenty-six (26) feet in height When gable construction is used an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(d) Solid unmarked concrete block walls Walls of such units shall conform as to thickness and height with the requirements for walls of solid brickwork

(e) Walls of hollow tile hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile hollow walls of brick Such walls shall be laid in cement mortar or cement-lime mortar except that lime mortar shall be permitted in hollow walls of brick sand-lime brick concrete brick or other units of similar size and shape made from clay or shale not exceeding two stories in height Bearing and non-bearing walls may be nine (9) inches thick for the uppermost twenty (20) feet When gable construction is used an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(f) Chases in thin walls Chases not exceeding one (1) inch in depth nor four (4) inches in width when intended for conduits or similar pipes may be cut in walls of solid construction nine (9) inches in thickness

Section 4306 Party walls Dwelling for one or two families not over twenty (20) feet in width and sixty (60) feet in length may have party walls of solid masonry nine (9) inches in thickness provided that the adjoining lot shall not be encumbered with more than nine (9) inches of stone wall and four and one-half (4½) inches of brick wall If over twenty (20) feet in width all the party walls shall be at least thirteen (13) inches thick the entire height Provided that no party wall shall encroach upon the adjoining lot more than the distance stipulated in the Chapter on Party Walls. In one-story buildings with solid division walls the said walls shall be built to conform with requirements of Party Walls All other sections of Chapter 18 on Party Walls Fire Walls and Fire Division Walls shall govern the construction of party walls in buildings of the character covered by this Chapter except as follows

(a) The requirements for construction of party walls may be met by complying with the requirements as to solid stonework solid brickwork and solid concrete block and chases in same as stipulated in Chapters 14 15 16 and 19 Sound salmon clay brick may be used in a manner provided in Section 4305

(b) Party walls shall not be required as a separation between open porches on the front or rear of dwellings nor as a separation between enclosed front porches with project beyond the wall above provided that between such an enclosed porch and the adjacent room there is a masonry wall with no opening or openings aggregating more than seven feet in height by six feet in width and provided further that where there are wood joisted floors to enclosed or open porches extending across the front or rear of dwellings the same shall be separated by a foundation wall to the underside of the floor

Section 4307 Openings in exterior masonry walls Dwellings having stores in part of the first story shall not be required to have the iron beams over bulk windows fireproofed Plank front frames of a width of five (5) feet or less may be exempted from the provisions of Section 1100 requiring masonry or metal lintels

Section 4308 Timbers and woodwork All such features of construction shall conform to the requirements elsewhere provided except that the minimum thickness of any wooden floor or in part over a garage opening unless the underside of such joists or rafters are not more than twelve (12) inches in depth and are spaced not more than sixteen (16) inches on centers and except that wood joists shall be spiked to stud-walls

Section 4309 Projections beyond walls All such projections shall conform to the requirements of Chapter 48 provided that no frame bathroom projecting from the upper story of any dwelling shall be erected within five (5) feet of any similar construction composed wholly or partly of wood unless the end of said bathroom facing such structure shall be covered with some approved fire-resistive material and in no case shall the distance dividing such structures be less than three (3) feet unless the ends shall have division walls of solid masonry not less than nine (9) inches thick built from the foundations of the buildings and carried up above the roof as hereinbefore provided for party walls It shall not be lawful to build a frame bathroom other than a projecting bathroom as provided for in this section and no such bathroom shall be greater in area than sixty (60) superficial feet It shall not be lawful to build such bathroom unless the plumbing fixtures for bath purposes be placed therein No frame projection shall be built wholly or in part over a garage opening

Section 4310 Frame sheds Frame sheds attached to dwellings shall not exceed twelve (12) feet in height nor have any floor or loft between the ground floor and the roof and shall not connect with a frame bay-window or bathroom projecting from any upper story said sheds shall not be erected within five (5) feet of any similar construction composed wholly or in part of wood unless the side of said shed facing such structure shall be covered with an approved fire-resistive material and in no case shall the distance dividing such structures be less than three (3) feet unless the ends shall have division walls of masonry not less than nine (9) inches thick built from the foundations of the building and carried up above the roof as hereinbefore provided for party walls or such other fireproof materials as shall be approved by the Chief The said shed may be open or enclosed but in no case shall it be lathed or plastered or lined with wood so as to constitute a room to be occupied as a habitation The roof of said shed must be covered with metal or other approved fire-resistive material No such shed shall extend to a greater distance than ten (10) feet in a direct line from the rear wall to which it is attached

Section 4311 Wooden dwellings and wooden buildings similarly light in character Outside the limits defined by Councils in Cities of the First Class wooden buildings may be erected subject to the following restrictions and regulations

A wooden building to be used as a dwelling house shall not exceed the height permitted by Section 3907 and external walls of said building shall not be placed at a less distance than three (3) feet from the party line of the lot upon which the building is to be erected unless a masonry external wall is substituted for the wooden wall and of a thickness regulating the thickness of masonry external walls Where a wooden building is already erected for dwelling purposes upon an adjoining lot there shall be between the wall of the building erected and the one to be erected—if of wood—a clear open space of four and one-half (4½) feet between the said buildings In the erection of wooden buildings in blocks of two or more houses to be occupied for dwelling purposes the said buildings shall have intercepting solid masonry walls not less than nine (9) inches thick said walls to be constructed in accordance with the provisions for Party Walls

Section 4312 Private garages When garages are constructed within the basements or cellars of dwellings or attached thereto they shall have no opening into or direct connection with the remainder of the house basement or cellar and the walls and ceilings of such garages shall be of a fire-protected construction A garage may be erected one story in height and not exceeding sixteen (16) by twenty (20) feet interior dimension on the rear of any lot or any alley or driveway not less than ten (10) feet wide such garage to have masonry walls subject to the approval of the Bureau

or such garage may be one story of stamped steel construction of a size not exceeding twelve (12) by twenty (20) feet and not exceeding twelve (12) feet in height provided it be properly anchored to the ground All other private garages within the meaning of this chapter shall conform to the requirements herein provided for the construction of dwellings

Section 4303 Fuel storage and piping The piping and installation of fuel tanks and storage of liquids in garages and other buildings shall be in accordance with ordinances of Councils in Cities of the First Class

CHAPTER 44 Frame Structures

Section 4400 Enlarging Removing and Repairing of Frame Buildings Within the brick limits defined by Councils in Cities of the First Class it shall not be lawful to enlarge a frame building or to remove any such building except on the same lot or an adjoining lot belonging to the same owner. It shall not be lawful to repair reconstruct or remove any frame building which has been injured more than fifty (50) per cent of its original value by wear and tear or by the effects of the elements or by fire said value to be determined by the Bureau

Section 4401 Frame Structures on Wharves Within the brick limits defined by said Councils and to the extent provided by ordinance thereof it shall be lawful to erect on wharves frame sheds not exceeding twenty-seven (27) feet in height and elevators for the storage of grain or sheds of wood for the storage of coal or lumber when all the external parts of such sheds and elevators (except sheds for the storage of lumber) shall be covered with slate tile metal or incombustible material and their mode of construction and location shall be subject to the approval of the Bureau

Section 4402 Wooden Buildings Other Than Dwellings Wooden buildings to be used for other purposes than that of a dwelling house shall not exceed three stories or thirty-five (35) feet in height above the grade of the street or place upon which the said building is to be erected and shall not be placed at a less distance than ten (10) feet from any wooden building which is twenty-five (25) feet or more in height or at a less distance than four (4) feet from any other wooden building which is less than twenty-five (25) feet in height All Wooden buildings shall be built upon secure foundations of solid masonry in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 17 and carried up to the joists of the first story above the ground In the construction of workshops or other buildings of a like character for temporary purposes built upon soft or marshy land the Chief may in his discretion permit the sills to be placed upon mudsills or blocking or upon piles cut to the height of grade All wooden buildings shall be constructed to safely carry such weights per superficial foot for the several purposes for which they may be constructed

Section 4403 Frame Sheds Open shelter sheds of wood may be erected upon permit but no such shed shall be enclosed with combustible materials on any of its four sides The location and construction of said sheds shall be subject to the inspection and approval of the Bureau All permits granted for the erection of frame sheds may be revoked and the shed shall be removed within thirty days after notice from the Director of Public Safety

Section 4404 Frame Bay Windows Dormers Porches Sun Porches Stoops Etc. All frame bay-windows dormers cornices porches stoops and other such frame parts of buildings hereafter erected or altered shall be in accordance with the chapters in this code relating to such features and when not otherwise provided for shall be as Councils in said Cities of the First Class may from time to time ordain

Section 4405 Chimneys flues fireplaces and heating apparatus in frame buildings In all wooden buildings hereafter erected or altered the framing around flues and the construction of chimneys flues hearths trimmer arches fireplaces and hot-air flues and heating apparatus steam boilers and ranges shall be in accordance with the provision of Chapters 28 and 29 of this code

CHAPTER 45 Roofs Cornices Pent Houses Dormers Etc

Section 4500 Roof construction dormers mansards and incombustible coverings The roof construction of all buildings of the First Class and the Intermediate Class shall be fireproofed or fire-protected as provided in the Chapter and Sections of this code relating to such buildings The Roof Planking of all buildings of the Second Class may be of wood not less than (2) inches thick and of all buildings of the Third and Fourth Class may be of sheathing not less than one (1) inch thick all supported and constructed in accordance with the chapters in this code on Classification of Buildings and on Timber and woodwork The roof covering of all combustible materials except that built-up roofing of saturated felt on which are embedded slag gravel slate tile or other approved incombustible materials may be used when so permitted by the Chief The planking and sheathing of the roof of every building of the Third or Fourth Class hereafter erected or altered and the tops and sides of every dormer window thereon shall be covered with slate metal or such other equally good incombustible material as the Bureau may authorize and the outside of every dormer window hereafter placed or any building as aforesaid shall be made of or covered with some incombustible material Mansard roofs shall slope at least one and one-half (1½) inches per foot backwards from the vertical and be covered with metal or other hard incombustible material Provided that this shall not apply to roofs and dormers outside of brick districts as defined by Councils

Section 4501 Repairs to Wood Roofs Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the repairing of a shingle roof within the brick districts as defined by Councils provided the repairs do not exceed one-half of the value of the said roof

Section 4502 Pent houses The materials used in the sides and roofs of all pent houses shall be not less than in accordance with the requirements governing the construction of the story immediately below the roof of any building of the First Class or the Intermediate Class and the construction of same shall otherwise conform to the requirements of the chapters on Egress and Fire Prevention In buildings of all other classes except dwellings in rural districts pent houses shall be governed by the requirements for the story immediately below the roof except that any combustible material shall be covered by incombustile materials as hereinafter required

Section 4503 Roof gardens Buildings hereafter erected over four stories in height having roof gardens thereon shall be constructed entirely in accordance with the requirements for buildings of the First Class or Intermediate Class

Section 4504 Scuttles bulkheads etc All buildings of three or more stories hereafter to be built with portions of such buildings one or more stories less in height shall have scuttle frames and covers or bulkheads and doors and be covered with some incombustible material All scuttles shall have stationary ladders leading to the same and all such scuttles and ladders shall be kept so as to be ready for use at all times All scuttles shall be in size of opening at least eighteen (18) inches by thirty (30) inches and if a bulkhead is used in any building in place of a scuttle it shall have stairs with sufficient guard or hand-rail leading to the roof and in case the building be a tenement house the doors or covers to the scuttle or bulkheads shall at no time be locked but may be bolted or secured by hooks on the inside No roof half-story or attic space shall be constructed in any building that is not accessible by at least a trap door

Section 4505 Cornices and gutters All exterior cornices and gutters hereafter erected other than in rural districts shall be of some incombustible material and in every case except when carried on a frame work of iron or steel the greater weight of the material of which the cornice be constructed shall be on the inside of the outer line of the wall allowance being made for the leverage produced by the projection of the cornice beyond the face of the wall and in all cases except as otherwise provided in the chapter on Dwellings the walls shall be carried up to the under side of the roof planking and where the cornice projects above the roof the wall shall be carried up to the top of the cornice All exterior wooden cornices that may be or shall hereafter become unsafe shall be taken down and if replaced shall be constructed of some incombustible material All exterior wood cornices or gutters that may hereafter be damaged by fire or by decay to the extent of one-half of the value thereof shall be taken down and if replaced shall be constructed of some incombustible material but if not damaged to this extent may be repaired with the same kind of material of which originally constructed Any cornice on any building which cornice or its interior construction is of wood shall be separated from the cornice or an adjoining building by having the party wall

corbeled out at least two (2) inches beyond all projections or by such other fire stop as shall be approved by the Bureau This section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of a wooden cornice upon the buildings which have shingle roofs in such districts as Councils may by ordinance stipulate

Section 4506 Rain water conductors All buildings shall be kept provided with proper metallic leaders for conducting water from the roof to the ground or sewer in such manner as shall protect the walls and foundations from damage and in all buildings over fifty (50) feet in height such leaders shall be installed inside the walls or buildings provided that the Chief may in exceptional occupancies exempt in writing this requirement

PART VIII SAFETY MEASURES

CHAPTER 46 Fire Prevention

Section 4600 All buildings of eighty-five (85) feet or six (6) stories or more in height hereafter erected or altered shall be equipped with standpipes for protection against fire as herein prescribed and all buildings hereafter erected or altered exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) square feet in area in the first story used or to be used as a store factory or warehouse shall have all basements and sub-basements equipped with a sprinkler system as herein set forth except that buildings having a greater area than one thousand five hundred (1500) square feet in the first story but in which the basement area is less than one thousand five hundred (1500) square feet need not be sprinkled provided the floor over the basement is of first-class fireproof construction and the means of entrance to the basement be from the exterior of the building only

Section 4601 Standpipes Standpipes shall not connect with any tank or the City water main direct and are intended for the use of the Fire Department only and all standpipes shall

(a) be not less than four (4) inches in diameter and of such additional diameter as may be necessary to supply one outlet of the size and construction of the standard City Fire Department hose outlets with hose valve on each and every floor of the building the standpipe extending through roof with an approved base outlet or monitor nozzle attached

(b) be located at point in or near each main stairway or stairway tower of such building

(c) have attached at a point convenient above the sidewalk outside of the building suitable steamer connections with check valve of standard City Fire Department size and construction so that connections can be made to such standpipes with City Fire Department hose and City water supply either from City fire engine or high-pressure hydrant where available and to be clearly marked "Standpipe Connection"

When in the opinion of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire a wet pipe system is necessary the water supply shall be by direct connection to the public water system (where the pressure is sufficient) or from an elevated tank of not less than five thousand (5000) gallons capacity located at an elevation above the highest hose connection at a point to be determined by the Chief of the Bureau of Fire or by an approved fire pump of a rated capacity of not less than five hundred (500) gallons per minute In addition to the Fire Department hose outlet above specified one (1) one-and-one-half-inch hose outlet with suitable valve may be provided at each floor with a one-and-one-half-inch linen hose attached Plans or diagrams showing the location of standpipes the size thereof the number and character of hose outlets and valves and the character of interior water supply from tank or pump shall be submitted for approval of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire and such additional detailed plans and specifications as the chiefs of the bureaus of the above departments may require

Section 4602 Sprinkler systems and devices All wet pipe and dry pipe sprinkler systems except as may be otherwise prescribed by the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be of the automatic types in which all piping valves and devices shall conform to the standard regulations of the Bureau of Fire There shall also be installed as a part of such system a single or double steamer connection City Fire Department standard same to be clearly marked "Sprinkler Connection" If City water main is not available for a direct connection for the supply to the sprinkler system the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief of the Bureau of Fire in Cities of the First Class shall decide what other supply will be acceptable All approved systems of automatic sprinklers shall be kept and maintained in complete working order If such system shall not be maintained in complete working order it shall be the duty of the Bureau of Building Inspection to give written notice to the tenants and owners served upon the premises of said fact and within sixty (60) days thereafter the floor area shall be sub-divided by fire division walls so that no undivided floor area shall exceed that prescribed in this act and such walls shall be constructed and thereafter maintained in accordance with the provisions of Chapter eighteen Fire Division Walls Plans or diagrams showing the location and size of all pipes the location of all sprinkler heads and valves controlling supply and a detailed description of the method of supply to the sprinkler system shall be submitted for the approval of the Bureau of Building Inspection and such additional detailed plans and specifications as the Chief of the said Bureau may require

Section 4603 Fire-doors and fire-shutters The construction installation and operation of all fire-doors fire-shutters and other devices required for the protection of interior or exterior openings shall comply with the rules and regulations promulgated by the Chief

CHAPTER 47 Safety during Construction and Demolition and Material Storage

Section 4700 The sections in this chapter shall be construed to regulate the construction maintenance removal and inspection of sheds shelters scaffolding slings hangers blocks pulleys stays braces ladders supports irons ropes etc repairing painting cleaning or pointing of buildings within the limits of Cities of the First Class

Section 4701 Shelters and sheds etc and material storage All footway shelter platforms hereafter built in conjunction with and during the erection or repair of any building and the enclosures of excavations etc and the storage of materials shall be regulated by ordinances of Councils in said Cities

Section 4702 Coverings over floor construction It shall be the duty of the party or parties having charge of the construction of any new building hereafter erected in this Commonwealth to have the joists or girders of each floor above a height of thirty-five (35) feet covered with rough scaffold boards or other suitable material as the building progresses so as to sufficiently protect the workmen or others who may be under or below each floor from falling bricks tools mortar or other substances whereby accidents happen injuries occur and life and limb are endangered

Section 4703 Temporary stand-pipe service A building requiring a stand-pipe under the provisions of this act elsewhere outlined when more than six (6) stories in height shall have this standpipe installed during building for the purpose of fire protection during construction

This stand-pipe shall be carried up with the building so that it is always serviceable to a height within two (2) stories of the point to which construction has proceeded It shall have Fire Department connection at base have a standard FD outlet in every other story and shall be capped at the end of each day's work and be ready for use at all times

Section 4704 Column fireproofing during construction The columns of a steel frame building under construction in basement first story and second story shall be fireproofed as elsewhere provided in this act when the fireproof floor systems have been installed to the level of the third floor or tier Before the columns described have been fireproofed the amount of combustible material in the basement first story and second story shall be reduced to a minimum

Section 4705 Lighting temporary stairways etc during construction During construction of buildings of a height greater than six (6) stories one (1) stairway or means of access shall be permanently lighted in each story from dark till dawn In case such stairway or names of access is enclosed lighting shall be maintained for the entire twenty-four (24) hours seven (7) days in the week

Section 4706 Scaffolding Ladders Railings etc All scaffolding ladders railings etc hereafter erected shall conform with the act of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in general assembly met

approved the fifteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred seven being entitled "An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of scaffolding or slings hangers blocks pulleys stays braces ladders irons or ropes that are used in the construction alteration repairing painting cleaning or pointing of buildings within the limits of cities of the First Second and Third Class and providing punishment for violation of the provisions of this Act"

PART IX PROJECTIONS

CHAPTER 48 Projections beyond Building Line

Section 4800 No part of any building hereafter erected or of any enlargement of an existing building that is necessary for the structural safety of the building or an enlargement thereof shall project beyond the building line so as to encroach upon a public street or public space but this shall not be deemed to prohibit the projection beyond the building line to the extent of not more than six (6) inches of foundation walls abutting streets or twelve (12) inches of the footings of such street walls providing such projecting parts of walls are not less than six (6) inches and of footings are not less than six (6) feet below the sidewalk level and except that certain footings may project three (3) feet when conforming to the provisions of the chapter on Footings Except as hereinafter otherwise provided in this chapter and in the chapter on Roofs Cornices etc and in the chapter on Dwellings etc no part of any building hereafter erected or of any alteration to or enlargement of any existing building shall project beyond the building line so as to encroach upon a public street or public space

Section 4801 Bay windows store and bulk windows etc Within the limits defined by councils in Cities of the First Class it shall not be lawful to erect or construct upon the first story of any building any bay oriel store or bulk window projecting beyond the street line Outside of such limits all projecting windows upon the first stories shall be as regulated by said Councils Bay and oriel windows may hereafter be constructed upon buildings where projecting over the street line as follows The walls of all such bay or oriel windows if made of combustible material shall be covered with metal or other incombustible materials The limitation of the dimensions and positions of such bay oriel windows shall be as follows

First No such bay or oriel window shall be at a less distance than ten (10) feet from the sidewalk

Second No such bay or oriel window shall project more than three (3) feet over the street line of any building

Third No such bay or oriel window shall have a greater frontage than fifteen (15) feet nor shall it in any case be larger than the room or space in which it occurs

Fourth There shall not be more than one bay or oriel window for any twenty-five (25) feet of frontage two for thirty-eight (38) feet of frontage three for sixty-three (63) feet of frontage and four for eighty-eight (88) feet of frontage and no two bay or oriel windows upon the same story shall be built nearer to each other than five (5) feet To be classed as bay windows they must project at least twelve (12) inches

Fifth It shall not be lawful to erect any bay or oriel window except within lines drawn from the intersection of the party lines and the street line at an angle of twenty (20) degrees with the latter

Nothing herein contained shall however limit the size of bay or oriel windows which are built in such manner as not to project over the street line of the buildings of which they form a part but the size number construction and structural parts of such bay or oriel windows shall be subject to the approval of the Bureau Provided however that no bay or oriel window shall project more than four (4) feet from the wall line of the building of which it is a part

Section 4802 Ornamental Projections Any part of a building permitted to project beyond the building line under the provisions of this section shall be so constructed that its removal may be made at any time without causing the building or any part thereof to become structuraly unsafe Nothing in this section shall be deemed to abridge the powers and duties of the Bureau of Highways The Bureau of Building Inspection and the commissioners of parks in Cities of the First Class within their respective jurisdiction to adopt additional rules as may be necessary with respect to the construction or disposition of parts of buildings projecting beyond the building line which authorities may when deemed necessary or desirable fix further restrictions as to the extent of projections beyond the building line but no projection greater than in this section specified shall be permitted

Section 4803 (a) Base courses may project beyond the building line not more than one and one-fourth per cent of the width of the street nor more than ten (10) inches in any case provided they do not extend more than five (5) feet above the highest point of the sidewalk

(b) Columns pilasters and ornamental projections including their moulding and bases erected purely for the enhancement of the building from an architectural standpoint may project beyond the building line not more than two and one-half per cent of the width of the street but not more than eighteen (18) inches in any case

(c) Mouldings belt courses lintels sills pediments and similar projections of a decorative character may project beyond the building line not more than one and one-fourth per cent of the width of the street nor more than ten (10) inches in any case Rustications and quoins may project beyond the building line not more than four (4) inches

(d) Balustrades of an ornamental character including the sills and brackets on which they rest may project beyond the building line not more than five per cent of the width of the street nor more than twenty-two (22) inches in any case provided that every part of such balustrade is not less than ten (10) feet above the sidewalk

(e) The main cornice meaning thereby a moulded projection at or near the top of the street wall may project beyond the building line not more than five per cent of the width of the street nor more than five feet (5) in any case provided such main cornice is not less than twelve (12) feet above the sidewalk at any point

Section (4804) Other Projections All other projections such as vaults areas areaways hoistways railings steps stoops porches verandas metal awnings marquises fire escapes balconies to fire towers hose connections for fire extinguishment fresh air inlets for plumbing systems et cetera shall conform to regulations of the authorities having jurisdiction in said Cities of the First Class or ordinances of Councils thereof

PART X REPEALER

CHAPTER 49 Repeal of Conflicting Legislation

Section 4900 The Following acts and Parts of acts of Assembly are hereby repealed as particularly set forth

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and inspection of buildings in the City of Philadelphia and for the better preservation of life and property"

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled "An act to create a Bureau of Building Inspection and to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class"

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one entitled "An act supplemental to an act entitled 'An act to further regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class' "

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three entitled "An act to further regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class"

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled "An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings used for the exhibition of moving pictures in all cities of the first class providing for the enforcement thereof and fixing penalties for violation of the same"

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five entitled "An act to amend Section 6 of an act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings used for the exhibition of moving pictures in all cities of the first class providing for the enforcement thereof and fixing penalties for violation of the same by providing for the heating by means of mechanical warm air"

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen entitled "An act authorizing the erection of garages fronting or opening on streets alleys or driveways ten feet or more in width

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen entitled "An act relating to building construction in cities of the first class by prescribing the minimum live loads to be considered in designing the walls floors roofs yards and courts of all buildings hereafter erected or altered in cities of the first class specifying the factors of safety to be applied in such designs regulating the thickness of brick walls in dwellings prescribing the minimum thickness of wooden floor joists and roof rafters defining the various classes of buildings and other terms used in the act regulating the loading of floors providing penalties for violations and repealing inconsistent laws"

The act dated the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three entitled "An act relating to building construction in cities of the first class by prescribing the maximum undivided floor areas permitted and permitting the use of non-fireproof steel roof trusses and purlins in certain cases prescribing limitations on garages automobile service stations and buildings for similar purposes and constructions permitted for curtain and spandrel walls permitting the use of wood furring and stud-partitions in certain cases and repealing inconsistent laws"

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three entitled "An act amending Section one of article three of an act entitled 'An act for the better government of cities of the first class in this Commonwealth' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five regulating the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings"

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are also hereby repealed

Section 4901 Section five of the act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred five) entitled "An act creating the office of Fire Marshal to be attached to the Department of Public Safety in cities of the first class prescribing his duties and powers and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of the act and providing for the method of appointment compensation and for the maintenance of his office" shall not be repealed but shall remain in full force and effect anything contained in the foregoing act notwithstanding

Section 4902 Nothing contained in this Code shall in any way whatever repeal any safety laws rules and regulations for the protection of the health limb and life of workmen engaged in the erection of buildings referred to in this Code

CHAPTER 50 Date Code Becomes Effective

Section 5000 This code shall become effective ninety (90) days after it is signed by the Governor provided that the Chief may in his discretion issue special permits in the interim under the terms and provisions of the new code

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 1, page 2, section 200, line 24, as follows: strike out the words "a second deputy chief"; also section 200, line 25, as follows: strike out the word "seven" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "six"; also section 200, line 26, as follows: strike out the word "thirty-five" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "thirty"; also page 58, section 1500, line 13, as follows: strike out the words "clay and shale"; also section 1500, line 14, as follows: strike out the words "all of which units are in-"; also section 1500, line 15, as follows: strike out the entire line; also page 59,, section 1501, line 17, as follows: strike out the words "clay and shale"; also page 76, section 1901, line 2, as follows: strike out the words "clay and shale" also page 102, section 2701, lines 23 and 24, as follows: strike out the words "and roofs"; also page 109, section 2702, line 26, as follows: strike out the bracket before the word "and"; also section 2702, line 28, as follows: strike out the bracket after the word "occupancies" and insert after the word "occupancies" the words "up to and including one hundred ten pounds per square foot provided they are designed to resist and do resist the test requirements of this code"; also page 111, section 2702, line 4, as follows: strike out the word "one-quarter" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "three-sixteenths"; also section 2702, line 5, as follows: insert after the word "construction" the following words "shall be classed as wire and"; also page 116, section 2706, line 23, as follows: strike out the word "precast" and the word "units"; also section 2706, line 27, as follows: strike out the words "of gypsum ..... 250" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength"; also section 2706, lines 28 and 29, as follows: strike out the entire two lines; also page 117, section 2706, line 1, as follows: strike out the numeral "20" and substitute in lieu thereof after the word "gypsum" the words "two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength"; also section 2706, line 3, as follows: strike out the words "of neat gypsum"; also section 2706, line 4, as follows: strike out the numeral "225" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength"; also section 2706, line 5, as follows: strike out the entire line; also section 2706, line 7, as follows: strike out the entire line and substitute in lieu thereof "Nodulus of Elasticity of gypsum composition ..... 200,000"; also page 121, section 2801, line 16, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also page 122, section 2803, line 18, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also page 124, section 2808, lines 5 and 6, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also page 127, section 2811, line 2, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also section 2811, lines 7 and 8, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also section 2811, lines 12 and 13, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also section 2811, line 18, as follows: strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"; also page 144, section 3905, line 24, as follows: strike out the word "four" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "three"; also section 3905, line 25, as follows: strike out the brackets before and after the words "and a basement"; also page 153, line 13, as follows: underscore the words "PART VI PLACES OF AMUSEMENT"; also section 4100, lines 25 and 26, as follows: strike out the words "of this act"; also page 185, section 4204, line 5, as follows: strike out the word "proff" and insert in lieu thereof the word "proof"; also section 4204, line 10, as follows: strike out the entire line and substitute in lieu thereof the words "leading from the said first gallery of"; also page 193, section 4304, line 6, as follows: "strike out the words "the mortar shall be"; also section 4304, lines 17 and 18, as follows: strike out the words "twelve (12)" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "ten (10)"; also page 200, line 3, as follows: strike out the numeral "4303" and substitute in lieu thereof the numeral "4313"; also amend page 216, line 16, as follows: strike out the word "REPEALOR" and substitute in lieu thereof of the word "REPEALER."

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment,

extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1488, (House Bill No. 1939), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three, four, five, six and seven and section eight as amended, of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-five), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers, bill brokers, note brokers, exchange brokers, merchandise brokers, factors or commission merchants, real estate brokers and agents, and pawnbrokers, whether persons, firms, limited partnerships, or corporations; providing for the collection of said tax, and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1489, (House Bill No. 1941), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred and ninety-two), entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation," by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1491, (House Bill No. 1948), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (P. L. 193) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1517, (House Bill No. 1399), entitled:

An Act to amend Section ten hundred and thirty-nine of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycle, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships; and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability, for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation" by providing that when local regulations are made applicable to the entire territory within the municipalities making the same such municipalities shall not be required to erect or place signs giving notice thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1518, (House Bill No. 1456), as follows:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended removing the provisions which saved the existing poor districts in the Counties of Centre Lycoming Clinton Wayne and Susquehanna and the number of directors overseers and authorities in charge of said districts the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief thereby creating in said counties county poor districts administered by the county commissioners

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred

and two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled 'An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto' exempting the counties of Fulton and Cameron from the provisions of said act" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 200 Each County Made a District with Five Exceptions For the purpose of furnishing relief to poor persons giving them employment and carrying out the provisions of this act each county of this Commonwealth is hereby created a district to be known as "..... County Poor District" Provided however

(a) The several poor districts within the county of Philadelphia shall remain as at present fixed and administered and shall not become subject to any of the provisions of this act

(b) The poor districts within the county of Allegheny shall remain as at present fixed and administered and shall not become subject to any of the provisions of this act

(c) Out of the county of McKean shall be excepted the City of Bradford which shall continue a separate poor district as at present

(d) The counties of Carbon Fulton Cameron Luzerne [Centre] Columbia [Lycoming] Montour Northumberland Susquehanna] Wayne [Clinton] and Lackawanna shall be excepted herefrom so far as relates to the territorial sub-division thereof into districts

(e) The poor district in Westmoreland County whose corporate name is the Directors of a Home for the Destitute of the County of Westmoreland shall retain its name and be administered as at present

Section 2 That section two hundred and two of said act which was amended by said act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 202 Poor District System Preserved in Excepted territory In the counties of Carbon Fulton Cameron [Centre] Columbia Lackawanna [Lycoming] Montour [Clinton] Luzerne Northumberland [Susquehanna] and Wayne the number of directors overseers and authorities in charge of said districts the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief shall continue as now vested by law but all of said poor districts shall for all other purposes be subject to the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be laid aside for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1518, (House Bill No. 1456), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale, giving away, transfer, purchasing, owning, possession and use of machine guns; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the governor of the state is hereby directed to propound to and against the government of the United States of America and to prosecute to collection a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania for all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out after the words "of the" and before the words "of Pennsylvania," the word [State] and inserting in lieu thereof the word Commonwealth.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendmnet?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 2 If the governor of the state finds that there is no federal statute or law now existing providing for the payment of such funds into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania he is hereby directed to seek in such manner as to him shall appear necessary and proper legislation at the hands of the Congress of the United States providing for the payment of such moneys into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 2, page 2, line 14, by striking out at the beginning of the line, before the word "of", the word [State] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"; also line 18 by striking out after the word "the" the word [State] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 3 All such moneys so collected and paid by the government of the United States shall be paid into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania less the commission for the collection thereof and shall be held by the State of Pennsylvania for a period of five years in trust for claimants of such funds

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 3, page 2, line 21, by striking out after the word "the" and before the word "less" the words [treasury of the State of Pennsylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Treasury through the Department of Revenue; also line 23 by striking out after the word "State" the word [of Pennsylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Treasurer."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fourth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 4 The governor is hereby authorized to employ counsel and to enter into the necessary contracts and agreements with such counsel for the propounding and prosecution of such claim against the government of the United States of America and fixing the commission to be allowed said counsel for such work such commission to be contingent upon the collection of such moneys from the United States and to be payable out of same and to be ten per centum thereof provided that the state shall incur no cost of expense in the propounding or prosecution of such claim other than such commission

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 4, page 3, line 4, by inserting after the word "be" and before the word "ten" the words "not more than"; also line 8, by striking out after the word "the" and before the word "it" the words [treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Treasurer."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fifth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 5 Upon receipt of such funds from the United States by the treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania it shall be his duty to give notice to all claimants thereof by publication once each week for a period of eight successive weeks in a newspaper published in each of the counties or cities and counties of the State of Pennsylvania and if there be no newspaper in any county or city and county by posting in the courthouses of such counties and cities and counties for such period of time which notices shall set forth that such moneys have been collected and shall notify all claimants of same to propound their claims in writing by filling same with the treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania and shall warn all claimants and persons interested therein that a failure so to file their claims within a period of two years from the date on which such moneys were paid into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania shall forever bar their right to such funds or any part thereof and that in default of the filing of such claims such funds shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 5, page 3, line 19, by striking out before the word "and," the words [treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Finance and Revenue"; also line 29, by striking out after the word "the" the words [state treasurer of Penn-].

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The sixth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 6 All such claimants of such moneys shall file their claims in writing with the state treasurer of Pennsylvania on such forms as shall be provided and shall submit their proofs and evidence to a commission to be known as the direct tax commission which is hereby created and shall be composed of the governor the treasurer and the auditor general of the State of Pennsylvania If such claims are approved by said commission the auditor general of the State of Pennsylvania shall draw a warrant on the treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania payable to the order of such claimant and the treasurer shall pay such warrants out of the funds so collected from the government of the United States and held in trust for such purpose Either such claimants or the State of Pennsylvania through its attorney general may appeal from the decisions of the direct tax commission to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 6, page 4, line 1 by striking out at the beginning of the line before the word "on" [sylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the words Board of Finance and Revenue; also line 2 by striking out after the words "evidence to" the words [a commission to be]; also by striking out lines 3, 4 and 5 and inserting in lieu thereof the words said Board; also line 6 by striking out after the word "said" and before the word "the" the word [commission] and inserting in lieu thereof the word board; also line 7 by striking out after the word "general" and before the word "shall" the words [of the State of Pennsylvania]; also line 8 by striking out after the word "the" and before the word "State" the words [treasurer of the]; also line 8 by striking out after the word "State" the words [of Pennsylvania] and inserting in lieu thereof the word Treasurer; also line 9 by striking out at the end of the line after the words "and the" the word [treasurer] and inserting in lieu thereof the words State Treasurer; also line 12 by striking out after the word "purpose" the words [Either such] and inserting in lieu thereof the word such; also line 12 by striking out after the word "claimants" the words [or the State]; also line 13 by striking out before the words "may appeal" the words [of Pennsylvania through its attorney general]; also line 14 by striking out after the words "of the" and before the words "to the" the words [direct tax commission] and inserting in lieu thereof the words Board of Finance and Revenue.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The seventh section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 7 At the end of a period of five years from the date on which said moneys so collected from the United States shall be paid into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania said funds to the extent to which no claims have been filed against same shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania Said funds to the extent that any claims have been filed against same shall remain in the state treasury subject to the final determination of such claims and all such funds not finally determined to belong to the claimants thereof shall at that time escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend section 7, page 4, line 18 by striking out after the words "into the" the words [treasury of the]; also line 19 by striking out at the beginning of the line before the word "said" the words [State Treasury; also line 21 by striking out after the words "of the" and before the word "of" the word [State] and inserting in lieu thereof the word Commonwealth; also line 27 by striking out after the words "of the" and before the word "of" the word [State] and inserting in lieu thereof the word Commmonwealth.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same, authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1537, (House Bill No. 1701), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 366) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1538, (House Bill No. 1855), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——day of ———, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, (P. L. Act No. ——), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenue derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties;" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil, and gas oil.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), the bill just read be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1541, (House Bill No. 1887), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act, approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 127), entitled "An act relating to Adoption."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1543, (House Bill No. 1914), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, (P. L. 279), entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and supplements thereto; providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1545, (House Bill No. 1935), entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purpcses on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1546, (House Bill No. 1936), entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled, "An act defining and regulating public amusements, and places used therefor; requiring and regulating the licensing thereof; restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1547, (House Bill No. 1937), entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act, approved the first day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation;' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1548, (House Bill No. 1938), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act, approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred eighty-four), entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax,' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on and after May first."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1549, (House Bill No. 1940), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1550, (House Bill No. 1943), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1557, (House Bill No. 1944), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first, second and third sections of an act, entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers,' approved the sixteenth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1552, (House Bill No. 1945), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1555, (House Bill No. 1956), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen, and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1556, (House Bill No. 1957), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred ten of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1557, (House Bill No. 1970), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiducaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1559, (House Bill No. 2024), entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs, bomb shells, explosive substances or noxious liquid gases or substances; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1560, (House Bill No. 1853), entitled:

An Act relating to the compensation of officers and employes of the Police and fire bureaus and park commissions in cities of the first class, and providing for an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minimum compensation of such employes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1580, (House Bill No. 1946), as follows:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-

nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as last amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand two) entitled "An act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' as amended by excepting from the provisions thereof taxicab companies" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23 That every railroad company pipe line company conduit company steamboat company canal company slack water navigation company transportation company street passenger railway company traction company and every other company association joint-stock association or limited partnership now or hereafter incorporated or organized by or under any law of this Commonwealth or now or hereafter organized or incorporated by any other state or by the United States or any foreign government and doing business in this Commonwealth and every copartnership person or persons [and] owning operating or leasing or from another corporation company association joint-stock association [or] limited partnership co-partnership person or persons any railroad pipe line conduit steamboat canal slack water navigation street passenger railway traction system [canal] or other device for the transportation of freight [or] passengers baggage or oil except taxicabs motor busses and motor omnibusses and every limited partnership [firm] association joint-stock association corporation or company engaged in or hereafter engaged in the transportation of freight or oil within [the] this State and every telephone company [or] telegraph company [incorporated under the laws of this or any other state or of the United States and doing business in this Commonwealth and every] express company [incorporated or unincorporated doing business in this Commonwealth and every firm copartnership or joint-stock company or association or corporation doing express business in this Commonwealth and every] electric light company water-power company [and] hydro-electric company [incorporated or unincorporated without regard as to how such companies were originally formed or incorporated and every] palace car company and sleeping-car company now or hereafter incorporated or organized by or under any law of this Commonwealth or now or hereafter organized or incorporated by any other state or by the United States or any foreign government and doing business in this Commonwealth and every limited partnership association joint-stock association copartnership person or persons engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light and power water-power hydro-electric palace car or sleeping car business in this Commonwealth [incorporated or unincorporated doing business in this Commonwealth] shall pay to the State Treasurer through the Department of Revenue a tax of eight mills upon the dollar upon the gross receipts of said corporation company or association limited partnership joint-stock association [firm or] copartnership person or persons received from passengers baggage and freight [traffic] transported wholly within this State [and receipts from the sale of electricity and] from telegraph or telephone messages transmitted wholly within the State [traffic or] from express palace car or sleeping car business done wholly within this State or from [business of] electric light and power [companies] water-power [companies] and hydro-electric business [companies] and from the transportation of oil done wholly within the State The said tax shall be paid within the time prescribed by law for the payment of taxes settled by the Department of Revenue and for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of the same it shall be the duty of the treasurer or other officer of the said company [firm] copartnership limited partnership association joint-stock association or corporation or person or persons to transmit to the [Auditor General] Department of Revenue on or before the first days of February and August of each year a statement under oath or affirmation of the amount of gross receipts of the said companies copartnerships corporations associations joint-stock associations [or] limited partnerships person or persons derived from all sources and of gross receipts from business done wholly within the State during the period of six months immediately preceding the first days of January and July of each year The time for filing reports may be extended estimated settlements may be made by the Department of Revenue if reports are not filed and the penalties for failing to file reports and pay the tax shall be as prescribed by the laws defining the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue Provided That in any case where the works of any corporation company copartnership association joint stock association [or] limited partnership person or persons are operated by another corporation company copartnership association joint-stock association [or] limited partnership person or persons the taxes imposed by this section shall be apportioned between the said corporations companies copartnerships associations joint-stock associations [or] limited partnerships person or persons in accordance with the terms of their respective leases or agreements but for the payment of the said taxes the Commonwealth shal first look to the corporation company copartnership association joint-stock association [or] limited partnership person or persons operating the works and upon payment by the said company corporation copartnership association joint-stock association [or] limited partnership person or persons of a tax upon the receipts as herein provided derived from the operation thereof no other corporation company copartnership association joint-stock association [or] limited partnership person or persons shall be held liable under this section for any tax upon the proportion of said receipts received by said corporation company copartnership association joint-stock association limited partnership person or persons [it] for the use of said works

Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to impose any tax upon any municipality nor upon the gross receipts derived from any municipally owned and operated public utility or from any public utility service furnished by any municipality

No tax shall be collected under the provisions of this act from any municipality upon the gross receipts derived from the ownership and [operating] operation of any public utility or from the furnishing by any municipality of any public utility service prior to the passage of this amendment

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1563, (House Bill No. 1948), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domino one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus or

engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-lectric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1012, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all accumulations in the State Treasury set aside by the State Treasurer and held in the Insurance Tax Fund and which remained as an undistributed surplus in said fund on December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight are hereby specifically appropriated to and shall be paid by the State Treasurer into the State Insurance Fund and shall be available for expenditure for the purposes for which the State Insurance Fund is dedicated

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered. To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1405, (House Bill No. 374), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1486, (House Bill No. 840), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park Washington Crossing Park and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1487 (House Bill No. 1500), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of (the) Norristown State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to th esecond reading and consideration of Senate Bill 1493 (House Bill No. 174), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in (the) Delaware County (Eastern District of the Commonwealth of) Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1495 (House Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideratio nof Senate Bill No. 1497 (House Bill No. 837), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1498 (House Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) elipileptics institutions under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1499, (House Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1500, (House Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Educational Institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1501, (House Bill No. 900), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1502, (House Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1503, (House Bill No. 945), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1504, (House Bill No. 949), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1505, (House Bill No. 964), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideratio nof Senate Bill No. 1506, (House Bill No. 969), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1507, (House Bill No. 977), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1508, (House Bill No. 983), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurt Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1509, (House Bill No. 994), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1510 (House Bill No. 993), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1511 (House Bill No. 999), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1512 (House Bill No. 1000), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1513 (House Bill No. 1001), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1514 (House Bill No. 1002), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1521 (House Bill No. 1499), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1522 (House Bill No. 1505), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of [the] Harrisburg State Hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1523 (House Bill No. 1516), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1524 (House Bill No. 1517), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third read.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1525 (House Bill No. 1524), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1526, (House Bill No. 1527), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1527, (House Bill No. 1528), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1528, (House Bill No. 1530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care, treatment, removal, and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1529, (House Bill No. 1533), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1530, (House Bill No. 1549), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant; and fixing the salary of such assistant.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1531, (House Bill No. 1603), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1534, (House Bill No. 1603), as follows:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the superintendent of the store room of the Senate and of the superintendent of the store room of the House of Representatives shall be three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum each payable semi-monthly in the manner provided by law

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1553, (House Bill No. 1953), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1554, (House Bill No. 1954), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1561, (House Bill No. 1952), entitled:

A Supplement to the act, approved the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-one), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation, "providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO DEATH OF HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EARNEST offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows and unanimously agreed to by a rising vote:

Whereas, Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, a native of Dauphin County, a Member of the House of Representatives from

1905 to 1908, Member of the State Senate from 1913 to 1919, Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth from 1919 to 1923, died on the ninth day of April 1929, and

Wereas, Governor Beidleman was one of the recognized leaders of the Republican Party in Pennsylvania for a quarter of a century and the undisputed leader of that Party in his home County of Dauphin, and

Whereas, Governor Beidleman was noted for exceptional courage, and steadfastness and perseverance in the pursuance of any cause he believed to be right, and

Whereas, his sunny disposition, forceful personality and the large fruitage of his whole-hearted and diligent life of service for his fellow-men endeared him to unnumbered multitudes who called him friend.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Senate, conscious of the loss the people of the Commonwealth have sustained enters upon its records its appreciation of Edward E. Beidleman, eminent lawyer, sincere public servant, man of positiveness, rectitude and without guile, and by this resolution joins in deep sympathy with his family and the people of the Commonwealth in the great grief that we all feel by reason of his death.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. ARON, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1622 (House Bill No. 1951), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

Mr. LAMB. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LAMB, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1579 (House Bill No. 1634), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended.

Mr. APPLE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. APPLE, from the Committee on Aeronautics re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1176 (House Bill No. 1434), entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation.

Also, from the Committee on Aeronautics, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1174, (House Bill No. 1432), entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and imposing penalties.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1325, (House Bill No. 1857), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters; prescribing its powers and duties; and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1571, (House Bill No. 763), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1572, (House Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1573, (House Bill No. 1171), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1604, (House Bill No. 671), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine and for the erection of a building for the School of Medicine for the erection of a building for the School of Dentistry to include Dental Infirmary and Laboratories.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1606, (House Bill No. 722), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1613, (House Bill No. 1454), entitled:

An act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1624, (House Bill No. 2034), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1005, (House Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SONES, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1588, (House Bill No. 1529), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two, as amended, clause (a) of section seven hundred and four, and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto"

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1033, (House Bill No. 1053), entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles, tractors, street cars, bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling including liens, encumbrances and legal claims, registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; owners of vehicles and garage keepers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, within the Commonwealth, liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation, and providing for refunds.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1179, (House Bill No. 1548), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1120, (House Bill No. 1536), entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation, providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of tractors and trailers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers; imposing penalties, imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1177, (House Bill No. 1482), entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth (and city streets connecting such highways) (suspending) in part State-aid Highways construction) providing for State-aid to (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing counties (cities) boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and (making an appropriation out) requiring certain moneys of the Motor License Fund to be expended as herein provided.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1170, (House Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1172, (House Bill No. 1283), entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1181, (House Bill No. 1755), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; con-

ferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1183, (House Bill No. 757), entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1165, (House Bill No. 314), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Corporations, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1108, (House Bill No. 1054), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties."

Also, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1079, (House Bill No. 1632), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of an act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures; providing for their compensation and expenses; prescribing their duties; prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights; and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," by requiring all weights and measures to be inspected at least once in each year; and imposing other duties on inspectors.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend Clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1673), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police; authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them; imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds; and imposing penalties.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported the following bills passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

House Bill No. 10, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertently paid for wholesale liquor licenses and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 53, entitled:

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof.

House Bill No. 69, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 206), entitled "An act relating to the organization and jurisdiction of orphans' courts, and to establish a separate orphans' court in and for counties having more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and to provide for the election of judges thereof," as amended.

House Bill No. 81, entitled:

An Act directing the Recorder of Deeds of each county of the Commonwealth to refuse for record all deeds or other transfers of real estate or interest in real estate unless a certificate is attached to said instruments, giving the precise residence of the grantee or grantees named therein, and requiring a list thereof to be delivered to the proper Board of Revision of taxes or other officials charged with the assessment of real estate.

House Bill No. 158, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty, thirty, forty, one hundred and sixty, one hundred and sixty-three, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and eighty-five, two hundred and fifty-eight, and to correct the printing of section two hundred and three of an act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 226, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," by adding thereto section four hundred and fifteen; permitting certain stock insurance companies heretofore organized to come within provisions of this act.

House Bill No. 227, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide for the protection of insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics and the appointment of a guardian for the said insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics unable to care for their own property authorizing the guardian to support the wife and children of the said insane persons feeble-minded persons and epileptics defining the powers of the guardian and authorizing the sale of real estate of the ward as amended extending jurisdiction to cases where the real or personal estate of such persons is located in the county

House Bill No. 302, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-seven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 341, entitled:

An Act providing for the location care and maintenance of graves of soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and for the compilation and preservatoin of records relating to such soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and their burial placed by county commissioners at the expense of the counties and imposing certain duties upon persons firms corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries conferring certain duties on the Department of Military Affairs

House Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims; and repealing existing laws.

House Bill No. 581, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 581) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by making the city solicitor of said cities an elective officer.

House Bill No. 715, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the eect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of property therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other prior acts of Assembly"

House Bill No. 760, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixty-five and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquital on the grounds of insanity

House Bill No. 905, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor"

House Bill No. 975, enittled:

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

House Bill No. 1021, entitled:

An Act to provide for the taking of tax duplicates by sureties on the bonds of delinquent or defaulting tax collectors and the appointment by such sureties of a collector for the collection of taxes due on such duplicates.

House Bill No. 1059, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and paragraph (a) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An Act relating to the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution and the fees costs and expenses therein" by providing that in no such proceedings shall it be necessary to join the spouse of any interested party.

House Bill No. 1117, entitled:

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Auditor General or any other

agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or resettlement of State taxes

House Bill No. 1118, entitled:

An Act to cede jurisdiction to the United States over the tracts of lands and buildings occupied by the Army Air Depot and Flying Field located in and adjacent to the Borough of Middletown, Dauphin County.

House Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act supplementary to the laws of the Commonwealth relating to guardians and committees of minors weak-minded persons lunatics and habitual drunkards and regulating the filing and notice of accounts and the compensation and removal of guardians and committees of veterans and of minor children and incompetent dependents of veterans.

House Bill No. 1132, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 998), entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases, mental defect, epilepsy, and inebriety; regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics; governing the transfer, discharge, interstate rendition, and deportation of mental patients; providing for the payment by individuals, counties, or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission, care, and discharge of mental patients; and imposing penalties," by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen, four hundred and fifteen for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

House Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act relative to the management and control of the Blair County Jail" by providing that the keeper of said jail shall or shall not reside therein as the county commissioners may determine

House Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the city of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

House Bill No. 1218, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended

House Bill No. 1277, entitled:

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road

House Bill No. 1282, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five), entitled "An act defining commodities; regulating the sale thereof; and providing penalties for violation hereof," as amended by the act of May fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

House Bill No. 1348, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to nuncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor"

House Bill No. 1361, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the Courts of Common Pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions."

House Bill No. 1445, entitled:

An Act to amend clause fifty-three of section twelve hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs

House Bill No. 1462, entitled:

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters materials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interests is absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons

House Bill No. 1522, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in the counties of the sixth class

House Bill No. 1553, entitled:

An Act regulating the granting of loans by building and loan associations where the security, in whole or part, is to be a mortgage or lien on real estate, providing penalties and fixing the time during which indictments under this act may be found and prosecuted.

House Bill No. 1558, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks, establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts," establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein; by the board of magistrates; prescribing their powers and duties, and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers.

House Bill No. 1587, entitled:

An Act for the election of the president, members of town council and auditors in incorporated towns of the Common-

wealth; regulating the manner of voting for such officers; and repealing inconsistent general, local and special laws.

House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 1613, entitled:

An Act to amend section fifteen of an act, approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 67), entitled "An act regulating the practice, bail, costs and fees on appeals to the Supreme Court and Superior Court;" removing the distinction against private corporations in the matter of giving bail in such appeal.

House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county.

House Bill No. 1640, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (1 Smith Laws 370) entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same for the better security of rents and for other purposes therein mentioned."

House Bill No. 1642, entitled:

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on nonresident operators or nonresident owners of motor vehicles operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said nonresident upon whom civil process may be served, and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit.

House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred fifteen.

House Bill No. 1703, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington and Newton, in the county of Luzerne," as amended; enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the County of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District

House Bill No. 1708, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

House Bill No. 1726, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment of counsel fees out of moneys recovered for counties townships boroughs school districts or poor districts upon appeals from the county auditors' settlements of the accounts of public officers

House Bill No. 1727, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in certain counties of the third class having a population of less than three hundred thousand fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the county assessors in such counties

House Bill No. 1752, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries of certain county officers in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 1774, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

House Bill No. 1781, entitled:

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page 194) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture furnishings and equipment

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund.

House Bill No. 1785, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" as amended

House Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act to provide for the collection and use of data relating to the criminal business of this Commonwealth, and making non-compliance with the terms of this act a misdemeanor.

House Bill No. 1458, entitled:

An Act fixing the time of holding elections on questions submitted to electors of boroughs.

House Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in securities designated by law for the investment of trust funds.

House Bill No. 284, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventy-eight) entitled "An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of association lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans' organizations labor unions foundation federation or other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act" conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act

House Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the conversion of National Banking associations into State banks or trust companies.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF THE LATE HONORABLE E. E. BEIDLEMAN.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appoints the entire membership of the Senate as a committee to attend the funeral of Honorable E. E. Beidleman Friday afternoon—to meet here in the Senate at 1.30 o'clock, and proceed from here to the church.

RECESS.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 3.30 P. M.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 311, (Senate Bill No. 1630), entitled:

An Act providing for the pensioning of certain persons residents of this Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines or members of the enlisted nurse corps designated as "blind veterans" defining the term "blind veteran" imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General imposing penalties for violation thereof making an appropriation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2026, (Senate Bill No. 1631), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An Act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method of such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NO. 1411.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1411, (House Bill No. 440), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, Pennsylvania.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to,

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1411 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1574, (House Bill No. 1193), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1534, (House Bill No. 934), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion

of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1586, (House Bill No. 1506), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1594, (House Bill No. 183), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1595, (House Bill No. 234), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1596, (House Bill No. 236), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1597, (House Bill No. 266), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1598, (House Bill No. 267), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, (replacements improvements and new construction) and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1599, (House Bill No. 282), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1600, (House Bill No. 285), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1601, (House Bill No. 360), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1602, (House Bill No. 490), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township, Warren County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1603, (House Bill No. 579), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School, at Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1607, (House Bill No. 997), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195), entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1608, (House Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1609, (House Bill No. 1098), entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1610, (House Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1611, (House Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1615, (House Bill No. 1534), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital, of Kane, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1617, (House Bill No. 1758), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1627, (House Bill No. 2132), entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finances and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. FREEMAN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1568, (House Bill No. 232), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 578), entitled "An act relating to the collection of city, school and poor taxes, in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth, providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office, shall be the collector of the said several taxes; prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation," as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1620, (House Bill No. 1921), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Mr. PAINTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. PAINTER, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1575, (House Bill No. 1229), entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BELL, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1625, (House Bill No. 2038), entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

Also, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1582, (House Bill No. 2099), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1593, (House Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee in Public Health and Sanitation, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1086, (House Bill No. 316), entitled:

An Act to promote the public health and safety by providing for the examination and licensure of those who desire to engage in the occupation of barbering providing for the regulating barber shops barber schools and barber colleges and appentices and students therein and providing for the administration of this act by the Department of Public Instruction and imposing penalties.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1034, (House Bill No. 1237), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 198), entitled "An act to established a county

court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof," as amended; by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 963, (House Bill No. 968), entitled:

An Act to amend Article three of Chapter fourteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 849), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," by adding section one thousand one hundred fifty-nine (a) thereto, providing for the collection of assessments of cost of building and acquiring sewers by installments and the issue of bonds to provide for payment of cost of such improvement.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. GELDER, from the Committee on Education reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1626, (House Bill No. 2064), entitled·

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1619, (House Bill No. 1393), entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, House Resolution No. 6, as follows:

Resolved (If the Senate Concur) That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that the authorities in charge of all schools and educational institutions of every character in this Commonwealth should at the opening exercises each day such schools and institutions are conducted require the pupils and students attending to take with fitting ceremony the following pledge

"I pledge allegiance to The Flag of the United States of America for which it stands One Nation indivisible with Liberty and Justice for all"

Resolved That a copy of this resolution be transmitted by the Department of Public Instruction to each school and educational institution in the Commonwealth

Mr. MANSFIELD, Mr. President, I move that Rule 30 which requires current resolutions reported from committee to lie on the table one day be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the resolution just read.

Mr. HARRIS, Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question.

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Senate inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN (for Mr. Huffman), from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1540, (House Bill No. 1881), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1631, (House Bill No. 2026), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method for such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1411, (House Bill No. 449), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital Pennsylvania.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SALUS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, re-reported as committee, Senate Bill No. 1212, (House Bill No. 1651), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 43), entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts," as amended, by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service, stationery, telephone, telegraph, clerical and other services

as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1567, (House Bill No. 113), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HUFFMAN, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1444, (House Bill No. 897), entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for the work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now resume the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1157 on final passage, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1157, as follows:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the laws concerning newspapers and relating to official publications legal advertising and legal notices in this Commonwealth are hereby codified revised amended and consolidated as follows

Section 2 This Act shall be known and cited as the "NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING ACT"

Section 3 The following words wherever used in the Acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth now in force or hereafter enacted shall have the following meanings

(1) "NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication bearing a title or name and conveying reading or pictorial intelligence of passing events local or general happenings printing regularly or irregularly editorial comment announcements miscellaneous reading matter commercial advertising classified advertising legal advertising and other notices and which has been issued in numbers of four or more pages at short intervals either daily twice or oftener each week or weekly continuously during a period of at least six months or as the successor of such a printed paper or publication issued during an immediate prior period of at least six months and which has been circulated and distributed from an established place of business to subscribers or readers without regard to number for a definite price or consideration either entered or entitled to be entered under the Postal Rules and Regulations as second class matter in the United States mails and subscribed for by readers at a fixed price for each copy or at a price fixed per annum Provided a newspaper may be either a daily newspaper weekly newspaper newspaper of general circulation official newspaper or a legal newspaper as defined by this act

(2) "DAILY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper regularly issued every day in the week either including or excluding Sundays and legal holidays

(3) "WEEKLY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper issued at least once a week

(4) "NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION" means a newspaper issued daily or not less than once a week intended for general distribution and circulation and sold at fixed prices per copy per week per month or per annum to subscribers and readers without regard to business trade profession or class

(5) "OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper designated by the Public Service Commission the Workmen's Compensation Board or any other state department commission board or officer for the publication of official notices or advertising or by a resolution or election by a Board of Directors or officers of any corporation or unincorporated association or by a Board of County Commissioners Board of Education Board of School Directors town township borough or city commissioners township supervisors or a newspaper designated by an ordinance or resolution of a township borough city or municipal council or city or county commissioners for the publication of notices and statements required by rule order resolution or ordinance of those lawfully constituted authorities who are specially empowered by statute or custom to elect or designate an official paper or publication for disseminating official and public intelligence among the people of a particular township town borough city county or municipality or a sub-division thereof of this Commonwealth

(6) "LEGAL NEWSPAPER" means "legal periodical" "official legal newspaper" or "official legal periodical" publishing legal intelligence as designated by a rule or rules of Court of any particular judicial district of this Commonwealth for the publication of legal advertisements and notices required by law rule order or decree of Court to be published in a legal newspaper legal periodical official legal newspaper or official legal periodical so designated by the rules of a Court of record

(7) "PERIODICAL" means a printed paper or publication issued in pamphlet or book form regardless of page size or number of pages at stated or regular intervals of more than one day between each issue containing either general class trade teachnical scientific serial articles or other reading matter advertising et cetera and entitled to be entered as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States

(8) "MAGAZINE" means and partakes of the nature of a periodical

(9) "CLASS MAGAZINE" or "CLASS NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication containing class professional trade commercial technical scientific educational religious financial legal or other matter and intelligence intended to be disseminated exclusively among subscribers or readers concerned or interested in the subject matters published

(10) "JOURNAL" means either a newspaper daily newspaper weekly newspaper of general circulation legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper class newspaper periodical or magazine

(11) A printed paper or publication regardless of size contents or time of issue or number of copies issued distributed and circulated gratuitously is not a newspaper

(12) A printed paper or publication not entitled to be entered or which has been denied entry as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States is not a newspaper

(13) "SUBSCRIBER" means a person or persons corporation association or society which buys or orders verbally or by written subscription or accepts upon delivery from the United States mails or a carrier issues or copies of any newspaper journal legal newspaper periodical or magazine

(14) "CARRIER" means a person persons partnership corporation or association engaged for hire in the delivery of newspapers periodicals or magazines

(15) "CIRCULATION" means the number of copies printed issued sold or subscribed for by the day week month or year at a particular price for each copy or for a series of issues over a definite period but does not include excepting copies exchanged for other newspapers or publications copies or issues circulated gratuitously among the people by any newspaper official newspaper legal newspaper official legal newspaper journal magazine or periodical

(16) "SAMPLE COPY" means a copy of a newspaper periodical or magazine distributed without charge or expense to prospective subscribers or advertisers in numbers limited by the United States postal rules and regulations governing second class mail matter

(17) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISING AND LEGAL ADVERTISING" means any advertisement notice statement report resolution ordinance or abstract of the same required by law rule order or decree of Court by resolution of any board of directors stockholders or officers of any corpoation or unincorporated association or any board of county commissioners board of education board of school directors township supervisors borough council city commissioners or city council city manager or by the proclamation of any Sheriff Coroner Mayor Provost or Burgess to be printed and published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper a legal periodical an official newspaper or an official legal newspaper

(18) "ADVERTISEMENT" means a printed public notice relating to any matter authorized by any person corporation or association which is published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper legal newspaper legal periodical official newspaper official legal newspaper official legal periodical magazine or periodical and which may be required by law rule order or decree of Court or resolution of any corporation or unincorporated association or by ordinance of any municipality or sub-division thereof or by any state board commission board of education township borough city or county commissioners or any public officer

(19) "ADVERTISER" means any person persons partnership corporation society or association of persons who orders and directs a notice or advertisement to be printed or published in a newspaper periodical legal newspaper or magazine

(20) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication or statement or an abstract of a notice advertisement publication or statement required to be made by law rule order or decree of Court by any person persons corporation or unincorporated association or by any officer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or an official or the official of any private or public corporation or by a township borough city or county or a municipal sub-division thereof or in the conduct of the business of a private or public corporation or on the order of any official or the officials of any private or public corporation order of any officer of any political sub-division or municipality or in the performance of any official duty imposed by law rule order or decree of Court resolution or ordinance

(21) "LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication statement or abstract of a notice advertisement publication or statement required by resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association municipality a municipal sub-division or ordinance of a municipality or by law or by rule order or decree of Court of competent jurisdiction to be published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper or an official legal periodical

(22) "LEGAL NOTICE" when required to be printed or published means either a legal advertisement a legal notice or an official advertisement or an official legal notice

(23) "NOTICE" means a formal printed announcement transmitting intelligence information or warning to a particular person or generally to all persons who may read the same

(24) "PUBLICATION" means (a) the act of printing a notice advertisement or proclamation for the purpose of disseminating information to the people at large (b) a journal magazine newspaper legal newspaper or periodical

(25) "PROOF OF PUBLICATION" means a printed or written statement declaring the name of a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper a legal periodical official newspaper or official legal newspaper as defined by this Act of assembly its place of business when the same was established the date or duties and issue or issues in which a printed notice or publication appeared and to which is securely attached exactly as printed or published a copy of the official advertisement official notice legal notice or legal advertisement verified with a statement of the owner or publisher of such newspaper or periodical in which the official or legal advertisement or notice was published duly sworn to before a person authorized to administer oaths and also declaring that the affiant is not interested in the subject matter of the notice or advertising and that all of the allegations of the state-

ment as to the time place and character of publication are true

(26) "NEWS" means narrative or recent intelligence disseminating current information as to local general or world-wide happenings concerning any person or persons matters or private or public interest or concerning any matters affecting the public welfare

(27) "READING MATTER" means news or other printed matter intended to be read as distinguished from intelligence notices announcements display advertising or advertising published for a compensation

(28) "COLUMN" means a single unit or upright section of the total height of the type prinetd page as separated from the remainder of the page by a line rule or space and not less than ten ems pica in width

(29) "DISPLAY ADVERTISING" means intelligence made conspicuous and designated by either reading matter printed from various sizes kinds and styles of types or illustrations and printed or published for a compensation demanded or intended to be received from those interested in affected or served by the subject matter published

(30) "CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING" means intelligence or notices published and printed in small or inconspicuous type as advertising classed with similar notices of advertising and for which compensation is intended to be charged

(31) "RATE" means the price or sum fixed for printing and publishing either official legal or commercial advertising and may be either a price or sum fixed for a single reading line in a single column or for a space of the depth of one inch in a single column or it may mean the particular stated sums or prices fixed for printing and publishing official or legal advertising where the style and form does not vary except for the names and addresses of the interested parties such as notices of applications for charters of incorporation stockholders' meetings executors administrators auditors' notices sheriffs' proclamations in divorce register of wills' audit notices obituary or death notices et cetera

(32) "SPACE" means the length and breadth of a printed type page or any sub-division thereof intended to be used for either news or advertising matter of any kind

(33) "LINERS" means advertisements published as reading notices intelligence or announcements for which compensation is intended to be charged to those interested in the publication of the same

(34) "TYPE" means a piece of metal or wood from which either a letter figure or other character is impressed with ink upon paper

(35) "POINT" means a unit of measurement for determining the height of a type letter figure or other character or the width of a rule as heretofore generally known and fixed by general agreement of certain type founders and manufacturers at one hundred and thirty-eight ten-thousandths (.0138) of an inch in length

(36) "AGATE" means a type five and one-half (5½) type points in depth or height

(37) "NONPAREIL" means a type six (6) type points in depth or height

(38) "MINION" means a type seven (7) points in depth or height

(39) "BREVIER" means a type eight (8) type points in depth or height

(40) "BOURGEOIS" means a type nine (9) type points in depth or height

(41) "LONG PREMIER" means a type ten (10) type points in depth or height

(42) "SMALL PICA" means a type eleven (11) type points in depth or height

(43) "PICA" means a type twelve (12) type points in depth or height

(44) "EM" means a square of a type or a space equal to the square of the depth or height of a particular type as measured by the type's number of points in height

(45) "COLUMN RULE" means the printed line between or which separates the printed columns of any type page

(46) "ADVERTISING RULE" means the line between or which separates any two advertisements or notices

(47) "RESOLUTION" means a formal agreement or consent to do or not to do a certain thing which has been recorded upon the minutes or records of the Public Service Commission the State Board of Pardons or any state council state board or state commission or of the legislative or executive officers of any township borough city or county or sub-division thereof or by either the stockholders or board of directors of a corporation or by the members directors managers or trustees of an unincorporated association or society of individuals

(48) "ORDINANCE" means a municipal rule or regulation adopted in the manner required by the statutes of this Commonwealth by the lawfully constituted officers of any township borough city or county or subdivision thereof or any particular subdivision of this Commonwealth empowered to enact laws rules or regulations for the government of the inhabitants of a particular place

(49) "LAW" means an act of the General Assembly or an enactment entitled an ordinance resolution rule or regulation of any municipality township borough city or county or subdivision thereof

(50) "RULE" means any formal order or direction made by the properly constituted authorities of any municipality or by any Court of Record

(51) "DECREE" means a decision judgment order or sentence of any Court of Record

(52) "COURT" means a court of tribunal of record established for the public administration of justice under the provisions of the Constitution of Pennsylvania

Section 4 Whenever in any legal proceeding action at law or any other matter any notice or any advertising is required to be given by law rule order or decree of Court and discretion is vested by law in any Court to omit or dispense with the publication of any notice or advertisement the same shall not be dispensed with except when a special petition or motion praying for such dispensation be presented in open Court setting forth the reasons for not complying with the provisions of the law rule order or decree of Court requiring the particular notice or advertising and after hearing if the Court is satisfied that no interested person will be injured by omitting or dispensing with the notice or advertising or failure to receive notice of the subject matter of said proceeding or any other matter as contemplated by law an express order of Court setting forth the reason for dispensing with the notice or advertising may be made directing that such publication shall be dispensed with

Section 5 All official and legal advertising shall be charged for at an established or declared rate or price per single column line of reading matter measured in depth by the point system or at a rate or price per inch single column When such official and legal advertising is not classified and is not published according to prescribed or recognized forms and no rate has been established or declared such rate for official and legal advertising shall not be in excess of the rates usually charged or received by the newspaper publishing such official and legal advertising for commercial general or other advertising Provided where official and legal advertising is usually and ordinarily published according to recognized or prescribed forms or particular matters are itemized and classified under general headings this act should not be construed to prohibit the fixing of definite prices or sums for publishing official and legal advertising regardless of the number of single column lines or space required for each item notice or advertisement published in any separate matter or proceeding and regardless of rates established fixed charged or received for commercial general or other advertising The purpose of this provision is to enable newspapers to take into consideration as elements when fixing advertising rates or charges location of the advertisement in the newspaper the purpose to be served the character of the advertising and that a newspaper is entitled to compensation for its readiness at all times to render an advertising service

Section 6 All charges costs and expenses incurred including the fees for affidavits to proofs of publication for official and legal advertising in any matter action at law proceeding in Court or legal proceeding in any matter settlement of estates public sales of real estate by either sheriffs masters executors administrators trustees or other persons shall be taxable collectible and payable as other Court costs and expenses of administration are now required by law to be taxed collected and paid upon all judgments orders and decrees of Court Provided no action at law proceeding in Court settlement of estate sale or other matter in any legal proceeding shall be fully and finally determined until there has been filed of record in

such matter or proceeding a receipt certifying that such advertising and publication charges have been paid the same as all Court and legal proceeding costs are now required to be paid

Section 7 No legal proceeding matter or case in which notice is required to be given by official or legal advertising shall be binding and effective upon any interested person party corporation association or society unless such official and legal advertising be printed and published in the newspapers of general circulation official newspapers and legal newspapers defined by this act and which have been established and published contiuously for at least six months in the proper county prior to such publication in the manner and as required by existing statutes and by Acts of Assembly hereafter enacted and by any rule order or decree of Court resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association or ordinance rule or regulation of any municipality state board state commission state official township borough city or county commissioners board of education or other public officer or public officers in the newspapers of general circulation official newspapers and legal newspapers defined by this Act of Assembly and a proof of publication as hereinbefore provided filed of record in such matter or proceeding

Section 8 All newspapers of general circulation official newspapers legal newspapers and legal periodicals accepting and publishing official and legal advertising are hereby required to fix and establish rates and charges for official legal and all other kinds of advertising offered or accepted for publication and such newspapers and periodicals shall furnish on demand to any person or persons having use for the same detailed schedules stating the rates and charges which shall be deemed to be in force and effect until changed or altered and when changed or altered such newspaper or periodical shall give the person persons corporation association municipality or municipalities or public officers authorized or required to publish advertising before demanding or receiving compensation at any increased rate notice that the rates and charges of such newspaper or periodical or advertising have been changed or abrogated and that increased advertising rates and charges have been established or fixed

Section 9 The provisions of this act are intended to be a comprehensive statute creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices official advertisements and advertisements as defined by this act or abstracts of any notice statement or advertisement required by law or rule order or decree of Court to be published in a newspaper defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as costs in all matters and proceedings and to establish a uniform method for determining the cost of legal advertising and legal notices where rates circulation of the particular publication size of columns or pages and kind or size of type used vary in newspapers of different localities in this Commonwealth

Section 10 The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The provisions of this act shall not affect any suit or action pending but the same shall and may be proceeded with and concluded under the laws in existence when such suit or action was instituted notwithstanding the provisions of this act "Provided that no advertising by any County City Borough or Township shall be required hereunder that is not required or is different from that required under existing law"

Section 11 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions hereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 12 All general acts and parts of general acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed but existing local or special Acts of Assembly shall not be repealed altered amended or affected

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend Section 3, paragraph (1) on page 2, by striking out of line 13, the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six months"; also by striking out of line 15, the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six months"; also section 7, page 15, by striking out of line 6, the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six months."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 506, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, siez, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and provinding for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, this is the zoning bill. I do not want to make any particular argument about it, I simply want to say there are 30,000,000 people in the United States without zoning, 68 cities of 100,000 or over without needed zoning, 46 States have zoning laws, and all municipalities in Pennsylvania except Philadelphia have the privilege of zoning.

The constitutionality of zoning has been upheld in the famous Euclid vs. Ambler Village case by the Supreme Court.

This Bill No. 506 has been endorsed by the Mayor and City Council of Philadelphia.

There is a little story that I would like to tell about this bill in connection with the State Printer, Mr. Dight. You can in-

terpret the story any way you like. This morning Mr. Hamilton kindly called up Mr. Dight and discovered that this bill had been laid aside in the printer's office. Mr. Dight came up here to see me about it, and he said his night man, Mr. Black, had received a message—he did not know who the messenger was,—a message informing Mr. Black that this bill was to be held over in the printer's office until certain amendments shall have been inserted in the bill. It is the first case of amending a bill in the printer's office that I ever heard of.

We told Mr. Dight what we thought of him, and at 1.30 I got these copies of the bill off the press. I hope the Senate will vote "aye."

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 512, (House Bill No. 1), as follows:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties

Section 1 Be is enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" which was amended by the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and forty-three) entitled 'An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' by providing for the payment of a State annuity to employes who separated from school service prior to the establishment of the Retirement System" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 14 Retirement for superannuation shall be as follows

1 Any contributor who is an employe sixty-two years of age or older may retire for superannuation by filing with the retirement board a written statement duly attested setting forth at what time subsequent to the execution of said application he or she desires to be retired Said application shall retire said contributor at the time so specified or in the discretion of the retirement board at the end of the school term in which the time so specified occurs

2 Each and every contributor who has attained or shall attain the age of seventy years shall be retired by the retirement board for superannuation forthwith or at the end of the school term in which said age of seventy years is attained

Allowance on Superannuation Retirement

3 On retirement for superannuation a contributor who is an employe shall receive a retirement allowance which shall consist of

(a) A teachers annuity which shall be the actural equivalent of his or her accumulated deductions and

(b) A State annuity of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1/160) of his or her final salary for each year of service prior to the age of sixty-two years and

(c) In addition thereto if a present employe a further State annuity of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1/160) of his or her final salary for each year of prior service as certified to said present employe in the certificate isued to him or her by the retiremnt board under the provisions of section ten of this act

4 Any person sixty-two years of age or older who was a classroom teacher in the public schools of Pennsylvania for at least twenty years and who separated from school service for any reason prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen or any person who was a classroom teacher in the public schools of Pennsylvania for at least fifteen years and who separated from school service because of physical or mental disability prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen and who still is unable to teach because of such disability shall receive a State [annuity] compensation equal to one eightieth of his or her final salary for each year of school service if such former teacher shall agree in writing and hold himself or herself ready under the direction of the board of school directors to advise and counsel with school officials to visit and counsel with new teachers to act as substitute teacher when able to examine and report on public school work to visit pupil's homes in the interests of child welfare to attend educational conferences and addresses and to be concerned with other educational work as may be deemed necessary and helpful to community-school interests The General Assembly shall from time to time appropriate moneys sufficient to make payments under this sub-section Provided That any teacher who is entitled to receive [a] State annuity compensation hereunder and who is receiving a retirement allowance under the provisions of a local teachers' retirement system shall receive from the Commonwealth only the difference between the [annuity] compensation to which such teacher would otherwise be entitled under the provisions of this sub-section and the annual amount received by such teacher from such local teachers' retirement system

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Davis,	Kitts,	Prince,
Aron,	Ealy,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni.
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCreesin,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1217, (House Bill No. 931), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in this act unless the context otherwise require "association" means an association formed under this act "member" means a member of such an association "patron" means a person engaged in agriculture as hereinafter defined whose products are sold by or supplies purchased through the association and who may or may not be a member of the association "agricultural products" shall include all agricultural horticultural vegetable fruit and floricultural products of the soil livestock and meats wool hides poultry eggs dairy products nuts and honey but shall not include timber products words used import the singular or the plural as the case may demand

Section 2 That section two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 Cooperative agricultural associations instituted for the purposes of mutual help and not having capital stock and not conducted for profit may be formed under the provisions of this act by any number of persons not less than five engaged in agriculture For the purposes of this act all persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping [and] horticulture and other allied occupations shall be deemed to be engaged in "agriculture"

Section 3 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 An association to meet the needs of its patrons and members may engage in the buying and selling of agricultural products and take title to such products and may as agent for its members or any of them perform for them services connected with the production preservation drying grading canning storing handling utilization marketing or sale of agricultural products produced by them and for the agricultural purposes of such patrons and members may perform for them services connected with the purchase or hiring for or use by them of supplies including livestock machinery and equipment and the hiring of labor or any one or more of the kinds of service specified in this section Provided however that the association shall not deal in the products of or purchase supplies for non-members to an amount greater in value than such as are handled by it for members

Section 4 That section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 The articles of association of an intended association must be subscribed by five or more persons three of whom must be citizens of this Commonwealth and shall set forth

I The name of the association which shall include the word "cooperative"

II The class of services to be performed by the association which service shall be [among] one or more of those enumerated in section three of this act

III The principal place [or places] where its business is to be transacted which shall be within this Commonwealth

IV The term for which it is to exist

V The names and post office addresses of the subscribers

VI The number of its directors not less than five and the names and residences of those who are chosen for directors for the first year and the name and residence of the treasurer

VII Any other provisions not inconsistent with law which the association may see fit to adopt governing the [regulations] regulation and conduct of its affairs

Notice of the intention to apply for any such charter shall be inserted in [two newspapers] one newspaper of general circulation printed in the county where the principal place of business is situated for [three weeks] one insertion setting forth briefly the character and purpose of said corporation and the kind of service to be performed by it such advertisement shall be published at least three days before the application is laid before the Governor

The articles of association shall be acknowledged by not less than five of the subscribers thereto before any officer authorized to take acknowledgments and administer oaths and affirmations in this Commonwealth and they shall also make and subscribe an oath or affirmation before said officer that the statements contained therein are true

Said articles of association accompanied with proof of publication of the notice hereinbefore provided to be given shall then be presented to the Governor of this Commonwealth who shall examine the same and if he finds it in proper form and within the purpose mentioned in this act he shall indorse his approval thereon and direct letters patent to issue in form similar to that issued to corporations of the second class in this Commonwealth which letters patent shall incorporate the subscribers and their associates and successors into a body politic and corporate in deed and in law by the name chosen Said articles of association shall be recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth in a book to be by him kept for the purpose

The original articles of association together with all indorsements shall be recorded in the office of the [recording] recorder of deeds in and for the county where the principal place of business is situate From thenceforth the subscribers thereto their associates and successors shall be a body politic and corporate for the purposes and upon the terms named in the said articles of association Certified copies of the records thereof shall be competent evidence for all purposes in the courts of this Commonwealth

Section 5 That section five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 6 Each association so formed under the provisions of this act and when so formed by virtue of its existence as such shall have the following powers

1 To have succession for the period limited in its articles of association and when no period is limited thereby to exist perpetually subject to the power of the General Assembly

under the Constitution of the Commonwealth and unless sooner dissolved by operation of law or under the provisions of this act

2 To maintain and defend judicial proceedings by the name specified in the articles of association

3 To adopt and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure

4 To hold purchase and transfer such real and personal property as the purposes of the corporation require

5 To elect a board of directaors which shall have power to appoint a president vice-president secretary treasurer and other officers agents and employes which may be deemed necessary to prescribe their duties to require bonds of them and to dismiss them and any of them in accordance with the by-laws of said association

6 To make by-laws not inconsistent with the law for the management of its property the regulation of its affairs and the conduct and management of the association

7 To perform for members and other patrons the services described in the articles of association and authorized by this act

8 To make contracts necessary in the conduct of its operation and the transaction of its affairs

9 To borrow money necessary to the conduct of its operations and to issue notes bonds and other evidences of indebtedness therefor and to give security in the form of mortgage or otherwise for the payment thereof

10 To cooperate with any other such association or corporation [not conducted for profit] whether formed under this act or otherwise for the purpose of promoting the objects for which it was incorporated or the objects for which any other similar association was formed Any such association may upon resolution adopted by its board of directors enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements and make all necessary and proper stipulations agreements contracts and arrangements with any other cooperative corporation association or associations formed under the provisions of this act or otherwise for the cooperative and more economical carrying on of its business or any part or parts thereof or any two or more cooperative associations formed under the provisions of this act or otherwise may upon resolutions adopted by their respective boards of directors for the purpose of more economically carrying on their respective businesses by agreement betwen them unit in employing and using or several such associations may separately employ and use the same methods means and agencies which agencies may be another such association or associations for carrying on and conducting their respective business [No contract or agreement authorized by this section shall be binding or effective until a copy thereof its filed with the Department of Agriculture and if the same relates to co-operative marketing shall be sanctioned by such department)

11 To foster membership in the association by advertising or by educational or other lawful means

12 To exercise such incidental powers as may be necessary in the conduct of its operations

13 To purchase and hold stock of corporations engaged in the buying or selling of agricultural products as herein defined when such purchase and holding shall be in keeping with the purposes for which the association was formed

Section 6 That section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 6 Any association may admit as members under terms and conditions prescribed in its by-laws persons engaged in agriculture [dairying or horticulture] Any member shall forfeit his membership upon proof being made to the association that he has ceased to be engaged in agriculture [dairying or horticulture] For the purposes of this act a member other than an individual shall be represented by an individual associate officer or partner thereof duly authorized

Section 7 That section seven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 7 Every association shall issue a certificate of membership for each member Such certificate [or] of membership shall not be transferable and no person who may acquire the same by operation of law or otherwise than may be prescribed in this act and the articles of association and the by-laws of the association shall be entitled to become a member by virtue of such certificate

Section 8 That section ten of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 10 Each member of said association shall be liable jointly individually and severally for his per capita share for all work and labor done to carry on the operation of said association which liability existed at the time he becomes a member or which is created during his membership but if any member's share of such liability for work and labor done shall prove to be uncollectible each remaining member shall be responsible as an individual liability for such unpaid share or part thereof to an amount equal to such remaining members' original liability or to such further amount as may be prescribed in the articles of association No member shall be liable to the association for any work or labor done as aforesaid until all the property of said association if it be found to be in the county where the chief business of the same is carried on is first exhausted to satisfy said claim for work and labor done as aforesaid The proceedings to enforce any liability against the individual member of said association to collect any sum or sums due for work or labor done for said association as hereinbefore provided shall be in accordance with and such action shall be brought in the manner and form designated by the fifteenth section of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" and the supplements thereto Providing however That in the enforcement of such liability where in the Corporation Act of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplement thereto the word "stockholders" is used for the purposes of this act the same shall be taken to mean "member" or "members" as the same be used and defined in this act In all cases any member who voluntarily or otherwise contributes to the debt or obligation of another member or member shall have an action several or joint such defaulting member or members for reimbursement

The terms "work" and "labor" as used in this section shall mean only such obligations incurred by the association for salary and wages for actual labor and service performed by individuals

Any association may in its article of association limit the amount of indebtedness or obligations which may be incurred by or on behalf of this association and no member shall be liable for any debt or obligation in excess of the terms of such limitations

Section 9 That section eleven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 11 The association may engage in buying and selling agricultural products and supplies and take title thereto as hereinbefore provided The association and its members and patrons may make and execute contracts requiring the members and patrons to sell all or any specified part of their agricultural products or specified commodities exclusively to or through the association or any facilities to be created by the association If they contract a sale to the association it shall be conclusively held that title to the products passes absolutely and unreservedly to the association at the time of delivery or at any other time if expressly and definitely agreed in said contract The contract may provide that the association may sell or resell the products delivered by its members and patrons with or without taking title thereto and pay over to its members and patrons the resale price after deducting all necessary overhead and other costs and expenses interest on indebtedness and other proper reserves Provided however That such contract shall specify a reasonable period during each year during which the association or any member or patron so contracting with the association may terminate the contract

The association as agent for a member non-member or patron may buy farm supplies for him and sell his agricultural [dairy or horticultural] products and as a condition of its contract with [such] any non-member may impose upon him any liability for the contracts debts and engagements of the association which does not exceed the liability of a member [but in no case shall the association charge a non-member for such services more than the actual cost thereof including the pro rata part of all overhead expenses]

Section 10 That section twelve of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 12 Within thirty days after the recording of the articles of association in the office of the recorder of deeds as prescribed in section four of this act a call signed by not less than a majority of the directors shall be issued for a

meeting of the members At such meeting or any adjourned session or sessions thereof by-laws regulating and conducting the management of the association shall be adopted Such by-laws shall within the limits of this act prescribe

1 The time place and manner of calling and holding meetings

2 The number and qualification of members the conditions under which membership shall be granted and terminated Rules governing the exercise of the privileges of members and the issuance transfer and cancellaiton of membership certificate and the manner of ascertaining the interests of members in the assets if any of the association

3 The number of directors the time and manner of their election and removal [and] their powers and duties the number not less than a majority necessary to the exercise of their powers and the method of fixing their compensation if any

4 The officers their terms of office the time and manner of their appointment and removal their powers duties and the method of fixing thir compensation if any

5 The manner of fixing and collecting fees dues and other assessments or charges for services to its members

6 Any other provisions proper and necessary to carry out the purposes for which the association was formed

The by-laws of such association so created under the provisions of this statute shall be deemed to be taken as the law subordinate to this statute the articles of association of the same and letters patent issued thereon the Constitutiion and laws of this Commonwealth and the Constitutioin and laws of the United States

Section 11 That section thirteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sectioin 13 The by-laws may require a member to sell all or any part of their specifically enumerated agricultural [dairy and horticultural] products and to buy all or any part of their specifically enumerated supplies exclusively through the association but in such case shall specify a reasonable period in each year during which any member by giving notice prescribed in the by-laws may withdraw and be released from his obligation to employ the services of the association in respect to such products and supplies The by-laws and contract may fix as liquidated damages specific sums [in amounts fairly relating to the actual damages ordinarily suffered in like circumstances] to be paid to the association to reimburse it for any damages which it or the members may sustain by the failure of any members to perform any obligation to the association under the articles of association the by-laws or any contract with the association and such provision shal lbe valid and enforceable in the courts of this state

Section 12 That section fourteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 14 The board of directors of each association shall consist of not less than five members At the first regular meeting of the association a quorum as specified by the by-laws being present the members shall elect from among themselves director for the term of one year At the expiration of the terms of directors so elected their successors shall be elected in like manner for terms of one year Provided That certain directors may at the first regular meeting of a newly organized association or in the case of associations already existing then at the first meeting held for election purposes after this amendment becomes effective be elected for terms longer than one year so that thereafter one-third as nearly as possible of such directors may be elected every year for terms of three years Directors shall hold office until their successors have been elected and qualified and until their successors shall enter upon the discharge of their duties Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired terms at any regular meeting or at any special meeting called for the purpose [in the same manner as provided for the original election] by the board of directors The board of directors shall manage the affairs of the association and shall perform such other duties as may be specifically imposed upon the board by this act

Section 13 That section fifteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 15 Any member director or officer of the association may for cause at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for the purpose [at which a majority of the members shall be present] after a notice in writing has been sent to each member at least ten days before the time set for such meeting setting forth the purpose of such meeting be removed from office by vote of not less than two-thirds of the members present Reasonable notice of the time place and object of any such meeting shall be given in the manner prescribed in the by-laws to the members [and others] directors or officers against whom charges are to be presented Such directors members or officers shall at the same time be informed of such charges and at such meeting shall have an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel and by witnesses in regard thereto

Section 14 That section seventeen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 17 An association may provide for the payment of expenses necessary in the performance of its services to its patrons and members and for the payment of principal or interest on its indebtedness by the creation of a working fund or otherwise through fees dues assessments [or] charges or commissions for the services to be fixed and collected in such manner as may presribed in the by-laws Such does fees assessments [or] charges or commissions shall be limited to the amounts necessary to meet expenses already incurred or reasonably estimated as essential to be incurred by the association in conducting its operations and for the payment of principal or interest on its indebtedness Whenever any association shall find it has accumulated funds in excess of these necessary to meet expenses already incurred and reasonably estimated as essential to be incurred by it in conducting its operations and for the payment of principal or interest on its indebtedness it shall return such excess or such part thereof as may be determined by the board of directors to or deduct from future fees dues assessments or charges of the patrons and members who contributed to such excess in the proportion of their respective contributions

Section 15 That section eighteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 18 Every association shall from time to time appoint an auditing committee of three persons who shall not be directors officers agents or employes of the association but who may or may not be members of said association Said committee shall at least once in each fiscal year of such association examine its records and property and within one month after such examination report in writing the results thereof to the association At the close of each fiscal year a complete audit of the operations of the association shall be made in the case of associations having a gross annual income not exceeding two thousand dollars by said committee in all other cases by a qualified accountant or accountants employed by the board of directors the written report of [which] whom shall include statements of services rendered by the association the balance-sheet the receipts and disbursements and the assets and liabilitics the members admitted and withdrawn the total number of members and other proper information and shall be submitted to the members at the next regular meeting Within three months after the expiration of the fiscal year for which made the secretary of said association shall file one copy of said report of the audit with the Secretary of Agriculture of this Commonwealth and one copy with the Dean of the School of Agriculture of the Pennsylvania State College No person shall without the consent of the association except in obedience to judicial process make or permit any disclosure whereby any information contained in said report may be identified as having been furnished by said association Any person violating or failing to comply with this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not more than three hundred dollars or imprisonment for not more than six months or both at the discretion of the court

Section 16 That section twenty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 21 Hereafter unless expressly authorized by law no individual or partnership corporation or association formed in this State otherwise than under the provisions of this act shall adopt and use the word "cooperative" or any abbreviation or derivative thereof as a part of the name or designation under which such individual partnership corporation or association shall do business in the State Any association shall be entitled to sue for and to obtain in any court of competent jurisdiction in this State by bill in equity injunction and other relief against the use of the word "cooperative" by any individual firm corporation or association who shall violate the provisions of this section

Any person association copartnership or corporation or its or their agents employes or officers who or which knowingly

induce or attempt to induce any member of an association organized hereunder to breach his marketing contract with the association or who meliciously and knowingly spreads false reports about the finances or management thereof shall on conviction thereof in summary proceedings before any alderman magistrate or justice of the peace of the county in which the offense was committed be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars and costs for each such offense or imprisonment for thirty days in the county jail upon non-payment thereof and shall be liable to the association aggrieved in a civil suit in the penal sum of five hundred dollars for each such offense

Any cooperative agricultural association or corporation heretofore or hereafter organized under similar laws of another state shall be allowed to carry on any proper activities operations and functions in this State upon compliance with the legal requirements applicable to foreign corporations desiring to do business in this State with power to make any and all contracts which could be made by any association incorporated hereunder which contracts shall be legal and valid and enforceable in this State And such associations or corporations shall be entitled to all of the rights exemptions and remedies available for cooperative agricultural associations formed under the provisions set forth in this act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Davis,	Kitts,	Prince,
Aron,	Ealy,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Laniusf,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows:

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

CAMBRIA COUNTY.

Howard W. Stull, Johnstown.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Walter H. E. Scott, Carlisle

ERIE COUNTY.

H. A. Will, Erie.

LEHIGH COUNTY.

Sam'l L. Mumma, Allentown.

MONROE COUNTY.

Richard A. Nilis, Stroudsburg.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Mrs. Ethel M. Bailey, Philadelphia, 1306 Ridge Ave.
Thomas H. Palmer, Philadelphia, 3648 Jasper St.
Robert C. Pitts, Philadelphia, 49 Montana St., Gtn.
Mrs. R. E. Wallack, Philadelphia, 5239 Germantown Ave.
Walter E. Wannemacher, Philadelphia, 4736 N. Camac St.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

S. W. Bierer, Greensburg.
Charles F. DePriest, Mount Pleasant.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date set opposite their names.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Miss Margaret A. Green, Philadelphia, 5160 Hoopes, April 14, 1929.

YORK COUNTY.

Miss Margie E. Craumer, Hanover, April 13, 1929.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. DAVIS,

That rule 38 which reqiures nominations made by the Governor be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting on the forgoing nominations,

Which was agreed to,

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. DAVIS,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Davis,	Kitts,	Prince,
Aron,	Ealy,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. PRESIDENT, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILLS NO. 53, 208, 330 AND 582.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 53, file folio 3561, entitled, "An Act to amend section five of article three and section seventeen of article four of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-six) entitled 'An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith further regulating barrier pillars on certain property lines and providing procedure for the settlement of disputes' ".

Senate Bill No. 208, file folio 187, entitled, "An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' ".

Senate Bill No. 330, file folio 1137, entitled, "An Act to amend section one thousand four hundred and forty-five of article fourteen of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled 'An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs' ".

Senate Bill No. 582, file folio 1231, entitled, "An Act to amend clause eight of section three hundred eighty-one and clause four of section three hundred eighty-six as amended of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing townships to lend or lease road machinery owned by them".

JOHN S. FISHER.

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that all bills reported from committee at today's session be read the first time.

Mr. DAVIS, Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled an act "Imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 74, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 884), entitled "An act exempting in certain cases the net proceeds of life insurance policies or annuities from the claims of creditors"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 75, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 103), entitled "An act relating to policies of life insurance and annuities"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 960, (House Bill No. 317), entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideratio nof Senate Bill No. 963, (House Bill No. 968), entitled:

An act to amend article three of Chapter fourteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by adding section one thousand one hundred fifty-nine (a) thereto providing for the collection of assessments of cost of building and acquiring sewers by installments and the issue of bonds to provide for payment of cost of such improvement

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1005, (House Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth, who are to serve without compensation, and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company, transportation company, merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1034, (House Bill No. 1237), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 198), entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof," as amended; by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1055 (House Bill No. 911), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 442), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations, issuing, for money consideration, policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles, or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles; defining motor vehicles; providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts; providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner, and payment of examination expenses, and filing fees; providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues, and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers; providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed; requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received; requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner, and to come under provisions of the act; fixing penalty for violations of the act; providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1074 (House Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act regulating the return of search warrants and the making of inventories of property taken by virtue of a search warrant by officers

And said bill having been read at length the first tme, Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1079 (House Bill No. 1632), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures; providing for their compensation and expenses; prescribing their duties; prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights; and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," by requiring all weights and measures to be inspected at least once in each year; and imposing other duties on inspectors.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1096 (House Bill No. 316), entitled:

An Act to promote the public health and safety by providing for the examination and licensure of those who desire to engage in the occupation of barbering providing for the appointment by the Governor of an examining board defining the powers and duties of such board regulating barber shops barber schools and barber colleges and apprentices and students therein and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1179, (House Bill No. 1548), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1181 (House Bill No. 1755), entitled:

An act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of Highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highway solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appro-

priations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the construction and maintenance of State highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities refined herein, including securities issued them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1309 (House Bill No. 131), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1325 (House Bill No. 1857), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters; prescribing its powers and duties; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceed to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered to be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1444, (House Bill 897), entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth ,and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough ,or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered to be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered to be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1494, (House Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section.

And said bill having been read at lenght the first time, Ordered to be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1536, (House Bill No. 1673), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1540, (House Bill No. 1881), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1567, (House Bill No. 113), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended; allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1568, (House Bill No. 232), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to the collection of city school and poor taxes in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office shall be the collector of the said several taxes prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1569, (House Bill No. 299), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1571, (House Bill No. 763), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1572, (House Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1573, (House Bill No. 1171), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1574, (House Bill No. 1193), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1575, (House Bill No. 1229), entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers, sailors, marines and veteran organizations, and providing for the distribution of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1579, (House Bill No. 1834), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1582, (House Bill No. 2099), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1584, (House Bill No. 934), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceed to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1585, (House Bill No. 1303), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1588, (House Bill No. 1529), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1589, (House Bill No. 1882), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred and forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1591, (House Bill No. 1892), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1593, (House Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-one), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking associatin standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid, and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended, fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity, and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1594, (House Bill No. 183), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1595, (House Bill No. 234), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1596, (House Bill No. 236), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1597, (House Bill No. 266), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1598, (House Bill No. 267), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldier' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania (replacements improvements and new construction) and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1599, (House Bill No. 282), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1600, (House Bill No. 285), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1601, (House Bill No. 360), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1602, (House Bill No. 490), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1603, (House Bill No. 579), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1604, (House Bill No. 671), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine for the erection of a building for the School of Medicine and for the erection of a building for the School of Dentistry to include Dental Infirmary and Laboratories.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1606, (House Bill No. 722), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1607, (House Bill No. 997), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions providing State aid for certain agricultural associations and regulating the payment thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1608, (House Bill No. 1079), entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury and validating expenditures from such funds.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1609, (House Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1610, (House Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1611, (House Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf of Edgewood Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing said Commission and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1613, (House Bill No. 1454), entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners operators and lesses of such mines and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1615, (House Bill No. 1534), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1617, (House Bill No. 1758), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1619, (House Bill No. 1893), entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1620, (House Bill No. 1921), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1622, (House Bill No. 1951), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1624, (House Bill No. 2034), entitled:

An Act making a defiiciency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1625, (House Bill No. 2038), entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts

and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1626, (House Bill No. 2064), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1627, (House Bill No. 2132), entitled:

An Act provided for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1631, (House Bill No. 2023), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the creation of a commisison to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method for such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until 10.30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 4.45 p. m. until 10.30 o'clock Thursday morning, April 11, 1929.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, April 10, 1929.

The House met at 11.00 o'clock A. M.
The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph. D., offered the following prayer:

Our Father, help us on this day that we may be as watchers on the wall, alert to guard against the approach of all evil, anxious to welcome all good influences. Help us to realize that we are weak in Thy Holy Sight. Bless all the homes here represented, that they may have the true ideals of helpfulness. May every home welcome the spirit of God. Bless those who are far away from Thee. Bless those who seek the revival of good in the hearts of all nations and of all people and of all races. Help us, Oh God, in our endeavor that we may serve Thee and may our hearts be subservient to Thy Will. Cleanse us from all evil and may our lives be as beautiful gardens bearing forth all manner of good fruit in Thy spirit. Oh God, abide with us in His Name, Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mr. Bausher, seconded by Mr. Behm, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

BILLS SIGNED BY SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 10.

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertantly paid for wholesale liquor licenses; and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 53.

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof

HOUSE BILL No. 69.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred six) entitled "An act relating to the organization and jurisdiction of orphans' courts and to establish a separate orphans' court in and for counties having more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and to provide for the election of judges thereof" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 81.

An Act directing the Recorder of Deeds of each county of the Commonwealth to refuse for record all deeds or other transfers of real estate or interest in real estate unless a certificate is attached to said instruments, giving the precise residence of the grantee or grantees named therein, and requiring a list thereof to be delivered to the proper Board of Revision of Taxes or other officials charged with the assessment of real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 302.

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-seven of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand

nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 153.

An Act to amend sections twenty, thirty, forty, one hundred and sixty, one hundred and sixty-three, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and eighty-five, two hundred and fifty-eight, and to correct the printing of section two hundred and three, of an act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 448), entitled "An act relating to fish; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

HOUSE BILL No. 226.

An Act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred and nineteen permitting certain stock insurance companies heretofore organized to come within provisions of act.

HOUSE BILL No. 227.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to provide for the protection of insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, and the appointment of a guardian for the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, unable to care for their own property; authorizing the guardian to support the wife and children of the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics; defining the powers of the guardian, and authorizing the sale of real estate of the ward," as amended; extending jurisdiction to cases where the real or personal estate of such persons is located in the county.

HOUSE BILL No. 341.

An Act providing for the location care and maintenance of graves of soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps and for the compilation and preservation of records relating to such soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurse corps and their burial places by county commissioners at the expense of the counties and imposing certain duties upon persons firms corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries conferring certain duties on the Department of Military Affairs.

HOUSE BILL No. 453.

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims and repealing existing laws.

HOUSE BILL No. 581.

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 581), entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," by making the city solicitor of said cities an elective officer.

HOUSE BILL No. 715.

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of Assembly"

HOUSE BILL No. 760.

An Act to amend section sixty-two and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquital on the grounds of insanity.

HOUSE BILL No. 905.

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the Republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor"

HOUSE BILL No. 975.

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

HOUSE BILL No. 1021.

An Act to provide for the taking of tax duplicates by sureties on the bonds of delinquent or defualting tax collectors and the appointment of such sureties of a collector for the collection of taxes due on such duplicates

HOUSE BILL No. 1059.

An Act to amend section three and paragraph (a) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution and the fees costs and expenses therein" by providing that in no such proceedings shall it be necessary to join the spouse of any interested party

HOUSE BILL No. 1117.

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Department of Revenue or any other agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or re-settlement of State taxes

HOUSE BILL No. 1118.

An Act to cede jurisdiction to the United States over the tracts of lands and buildings occupied by the Army Air Depot and Flying Field located in and adjacent to the Borough of Middletown Dauphin County.

HOUSE BILL No. 1131.

An Act supplementary to the laws of the Commonwealth relating to guardians and committees of minors, weak-minded persons, lunatics and habitual drunkards; and regulating the filing and notice of accounts, and the compensation and removal of guardians and committees of veterans, and of minor children and incompetent dependents of veterans.

HOUSE BILL No. 1132.

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 998) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen four hundred and fifteen and five hundred and nine relating to the commitment and transfer of veterans to United States Veterans' Hospitals for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

HOUSE BILL No. 1143.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act relative to the management and control of the Blair county jail," by providing that the keeper of said jail shall or shall not reside therein as the county

HOUSE BILL No. 1157.

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 866) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Phliadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrate's courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts."

HOUSE BILL No. 1218.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines or members of the enlisted nurse corps designated as 'deceased service men' defining the term 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1277.

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road

HOUSE BILL No. 1282.

An Act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation thereof" as amended by the act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

HOUSE BILL No. 1348.

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to nuncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor"

HOUSE BILL No. 1361.

An Act to amend sections eight fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the Courts of Common Pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions."

HOUSE BILL No. 1445.

An Act to amend clause fifty-three of section twelve hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs

HOUSE BILL No. 1462.

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters materials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interested is absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons

HOUSE BILL No. 1522.

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in counties of the sixth class

HOUSE BILL No. 1553.

An Act regulating the granting of loans by building and loan associations where the security in whole or part is to be a mortgage or lien on real estate providing penalties and fixing the time during which indictments under this act may be found and prosecuted

HOUSE BILL No. 1558.

A Supplement to an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts" establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein by the board of magistrates prescribing their powers and duties and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers

HOUSE BILL No. 1587.

An Act for the election of the president members of town council and auditors in incorporated towns of the Commonwealth regulating the manner of voting for such officers and repealing inconsistent general local and special laws

HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

HOUSE BILL No. 1613.

An Act to amend section fifteen of an act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-seven) entitled "An act regulating the practice bail costs and fees on appeals to the

Supreme Court and Superior Court" removing the distinction against private corporations in the matter of giving bail in such appeal

HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary

HOUSE BILL No. 1640.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (1 Smiths Laws 370) entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same for the better security of rents and for other purposes therein mentioned."

HOUSE BILL No. 1642.

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on nonresident operators or nonresident owners of motor vehicles operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said nonresident upon whom civil process may be served and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit

HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty

HOUSE BILL No. 1703.

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the county of Luzerne" as amended enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the County of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District

HOUSE BILL No. 1708.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

HOUSE BILL No. 1726.

An Act providing for the payment of counsel fees out of moneys recovered for counties townships boroughs school districts or poor districts upon appeals from the county auditor's settlements of the accounts of public officers

HOUSE BILL No. 1727.

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in certain counties of the third class having a population of less than three hundred thousand fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the county assessors in such counties

HOUSE BILL No. 1752.

An Act to fix the salaries of certain county officers in counties of the second class

HOUSE BILL No. 1774.

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043), entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes; exempting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties;" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1781.

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page one ninety-four) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture furnishings and equipment

HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

HOUSE BILL No. 1785.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 90.

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in certain securities.

HOUSE BILL No. 284.

A Supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of associations lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans organizations labor union foundation federation or any other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act" conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act

HOUSE BILL No. 467.

An Act providing for and regulating the conversion of National banking associations into State banks or trust companies

HOUSE BILL No. 683.

An Act to provide for the collection and use of data relating to the criminal business of this Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 1458.

An Act fixing the time of holding elections on questions submitted to electors of boroughs

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. HAINES, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

Mr. HOWE, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

Mr. CLOVIS, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2031, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 836), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation."

Mr. HENRY A. MILLER, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2281, (Senate Bill No. 970), entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

Mr. GROSS, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight, entitled "An Act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing the salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highways Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highways, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2323, (Senate Bill No. 1295), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2328, (Senate Bill No. 1327), entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 73) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

Mr. BARTON, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2346, (Senate Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint

additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys, providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Mr. WALKER, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2347, (Senate Bill No. 928), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2337, (Senate Bill No. 1292), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2338, (Senate Bill No. 1329), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

Mr. BIDELSPACHER, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2339, (Senate Bill No. 1332), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2341, (Senate Bill No. 1339), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2342, (Senate Bill No. 1341), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 803, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

Mr. HART, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1463, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of Section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Mr. BICKETT, from the Committee on Manufacturers, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2154, (Senate Bill No. 979), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from thme, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

Mr. MELOLO, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2322, (Senate Bill No. 1290), entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

Mr. GRIFFITH, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2141, (Senate Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1563, (Senate Bill No. 272), entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any state of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

Mr. HEFFRAN, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2333, (Senate Bill No. 792), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2031, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation ships, and other public corporations within the Commonof their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2281, (Senate Bill No. 970), entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2323, (Senate Bill No. 1295), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2328, (Senate Bill No. 1327), entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 73), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended, providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law, nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2346, (Senate Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2347 (Senate Bill No. 928), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2337, (Senate Bill No. 1292), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2338, (Senate Bill No. 1329), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2339, (Senate Bill No. 1332), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county boards of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2341, (Senate Bill No. 1339), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2342, (Senate Bill No. 1341), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 806, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State Property.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1463, entitled:

An act to amend clause four of section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2154, (Senate Bill No. 979), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2322, (Senate Bill No. 1290), entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highways Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), entitled:

An act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1563, (Senate Bill No. 272), entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any State of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2333, (Senate Bill No. 792), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

RESOLUTION NO. 24.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up at this time, Resolution No. 24, file folio 6417.

The Clerk read the resolution as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 3rd, 1929.

Whereas, it is becoming more and more prevalent in modern industry to bar from employment men over forty-five years of age

Whereas the progress in the development of labor-saving machinery has been such that from year to year more and more men lose employment although it is understood that this resolution is not intended in any way to discharge the use of such machinery

Whereas the industrial and commercial systems of the State have also in recent years instituted pension and retirement plans and in obedience to statutory laws are confronted with the cost of compensation insurance

Whereas from a preliminary study and survey it seems that through the installation of modern machinery retirement systems compensation laws and other contributory factors there are at the present time thousands of able bodied men unable to find or secure work

Whereas it it be true that industrial and commercial employers are barring from work men over forty-five years of age this means that the burdens of industrial and commercial life are being placed upon young shoulders which will in time endanger the economic structure

Whereas the Honorable James J Davis Secretary of the Department of Labor of the United States has frequently in public addresses called the attention of employers to this condition

Whereas the American Federation of Labor at the present time is conducting a national survey to ascertain the truthfulness of these reports

Whereas the Department of Labor and Industry of the State of Pennsylvania has been actively engaged in enlisting the employers of Pennsylvania in a cooperative way in lifting of these age bans and

Whereas it is very evident that a thorough study of this unemployment problem should be made to ascertain the real facts—

Therefore be it resolved (if the Senate concur) that His Excellency the Governor of Pennsylvania be empowered and he is hereby empowered to appoint a commission of seven men to study this problem and report to the Legislative Session of one thousand nine hundred thirty-one with a full report as to the extent men over forty-five years of age are being barred from employment and to ascertain as nearly as possibly the exact number of men affected by this rule of industry if it exists also to make such recommendations as to it seems fit and proper in the form of proposed legislation to the end that this situation may be remedied This commission shall consist of seven members to be made up as follows one Representative to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives one Senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate and five to be appointed by the Governor Of these five one shall be an employee or official of the State Department of Labor and Industry one a representative of organized labor and one representative of Industry the remaining two may be appointed at the full discretion of the Governor

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

Mr. HEFFRAN. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Musmanno.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Musmanno, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MUSMANNO. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. HEFFRAN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to ask the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Musmanno, what powers would be vested in this committee to ascertain the facts under the terms of this resolution?

Mr. MUSMANNO. The powers of investigation and to report to the Legislature.

Mr. HEFFRAN. I would like to ask the gentleman further, where would the commission receive the funds necessary for the making of this investigation?

Mr. MUSMANNO. For the information of the gentleman I would say that it will be noticed under the terms of this resolution certain members of this commission will be appointed by the Governor and those who will be employes of the state government on this commission will of course not need any further funds. They can draw on certain funds of the state government and I am certain that those members of organized labor, who may be appointed on the commission will be willing to serve without compensation.

Mr. HEFFRAN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it seems to me that this resolution is just another one of those resolutions that is only a gesture and does not mean anything. The commission would not be empowered to ascertain the facts, it has no appropriation by which it can take any stenographic copy of testimony, and I think it is folly for this legislature to pass resolutions of this kind that do not mean anything and which would not in any way solve the problem which I think the gentleman from Allegheny is trying to get at.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the only purpose of this resolution is to indicate to the public generally that the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania is acquainted with the fact that we are confronted with a grave situation of unemployment. I am frank to say that I do not know the solution to the situation. This commission may not be able to arrive at a solution of the situation. It will indicate that we are willing to face this problem and when the Legislature meets again in 1931 it will have the result of the investigation in order that some remedial legislation may be enacted.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, there is no question but that there is a problem of unemployment, and there is also no question but that the gentleman from Allegheny has in mind a real problem, but the question before us is whether or not this resolution really helps to solve that problem. I would be for the resolution if it provided for subpoenas and for authority for the commission to get information which might in some measure accomplish the result, but merely to appoint a commission which simply sits as a figurehead without power or authority is begging the question. We ought to have a resolution for the appointment of a commission with power and authority to investigate the problem and arrive at a solution. The problem, as any unemployment problem, is based on the lack of the powers of production now already in existence. It seems to me if the sponsor of this resolution would amend it so that it will be effectual and not merely a gesture, some good could be accomplished.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I will be very glad to follow the suggestion of the gentleman from Philadelphia, to make amendments, and I therefore withdraw the resolution at this time from further consideration.

RESOLUTION NO. 21.

Mr. HUESTER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up at this time Resolution No. 21, file folio 5679.

The Clerk read the resolution as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 1, 1929.

Whereas, It appears from certain allegations filed with Honorable Aaron B Hess Speaker of the House of Representatives by William P. Boland of Scranton Pa that the official conduct of Honorable Henry A Fuller retired president Judge of the courts of the Eleventh Judicial District embracing the county of Luzerne is such as to warrant the investigation of the same by the House of Representatives and

Whereas In the allegations referred to the said Honorable Henry A Fuller while president Judge in the Eleventh Judicial district did issue a court order directing the destruction of the stenographic notes of evidence in a case involving valuable property and a large amount of money and in which case he was formerly an attorney to the great prejudice and irreparable damage of the cause of the same William P Boland in the said court of the Eleventh Judicial district and

Whereas The said Honorable Henry A Fuller while acting as president judge in the said Eleventh Judicial district did take from the office of the prothonotary of Luzerne county the files of said case in which he was previously acting as attorney and refuses to restore the same or permit any restoration of the recorded evidence and facts on said case to the further prejudices of the interest and right of the said litigant William P Boland and

Whereas The said Honorable Henry A Fuller while president judge of the aforesaid courts did wilfully seek to exclude for a long term of years the said litigant from the rights and privileges confered on him by law in the rightful trial and adjudication of the said action in law and did continue to act in his general official conduct as the attorney for interests opposed to the litigant in question while a member of the court and as president judge and

Whereas The said Honorable Henry A Fuller is now acting as auxiliary judge in the pay and service of the commonwealth in said courts and the witnesses in said action which was wilfully allowed to remain unadjudicated in said court for a period of twenty-seven years are dead leaving the said William P Boland without the necessary measures of relief in said court and compelling him to have recourse to the official offices of the House of Representatives

Be It Resolved That the committee on judiciary general be and is hereby authorized and directed to inquire into and concerning the official conduct of the said Honorable Henry A Fuller retired president judge and now acting auxiliary judge of the courts of the Eleventh Judicial district of Pennsylvania embracing the county of Luzerne and ascertain whether or not the said judge now auxiliary judge in said district has been guilty of any impeachable offense and report the same to the House with the conclusions of the committee in respect thereto and with appropriate recommendations

Resolved Further That the committee on judiciary general is hereby authorized and empowered to send for persons and papers to subpoena witnesses to administer oaths to said witnesses to take testimony to employ a clerk stenographer or stenographers agents investigators and attorneys if necessary and to appoint a sub-committee from among their number by appointment of the chairman thereof whenever it may be neccessary or expedient to take testimony for the use of the said committee And the said sub-committee while so employed shall have the same powers in respect to obtaining testimony as are herein given to said committee on the judiciary general with a sargeant at arms by himself or deputy who shall serve the process of said committee and sub-committee and execute its orders and shall extend the sittings of the same as ordered and directed and the speaker of the House shall have authority to sign and the clerk to attest subpoenas for any witness or witnesses and the expense of this investigation shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the House

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Lackawanna, Mr. Huester.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Lackawanna permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. HUESTER. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to ask the gentleman from Lackawanna whether the impeachment proceedings in this resolution are proceedings brought against a sitting judge or a judge who has already retired from the bench?

Mr. HUESTER. A judge who has retired from the bench.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I do not believe that the membership of this body would desire to place this House in the position of bringing proceedings of impeachment against a former judge who is now 78 years of age, and who has served his constituency in Lackawanna County for two terms. From information I have reliably received these proceedings are brought by an individual who has some fancied wrongs. Do you think it is fair, members of the House, when a man has served two consecutive terms and arrives at the age of 78 years, and is now on retirement, do you think it is fair for us to put a blot on that man's reputation? Under those considerations and for no other reason, I would ask the members of this House to vote these impeachment proceedings down.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it appears to me that this resolution as it appears before us now is entirely irregular. The proceedings in impeachment matters that have come before this House heretofore have been in the form of resolutions presented to the Speaker, and the Speaker then in turn referred the resolution to the Judiciary General Committee for the purpose of having that committee determine whether or not the facts as set forth in that resolution and the evidence supporting them were well founded. If the Committee on Judiciary General, after special investigation, decided that there was not a case made out against the judge in question it was so reported to the Speaker. On the other hand, if the Judiciary General Committee came to the conclusion that in their opinion there should be a more thorough investigation they reported that fact back to the House and asked the right to sit for the purpose of hearing testimony in the case. None of that procedure has been followed here. We have nothing before us here but a bare resolution. The House is not in possession of any facts. The only way that this House could get in possession of the facts would be through the instrumentality of the Judiciary General Committee, and the Judiciary General Committee has never had an opportunity to even consider the facts as set forth in this resolution. For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I make the motion that this resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

The SPEAKER. The resolution carries with it that procedure. A motion is unnecessary since, if the resolution is adopted it will be referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it also provides that the Judiciary General Committee is to make a very careful and thorough investigation.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I fail to understand how we could be requested to vote for this

resolution when it states something as a fact that is not a fact. On the second page you will read: "Whereas, The said Honorable Henry A. Fuller is now acting as an auxiliary judge in the pay and service of the Commonwealth in said courts." Now as I understand it, Judge Fuller is on retirement; I understand the Judge's term has expired. If this term has expired he is out of office, and then this is not a fact, and how can we vote "yes" and say something is a fact when it is not a fact.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, this resolution seems to be faultily drawn and I therefore move that it be withdrawn from the floor at this time for the purpose of amendment.

The SPEAKER. The Chair does not hear a second to the gentleman's motion.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this resolution was introduced by a member from Lackawanna County. Judge Fuller has been an honorable judge for twenty years in Luzerne County. The members of this House from Luzerne County honor Judge Fuller and we do not think that it is right that a member from Lackawanna County should try to have one of our honorable judges impeached. The members from our county in this House did not know anything about this matter until a booklet was put on our desk two days ago; that was the first we had heard of it. It is our understanding that this thing which is complained of happened 27 years ago. During the twenty years of his service as Judge this case went through all kinds of courts and it was turned down. Now that Judge Fuller has retired on pension and has come to the place where he is pretty nearly ready to go into the Great Beyond, a man who is 78 years of age, I for one don't feel that we should impeach him. Therefore, the members from Luzerne County request the members of this House to vote the resolution down.

Mr. HUESTER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I wish to state that I personally have no hard feelings towards Judge Fuller and, as the House knows, when this resolution was introduced I stated that it was introduced by request.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker and member of the House, I would be the first man in this House to step on this floor to seek redress for any wrong which any Judge had done to a citizen of this Commonwealth. However, we have nothing before the House to show that this man was personally wronged by Judge Fuller; it is merely his own statement. No one should be permitted to come into this House and make a trifling complaint about any Judge of this Commonwealth and ask that that Judge be impeached. You have only the word of this man who makes the complaint in question, and if you all knew Judge Fuller as I know him you would know that there would not be a grain of injustice in his body. I would say that inasmuch as he is now a retired Judge this House has no longer any jurisdiction over him. I ask you to vote this resolution down.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

It was not adopted.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1343.

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors stockholders officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 8, by inserting heavy brackets before and after the word "protect."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Celnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Cicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Barton,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burns,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Catania,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Deane,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ycakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Zeisenhelm,
Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the Aeronautics Committee and some of their friends were going down to the Middletown Airport this afternoon to inspect the airport and to fly. Unfortunately, they had no control over the weather. Although they had all of their arrangements made, they do not now believe that there will be any chance to fly this afternoon because of the rain and the general weather conditions, therefore, we are not going to leave here as we had planned at 1 o'clock. We are going to call off the trip to Middletown this afternoon. However, the Secretary arranging for the dinner this evening has just called my attention to the fact that he wants to see all of those who have signified their intention of attending the dinner. He wants to see you before we adjourn at noon and he wants you to draw your check and obtain your ticket so that they may know you are going to be with us at six-thirty to-night at the Penn-Harris.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1444, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Scutter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2028, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 983), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers; providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators, and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys, and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,

Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1812, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler.	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the State Acronautics Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith	Shutt,

Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—91.

Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Simon,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Smith W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clovis,	Jones,	Peters,	Voltz,
Conner,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Pitts,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rhodes,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rice,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Root,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—50.

Adams, E. C.,	Dengler,	Landis,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Donnell,	Leidich,	Sheely,
Barton,	Eaches,	Loucks,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Ede,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Fox,	Moore, W. H.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gross,	Pethick,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Post,	Stein,
Bickett,	Harding,	Powell,	Talbot,
Black,	Hartsock,	Riddle,	Walker,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Ronemus,	Wells,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Schilling,	Williams, G. W.,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Schrock,	Wood
Davis,	Huester,		

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill falls.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 497, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. MEMOLO. Mr. Speaker, in the absence of the sponsor of this bill, I move that it be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. WASHINGTON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1504, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,

Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1163, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 156, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,

Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2153, (Senate Bill No. 959),, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer.
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2155, (Senate Bill No. 1027), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2174, (Senate Bill No. 258), entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—200.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weldemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2179, (Senate Bill No. 931), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weldemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2183, (Senate Bill No. 22), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—203.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,

Bally,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2185, (Senate Bill No. 37), entitled:

An act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital, of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—203.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Bally,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2186, (Senate Bill No. 44), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital, located at Bethlehem, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald	Sheely,
Bally,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,

Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2187, (Senate Bill No. 64), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Punxsutawney Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2188, (Senate Bill No. 89), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2189, (Senate Bill No. 90), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2190, (Senate Bill No. 92), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2191, (Senate Bill No. 93), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2192, (Senate Bill No. 94), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2193, (Senate Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,

Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Deugler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2194, (Senate Bill No. 96), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children before they are of School Age, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Deugler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2195, (Senate Bill No. 102), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Deugler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling	Yerg,

Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2196, (Senate Bill No. 104), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2197, (Senate Bill No. 105), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2199, (Senate Bill No. 113), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2200, (Senate Bill No. 114), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2201, (Senate Bill No. 116), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,

Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2202, (Senate Bill No. 121), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several fire companies of the City of Harrisburg.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order.

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2203, (Senate Bill No. 128), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,

Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler.	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2204, (Senate Bill No. 130), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2205, (Senate Bill No. 131), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,

Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2206, (Senate Bill No. 132), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2207, (Senate Bill No. 135), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the State debt.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were a follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2208, (Senate Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2209, (Senate Bill No. 137), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be used by said Commission in the payment of the cost of the construction, reconstruction, relocation, alteration, or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporations at, above, or below grade of public highways, exclusive of State highways designated as primary routes; and regulating the expenditures of the amount hereby appropriated.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2210, (Senate Bill No. 138), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,

Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2211, (Senate Bill No. 140), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2212, (Senate Bill No. 181), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,

Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2213, (Senate Bill No. 186), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2214, (Senate Bill No. 199), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2215, (Senate Bill No. 200), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zlesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2216, (Senate Bill No. 222), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zlesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2217, (Senate Bill No. 241), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,

Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2218, (Senate Bill No. 262), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2219, (Senate Bill No. 271), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2220, (Senate Bill No. 289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2221, (Senate Bill No. 301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2222, (Senate Bill No. 328), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,

Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.	Hermansen	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2223, (Senate Bill No. 396), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2224, (Senate Bill No. 403), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,

Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2225, (Senate Bill No. 418), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital, Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer.
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith. H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peslor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2227, (Senate Bill No. 423), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peslor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2228, (Senate Bill No. 441), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital, Germantown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. D.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, E.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2229, (Senate Bill No. 446), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Center County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. D.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, E.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2230, (Senate Bill No. 447), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,

Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Cross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ege,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2231, (Senate Bill No. 448), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ege,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2232, (Senate Bill No. 452), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,

Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2233, (Senate Bill No. 453), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2234, (Senate Bill No. 454), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2235, (Senate Bill No. 457), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,

Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2226, (Senate Bill No. 421), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2236, (Senate Bill No. 471), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2237, (Senate Bill No. 475), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,

Brown, T. J.,	Hermonsen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2238, (Senate Bill No. 481), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital, located at Danville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer.
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2239, (Senate Bill No. 484), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital, located at Torrance, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,

Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2240, (Senate Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property, included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township, Berks County, from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2241, (Senate Bill No. 550), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2242, (Senate Bill No. 577), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2243, (Senate Bill No. 654), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for Hospital Maintenance.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2244, (Senate Bill No. 655), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,

Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2245, (Senate Bill No. 656), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2246, (Senate Bill No. 677), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, at Mount Airy, Philadelphia, to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,

Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2247, (Senate Bill No. 683), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2248, (Senate Bill No. 696), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2249, (Senate Bill No. 826), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Gochring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2250, (Senate Bill No. 827), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling.
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg.
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2251, (Senate Bill No. 828), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d ,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2252, (Senate Bill No. 829), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—203.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger.
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d ,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2253, (Senate Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Torrance State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,

Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2254, (Senate Bill No. 844), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steed'e,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2255, (Senate Bill No. 845), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,

Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2256, (Senate Bill No. 849), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Warren State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2257, (Senate Bill No. 850), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2253, (Senate Bill No. 851), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—203.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2259, (Senate Bill No. 853), entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2260, (Senate Bill No. 854), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—203.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,

Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2261, (Senate Bill No. 855), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2262, (Senate Bill No. 856), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,

Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2263, (Senate Bill No. 858), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2264, (Senate Bil No. 859), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Danville State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling	Yerg,

Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2265, (Senate Bill No. 860), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Allentown State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2266, (Senate Bill No. 861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2267, (Senate Bill No. 957), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg.
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Focht,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2268, (Senate Bill No. 1019), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of said hospitals.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg.
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Focht,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2269, (Senate Bill No. 1038), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,

Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2273, (Senate Bill No. 378), entitled:

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for cooperative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2277, (Senate Bill No. 816), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor" by adding to the purposes for which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency for exercising the right of eminent domain

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 That whenever in the judgment of the [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor it becomes necessary to purchase or condemn additional land with or without buildings thereon for the purpose of adding the same to any of the public lands or parks or for the use as sites for or in connection with arsenals armories military reservations intermediate landing fields hospitals normal schools teachers colleges penal or correctional institutions or other [public] institutions of the Commonwealth or when such purchase or condemnation has been authorized by law and an appropriation has been authorized by law and an appropriation has been made for such purpose the said [Board of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department of Property and Supplies shall have the

right to purchase or condemn such lands as hereinafter provided

Section 2 That section two of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 2 In any case where the [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department of Property and Supplies and the owners of the property which the said [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings have] department with the approval of the Governor has determined to purchase or the purchase of which has been authorized by law are unable to agree upon the amount to be paid therefor or where by reason of the absence or incapacity of any owner or owners thereof no agreement can be made the said [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings acting through the superintendent thereof] department acting for the Commonwealth and through the Attorney General or any owner or owners of the land to be acquired may present a petition to the court of commn pleas of the cunty in whicn the property is located to have the value thereof judicially determined

Section 3 That section seven of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 7 The [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings] Department of Property and Supplies shall have the right upon the filing of any report of viewers to enter upon and take possession of the property to be acquired without the filing of any bond or other security where an appropriation has been made for the purchase or condemnation of such property

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2278, (Senate Bill No. 848), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Wernersville State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2279, (Senate Bill No. 922), entitled:

An act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fash,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler-	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2284, (Senate Bill No. 1131), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rosella Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital, of the City of Pittsburgh.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. STEEDLE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the numeral "(50,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof "($50,000)."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2287, (Senate Bill No. 1186), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,

Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2294, (Senate Bill No. 1255), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Pennsylvania State College, for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry, and for the purchase of necessary equipment.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 301, entitled:

An act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the third time considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1006, as follows:

An Act providing for granting state aid to school districts of the third and fourth class for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings or securing sites or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts and establishing a fund in the state treasury for such purposes to be known as the school building aid fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever any school building in a district of the third or fourth class shall have been destroyed by fire flood wind storm mine cave or other casualty and the school district is not able to rebuild such destroyed building from current revenues or to borrow sufficient money for such purposes or whenever the board of school directors of any school district of the third or fourth class shall desire to construct a new school building to purchase a site or sites or to consolidate any number of one-room school buildings and they are not able to do so from current revenues or to borrow sufficient money for such purposes such district may apply to the State Council of Education for financial assistance to rebuild such destroyed schools or to purchase sites or to erect new buildings for consolidated schools

Section 2 Whenever any district of the third or fourth class shall apply for asssitance for purposes enumerated in section one of this act the State Council of Education shall examine thoroughly the financial condition of such school districts and the necessity of rebuilding securing sites consolidating or constructing any such school building or buildings and if satisfied that the case is a proper one for assistance shall certify such fact to the Superintendent of Public Instruction and recommend that aid be granted and specify the amount thereof

Section 3 Upon receiving such certificate and recommendation from the State Council of Education the Superintendent of Public Instruction is hereby authorized to issue such warrant or warrants drawn on the State Treasurer in favor of the treasurer of the school district to which aid shall have been granted as shall be equal to the amount recommended by the State Council of Education Provided (1) That the amount of aid granted to any school district shall not exceed fifty per centum of the total cost of grounds and the reconstructed or new buildings Provided (2) That no warrant shall be issued for such aid until the site and plans for such building or buildings shall have been approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction And provided (3) That such warrant or warrants for State aid may be issued at the discretion of the Superintendent of Public Instruction from time to time as the work of building or rebuilding progresses

And provided further That the Superintendent of Public Instruction upon receiving such certificate and recommendations from the State Council of Education is hereby authorized to make advancements out of the "School Building Aid Fund" to aid school districts temporarily in need in an amount not to exceed fifty per centum of the total cost of grounds and the reconstructed or new buildings and to deduct said advancements from any appropriations due said district upon such terms as the districts and the State Council of Education shall agree

Section 4 Before the final payment of the sum granted is made to any district treasurer he shall forward to the Superintendent of Public Instruction an itemized statement covering the total cost of grounds and building or buildings which itemized statement shall be made under oath or affirmation on a blank prepared by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 5 The sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Public Instruction and no moneys shall be drawn out of this fund except for the purposes specified in this act and upon approval of the State Council of Education

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—206.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Cwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1694, (Senate Bill No. 831), as follows:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Employment of Convicts in Construction—Upon the completion of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the custody of prisoners the board shall transfer the convicts from the Eastern State Penitentiary in Philadelphia as rapidly as feasible until all such convicts are so transferred and such convicts may be assigned with the necessary guards to assist in any work connected with the improvement of said tract the preparation of building materials or the construction of the said buildings and improvements pertinent thereto or to engage in farming or dairying work for the purpose of supplying the prisoners at Graterford and at the Eastern State Penitentiary Philadelphia with food products For the labor of all such prisoners the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary shall enter into an agreement with the Department of Welfare and shall pay to the Department of Welfare Manufacturing Fund such wages for each prisoner employed as may be agreed upon in accordance with the laws regulating the employment of prison or inmate labor Wages paid hereunder for the labor of prisoners engaged in farming or dairying or cooking or other work in connection with the maintenance of prisoners at Graterford shall be charged to the counties as a part of the cost of keeping prisoners and all wages paid hereunder for the labor of prisoners engaged in the preparation of building materials or in improving the site of the new penitentiary or in the construction of buildings shall be paid out of any moneys appropriated by the General Assembly for the construction of the new penitentiary [with the necessary guards] The expense of keeping the convicts at the site of said new Eastern State Penitentiary shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted and the said expense shall be paid [to the said board of trustees by orders to be drawn by them on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay the same] as provided by law in the case of convicts confined in the Eastern State Penitentiary at Philadelphia

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Oredered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1491, (Senate Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or the borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2147, (Senate Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants, tenants in common, or co-parceners.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2049, (Senate Bill No. 1026), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2048, (Senate Bill No. 1015), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2291, (Senate Bill No. 1251), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2290, (Senate Bill No. 1249), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2295, (Senate Bill No. 1299), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-one) entitled "An act providing

for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset" in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2044, (Senate Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1682, (Senate Bill No. 402), entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2175, (Senate Bill No. 698), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the re-assessment between the periods of the triennial assessment, of property and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1573, (Senate Bill No. 670), entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2043, (Senate Bill No. 444), entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2288, (Senate Bill No. 1239), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county, borough, township school and poor taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1493, (Senate Bill No. 196), as follows:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the dating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consoli and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections

(d) AIRPORTS

Section 3490 AUTHORITY TO SECURE LANDS FOR AIRPORTS All boroughs are hereby authorized and empowered to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land lying either within or without the limits of such boroughs which in the judgment of the corporate authorities thereof may be necessary and desirable for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes aviation landing fields and airport facilities

Section 2491 PROCEEDINGS TO CONDEMN LANDS The proceedings for the condemnation of lands under the provisions of this act and for the assessment of damages for property taken injure dor destroyed shall be conducted in the manner provided by article fourteen of the act to which this is an amendment The title acquired by the borough exercising the power of condemnation shall be a title in fee simple

Section 2492 LEASES AND CONTRACTS FOR USE OF FIELDS Any borough acquiring land under the provisions of this act may improvement and operate the same or may lease the same or part thereof to any individual or corporation desiring to use the same for the purpose of landing or starting an aeroplane therefrom or for other aviation purposes for a period not to exceed ten years on such terms and subject to such conditions and regulations as may be provided Any such borough may enter into a contract in the form of a lease providing for the use of said land or any part thereof by the Government of the United States for the use by said Government of said land for aviation mail delivery or other aviation purposes upon nominal rental or without consideration

Section 2493 JOINT AIRPORTS Any borough acquiring land thereunder may operate and maintain said municipal airdrome or aviation landing field jointly with any county within which such borough is located

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2108, (Senate Bill No. 687), entitled:

An Act providing for the establishment on certain conditions of certain industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2286, (Senate Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurers' sales and sheriffs' sales for the non-payment of taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2176, (Senate Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1695, (Senate Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 513, (Senate Bill No. 84), entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1029, (Senate Bill No. 375), entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2157, (Senate Bill No. 1127), entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully killed or caught to be personal property and the subject of larceny.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2118, (Senate Bill No. 990), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2047, (Senate Bill No. 991), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2045, (Senate Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2149, (Senate Bill No. 833), entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed or merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2280, (Senate Bill No. 1246), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers, in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million, to designate and appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary" and the amendments thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2275, (Senate Bill No. 433), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2282, (Senate Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2285, (Senate Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1992, (Senate Bill No. 834), entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, and composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2145, (Senate Bill No. 207), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of with; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent hereprovisions of this act." as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads for amendment.

Mr. FRED A. BELL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mrs. PITTS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 2194, (Senate Bill No. 96), file folio 3667, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home For Training in Speech of Deaf Children, a Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

on page 13 of today's calendar, appropriation bills on third reading passed finally, be reconsidered.

Mrs. PENNOCK. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mrs. PITTS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mrs. PENNOCK. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mrs. PITTS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by placing a dark faced bracket before the word "Be M"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instruction of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2274, (Senate Bill No. 384), entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioner, chief engineeer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county;

roads, and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provision of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2046, (Senate Bill No. 985), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2292, (Senate Bill No. 1252), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buidings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and ot regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" is hereby amended to read as follows

The board of adjustment shall consist of [three] five members one of whom shall be a member of the city planning commission one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine [and] one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve [three] five years Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 14, by striking out the underscoring under the word "one."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 98), entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine and one, (P. L. twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures of land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment,

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur) That when the Senate and House of Representatives adjourn this week they reconvene Monday evening, April 15, at eight o'clock.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2104, entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin
Dunn,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeisley,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—2.

Gelnett,	Witherspoon,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1813, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 843) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith W. B.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holmes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Way
Conner,	Katz,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	King,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Reyburn	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—1

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

MR. REED IN THE CHAIR.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bil No. 2010, entitled:

An Act authorizing private counsel to participate in or conduct criminal trials with the approval of the district attorney and court.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally.

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 925, entitled

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 229, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. (P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation," increasing the compensation of assigned judges.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—173.

Adams, E. C.,	Grimes,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.
Adams, P. G.,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Harding,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Harkins,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Hart,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Harter,	Miller, H. J.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hartsock,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffernan,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Heffner,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Himes,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Howe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Huester,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Jones,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Pitts,	Washington,
Conner,	King,	Post,	Way,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Weaver,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	White,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rice,	Wike,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Embhardt,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Roncmus,	Wolfe,
Evans	Marcus,	Root,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wright,
Fox,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McCann,	Schrock,	Hess,
Greeby,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,
Griffith,	McDonald,		

NAYS—13.

Barton,	Gelnett,	Sheely,	Wells,
Clovis,	Patterson, F.W.,	Stark,	Williams, G. W.
Davidson,	Schwartz,	Stein,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1879, entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way,
Caufflel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Roncmus,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1854, entitled:

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Simon,

Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffron,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hofiman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reed	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2063, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bildrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Conner,	King,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Denne,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1905, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law, to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed; providing for notice to owners, if known, and to the Department of Revenue; providing for the payment of charges of such seizure, advertising and sale, and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges, and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Miller, H.A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, S.H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bell., W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T.J.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,

Burke,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Post,	Washington,
Catania,	Holmes,	Powell,	Weaver
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Eachos,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Embardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W.H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.	Henderson,	Peclor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Gelnett,	McAlee,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1884, entitled:

An act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Beam,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brabham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Connor,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Eby,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Edcher,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Eimhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Zieseuheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrook,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privelege.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, with the realization that we are coming to the closing days of the session and that we should not take up much time of this House except on our routine business, yet I believe at this time that the membership of this House will be pleased to know that a member of this honorable body, who has served not only his constituency with great honor, but has endeared himself to the members by the marvelous manner in which he has conducted himself as the chairman of one of the most important committees of this House, is today celebrating an important event in his life. The members of this House have due appreciation for his fairness in all matters and dealings before him and before his committee. Today is his birthday and he is especially honored with the presence here in the House of his mother and his wife. I know that you all feel with me an appreciation of his magnanimous conduct toward us, his most pleasing manner and personality. I know that, with me, the members of this House wish to extend to him their very best feelings on this his forty-second birthday and I therefore offer the following resolution and ask unanimous consent that it be read and considered at this time.

RESOLUTION.

CONGRATULATIONS EXTENDED TO THE HONORABLE PHILIP STERLING.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer the following resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, That the congratulations of the Members of the House of Representatives are hereby extended to the genial and capable chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, the Honorable Philip Sterling, on this, the forty-second anniversary of his birthday, and that the Members of this House wish him many more happy and prosperous years in the future.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling, and knows it is the desire of the House to hear from the gentleman at this time.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I find myself at this moment less capable of gracefully and gratefully acknowledging the action of the House than I have ever found myself able to argue for or against legislation on our calendars. However, let me say to you that I am very grateful, extremely grateful, for the demonstration of good feeling this action of the House brings to me. I thank you very much.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 2145, (Senate Bill No. 207), file folio 257, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State-aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions pro-

viding for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

on page 30 of today's calendar was recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads be reconsidered.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the order by which this bill directed to be transcribed for third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed second reading be reconsidered.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which the title the second and first sections were agreed to be reconsidered.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-one of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by the State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended by the act approved the twenty-eight day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-six) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 21 The several counties and townships of the Commonwealth except counties of the seventh and eighth class and townships within such counties or any of them either jointly as county and township or severally expressing a desire to the State Highway Department in manner hereinafter required for State aid shall from and after the passage of this act be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement and subsequent maintenance of any road or highway in any county or township of the Commonwealth not here in defined as a State Highway when complying with the provisions of this act governing same The State when granting the aid and cooperation desired shall not in any case pay more than fifty (50) per centum of the cost of any road improvement nor more than fifty (50) per centum of the maintenance thereafter and the remaining fifty (50) per centum of the cost and expense of improvement shall be paid to wit Twenty-five (25) per centum by the county and twenty-five (25) per centum by the township when the application for said aid is joint by county and township and thereafter the township shall pay fifty (50) per centum of the entire cost of maintenance Provided That counties or townships may agree between themselves to contribute their joint proportion of the fifty (50) per centum of the total expense of any improvement herein required to be borne by them in different proportions from that herein specified Where any township or county road or highway is desired to be improved by a county or township without the joint action or cooperation of the other then said county or township as the case may be shall pay the entire fifty (50) per centum of the cost of the road improvement and fifty (50) per centum of the cost of maintenance thereafter When any county of the seventh and eighth class or any township within any such county or any of them either jointly as county and township or severally express a desire to the Department of Highways in the manner hereinbefore provided for other counties and townships such county or township or county and township or township shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement and subsequent maintenance of any road or highway in the same manner as such other counties or townships are entitled to aid except that in such cases the State when granting the aid and cooperation desired may pay [sixty-five (65)] seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of any such improvement and the remaining [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost and expense of such aid and improvement shall be paid to wit [seventeen] twelve and one-half [(17½%)] (12½%) per centum by the county and [seventeen] twelve and one-half [(17½%)] (12½%) by the township when such application is joint by county and township or the counties or townships may agree between themselves to contribute their joint proportion of the [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the total expense of any improvement herein required to be borne by them in different proportions from that herein specified Where any township of county road in any county of the seventh or eight class is desired to be improved by a county or township without the joint action or cooperation of the other then said county or township as the case may be shall pay the entire [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of the road improvement In all cases the cost of the maintenance of such improved highways shall be borne by the county or township in the same proportion and in the same manner as borne by other counties and townships Provided That any township desiring the aid and cooperation of the State in the permanent improvement of any of its roads shall levy a cash road tax

to meet the cost of such permanent improvement and shall levy annually thereafter such further road taxes in cash as are sufficient to pay the township's share of the annual maintenance of such highways And provided further It shall be lawful for any township or county of the Commonwealth to incur indebtedness or to issue bonds in the manner authorized by law for the payment of said township's or county's share of the cost of any permanent road improvement or maintenance undertaken under the provisions of this act

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend bill, page 7, line 12, by striking out "of" where it first occurs in the line, and insert in lieu thereof "or."

Amend bill, page 7, line 18, by striking out "In all cases the cost of mainte-."

Amend bill, page 7, by striking out all of lines 19, 20 and 21.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 2 That section twenty-two of said act as amended by said amending act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-six) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 22 The State shall not furnish any aid or cooperation in the permanent improvement or maintenance of any county or township road or highway to be improved as a State-aid highway until and unless the supervisors or commissioners of the township in which the road desired to be improved lies where the improvement is intended to be made jointly by township and county shall first petition the county commissioners of the county representing that any principal highway or section thereof lying within said township is in need of reconstruction and setting forth that the said township desires to take advantage of the provisions of this act to improve said highway It shall then be the duty of said county commissioners to adopt a resolution authorizing the assumption by the county of its share of said improvement and the said county commissioners shall then promptly petition the State Highway Department for the aid and cooperation of the State as desired for the particular road to be improved Said petition of the county commissioners shall be accompanied by the said township petition and it shall state the desire of both the township and county that said road or highway shall be improved and maintained as a State-aid highway according to such plans and specifications as shall be prepared by the State Highway Department that the county and township or townships agree to pay fifty (50) per centum of the cost and expense of such improvement and in case the petition is that of a county of the seventh or eighth class or a township or townships within such county then that such county and township or townships agree to pay [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost and expense of such improvement and in all cases that the township or townships will thereafter in consideration of the aid and cooperation of the State so granted pay fifty (50) per centum of the cost of repair and maintenance thereof Such roads to be at all times under the authority and supervision of the State Highway Department Said petition shall further state that petitioners upon approval hereof by the State Highway Department will enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth to be approved by the Attorney General or deputy as to form which shall embody and contain all matter of detail concerning the improvement maintenance and repair of the highway to be improved Provided When the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement of any highway is desired by any county or township without the intervention of the other said county or township if it shall agree to pay one-half of the cost of the improvement and maintenance thereof shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in like manner as in cases of joint applications by county and township or when such aid and cooperation is desired by any county of the seventh or eighth class or any township therein without the intervention of the other such county or township if it shall agree to pay [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of the improvement and one-half of the cost of maintenance thereof shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in like manner as in cases of joint applications by county and township And provided further That no State aid shall be paid or given nor shall any work be commenced in the improvement of any road or highway in any township or county of this Commonwealth until said agreement shall have been duly executed by the respective parties pursuant to due and legal municipal and corporate action of both township and county and the State Highway Commissioner shall then advertise for bids and let contracts for the improvement of the road desired to be improved in the manner herein provided in the case of improvement of State highways And provided further That the State Highway Commissioner may enter into contracts at any time in amounts equal to the State appropriation then available plus the respective shares of the counties or boroughs

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough ,or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1897, entitled:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibuses having pneumatic tires.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,		McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gcehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A..Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burke,	Himes,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Eder,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker,
Fuller,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1922, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto section eighteen.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hart,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Fde,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCann,	Sheely,	Speaker,
Fox,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2056, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five, four hundred and ninety-eight, and five hundred, of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

dams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
ston,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
ily,	Goodnough,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
aker,	Greeby,	McCann,	Shortz,
aldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McClure,	Shutt,
aldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Simon,
aldrige,	Grimes,	Mcmolo,	Smith, H. J.,
atchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
ausher,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
echtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Sowers,
ehm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
ell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
ell, W. T.	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
icker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
ickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
idelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Sterling,
lack,	Haws,	Munley,	Stevenson,
lumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Storer,
oggs,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sullivan,
owers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
raham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
rown, E.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
rown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Voltz,
rown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
urke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
urns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
atania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
auffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
lark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Wells,
lark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Welty,
lovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
onner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
ooke,	King,	Reed,	White,
avis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
engler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
enne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
ietrich,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
itter,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
unn,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
aches,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
de,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
mhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
vans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
lynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
ockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
ox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
uller,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2075, entitled:

An Act regulating the sale and fixing the weight of bread providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and prescribing penalties for violations thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Baker,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Baldi,C.C.A.,Jr.	Goehring,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Barton,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Wells
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Welty.
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wettach,
Conner.	Katz,	Purucker,	White,
Davidson,	King,	Reader,	Wike,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2082, entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,

Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lose.	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1762, entitled:

An Act exempting cash registers accounting machines and the appurtenances thereto loaned leased hired or conditionally sold from levy sale on execution or distress for rent

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question

Shall the bill pass finallly?

Mr. HOLMES. Mr. Speaker and members of House, this is another of those exemptions which we opposed the other night. I can see no reason why cash registers and accounting machines should be exempt from an attachment for rent. They can place these cash registers and accounting machines in any business place at the present time by only asking the owner of the building to waive his right to attach these machines for rent, and I think we should not, as I said the other night, take away from the owner of the property the right he now has and give it to the different companies that sell this kind of machine.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—6.

Adams, E. C.,	Jones,	Schilling,	Wells,
Himes,	Reyburn,		

NAYS—134.

Aston,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Moore, D. G.,
Baily,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Stark,
Baker,	Hagmaier,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Haines,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Baldi. J.F.M.,2d.,	Harding,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Baldrige,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Barton,	Harter,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Batchelor,	Hartsock,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bausher,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Storer,
Bechtel,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Bickert,	Heffran,	Pitts,	Tahl,
Bidelspacher,	Henderson,	Post,	Talbot,
Blumberg,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Rice,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Riddle,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Ronemus,	Way,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Root,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Landis,	Sautter,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Leidich,	Schreck,	Welty,
Davis,	Linton,	Schrock,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Schwartz,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Loucks,	Scott, J. G.,	White,
Dietrich,	Lowe,	Scott, W. H.	Wike,
Ditter,	Mathay,	Sheffer,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	McAlinn,	Shellenberger,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	McCallister	Shortz,	Wilson,
Ede,	McDonald,	Shutt,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	McKay,	Simon,	Witkin,
Evans,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,	Wood,
Fish,	Metzinger,	Sowers,	Wright,
Fockler,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,	Yeakel,
Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander	Yerg,
Grenet,			Zicsenheim,

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill falls.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1183, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure.	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo.	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Braham	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reed,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—1.

Barton,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fleckler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schwartz	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1688, (Senate Bill No. 679), entitled

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishin an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry, and abolishing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride	Reilly,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gelnett,			Speaker.

NAYS—1.

Patterson, F. W.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1979, (Senate Bill No. 688), as follows:

An Act to control regulate and license the sale possession and carrying of pistols revolvers machine guns automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to prohibit the manufacture sale possession or carrying of certain other dangerous firearms weapons and substances within this State to prohibit the possession and use of silencers to provide for confiscation and destruction of certain weapons in certain cases to prohibit the ownership or possession of certain weapons by certain classes of persons providing for licenses to persons to possess or carry concealed pistols revolvers machine guns and automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to provide for license and registration of dealers in pistols and revolvers and regulation of sales thereunder requiring persons in possession of pistols and revolvers and certain other firearms to apply for licenses providing for costs of licenses to individuals and dealers to prescribe penalties for commission of certain crimes while armed with certain weapons and penalties for other violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations thereof to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or imports into the State or keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any instrument or weapon of the kind commonly known as a sling-shot billy handy-billy sand-club sand-bag metal knuckles or bludgeon shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided however that nothing in this act shall prohibit police officers special police officers peace officers or law enforcement officers from carrying any wooden club baton or any equipment authorized by the properly constituted authorities for the enforcement of law or ordinance in any town municipality county and city in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or who imports into the State or who keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any machine gun automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun or shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches in length or rifle having a barrel of less than fifteen inches in length shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided further that nothing in this section referring to machine guns and automatic rifles shall prohibit the manufacture for and the sale to the United States Government or political sub-divisions thereof or to Foreign Governments or the possession and use of the same by members of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or of the National Guard or organized reserve or to the Post Office Department of the United States or to duly appointed or elected law enforcement officers nor to banking institutions established under the laws of this State or of the United States or the public carriers who are engaged in the business of transporting mail money securities or other valuables provided further however that a permit to possess and carry concealed such machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot guns and riot guns is first secured by the banking institutions or public carriers above referred to in accordance with the provisions of this act for the licensing of pistols and revolvers

Section 3 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect any person who shall within this State manufacture sell purchase or possess except for military or police purposes any muffler silencer or device for deadening or muffling the sound of a firearm when discharged shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year

Section 4 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect any person except a duly appointed or elected law enforcement officer or a member of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or of the National Guard or organized reserves who possesses or carries on or about his person or in a vehicle a bomb bomb-shell except for blasting or other commercial use or who with the intent to use the same unlawfully against the person or property of another possesses or carries any explosive substance or any noxious liquid gas or substance except fixed ammunition shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 5 On or after the date upon which this act takes effect no unnaturalized foreign born person or no person who has been convicted in this State or elsewhere of a crime or violence shall own or have in his possession or under his custody or control any pistol revolver or other firearm "Crime of Violence" as used in this act means any of the following crimes or an attempt to commit any of the same murder manslaughter rape mayhem aggravated assault and battery assault with intent to kill robbery burglary breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 6 If any person shall commit or attempt to commit any crime of violence within this State while armed with any of the weapons mentioned in sections one two and four hereof or while armed with any pistol revolver or other firearm upon conviction of such crime of violence or of an attempt to commit such crime of violence he may in addition to the punishment prescribed for the crime of which he has been convicted be punishable by separate or solitary confinement at labor for not less than one nor more than three years Such additional period of imprisonment shall commence upon the expiration or other termination of the sentence imposed for the crime of which he stands convicted and shall not run concurrently with such sentence

Section 7 Except as otherwise provided in this act it shall be unlawful for any person within this State to possess or have in his custody or control or within any vehicle in which he is an occupant any pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun without having a license to possess or carry concealed such firearm as hereinafter provided in section nine hereof Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding three years or both or either at the discretion of the court and if he has been convicted previously of any crime of violence or of any crime made punishable by this act he is guilty of a felony and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 8 The unlawful possession upon or about the person or within the vehicle of the carrier of any of the firearms weapons instruments appliances bombs pistols and revolvers mentioned in the preceding sections shall be a nuisance and such articles and substances shall be surrendered to the magistrate justice of the peace alderman or other committing authority before whom said person shall be taken except that in any city the same shall be surrendered to the head of the police force or police department thereof The officers to whom the same may be so surrendered except upon certificate of a judge of a court of record or of the district attorney of the county that the preservation thereof is necessary or proper to the ends of justice shall annually between the first and tenth days of January in each year destroy or cause to be destroyed such weapons and articles to such extent that the same shall become and be wholly and entirely ineffective for the use and purpose for which they were manufactured provided that in the event of any pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot gun or riot gun having been stolen and is there-

after recovered from the thief or his transferee the same shall not be destroyed but shall be restored to the lawful owner thereof as soon as its use as evidence has been served after identification of the weapon and proof of ownership thereof

Section 9 It shall be lawful for the Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class and in any other city or county of this State for the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of such county upon proof before either of aforesaid persons that the person applying therefor is of good moral character and good repute and has a bona fide residence or place of business within the jurisdiction of the said licensing authority and that good cause exists for the issuance thereof to issue to such person a separate license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or both or (two) to carry concealed a pistol or revolver for a period of five years from the date of such license or to issue said license when circumstances warrant for both purposes Such persons as may have been licensed to possess a pistol or revolver may not by reason thereof carry the same concealed and such weapon shall be kept and maintained at his place of residence or place of business as required by the license except upon such emergency as may arise requiring the temporary removal therefrom or the protection of persons or property therein Such persons as may have been licensed to carry concealed a pistol or revolver may by reason thereof possess the same at his place of business or place of residence as the circumstances require All applications for such licenses shall be filed in writing signed by the applicant and shall state the name occupation residence and business address of the applicant his age height weight color of eyes hair and reason for desiring a license to possess or carry concealed such weapon Any license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or (two) to carry concealed such weapon issued upon such application shall set forth the foregoing data and shall in addition have affixed thereto a photograph of the licensee A permit to possess and carry concealed a machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun or riot gun by any banking institution or public carrier authorized so to do by section two of this act shall be issued by the licensing authority of this section in like manner When such licenses are issued by a clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county a record thereof shall be kept in the office of the clerk of quarter sessions when issued by police authorities such record shall be maintained in the office of the authority by whom issued Such applications and licenses shall be uniform throughout the State upon forms prescribed and furnished by the attorney general Provided however that no license to either possess or carry concealed any of the firearms mentioned in this section shall be issued to a person under the age of eighteen years

Section 10 The Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class or the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county as referred to in section nine hereof shall hereafter be designated for brevity as licensor

Section 11 Every person firm or corporation engaged or desiring to engage in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferrer is a retail dealer wholesale dealer pawnbroker or otherwise shall submit a sworn application for a license and registry to the proper licensor of his county which shall be put in such form as the Attorney General may determine which application shall state the principal place of business of the applicant wherever situated and the location of the principal place of business in this State the address of the applicant and such other additional information as the Attorney General may require and if the licensor is satisfied that the applicant is of good repute he shall register the applicant and issue to him a registry certificate certifying to the fact that the dealer has been registered for the current calendar year as a dealer in pistols or revolvers

If the licensor declines or fails to so register the applicant he shall immediately give notice of the fact to the applicant and upon request of such applicant filed within ten days after the receipt of such notice shall fix a time and place for hearing of which ten days' notice shall be given to the applicant or to other persons interested to offer evidence relating to the dealers repute If satisfied as aforesaid as a result of said hearing the licensor shall thereupon register the dealer Any dealer aggrieved by any decision of the licensor may file within thirty days thereafter in the court of quarter sessions of his county a petition against the licensor officially as defendant alleging therein in brief detail the action and decision complained of and praying for a reversal thereof Upon service of summons upon said defendant returnable within three days from its date the licensor shall within one week from such return date file an answer in which he shall allege by way of defense the grounds of his decision and such other grounds which shall in the meantime accrue or be discovered All allegations of the answer shall be determined to stand denied without further pleading and upon application of either party the cause shall be advanced and heard without delay Mere technical irregularities in procedure of such licensor shall be disregarded The court's decision shall consult only the rights of the plaintiff and the protection of the public and the licensor shall prosecute no proceedings to obtain a reversal modification or vacation of a judgment rendered in favor of the plaintiff A judgment sustaining a refusal of the licensor to grant or renew a registration shall not bar after one year a new application by the plaintiff for registration and license nor shall a judgment in favor of the plaintiff prevent such licensor from thereafter revoking or refusing to renew such registration for any proper cause which may thereafter accrue or be discovered The court shall have full power to dispose of all costs and appeals may be taken as in other cases as provided by law

This section shall not apply to wholesale dealers of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers nor to agents messengers and other employes of common carriers whose duties require them to protect moneys valuables and other property in the discharge of such duties from carrying any such weapons while actually engaged in such duties

Section 12 Every person firm or corporation in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferrer is a wholesale dealer retail dealer pawnbroker or otherwise except as hereinbefore provided shall keep a register in which shall be entered the time of sale the date of sale the names of the salesman making the sale the place where sold the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identication on such pistol or revolver together with serial number date name and address of licensee appearing upon the license to possess or to carry concealed such firearm which license shall be exhibited to the dealer at the time of the purchase Such register shall be prepared by and obtained from the State printer and shall be furnished by the State printer to said dealers on application in duplicate and shall be in form prescribed by the Attorney General The purchaser of any such firearm shall sign and the dealer shall require him to sign his name and affix his address to said register in duplicate and the salesman shall affix his signature in duplicate as a witness to the signatures of the purchaser Any person signing a fictitious name or address or making false statements is guilty of a misdemeanor The duplicate sheet of such register shall on the evening of the day of sale be placed in the mail postage prepaid and properly addressed to the Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of police department or police force of the city of the first or second class wherein the sale was made provided that where the sale is made in any other city or county said duplicate sheet shall be mailed to the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the county wherein the sale is made A violation of any of the provisions of this section by any person engaged in the business of selling leasing or transferring such firearms is a misdemeanor

Section 13 A duly licensed retail dealer may sell a pistol or revolver and a manufacturer may sell a machine gun or automatic rifle to such persons as shall have been issued licenses which licenses must be exhibited at the time of purchase and said dealer upon effecting a sale shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun subject to the following conditions for breach of any of which the license of retail dealer shall be subject to forfeiture in addition to the penalty designated in the license

1 The business shall be carried on only in the building designated in the license

2 The license or a copy thereof certified by the issuing authority shall be displayed on the premises where it can easily be read

3 No pistol or revolver shall be delivered

(a) On the day of the application for the purchase and when delivered shall be securely wrapped and unloaded

(b) Unless the purchaser either is personally known to the seller or shall present clear evidence of his identity and shall exhibit his license to possess or carry concealed such firearm

4 No pistol or revolver or imitation thereof or placard advertising the sale or other transfer thereof shall be displayed in any part of said premises where it can readily be seen from the outside

A violation of any of the provisions of this section is a misdemeanor

Section 14 Any person who in purchasing or otherwise acquiring possession of a pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun in applying for a license to possess or carry the same concealed gives false information or offers false evidence as to his identity or signs a fictitious name or address to any application for a license or to any dealer in purchasing or otherwise securing possession of a pistol revolver shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 15 No person firm or corporation shall sell deliver or otherwise transfer any pistol revolver or other firearm to any person prohibited by section five hereof from owning or possessing such firearms nor any pistol or revolver to a minor If any sale purchase or transfer is not consummated within seventy-two hours of the time of application for sale purchase or transfer is made such application for sale purchase or transfer shall be null and void. Any violations of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor

Section 16 Any person who without being licensed as above provided engages in the business of selling or otherwise transferring or who advertises for sale or offers or exposes for sale transfer or delivery or who sells any pistol revolver automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun is guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 17 No person shall change alter or remove or obliterate the name of the maker model manufacturer's number or other mark or identication on any pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle And on the trial of an indictment for a violation of the provisions of this section the jury may infer that the person in possession of such firearm has changed altered removed or obliterated the identification marks of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle

Section 18 This act shall not apply to antique pistols or revolvers or other firearms unsuitable for use as firearms Provided however that all pistols or revolvers possessed as curiosities and ornaments which are capable of use as firearms with cartridges now being manufactured shall be registered under the provisions of this act and the owner or possessor thereof shall be issued one license and each pistol or revolver owned or possessed shall be inventoried by manufacturer's number caliber make model and other marks of identification of said license

Section 19 Any violation of any provisions of this act which is designated as a misdemeanor and for which no punishment has been provided shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) or imprisonment not exceeding three years either or both at the discretion of the court

Section 20 Wherever the pronoun "he" occurs in this act it shall be construed as including both male and female persons

Section 21 All persons in possession of a pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun described in this act at the time of its taking effect shall be required to obtain a license to possess or carry the same concealed in accordance with the provisions of this act within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act and failure to procure such license will render such person or persons liable to the provisions and penalties of this act Upon the issuance of said license the licensor shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun

Section 22 The fees under the provisions of this act shall be as follows

1 For receiving application and issuing license to possess or carry concealed a pistol revolver or other firearms fifty cents

2 For filing and indexing any registration or license fifty cents

3 For receiving application and issuing collectors' license five dollars

4 For issuing or refusing dealar's license or registry or for hearings thereon ten dollars

All such fees shall be paid by the applicant for license whether the same be granted or not and shall be paid to the County Treasurer of the several counties The County Commissioners of the several counties shall supply all necessary assistance to the licensing authorities Provided however That no fee shall be charged for registering any pistol revolver or other fireaarm in the possession of any person at the time of the passage of this act the registration of which is required under the provisions of this act where such registration is made within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act

Section 23 In any prosecution under this act it shall not be necessary to negative any of the exemptions of this act in any complaint information or indictment or at trial The burden of proving any exemption under this act shall be upon the defendant

Section 24 Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to or to affect the possession or transportation of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to members of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or the National Guard or to organizations which are by law authorized to receive such weapons from the United States or this State nor to officers or employes of the United States authorized to carry a pistol revolver or other firearms Nothing in this act shall apply to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers

Section 25 The provisions of this act in so far as the same relate to pistols or revolvers shall not apply to persons over the age of twenty-one years holding hunters' licenses of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Such persons shall be entitled to have and possess pistols or revolvers to carry the same openly when and where hunting and to transport the same to and from the place of hunting for the purpose of hunting Such persons shall also be entitled to purchase pistols or revolvers upon presentation to the retail dealer of their hunting licenses together with a certificate of good character issued by the licensor as defined in section ten hereof Said licensor shall only issue said certificate of good character upon the sworn statement of two reputable citizens that the applicant for such certificate is a law abiding person who has never been convicted of any crime of violence as defined in section five hereof Nothing in this section shall relieve any person firm or corporation from the duties imposed in section twelve hereof

Section 26 All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed provided however that this act shall not repeal or in any manner affect any of the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing laws relating thereto"

Section 27 The repeal of any acts or parts of acts assembly shall not affect any prosecutions pending on the date of passage of this act nor prevent the institution of any prosecutions for violation of any of the provisions of said acts committed prior to the passage of this act but all such pending prosecutions shall be terminated and all such violations shall be prosecuted in the same manner

Section 28 If any provisions of this act shall be held by any court to be unconstitutional such judgment shall not affect any other section or provision of the same It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been passed had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

MOTION TO MAKE BILL SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that consideration of this bill be made a special order of business for next Monday evening at nine o'clock.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion is not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. HOLMES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill is of great importance, especially to the members of the rural communities, and I hope that everyone has taken this bill and studied it very carefully. I took it last night and studied it carefully myself, and I am sure I am not able to make out clearly just what some of the terms used really mean. On page 2 of the bill it says, among other things, that any one having a bludgeon shall be guilty of a felony and so forth. I looked carefully to see what the word bludgeon meant and I see that it is a short stick with a knob on the end. I cannot see why any one having a pick handle or an axe handle or a baseball bat would not be guilty under the provisions of this bill. On page 3 relative to the length of rifles and guns it says: "Having a barrel less than 24 inches." We all know that the Colt people manufacture a gun shorter than that. After a careful examination I do not know whether that clause is intended to include boys' air rifles or not. We must acknowledge that the intent of the bill is alright, and that it has been studied and has been drawn with a great deal of care, but I cannot help but feel that this bill in its entirety is strictly un-American. We cannot lose sight of the fact that a great proportion of the State of Pennsylvania is absolutely without any police protection, and if we pass this bill, taking away from the country people their only means of defense, it will give an invitation to the criminals, not only of this State, but from other states to come out and make a rich haul, because they will know the people of the community have no means with which to defend themselves.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling, whether this Senate Bill No. 688 is not a bill that has the endorsement of the Crimes Commission?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I presume you are all interested in my answer to that interrogation. This bill is one of the series of bills that was prepared by the Crimes Commission, an official body appointed by the Chief Executive of the Commonwealth to study the question of crimes in the Commonwealth for the protection of the general citizenry of the State.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, as a result of the enlightening answer given us by our honorable friend from Philadelphia, I desire to say that it seems to me that it would be a great mistake for this House to blindly kill this bill. There is at the present time in the State of Pennsylvania, and particularly in the large cities, a serious effort to check crime. We have had appointed an exceptionally able commission to make an investigation of the criminal laws of the State of Pennsylvania for the express purpose of trying to stem the onward rush of criminal tendencies in this Commonwealth. It seems to me that it would be a great error on the part of this House if we now, without having a thorough and complete knowledge of this bill, and because there are certain members of this House who have possibly some pressure brought to bear upon them by persons who are opposed to the enactment of the bill, kill it on the floor of the House, without the deliberation and consideration that it deserves and which its sponsorship demands. I think, therefore, that we should reconsider the request in the form of a motion on the part of Mr. Sterling to make this bill a special order of business so that in the meantime an opportunity may be had for the members to acquaint themselves with its provisions and purposes, and perhaps after they have had an opportunity to study it, it will be acceptable to them.

MOTION TO POSTPONE.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. CHAS. C. A. BALDI. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. SPANGLER and Mr. C. C. A. BALDI, JR.

YEAS—68.

Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Root,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Fuller	McClure,	Schwartz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Scott, J. G.,
Bechtel,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Scott W. H.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Burns,	Kleckner,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Catania,	Leidich,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Clark, J. G,	Linton,	Patterson, F. W.	Turner,
Conner,	Lockhart,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Lose,	Pennock,	Wells,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Pitts,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Rice,	Witkin,
Fish,	Mathay,	Richards, R.,	Wright,

NAYS—104.

Adams, E C.,	Ede,	Loucks,	Shutt,
Aston,	Evans,	McAlee,	Stark,
Baily,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Steedle,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Stein,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Stevenson,
Barton,	Griffith,	McKay,	Storb,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Storer,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Talbot,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Peters,	Walker,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Pethick,	Washington,
Bicker,	Harter,	Post,	Way,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Powell,	Weaver,
Braham,	Heffner,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Reader,	Welty,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Reed,	Wettach,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermanson,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Caufiel,	Himes,	Riddle,	White,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Davis,	Howe,	Schreck,	Wood,
Dengler,	Huester,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Denne,	Jones,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Dietrich,	Kahle,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Donnell,	King,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Eaches,	Landis,	Shertz,	

So the question was determined in the negative and the motion was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, permit me to call your attention to one provision of this bill and that is, that it would make it a felony for any householder to have firearms and some other kinds of weapons

in their possession unless they were registered. Evidently it would be a very difficult proposition to enforce a law of that kind. We have so many laws now that are hard enough to enforce without adding to them. I therefore think we should vote this bill down.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I will not in my discussion of this bill, deal with the technical provisions in it, because I take the position that no matter how onerous, no matter how burdensome, no matter how restricting any provision of this bill may be, it ought to pass this House for the sake of the citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

As I sense the House, there has been developed here this morning an equation, and that equation is this: It is whether or not the bandits, the racketeers, the criminals, the murderers, if you like, shall have the special consideration of this House, or whether or not the sportsmen of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall go on undisturbed in plying their sportsmanship. I anticipated that equation and I consulted Webster's dictionary, and I find among the definitions there the follows: "Sportsman. One who in sport is fair and generous, a good loser and a graceful winner." I ask you members of this Commonwealth whether or not for the sake of the dignity of this Commonwealth, for the sake of the lives of the citizens of this Commonwealth, for the sake of the reputation of the Commonwealth of which we all must be proud, you will permit crime to continue the use of firearms as it has prevailed and progressed merely because a registration of a firearm is required? How many of you resent the mandatory law for the registration of automobiles; how many of you resent the mandatory law for the registration of births and deaths? These are registrations that are made of the property and of the lives of the citizens of this Commonwealth and I deem it just as important that a registration of firearms should be required by the laws of this Commonwealth. I have here, picked up at random, newspapers printed and published within the last two days. I find on almost alternate columns of these papers descriptions of crimes committed by firearms. I don't for a moment go into the question of the use of firearms in the commission of crimes of one individual against another, but I talk principally of the use of firearms by the reckless, the careless and the murderous bandit.

In Chicago, as late as yesterday, a group of men such as this bill is intended to work against, actually had the irreverence to step into a house of worship and at the point of firearms stood up against the wall those worshippers that they found there, and robbed them at the threat of their lives. I ask you sportsmen whether you want to carry upon your shoulders the blood of the citizens of this Commonwealth or whether you still want to chase the hare because that gives you pleasure. If that equation does not eradicate from your minds your objection to this measure, then my judgment of this House is wrong. Now, I know my judgment of the House is not wrong. I know my judgment of this House is right. This is not a question, in my opinion, of what my constituency may want where the mere question of the inconvenience of registration is involved. There is no great principle or policy involved in this registration. It is merely a question as to whether or not he who wants to use a firearm will comply with the law and register. There is no limitation placed on the use of firearms but this bill merely requires a registration of that firearm. Now, gentleman of the House, I appeal to you; the large cities of this Commonwealth are suffering from a contagion, a contagion that we should be proud to exterminate. Every large city in the United States has its eyes on Philadelphia, and I dare say Allegheny County and every other large city of the Commonwealth also has this situation in which we now find ourselves. I submit to you, with all the force that I have, that as proud Pennsylvanians we owe it to the people back home not to permit them to selfishly answer this question for us, but to courageously stand up and vote "aye" on this bill for the good and the benefit of this Commonwealth.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the city of Philadelphia needs this bill. You people from the country gave us prohibition; you gave us with prohibition innumerable troubles. Now having brought these troubles upon us help us to cure the troubles you brought to us. In Philadelphia we had a grand jury sitting for months investigating the problem of crime and gang warfare. Prohibition has brought to the large cities gangs of the worst kind; gangs—

POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of order.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his point of order.

Mr. BALDRIGE. The gentleman is talking on prohibition, he is not talking on the firearms bill.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will confine his remarks to the merits of the bill.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, if it seems to hurt the gentleman from Allegheny to have me speak on prohibition as the cause that brought about the trouble and made the necessity for this bill, I won't argue that way. But, as the result of something, there has been formed gang after gang that knows of no courts to settle its difficulties; that knows of no place to adjust its differences, except by violence. It is not uncommon today in the city of Philadelphia, and in other large cities, to find an automobile going up and down highways loaded with men with a couple of automatic guns or machine guns extending out of the side of that automobile. Last August, August of last year, two men standing on a public highway in the city of Philadelphia, peacefully and quietly, were shot down by a machine gun. And a grand jury was appointed by one of our judges, and that grand jury and the district attorney worked for eight or nine months trying to find out who the murderers were. But of all the witnesses called in, not one dared to open their mouths because they were afraid of the gang that was back of the men who were in that automobile. Is that right, men? Is it right for citizens of this Commonwealth, peacefully and quietly standing on the sidewalk, to be mowed down by criminals with automatic guns and machine guns? Are you men going to take from the City of Philadelphia the protection we should have by terminating the possession of such machine guns in the hands of criminals? Now members of the House, the bill may be stringent; the bill may have teeth in it; the bill may have plenty of teeth, but let us save a life even if the rabbits in the field must escape.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I think I stand in a somewhat different position than the other gentlemen from Philadelphia, particularly Mr. Sterling. I do not advocate the passage of this bill because, and solely because, it is sponsored by the Crimes Commission. I am opposed, and I have been opposed, to a large number of the bills sponsored by the Crimes Commission because I think that they are unfair. With respect to this bill I want to say that I think it is the only bill that the Crimes Commission has formulated that strikes at the cause of crime and if you give me legislation that will do away with crime, that will strike at the root of crime, then for that bill I will stand in favor.

Now, members of the House, perhaps the first argument that ought to be made to this House on this bill is not a question of banditry, because I think every man and woman in this House believes that banditry should be struck down. But are you familiar with the fact that there was an amendment to this bill? On page eighteen of this bill a provision was inserted that excepted the sportsmen of Pennsylvania so that those who hold hunters' licenses and are over the age of 21 have a right, and I will read you that part with your permission, to carry pistols and revolvers. The section reads as follows: "The provisions of this act in so far as the same relate to pistols or revolvers shall not apply to persons over the age of twenty-one years holding hunters' licenses of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Such persons shall be entitled to have and possess pistols or revolvers, to carry the same openly when and where hunting and to transport the same to and from the place of hunting for the purpose of hunting."

There is a further provision that the hunter shall be over twenty-one years of age and shall have a certificate of good character and to the effect that he has never been convicted of a crime of violence. I say to you, ladies and gentlemen of the House, if that is not a fair provision for the hunters and the sportsmen of the State, then I know not what further provision you could ask us to support. I am amazed at the position of the sportsmen. I hold a letter which I shall not read at length, but this is a letter from Grover C. Ladner, Chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Isaac Walton League, and he concludes that letter by saying, "I therefore take pleasure in writing you that the amendment as submitted to me yesterday at Harrisburg is satisfactory to the sportsmen and their opposition to the bill is withdrawn."

I have another letter which has been handed to me from the Remington Arms Company stating that the bill is satisfactory to the company. This is a company that manufactures firearms and they say that they are satisfied with the provisions of the bill.

Members of the House, I am not going to bore you, just a few more words and I shall close. First, I wish to say this to you, and I say it from the bottom of my heart: This bill may hurt, it may hurt you individually, it may burden you, it may put you to a lot of inconvenience, but for God's sake stop banditry, stop men from carrying machine guns in automobiles and mowing down the citizens of our community. Curb banditry, curb murder; you can do it by this bill; and I say to you in all fairness that we have inserted in this bill every provision for the protection of the sportsmen.

Members of the House, I am frank to say that I know that speeches, words, oratory will not change the minds of some of you. This is not party legislation; this is not a matter of party politics; this is a matter where every man stands on his own conscience and I say with a clear conscience, and you ought to be able to say with a clear conscience, "I am going to suffer the inconvenience of having to register my firearms; I am going to suffer the inconvenience every five years of taking out a license; I am going to do that so I can protect the citizens of the larger cities," so that I can go back home to my constituents and say to them, "I may not have done as you wanted me to do on this particular measure, but, thank God! I have protected you and human life."

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. I will sir, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. I would like to ask, Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman from Philadelphia would explain, or if they have information would they give it, as to how many states in the United States have a bill of this nature.

Mr. STERLING. I cannot answer that. I am told by the Secretary of the Crimes Commission that about 20 per cent. of the states of the Union have it.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the gentleman further, are any of those states on the border of the state of Pennsylvania.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I would inform the gentleman that I understand New Jersey and New York have it.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to ask the gentleman further, if this bill is adopted, would it apply to children who have weapons that come under the clauses of this bill, that is toy weapons of a similar nature?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I am told there is no act which will prevent a child from having a machine gun, but there is an act which takes care of toy weapons.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Then Mr. Speaker and members of the House, what would prevent, if this bill was adopted, the Philadelphia gangsters from going into New Jersey or New York and purchasing weapons?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I would reply that New Jersey, as I said a moment ago, has a similar act. Ohio also has it and New York, so that the states almost entirely surrounding us have this kind of protection, or at least partial protection.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I understand that Delaware and Maryland on the other border of the state do not have an act of this kind.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I am told that Delaware has a registration act exactly like this.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and ladies and gentlemen of the House, if we were to go back to the time of the beginning of our country, and review the conditions down to the present time, we would find that the people of the United States have found themselves always growing up accostumed to the use of fire-arms such as are mentioned in this bill. Through that long time experience with the use of fire-arms we find that very little crime was committed until recent years. Within this recent period of time practically every crime that has been committed in our country has been committed by those who are known today as gangsters and gunmen. The people who own and carry firearms at the present day and who have only possessed them with the intention of hunting and for protection within their own homes, have practically in all cases been eliminated from the crime wave that is in our country today, with the exception of a few, a very, very small percentage, who have had access to weapons, and who are classified as those coming under the insanity clause. Does it seem possible to you that in a state like this, that we would prohibit those who are traveling on the public highway from possessing a weapon of this kind in order that the gangman can still have further protection, by still having possession of a weapon and knowing almost for a certainty no one else on the highway will have one. Are we going to pass a piece of legislation of this kind, which it has been suggested is striking at the heart of crime, and yet is going to place us all under a restriction that makes it a necessity for us to register? We know that a very great many will not take advantage of that and thus will not have the necessary protection in their own homes. We find that a great

many accidental deaths are due to the carrying of toy weapons which are not included in this bill, and, gentlemen we have so many states on our border free from such legislation that it will not prevent any member of the gangster organizations from going over the border and purchasing all kinds of firearms and bringing them into the state, and the result will be that you will have this restriction placed upon the people of the Commonwealth who will not have a firearm within their homes, nor any kind of protection. It seems to me that instead of being a protection against the crime wave we are simply opening the doors for the gangsters to further increase. This protection means that he may go about his nefarious profession with almost absolute security. I ask this House to give this bill very careful consideration in its voting.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I rise in my place to appeal to the country members of this House, to forget the little inconvenience contained in this bill, so far as our people are concerned, and to take a position on the side of the enforcement of the law, we make so much fuss about, and so much talk about in the country districts, and stand with the officers of the law in this movement putting the State of Pennsylvania in line with the other states. Forget that the people back home may be inconvenienced. I want to refer particularly to the city of Philadelphia and the members of the Legislature from that city. Since I have been in the Legislature, I have watched the members from Philadelphia unselfishly vote for measures that we needed in the country. I saw them in this session, when we had our road program which meant so much to our people in bringing them out of the mud—

POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of order.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his point of order.

Mr. BALDRIGE. I desire to call the gentleman to order. He is not speaking on the bill.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will confine his remarks to the merits of the bill.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I say that the members of the Legislature from Philadelphia have voted for the legislation which we particularly needed all over the State and they had to pay a very large part of the bill. Their representatives have come on the floor of this House and have told the country members that they need this legislation, that they need it to curb crime and violence and all kinds of violations of the law in that city, and I think that we members from the country ought to have broad enough vision to step in line with the progress of the times and vote for this bill.

I heard the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania say in one of the hearings on the crime commission bills, and I think that it ought to be repeated, that in 60 years the Legislture of Pennsylvania had passed no bill that in any way interfered with the criminal, but that all legislation passed in those 60 years has been against the Commonwealth and in favor of the defendant. I think it is time that this Legislature took this position and looked at this proposition as it ought to be looked at and to tighten up the criminal laws of Pennsylvania so that the criminal will know that in Pennsylvania, the Commonwealth can move swiftly and with a strong hand. In the Committee of Judiciary General I have been watching these laws ever since I have been a member of this Legislature, and the other night we passed a bill increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter, and that is the first act I have seen passed in this House that interfered with the activity or embarrassed the criminal in any way. I think we should pass this bill. The sportsmen have been taken care of. There will be a little inconvenience to our people such as registering every five years, but that don't amount to anything. The State of Pennsylvania ought to move into a position on the side of law enforcement and we should take a stand with the officers of the law and against the criminal. I for one desire to have my vote in this House recorded as a vote for morality and for good government in the State of Pennsylvania.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I believe that a great amount of the hostility that has been engendered amongst the sportsmen of Pennsylvania was brought about prior to the time the amendment on page 18 was inserted in this bill. If you will only take the time to read that amendment carefully, you will see, and I am positive that the sportsmen in the various districts that you come from will agree with you, that there is absolutely no hardship being brought upon the sportsmen of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. I feel that the sportsmen of Pennsylvania have been placed in a false light in this House today. I believe that when the sportsmen of Pennsylvania are given the title sportsmen that they are entitled to that term and that they will support this measure just the same as the sportsmen in any other state. I feel that they would be the last ones to come in here, in view of the amendment that has been inserted on page 18, and ask any member of this House to vote against this bill. On page 16 of this act, you will find that any one possessing a firearm over the length of twenty-four inches does not come under the provisions of this act. You men that are hunters know that the average automatic shotgun is over twenty-four inches. Don't leave the impression go out throughout this Commonwealth that the sportsmen of Pennsylvania are condoning the acts of the criminals, not only in the city of Philadelphia, but throughout this Commonwealth. The argument advanced by the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Brown, that this act has only been adopted in comparatively few states, should have no influence on your vote. You know as well as I do that if the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania adopts this act now, that in a comparatively short space of time, commonwealth after commonwealth in this great United States will follow the example of the Keystone State. Let us be men and let us be bell wethers in legislation of this type. If you vote down this bill today you are stamping your approval upon the actions of men who, without any regard for law, without any regard for human life, roam the highways and the by-ways of this Commonwealth and shoot down innocent people, bystanders, not only the intended victims, but innocent bystanders, in their desire to reek revenge upon people who do not agree with them. I can see, members of the Legislature, absolutely nothing wrong with this bill in the manner in which it is drawn. Some of the members of the House immediately around me had the thought that you could not have a revolver in your home for protection. That condition is adjusted by this act. All that is required is that once every five years you shall have your license renewed. What is charged for that? Only fifty cents. When a crime takes place in this Commonwealth, it is often difficult to locate and apprehend the actual offender, and you read time after time that in the dragnet that is cast out, many people are brought into the hands of the law who have stilettos, revolvers, machine guns and other weapons in their possession, and these are the people that have no right to have these weapons. This act will put a stop to their carrying the weapons, which perhaps they were not using wrong-

fully when apprehended, but which they intended to use in the very near future. I can see absolutely no reason for voting down a bill of this type.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia permit himself to be further interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. BALDRIGE. I desire to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia if he has any information that he can give to this House as to what percentage of the public in Philadelphia are racketeers and criminals.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in reply to the gentleman from Allegheny, I desire to say that I don't believe that any very considerable percentage of the people who live in Philadelphia are bandits, or racketeers, or criminals, but I inform the gentleman from Allegheny that we are very frequently visited by an epidemic of non-resident bandits, criminals and racketeers.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to ask the gentleman further, how this bill would reach out and get the bandits and racketeers and criminals who are outside of the city of Philadelphia.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, in reply to the gentleman from Allegheny I would say that in the first place this bill requires that they must be residents of the county, and in the second place that they can show by certificate of good character that they have a right to have the firearm.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I am serious about this proposition. I want to get to the bottom of this proposition. I desire to interrogate the gentleman further, Mr. Speaker. I desire to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia what there is in this bill that would prohibit bandits, racketeers and criminals from coming from other counties and cities and carrying on their work in Philadelphia if this bill does become a law?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in further reply to the gentleman I would say that this bill makes possession of firearms unlawful. I have already stated that the bordering states have similar laws, almost similar registration acts. At least we feel that if he carries a weapon without a license that he may be picked up and charged with a crime which this bill makes a felony.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to ask if it is not a fact that in 1916, in the city of Philadelphia, there was a car load of eight criminals came over from New York City and went into your bloody fifth ward and killed a policeman during election time?

Mr. STERLING. My friend from Allegheny is obviously making a statement and not asking a question, so I don't think it is necessary to answer.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I desire to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia, if it is not a fact that in the election of 1916, in the fifth ward in the city of Philadelphia, prior to the session of 1917, there were not eight thugs who came over from New York City and killed one of your police officers in your fifth ward?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I venture the opinion that if this bill had then been on the statute books that it would not have been healthy for such a thing to have occurred in that city or in this Commonwealth.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is not the first time that we have had a firearms bill in this House. Every session since the session of 1917 we have had it. I am not defending the criminal; I am not defending the sportsmen. I am here conscientiously and sincerely opposing this bill because it is wrong. I think it is wrong; first, because it is going to harrass the upright and peaceable citizens who have firearms in their homes for their own protection, and this will take away that protection and make them helpless. The bandit that wants to go to their city to get his man will continue to do so, and commit his depredations against a helpless population. You have plenty of laws now to suppress banditry, if you want to do it.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House, there is something wrong over there in Philadelphia and it is not with the law. The same thing is true in Chicago and New York and in some other large cities. You heard them say here awhile ago that there was an amendment inserted in this bill that wiped away the objection of the sportsmen and that anyone over 21 years of age holding a hunting license could carry a pistol. What about the boys from 16 to 21 years of age and who now have a right to carry a hunter's license.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman from Allegheny permit me to answer his last statement as to the amendment which has been agreed upon with respect to that provision which he now complains of.

Mr. BALDRIGE. I will, Mr. Speaker, if he doesn't take too long.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, at the request of Mr. Haines, from Bucks County, an amendment has been agreed upon and we intend to make the necessary amendment to the bill. We will agree that the necessary licenses under this bill shall be given to all persons who now under the law are permitted to receive hunter's licenses. So the objection to the boys under 21 years of age will be done away with. Mr. Haines has requested that and we will see that the amendment is made on the floor.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I wish to thank the gentleman for his answer and courtesy, but I say to you that amendment won't remove all my objections to the bill. This bill takes away from your law abiding citizens the right to have firearms in their homes for their own protection, unless they go to the court house in the County seat and are reported and photographed and take with them two character witnesses, and I say to you that it is very unfair. You have already passed a machine gun and bombing law. Why go ahead with this thing? You have tried for years and years to disarm the people and make them helpless and hopeless before the thug and criminal. I am not willing to help the thug and the criminal. I don't believe in it. I ask you to vote this bill down.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House. There ought to be a practical solution to the problem that confronts us. I am of the opinion, and I believe that I am correct in this opinion, that whatever opposition is made to this bill and to the final passage of the bill, apparently comes from that group of men who cannot in fairness to themselves and their constituency have the hunters' licenses interfered with. My friend, Mr. Haines, from Bucks County, and some other men who represent that element in the House, have made the suggestion, that if the bill is amended to permit those persons who now, under the present law have the right to a hunters' license, be given the same right under this bill that they now have, irrespective of age, that then this measure will have the favorable vote of more men in the House than it would have in its present condition. I am responsive to that opinion and for that reason, Mr. Speaker, I move at this time that the bill be amended by striking out on page 18, line 8. May I ask that the men who are interested in this subject look

the bill and see whether or not this amendment will answer the purpose.

To amend the bill by striking out on page 18, line 3, the following words: "Over the age of 21 years" will make the bill read: "The provisions of this act in so far as the same relate to pistols or revolvers shall not apply to persons holding hunting licenses of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania."

Now it becomes a simple matter, members of the House and Mr. Speaker, for this bill to be acted upon finally, because under our parliamentary procedure, as you all know this amendment being a strike out, will in no wise impede the progress of the measure.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER declares the noes appeared to have it.

WHEREUPON, a division was called for.

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. STERLING and Mr. LINTON.

YEAS—106.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	Meredith,	Simon,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Jones,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Catania,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wells,
Conner,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wike,
Cooke,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Hess,
	McClure,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.

NAYS—80.

Baily,	Dunn,	King,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Eaches,	Kleckner,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Ede,	Landis,	Sheely,
Barton,	Fox,	McAlee,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Cross,	McDonald,	Steedle,
Behm,	Gwynne,	McGregor,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	McKay,	Storer,
Bicker,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Walker,
Braham,	Harter,	Peters,	Washington,
Brown, E.,	Hartsock,	Pethick,	Way,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Hermansen,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Himes,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Hoffman,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Holcombe,	Riddle,	White,
Dengler	Holmes,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Howe,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Dietrich,	Huester,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Donnell,	Kahle,	Schrock,	

So the question was determined in the affirmative, the motion was agreed to, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House.

Whereupon,

The House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole, (Mr. George W, Williams in the Chair) on said bill,

After some time, the Committee rose, and

Mr. REED having resumed the Chair,

The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole reported the bill as amended in accordance with the instruction of the Committee of the Whole, as follows:

An Act to control regulate and license the sale possession and carrying of pistols revolvers machine guns automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to prohibit the manufacture sale possession or carrying of certain other dangerous firearms weapons and substances within this State to prohibit the possession and use of silencers to provide for confiscation and destruction of certain weapons in certain cases to prohibit the ownership or possession of certain weapons by certain classes of persons providing for licenses to persons to possess or carry concealed pistols revolvers machine guns and automatic rifles automatic shot guns and riot guns to provide for license and registration of dealers in pistols and revolvers and regulation of sales thereunder requiring persons in possession of pistols and revolvers and certain other firearms to apply for licenses providing for costs of licenses to individuals and dealers to prescribe penalties for commission of certain crimes while armed with certain weapons and penalties for other violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations thereof to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Comonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or imports into the State or keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any instrument or weapon of the kind commonly known as a sling-shot billy hand-billy sand-club sand-bag metal knuckles or bludgeon shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided however that nothing in this act shall prohibit police officers special police officers peace officers or law enforcement officers from carrying any wooden club baton or any equipment authorized by the properly constituted authorities for the enforcement of law or ordinance in any town municipality county and city in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 That on and after the date upon which this act takes effect every person who within the State of Pennsylvania manufactures or causes to be manufactured or who imports into the State or who keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or who gives lends leases or possesses any machine gun automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun or shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches in length or rifle having a barrel of less than fifteen inches in length shall be guilty of a felony and shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years provided further that nothing in this section referring to machine guns and automatic rifles shall prohibit the manufacture for and the sale to the United States Government or political sub-divisions thereof or to foreign Governments or the possession and use of the same by members of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or of the National Guard or organized reserve or to the Post Office Department of the United States or to duly appointed or elected law enforcement officers nor to banking institutions established under the laws of this State or of the United States or the public carriers who are engaged in the business of transporting mail moneys securities or other valuables provided further however that a permit to possess and carry concealed such machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot guns and riot guns is first secured by the banking institutions or public carriers above referred to

n accordance with the provisions of this act for the licensing f pistols and revolvers

Section 3 On and after the date upon which this act takes ffect any person who shall within this State manufacture ell purchase or possess except for military or police purposes ny muffler silencer or device for deadening or muffling the ound of a firearm when discharged shall be guilty of a isdemeanor and shall on conviction thereof be sentenced o pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to ndergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year

Section 4 On and after the date upon which this act takes ffect any person except a duly appointed or elected law nforcement officer or a member of the army navy or marine orps of the United State or of the National Guard or organized reserves who possess or carries on or about his person r in a vehicle a bomb bomb-shell except for blasting or other ommercial use or who with the intent to use the same unawfully against the person or property of another possesses r carries any explosive substance or any noxious liquid gas r substance except fixed ammunition shall be guilty of a felony nd on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not xceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment y separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding ive years

Section 5 On or after the date upon which this act takes ffect no unnaturalized foreign born person or no person who has been convicted in this State or elsewhere of a crime r violence shall own or have in his possession or under is custody or control any pistol revolver or other fire-arm "Crime of Violence" as used in this act means any of the following crimes or an attempt to commit any of the same murder manslaughter rape mayhem aggravated assault and attery with intent to kill robbery burglary breaking and ntering with intent to commit a felony any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a elony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a ine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo an mprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor ot exceeding five years

Section 6 If any person shall commit or attempt to commit ny crime of violence within this State while armed with any f the weapons mentioned in sections one two and four hereof r while armed with any pistol revolver or other firearm pon conviction of such crime of violence or of an attempt o commit such crime of violence he may in addition to the unishment prescribed for the crime of which he has been onvicted be punishable by separate or solitary confinement at abor for not less than one nor more than three years Such dditional period of imprisonment shall commence upon the xpiration or other termination of the sentence imposed for he crime of which he stands convicted and shall not run oncurrently with such sentence

Section 7 Except as otherwise provided in this act it shall e unlawful for any person within this State to possess or ave in his custody or control or within any vehicle in which e is an occupant any pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun having a barrel of less than wenty-four inches or riot gun without having a license to ossess or carry concealed such firearm as hereinafter proided in section nine hereof Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and pon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five undred dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceedng three years or both or either at the discretion of the court nd if he has been convicted previously of any crime of violence or of any crime made punishable by this act he is guilty f a felony and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine ot exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceedng five years

Section 8 The unlawful possession upon or about the person r within the vehicle of the carrier of any of the firearms eapons instruments appliances bombs pistols and revolvers entioned in the preceding sections shall be a nuisance and uch articles and substances shall be surrendered to the magisrate justice of the peace alderman or other committing authority before whom said person shall be taken except that in ny city the same shall be surrendered to the head of the olice force or police department thereof The officers to whom he same may be surrendered except upon certificate of a judge of a court of record or of the district attorney of the county that the preservation thereof is necessary or proper to the ends of justice shall annually between the first and tenth days of January in each year destroy or cause to be destroyed such weapons and articles to such extent that the same shall become and be wholly and entirely ineffective for the use and purpose for which they were manufactured provided that in the event of any pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot gun or riot gun having been stolen and is thereafter recovered from the thief or his transferee the same shall not be destroyed but shall be restored to the lawful owner thereof as soon as its use as evidence has been served after identification of the weapon and proof of ownership thereof

Section 9 It shall be lawful for the Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class and in any other city or county of this State for the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of such county upon proof before either of aforesaid persons that the person applying therefor is of good moral character and good repute and has a bona fide residence or place of business within the jurisdiction of the said licensing authority and that good cause exists for the issuance thereof to issue to such person a separate license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or both or (two) to carry concealed a pistol or revolver for a period of five years from the date of such license or to issue said license when circumstances warrant for both purposes Such persons as may have been licensed to possess a pistol or revolver may not by reason thereof carry the same concealed and such weapon shall be kept and maintained at his place of residence or place of business as required by the license except upon such emergency as may arise requiring the temporary removal therefrom or the protection of persons or property therein Such persons as may have been licensed to carry concealed a pistol or revolver may by reason thereof possess the same at his place of business or place of residence as the circumstances require All applications for such licenses shall be filed in writing signed by the applicant and shall state the name occupation residence and business address of the applicant his age height weight color of eyes hair and reason for desiring a license to possess or carry concealed such weapon Any license (one) to possess at his place of residence or place of business or (two) to carry concealed such weapon issued upon such application shall set forth the foregoing data and shall in addition have affixed thereto a photograph of the licensee A permit to possess and carry concealed a machine gun or automatic rifle or automatic shot-gun or riot gun by any banking institution or public carrier authorized so to do by section two of this act shall be issued by the licensing authority of this section in like manner When such licenses are issued by a clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county a record thereof shall be kept in the office of the clerk of quarter sessions when issued by police authorities such record shall be maintained in the office of the authority by whom issued Such applications and licenses shall be uniform throughout the State upon forms prescribed and furnished by the attorney general Provided however that no license to either possess or carry concealed any of the firearms mentioned in this section shall be issued to a person under the age of eighteen years

Section 10 The Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of any police department or police force of any city of the first or second class or the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of any county as referred to in section nine hereof shall hereafter be designated for brevity as licensor

Section 11 Every person firm or corporation engaged or desiring to engage in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferrer is a retail dealer wholesale dealer pawnbroker or otherwise shall submit a sworn application for a license and registry to the proper licensor of his county which shall be put in such form as the Attorney General may determine which application shall state the principal place of business of the applicant wherever situated and the location of the principal place of business in this State the address of the applicant and such other additional information as the Attorney General may require and if the licensor is satisfied that the applicant is of good repute he shall register the applicant and issue to him a registry certificate certifying to the fact that the dealer has been registered for the current calendar year as a dealer in pistols or revolvers

If the licensor declines or fails to so register the applicant he shall immediately give notice of the fact to the applicant and upon request of such applicant filed within ten days after the receipt of such notice shall fix a time and place for hearing of which ten days' notice shall be given to the applicant or to other persons interested to offer evidence relating to the dealers repute If satisfied as aforesaid as a result of said hearing the licensor shall thereupon register the dealer Any dealer aggrieved by any decision of the licensor may file within thirty days thereafter in the court of quarter sessions of his county a petition against the licensor officially as defendant alleging therein in brief detail the action and decision complained of and praying for a reversal thereof Upon service of summons upon said defendant returnable within three days from its date the licensor shall within one week from such return date file an answer in which he shall allege by way of defense the grounds of his decision and such other grounds which shall in the meantime accrue or be discovered All allegations of the answer shall be determined to stand denied without further pleading and upon application of either party the cause shall be advanced and heard without delay Mere technical irregularities in procedure of such licensor shall be disregarded The court's decision shall consult only the rights of the plaintiff and the protection of the public and the licensor shall prosecute no proceedings to obtain a reversal modification or vacation of a judgment rendered in favor of the plaintiff A judgment sustaining a refusal of the licensor to grant or renew a registration shall not bar after one year a new application by the plaintiff for registration and license nor shall a judgment in favor of the plaintiff prevent such licensor from thereafter revoking or refusing to renew such registration for any proper cause which may thereafter accrue or be discovered The court shall have full power to dispose of all costs and appeals may be taken as in other cases as provided by law

This section shall not apply to wholesale dealers of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers nor to agents messengers and other employes of common carriers whose duties require them to protect moneys valuables and other property in the discharge of such duties from carrying any such weapons engaged in such duties

Section 12 Every person firm or corporation in the business of selling leasing or otherwise transferring a pistol or revolver whether such seller lessor or transferor is a wholesale dealer retail dealer pawnbroker or otherwise except as hereinbefore provided shall keep a register in which shall be entered the time of sale the date of sale the names of the salesman making the sale the place where sold the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification on such pistol or revolver together with serial number date name and address of licensee appearing upon the license to possess or to carry concealed such firearm which license shall be exhibited to the dealer at the time of the purchase Such register shall be prepared by and obtained from the State printer and shall be furnished by the State printer to said dealers on application in duplicate and shall be in form prescribed by the Attorney General The purchaser of any such firearm shall sign and the dealer shall require him to sign his name and affix his address to said register in duplicate and the salesman shall affix his signature in duplicate as a witness to the signatures of the purchaser Any person signing a fictitious name or address or making false statements is guilty of a misdemeanor The duplicate sheet of such register shall on the evening of the day of sale be placed in the mail postage prepaid and properly addressed to the Director of Public Safety the superintendent chief or head of police department or police force of the city of the first or second class wherein the sale was made provided that where the sale is made in any other city or county said duplicate sheet shall be mailed to the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the county wherein the sale is made A violation of any of the provisions of this section by any person engaged in the business of selling leasing or transferring such firearms is a misdemeanor

Section 13 A duly licensed retail dealer may sell a pistol or revolver and a manufacturer may sell a machine gun or automatic rifle to such person as shall have been issued licenses which licenses must be exhibited at the time of purchase and said dealer upon effecting a sale shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun subject to the following conditions for breach of any of which the license of retail dealer shall be subject to forfeiture in addition to the penalty designated in the license

1 The business shall be carried on only in the building designated in the license

2 The license or a copy thereof certified by the issuing authority shall be displayed on the premises where it can easily be read

3 No pistol or revolver shall be delivered

(a) On the day of the application from the purchase and when delivered shall be securely wrapped and unloaded

(b) Unless the purchaser either is personally known to the seller or shall present clear evidence of his identity and shall exhibit his license to possess or carry concealed such firearm

4 No pistol or revolver or imitation thereof or placard advertising the sale or other transfer thereof shall be displayed in any part of said premises where it can readily be seen from the outside

A violation of any of the provisions of this section is a misdemeanor

Section 14 Any person who in purchasing or otherwise acquiring possession of a pistol revolver machine gun automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun in applying for a license to possess or carry the same concealed gives false information or offers false evidence as to his indentity he signs a fictitious name or address to any application for a license or to any dealer in purchasing or otherwise securing possession of pistol revolver shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 15 No person firm or corporation shall sell deliver or otherwise transfer any pistol revolver or other firearm to any person prohibited by section five hereof from owning or possessing such firearms nor any pistol or revolver to a minor If any sale purchase or transfer is not consummated within seventy-two hours of the time of application for sale purchase or transfer is made such application for sale purchase or transfer shall be null and void Any violations of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor

Section 16 Any person who without being licensed as above provided engages in the business of selling or otherwise transferring or who advertises for sale or offers or exposes for sale transfer or delivery or who sells any pistol revolver automatic shot-gun or riot gun is guilty of a misdemeanor

Section 17 No person shall change alter or remove or obliterate the name of the maker model manufacturer's number or other mark of identification on any pistol revolver machine gun or automativ rifle And on the trial of an indictment for a violation of the provisions of this section the jury may infer that the person in possession of such firearms has changed altered removed or obliterated the identification marks of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle

Section 18 This act shall not apply to antique pistols or revolvers or other firearms unsuitable for use as firearms Provided however that all pistols or revolvers possessed as curiosities and ornaments which are capable of use as firearms with cartridges now being manufactured shall be registered under the provisions of this act and the owner or possessor thereof shall be issued one license and each pistol or revolver owned or possessed shall be inventoried by manufacturer's number caliber make model and other marks of identification on said license

Section 19 And violation of any provisions of this act which is designated as a misdemeanor and for which no punishment has been provided shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) or imprisonment not exceeding three years either or both at the discretion of the court

Section 20 Wherever the pronoun "he" occurs in this act it shall be construed as including both male and female persons

Section 21 All persons in possession of a pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun having a barrel of less than twenty-four inches or riot gun described in this act at the time of its taking effect shall be required to obtain a license to possess or carry the same concealed in accordance with the provisions of this act within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act and failure to pro-

cure such license will render such person or persons liable to the provisions and penalties of this act Upon the issuance of said license the licensor shall endorse on said license in ink the make model manufacturer's number caliber or other marks of identification of such pistol revolver machine gun or automatic rifle automatic shot-gun or riot gun

Section 22 The fees under the provisions of this act shall be as follows

1 For receiving application and issuing license to possess or carry concealed a pistol revolver or other firearms fifty cents

2 For filing and indexing any registration of license fifty cents

3 For receiving application and issuing collectors' license five dollars

4 For issuing or refusing dealers' license or registry or for hearings thereon ten dollars

All such fees shall be paid by the applicant for license whether the same be granted or not and shall be paid to the County Treasurer of the several counties The County Commissioners of the several counties shall supply all necessary assistance to the licensing authorities Provided however That no fee shall be charged for registering any pistol revolver or other firearm in the possession of any person at the time of the passage of this act the registration of which is required under the provisions of this act where such registration is made within a period of ninety days after the approval of this act

Section 23 In any prosecution under this act it shall not be necessary to negative any of the exemptions of this act in any complaint information or indictment or at trial The burden of proving any exemption under this act shall be upon the defendant

Section 24 Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to or to affect the possession or transportation of merchandise in interstate commerce nor to members of the army navy or marine corps of the United States or the National Guards or to organizations which are by law authorized to receive such weapons from the United States or this State nor to officers or employes of the United States authorized to carry a pistol revolver or other firearms Nothing in this act shall apply to wholesale dealers when selling merchandise to other dealers

Section 25 The provisions of this act in so far as the same relate to pistols or revolvers shall not apply to persons holding hunters' licenses of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Such persons shall be entitled to have and possess pistols or revolvers to carry the same openly when and where hunting and to transport the same to and from the place of hunting for the purpose of hunting Such person shall also be entitled to purchase pistols or revolvers upon presentation to the retail dealer of their hunting licenses together with a certificate of good character issued by the licensor as defined in section ten hereof Said licensor shall only issue said certificate of good character upon the sworn statement of two reputable citizens that the applicant for such certificate i s a law abiding person who has never been convicted of any crime of violence as defined in section five hereof Nothing in this section shall relieve any person firm or corporation from the duties imposed in section twelve hereof

Section 26 All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed provided however that this act shall not repeal or in any manner affect any of the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing laws relating thereto"

Section 27 The repeal of any acts or parts of acts of assembly shall not affect any prosecutions pending on the date of passage of this act nor prevent the institution of any prosecutions for violation of any of the provisions of said acts committed prior to the passage of this act but all such pending prosecutions shall be terminated and all such violations shall be prosecuted in the same manner

Section 28 If any provisions of this act shall be held by any court to be unconstitutional such judgment shall not affect any other section or provision of the same It is hereby declared as a legitimate intent that this act would have been passed had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of the Whole?

It was adopted.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. I will, with pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia in regard to this bill, this question: Did we not just two weeks ago pass the Wheeler bill which took care of these criminals buying machine guns?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would say no to that.

Mr. HOWE. We passed the Wheeler bill did we not?

Mr. STERLING. We passed the bill sponsored by Mr. Wheeler, yes sir.

Mr. HOWE. Which provided for the licensing of machine guns and so forth.

Mr. STERLING. No; only machine guns.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate my good friend from Philadelphia further by asking him in regards to his remarks made at the opening of this discussion; he said that everyone agreed to the registration of our motor vehicles and that we did not kick on that. I would like to ask if there are not quite a number of violations of the motor registration laws?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, frankly I don't know what my friend from Allegheny means by the question which he put and if I answered it either way I don't know what it would prove. We are not dealing with automobiles, although I dare say that at times they are almost as dangerous as firearms.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in regard to registration of firearms I would say that it would probably work out in about the same manner as the registration of motor vehicles has worked out. Your law violators will violate this registration just the same as they violate the registration of motor vehicles.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken.

Mr. EDE. Mr. Speaker, I ask for a verification of the roll call.

The SPEAKER. The roll will be verified.

The roll was verified as follows:

YEAS—93.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Simon,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sowers,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burns,	Kirkbride,	Pennock,	Turner,
Catania,	Kohr,	Pierce,	Yoltz,

Clark, J. G.,	Leidich,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Linton,	Reed,	Wells,
Conner,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Wike,
Cooke,	Lose,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shortz,	Hess,
Fuller,			Speaker.

NAYS—96.

Adams, P. G.,	Eaches,	Kleckner,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Ede,	Landis,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Erdley,	McAlee,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Fockler,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McKay,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Harding,	Peters,	Storer,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Pethick,	Walker,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Post,	Washington,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Powell,	Way,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Reyburn,	Wettach
Davidson,	Holcombe,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Holmes,	Richards, R.,	White,
Deigler,	Howe,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Huester,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Dietrich,	Jones,	Schilling,	Wright,
Donnell,	Kahle,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Dunn,	King,	Schrock,	Zieschheim,

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill falls.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

RESOLUTION.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED ON DEATH OF THE HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

Mr. FLYNN asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Whereas, Honorable Edward E. Beidleman a native of Dauphin County, Member of the House of Representatives from 1905 to 1908, Member of the State Senate from 1913 to 1919, Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth from 1919 to 1923, died on the ninth day of April 1929, and

Whereas, Governor Beidleman was one of the recognized leaders of the Republican Party in Pennsylvania for a quarter of a century and the undisputed leader of that Party in his home County of Dauphin, and

Whereas, Governor Beidleman was noted for exceptional courage, and steadfastness and perseverance in the pursuance of any cause he believed to be right, and

Whereas, his sunny disposition, forceful personality and the large fruitage of his whole-hearted and diligent life of service for his fellow-men endeared him to unnumbered multitudes who called him friend.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives, conscious of the loss the people of the Commonwealth have sustained enters upon its records its appreciation of Edward E. Beidleman, eminent lawyer, sincere public servant, man of positiveness, rectitude and without guile, and by this resolution joins in deep sympathy with his family and the people of the Commonwealth in the great grief that we all feel by reason of his death.

JOHN M. FLYNN,
P. B. RICE,
GEORGE L. REED,
HARRY B. FOX,
SAMUEL H. MILLER.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

Mr. FLYNN. Mr. Speaker, this resolution is offered as a slight tribute on the part of the membership of this House to a man who has been one of the oustanding figures in the public life of our Commonwealth.

I am, I believe, the only member of the House at this time who served here with Mr. Beidleman. This goes to show that the ravages of time take a heavy toll among the men who serve in public life. Most of the men who were members of the body at that time, at least a great majority of them, have passed on. Mr. Beidleman up to the very day of his sudden death, took a conspicuous and active part in our public life. His character was strong, his achievements for the good of the Commonwealth were many, and even those who differed with him politically had a great respect for Mr. Beidleman's character and ability. I therefore trust that the House will unanimously adopt this resolution.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I do not feel that I should trespass upon the time of this House, but I do feel that I would do violence to every feeling that I possess did I not say one word in behalf of this resolution.

Dauphin County has suffered an irreparable loss. Thousands and thousand of friends, men, women and children, throughout Dauphin County are today longing for the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is stilled.

I will not take the time to review the noble character and career of former Lieutenant Governor Beidleman. His career as a legislator, as a leader of thought in this Commonwealth, is well known to each and every member of this House; but in Dauphin County we had come to love him. I do not know of any man active or prominent in leadership in politics and in political life of whom it might justly be said so truly, that he was a friend of all of the people.

He was born in comparative poverty and high as he was raised in his distinguished career, it seems that he never lost that friendship for all who toil, and I feel that that was the secret of his power. It was because every man working in the shop, or in the field, every woman suffering bereavement, knew that in Edward E. Beidleman he or she had a loyal and sympathetic friend. And so it was in his public career that most especially he served the community. There was not a church, there was not an organization of any kind looking to the well-being of this community, that sent an appeal to Edward E. Beidleman, that did not receive a response. I think it is typical and characteristic of him that the very last service of his life was not a service of pleasure or of personal gain, but he was stricken down while speaking to a group of his fellow-citizens in a great campaign to be made in this city for the relief of institutions devoted to welfare. We shall miss him. His life has been an inspiration. I feel, therefore, Mr. Speaker, that I possibly may not be justified in consuming your time, but in behalf of the delegation from Dauphin County I appreciate this opportunity of expressing our feelings upon this resolution.

On the question recurring,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

It was unanimously adopted.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 2199, (Senate Bill No. 113), file folio 3679, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

on page 13 of today's calendar, appropriation bills on third reading, passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed on third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend Sec. 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out "($160,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "($60,000)."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, on last Monday an honor was conferred on one of our members, namely, the Honorable Edward Brown, from the richest township in the State, namely, Hanover, and from the best county in the State, namely, Luzerne. He had a double honor conferred upon him. The first was he had the honor of voting for my pet bill, the coal tax repealer. The second was when his wife presented him with a fine bouncing eight and one-half pound baby, whom they have named, "Beverly Jane." I am informed this is a very beautiful young girl, who takes after her mother for beauty. Due to the Honorable Mr. Brown's feeble condition and advanced age, I think the members should pass a resolution congratulating him on his wonderful achievement and also at the same time pay our respects to Mrs. Brown and to hope that Beverly Jane may always be a comfort to her and to her distinguished husband. The last report we had, the mother and baby were doing fine, and the father doing as well as could be expected.

RESOLUTION.

CONGRATULATIONS EXTENDED TO THE HONORABLE EDWARD BROWN.

Mr. JONES asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 10th, 1929.

Be it resolved that the members of the House of Representatives congratulate the Honorable and Mrs. Edward Brown on their new increase to their family circle and wish Beverly Jane a happy life and successful career, and that she will always be a joy and consolation to her distinguished parents.

MOTION TO MAKE SENATE BILL NO. 317 A SPECIAL ORDER.

Moved by Mr. Sterling, seconded by Mr. Davidson, that House Bill No. 2402, (Senate Bill No. 317, file folio No. 5421), on page 48 of the calendar of April 9th, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

be made a special order at this time.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I am going to ask you to vote this motion down, and I am going to ask, after voting it down to have it placed on the postponed calender, with the promise that I will voice no objection to having it brought up on Monday evening and have it made a special order for Monday evening. I do not want to see the bill placed in jeopardy. It has passed the Senate and has passed two readings in the House and will come up for third reading. I make this request for this reason: I am against the bill in principle and in form, but I feel that the bill ought to be amended in form and I will immediately start to prepare these amendments, if permitted, so that they may be presented to Mr. Sterling and then acted upon by this House. If the House does not agree to them, we will then go back to the bill. I am against this bill. I ask you to vote this motion down, and I assure the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling, that when the bill is called up I will voice no objection but I will be glad to have it made a special order for Monday evening. I would appreciate that courtesy from the gentleman from Philadelphia.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I made that motion to accommodate my friend Mr. Witkin. It so happens that he has an engagement in Philadelphia this evening. That bill is another one of the bills prepared by the Crimes Commission. It has had the earnest consideration of the Senate and the House Judiciary General Committee and I think that this House can now very readily dispose of it without very much speech making. I repeat what I said a moment ago that this special order motion was made by me to accommodate my friend Mr. Witkin who advised me a little while ago that he was obliged to go to Philadelphia early this afternoon. I believe that the House ought to cooperate with me so that Mr. Witkin may keep his engagement.

Mr. SOWERS. I hope the House will vote this motion down so that Mr. Witkin and the rest of us may have more time to study it and so that he can talk longer.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I want to say that if the gentleman from Philadelphia entertains the though that he has accommodated me by asking this bill be made a special order now, I want to assure him that he has not. I ask leave, Mr. Speaker, to interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia.

Mr. SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. I will, with pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. WITKIN. May I ask the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Speaker ,what possible harm can come to this bill by making it a special order on Monday evening at 10 o'clock.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, inasmuch as I am of the opinion that whatever my friend Mr.

Witkin may say against this bill will definitely be construed by this House to be in its favor, I withdraw my motion, that it be made a special order at this time.

SENATE BILL NO. 317 MADE A SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2042, (Senate Bill No. 317), file folio 5421, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

on page 48 of the calendar of April 9th be made a special order of business on Monday evening, April 15th, at 10.00 o'clock.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. The Chair declares a recess until 4.30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1842.

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1767.

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1744.

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to fix the numbe rof Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia

HOUSE BILL No. 1554.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1535.

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and twelve one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty, of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

HOUSE BILL No. 850.

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and prior sessions.

HOUSE BILL No. 1589.

An Act to amend clause four section three article five of the act approved the twenty-sevent hday of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and rpealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business

HOUSE BILL No. 1562.

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

HOUSE BILL No. 1467.

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended seventeen as amended twenty-eight and thirty of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Departemnt and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repair to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways

and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State Highways in boroughs providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State aid highways requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases before constructing State-aid highways and authorizing the Secretary of Highways to change the width lines and location of State-aid highways and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

HOUSE BILL No. 1431.

An Act to amend sections one thousand seventeen and one revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" approved May four one thousand nine hundred twenty-thousand forty-seven of "An act concerning boroughs and seven

HOUSE BILL No. 485.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies, and savings institutions, with capital stock, heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth, and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations;" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

HOUSE BILL No. 1630.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1158), entitled "An act to fix, regulate, and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1459.

An Act relating to licenses permits fees fines penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

HOUSE BILL No. 1095.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violations of the provisions thereof" as amended providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

HOUSE BILL No. 1772.

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal contract was entered into as required by law.

HOUSE BILL No. 33.

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors, except in cities of the first class and counties of the second sixth seventh and eighth class.

HOUSE BILL No. 239.

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective

HOUSE BILL No. 326.

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 249.

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 809.

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six as amended and sections seven hundred and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 939.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, (P. L. 129), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the

court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change, alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties, and for preparing, making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof," restricting the powers therein conferred, in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record, to the orphans' court of such counties.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 377.

An Act requiring the Department of Revenue to prepare and distribute lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading, reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out at the word "the" the word "Auditor General," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Revenue."

Amend section 1, page 1, line 6, by striking out after the word "the" the words "Auditor General," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Revenue."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	McDonald,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hartrock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purdicker,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Linton,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Within,
Evans,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wood,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
McAlinn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
McClatchey,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Zimmerman,
McCann,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 97.

An Act to amend section fourteen of the Act of May twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and forty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred) entitled "An act relating to the election of county treasurers and for other purposes" by providing for the removal by the courts of quarter sessions of constables in cases of malfeasance or misfeasance in office et cetera.

SENATE BILL No. 292.

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382) entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter.

SENATE BILL No. 379.

An Act to amend paragraph two, section nine, article four and paragraph three, section fourteen, article four of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith;" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 382.

An Act to amend sections nine and ten of article four and rules nine ten and twelve of article twelve of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 176) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the anthracite coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

SENATE BILL No. 415.

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

SENATE BILL No. 467.

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

SENATE BILL No. 468.

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

SENATE BILL No. 565.

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire land in Falls Township, Bucks County, known as "Pennsbury," to be known thereafter as "Pennsbury Memorial," providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, improvement and maintenance thereof; authorizing the Com-

mission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 576.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes," by exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, loans, shares of stock or other securities held by bankers or brokers solely for trading purposes, and accounts or debit balances owing by customers of bankers and brokers in the usual course of business.

SENATE BILL No. 658.

An Act empowering the Department of Welfare to transfer male prisoners from unsuitable penal and correctional institutions to other penal and correctional institutions regulating future commitments by the courts of counties having unsuitable institutions and imposing the cost of maintenance and transfer of such prisoners upon the county from which committed.

SENATE BILL No. 672.

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 678.

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 788) entitled "An act to protect the health of the persons employed in bakeries by requiring the ventilation drainage sanitation and purity of bakeries the cleanliness of persons employed therein and of all bakery products tools implements ingredients and other things used in connection with their manufacture delivery and sale by regulating and in certain cases restricting the use of such bakeries by regulating the manufacture sale and delivery of such products by requiring all persons employed or permitted to work therein to be certified as free from certain diseases and skin affections by prohibiting the presence of all animals by requiring a certificate of compliance and regulating the issuance of same by providing for the enforcement of this act and by providing penalties for violations hereof"

SENATE BILL No. 710.

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 603) entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bonds securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations and validating past transactions of such character

SENATE BILL No. 781.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs.

SENATE BILL No. 786.

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Insurance Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured.

SENATE BILL No. 800.

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with approval of the court

SENATE BILL No. 836.

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

SENATE BILL No. 842.

An Act to amend section one article three and clause (b) of section four article two as amended sections one two three and four article twenty-four to repeal section eight of article two and to add article twenty-five to an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by providing for a Department of Supplies and Purchases and a Department of City Architecture and regulating the said departments.

SENATE BILL No. 857.

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson, prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 925.

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 929.

An Act relating to deductible assets in the calculation of the percentage of the assessed valuation of taxable property representing indebtedness in proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness by counties cities boroughs towns townships municipal districts and divisions

SENATE BILL No. 934.

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 836) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for

clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

SENATE BILL No. 1029.

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts, expenditures or payments heretofore made, ratified or approved by boards of school directors, and providing for and directing, in the manner herein provided, the stay of execution and upon certain conditions as to costs the satisfaction of judgments of surcharge; entered on account of such contracts, payments or expenditures.

SENATE BILL No. 1081.

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

SENATE BILL No. 1083.

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

SENATE BILL No. 1155.

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

SENATE BILL No. 680.

An Act to amend sections seventeen and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred twenty-four), entitled "An act to protect the public health and welfare, by regulating the employment of females in certain establishments, with respect to their hours of labor and the conditions of their employment; by establishing certain sanitary regulations in the establishments in which they work; by requiring certain abstracts and notices to be posted; by providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry and others; by prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; by defining the procedure in prosecutions; and by repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions thereof."

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1259, (Senate Bill No. 407), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers of counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2283, (Senate Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four and to repeal section two of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four), entitled "An act relating to and regulating the plotting by cities of the first class of parks and parkways in built-up sections thereof" by limiting the provisions thereof to parks.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1983, (Senate Bill No. 552), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2327, (Senate Bill No. 1307), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2120, (Senate Bill No. 1014), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the enumeration of all deformed crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2280, (Senate Bill No. 927), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1089, (Senate Bill No. 807), as follows:

An Act to further amend Section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turn-pikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not effected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section sixteen of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendent of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highway of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended by act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws six

hundred ninety-two) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 16 Before the Secretary of Highways shall undertake the construction reconstruction or improvement of any State highway on the plan of the State highways wherein a change of width or of existing lines and location is necessary and damage is likely to result to abutting property he shall notify the county commissioners of the proper county in writing of the contemplated change in such existing width lines and location whereupon the county commissioners when possible shall enter into an agreement with the owner or owners of said property as to amount of damage to be paid to the said owner or owners which damage if agreed upon shall be paid one-half by the county and one-half by the Commonwealth or in case of an agreement satisfactory to the county commissioners and said owner or owners cannot be made the Secretary of Highways may proceed with the work of construction reconstruction or improvement and the owner or owners of said property damaged thereby may present their petition to the court of quarter sessions for the appointment of viewers to ascertain and assess such damages The proceedings upon said petition and by the viewers shall be governed by existing laws relating to the ascertainment and assessment of damages for opening public highways The county commissioners the Commonwealth or any other party to such proceedings may appeal from the award of the viewers to the court of common pleas and shall be entitled to a trial by jury From the judgment of the court of common pleas an appeal may be had to the Supreme or Superior Court as in other cases Such damages when ascertained shall be paid one-half by the county in which the State highway is located and the other one-half by the Commonwealth The county shall also provide for the removal of all structures within the lines of the highway as thus established unless otherwise provided by agreement between said county and the Secretary of Highways and the county shall pay one-half of the cost of such removal and the Commonwealth the other one-half and where the county fails to so remove such structures the Secretary of Highways or his representatives or the contractor to whom the contract for the construction of the highway has been awarded may remove said structures and in such event the county shall pay one-half the cost of said removal when certified or approved by the Secretary of Highways and the Commonwealth shall pay the remaining one-half

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2305, (Senate Bill No. 465), entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses

The first and second sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the State and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth may be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to lay before them matters upon which they are to pass to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

The title was read as follows:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth. to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. GICKING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 3, by striking out the words "deliberations of" and inserting in lieu thereof "presentation of all matters to."

Amend title, page 1, line 5, by inserting before the word "and" the following: "lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General for the purpose of further study.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER declared the noes appear to have it.

Whereupon, a division was called for, sixty members voting in the affirmative and fifty-four in the negative the question was determined in the affirmative, and the motion was agreed to.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 930 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. HAINES asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 930, Printer's No. 977, White File Folio 5555, entitled: "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations having [a] capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2156, (Senate Bill No. 1094), entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; confer

ring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2299, (Senate Bill No. 790), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 535), entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized, and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1258, (Senate Bill No. 406), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1712, as follows:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be and the same is hereby proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof

That section one of article eight is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1 Every citizen twenty-one years of age possessing the following qualifications shall be entitled to vote at all elections subject however to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact

First—He or she shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month

Second—He or she shall have resided in the State one year (or if having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State he or she shall have removed therefrom and returned then six months) immediately preceding the election

Third—He or she shall have resided in the election district where he or she shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1962, as follows:

An Act authorizing the recorder of deeds of any county to record and where re-recording is authorized by law to re-record by a photographic or photostatic process or method all papers required or authorized to be recorded or re-recorded by him and fixing the fees for such recording and re-recording providing that any such photographic or photostatic record or re-record or any photographic or photostaatic exemplification thereof shall be legal evidence in all cases where such original papers would be competent authorizing the board of county commissioners of any such county to contract for purchase and pay for out of the county funds such apparatus equipment and supplies as shall be necessary to enable such recorder to record and re-record such instruments by such photographic or photostatic process or method authorizing the employment of such skilled employes and assistants as shall be necessary to administer such process or method and providing for fixing the kind number and compensation or such skilled employes and assistants and providing that such compensation shall be paid only out of the fees of said office collected or earned

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter it shall be lawful for the recorder of deeds of any county within this Commonwealth to record by a photographic or photostatic process or method all deeds mortgages leases assignments satisfactions powers of attorney charters commissions plans and all other instruments and papers the recording of which by such recorder of deeds is required or authorized and to charge collect and receive for such recording the fees now by law fixed for the recording of such instruments

Section 2 In all cases where by existing law the re-recording of any instrument is authorized to be made and done by the recorder of deeds of any county within this Commonwealth it shall be lawful for said recorder of deeds to re-record the same together with the certificate of its original record by a photographic or photostatic process or method and to charge collect and receive for such re-recording the fees now by law fixed for the re-recording of such papers or instruments

Section 3 Wherever hereafter any deed mortgage lease assignment satisfaction power of attorney charter commission plan or other paper authorized or required to be recorded shall have been recorded or re-recorded by a photographic or photostatic process or method the photographic or photostatic record or re-record thereof made and any photographic or photostatic exemplification thereof lawfully certified shall be legal evidence in all cases in which the said original deed mortgage lease assignment satisfaction power of attorney charter commission plan or other paper would be competent

Section 4 It shall be lawful for the board of county commissioners of any such county to contract for and purchase according to law and to pay for out of the county funds such apparatus equipment and supplies as shall be necessary to enable the recorder of deeds of any such county to record and re-record all papers and instruments required or authorized to be recorded or re-recorded by him by a photographic or

photostatic process or method And it shall be lawful for any such recorder of deeds to appoint skilled employees and assistants to administer such process or method of such kinds in such number and at such rates of compensation as shall be fixed by the salary board of such county subject to appeal as provided by existing law provided however that no such employes or assistants shall be paid any compensation out of any other funds than the fees of said office of such recorder of deeds received and paid in by him to the county treasury or earned or due to such recorder of deeds by the county for services rendered

Section 5 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gochring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith H J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadt'ander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Huester,	Pethick,	Voltz
Burns,	Jones,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1967, as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty) entitled "An act providing for the erection and maintenance of a memorial hall at the county seat of Allegheny County in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from that county who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion authorizing and directing the commissioners of said Allegheny County to erect and maintain said memorial hall upon a petition of fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified electors of said county at a general election designating a committee to determine what relics records et cetera shall be placed in the said memorial hall and providing for a flagstaff and display of the flag of the United States" as amended by providing that such memorial hall shall be in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in all wars insurrections and expeditions in which the Army or the Navy of the United States may have been or may be in the future be engaged extending the privileges of said memorial hall increasing the personnel of the board of managers of said memorial hall and providing for equal representation thereon by representatives of survivors of certain organizations of veterans

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty) entitled "An act providing for the erection and maintenance of a memorial hall at the county seat of Allegheny County in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from that county who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion authorizing and directing the commissioners of said Allegheny county to erect and maintain said memorial hall upon petition of fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified voters of said county at a general election designating a committee to determine what relics records et cetera shall be placed in said memorial hall and providing for a flagstaff and display of the flag of the United States" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred one) entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act providing for the erection and maintenance of a memorial hall at the county-seat of Allegheny County in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from that county who served in the army and navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion authorizing and directing the commissioners of said Allegheny County to erect and maintain said memorial hall upon a petition of fifty citizens approved by two seccussive grand juries the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified voters of said county at a general election designating a committee to determine what relics records et cetera shall be placed in said memorial hall and provinding for a flagstaff and display of the flag of the United States' approved twelfth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five by providing for a board of managers and that certain judges of the common pleas court and the county commissioners shall be ex-officio members of the board of managers prescribing the powers and duties of the board of managers and that the expenses of maintaining and operating the buildings grounds and improvements shall be paid by the county of Allegheny" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 6 Said memorial hall shall be in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from Allegheny County who served in the army and navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion the Spanish American War the Phillipine Insurrection the War with Germany and Her Allies and all other wars insurrections and expeditions in which the army and the navy of the United States may have been or may in the future be engaged It shall contain one large assembly hall or auditorium for public meetings of the soldiers sailors and marines of Allegheny County but which may be used for other public meetings It shall also contain rooms for meetings of the posts of the Grand Army of the Republic encampments of the Union Veteran Legion commanderies of the Loyal Legion posts of United Spanish War Veterans posts of the American Legion and posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and kindred patriotic organizations It shall also contain rooms and places for the proper display and preservation of relics and trophies [of the war

for the suppression of the rebellion] of all such wars insurrections and expeditions flags histories rosters and records of [the Grand Army posts encampments of the Union Veteran Legion commanderes of the Loyal Legion] all such patriotic organizations regimental and company histories photographs paintings and portraits busts and statues of soldiers sailors and marines of Allegheny County and mural tablets upon which [shall] may be inscribed the names of the soldiers sailors and marines of Allegheny County who served [in the war for the suppression of the rebellion] in any such wars insurrections and expeditions [A committee of ten with power to fill vacancies shall be selected by the survivors of the war for the suppression of the rebellion residing in Allegheny County The] The board of managers of said memorial hall shall consist of the president judge of the court of common pleas of said county the judge of said court next oldest in commission [in said court and the three] the county commissioners of said county [shall ex officio be members of the committee who together shall constitute a board of managers] and a committee of twelve persons representing veterans and organizations of veterans resident in the county three each representing the survivors of the war for the suppression of the rebellion the United Spanish War Veterans the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion Said committee shall be chosen as follows within ninety days after the approval of this act the secretary of the board of managers of said memorial hall as then constituted shall notify the county councils or county administrative bodies of the United Spanish War Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars that each shall be entitled to elect one member of said committee whereupon said county councils shall each respectively elect one member under such rules as they shall respectively prescribe and shall certify such election to the secretary of said board of managers Thereafter any vacancy in the personnel of said committee caused by the death or resignation of any representative of the survivors of the war for the suppression of the rebellion shall in like manner be supplied by the county councils respectively of the American Legion the United Spanish War Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the order named upon notice to be given to them respectively by the then secretary of the board of managers until said committee shall consist of three representatives of the survivors of the war for the suppression of the rebellion and three representatives from each of the United Spanish War Veterans the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion Thereafter any vacancies in the personnel of said committee shall be filled by the county council or county administrative body of the same organization as was represented by the member whose seat is to be filled Provided however that whenever there shall be no person available to represent the survivors of the war for the suppression of the rebellion or in their behalf to make selections of a representative on said committee the representation theretofore enjoyed by them on such committee shall be enjoyed by the Sons of Veterans and exercised by the county council or county executive body of that organization in like manner The board of managers thus constituted shall annually select from their number a president a secretary and such other officers as may be necessary but no member shall receive any compensation except the secretary but shall be allowed the necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duty The board shall select the superintendent and the necessary employes the number and salaries to be fixed by the salary board of the county The board of managers shall have full power to maintain operate and rent the memorial hall and the grounds for purposes not inconsistent with the memorial character of the building and shall determine what supplies materials decorations or improvements are required in the building and grounds and the design and character thereof and when so determined by the board the president and secretary shall certify the same to the county commissioners together with designs plans and estimates of the cost of any proposed improvement or decoration The county commissioners shall thereupon make all contracts for supplies materials decorations or improvements in the manner now provided by law The board shall make a detailed report at the close of each fiscal year to the commissioners and controller in the form prescribed by them and at least thirty days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year submit to the county commissioners a detailed estimate of the amount of money which will be required by them for the coming year and should the board of managers and the county commissioners differ in their judgment as to the amount of money required the estimates shall be submitted by the board of managers to the court of common pleas of the county which court after investigation shall certify the amount to be allowed and its decision shall be final and no expense shall be incurred in excess of these amounts without the consent of the county commissioners Provided however That any improvement or decoration requiring an expenditure of over five thousand dollars ($5,000) must receive the approval of the grand jury and the court of quarter sessions of the county before such improvement shall be made The president and secretary upon direction of the board shall issue certificates for all moneys to be paid which certificates shall be changeable at the office of the county commissioners for such forms of warrant as may be in use for the distribution of county funds for general county purposes and all moneys so expended shall be paid and accounted for in the same manner as moneys expended for general county purposes and any moneys realized by the board shall be paid into the county treasury and become a part of the general county fund

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlee,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Baker,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McKay,	Simon,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller H. A.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Roncmus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1410, as follows:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when it appears to the county commissioners that the necessities of the county require ground at or near the county seat for the purpose of the erection or extension of such building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for any of the following purposes (a) prisons (b) prison farms and institutions for any other legal form of penal or corrective detention and discipline they may after having first obtained the approbation of two successive grand juries and of the court of quarter sessions of such county purchase ground for such purposes and cause to be erected thereon the necessary buildings for which said ground was purchased

Section 2 When the county commissioners have been authorized to erect such building or buildings they shall submit the plans and specifications adopted by them therefor to the judges of the court of quarter sessions for their approval and when it is obtained they shall let the work by contract or contracts to the lowest and best bidder after three weeks' public notice in two newspapers published in the county which contract or contracts shall be made subject to the approval of the said judges of the court of quarter sessions

Section 3 The title to all buildings erected under the provisions of this act together with the lots of land and grounds thereunto belonging or appertaining shall be vested in the county for the purposes and uses for which the same was acquired

Section 4 Immediately after the completion of any such building the same shall be turned over to such board or official as is now or may hereafter be charged by law with the control and management of similar institution

Section 5 Confinement in any such institution of persons sentenced to terms of imprisonment in county jails State penitentiaries shall be regarded as service of such sentences The inmates of such institutions may be required to do farm work and any other form of labor prescribed by the board or official in charge of such institution and not prohibited by law and shall be subject to the penal discipline lawfully established or that may hereafter be so established for the same or similar institutions

Section 6 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Adams, F. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Cronet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffcron,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Perry,	Washington,
Burke,	Huester,	Peters,	Way,
Burns,	Jones,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Catania,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Pitts,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Post,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reader,	White,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denno,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Eachos,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wright,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1903, as follows:

An Act providing for the appointment by the president judge of the court of quarter sessions in counties of the second class of a chief county detective an assistant chief county detective and special county detectives defining their powers and duties fixing their salaries and directing the payment of the same together with the necessary traveling expenses by the county

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in each county of the second class the president judge of the court of quarter sessions may appoint a chief county detective and an assistant chief county detective and the chief county detective so appointed may appoint special county detectives not exceeding thirty The chief county detective assistant chief county detective and the special county detectives so appointed shall be subject to the orders and control of the president judge of the court of quarter sessions and they shall have power to serve subpoenas in cases in which the Commonwealth is a party in a court of record to investigate and make report to the court as to the conduct in their office of justices of the peace constables deputy constables and other officers connected with the administration of criminal justice to make such investigations and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required by the court in any criminal case and perform such other duties as the court may direct Said detectives shall be general police officers and shall have all the powers now conferred by existing laws of this Commonwealth on constables so far as they relate to crimes and criminal procedure

Section 2 The chief county detectives the assistant chief county detective and special county detectives shall at all times be subject to the orders of the president judge of the court of quarter sessions and any detective may be removed by the power which appointed him Said chief county detective assistant chief county detective and special county detectives shall not be entitled to receive any fees whatsoever The chief county detective shall receive a salary of five thousand ($5,000) dollars per annum the assistant chief county detective shall receive a salary of four thousand ($4,000) dollars per annum and the thirty special county detectives shall receive a salary of two thousand six hundred ($2,600) dollars per annum each together with all necessary traveling expenses which said salary and expenses having been verified by affi-

davit of the chief county detective assistant chief county detective or special county detective incurring the same and approved by the president judge of the court of quarter sessions shall be paid out of the treasury of the county on a certificate issued by the president judge of the court of quarter sessions directed to the controller of the county who shall order warrants for said amounts according to law

Section 3 That the act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 31) entitled "An act providing for the appointment by the district attorney in counties having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants of a chief county detective and assistant chief county detective and special county detectives defining their duties defining their authority fixing their salaries and authorizing the payment of the same together with the necessary traveling expenses by the county" and the amendments thereto are hereby repealed

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 759, as follows:

An Act providing for the trial of certain crimes and offenses before aldermen justices of the peace and magistrates and a jury of six in counties of the seventh class regulating the proceedings thereof and imposing certain duties and powers upon aldermen justices of the peace magistrates and constables

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the several magistrates aldermen and justices of the peace in counties of the seventh class are hereby authorized to hold monthly courts with jurisdiction to hear and determine in the manner hereinafter provided the several offenses and misdemeanors mentioned in the thirtieth thirty-first forty-fourth forty-sixth sixty-ninth seventy-second ninety-seventh one hundred and third one hundred and twelfth one hundred and fortieth one hundred and forty-eighth one hundred and fifty-second sections of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth"

Section 2 Whenever any person shall be brought before a magistrate alderman or justice of the peace on a warrant issued by said magistrate alderman or justice of the peace founded on the oath or information of the party aggrieved or of some one acting for the party aggrieved the complaint or information shall be fully read aloud in the hearing of the defendant or party accused and if the defendant shall plead guilty to the charge against him the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall proceed to inquire into the circumstances of the case so far as he shall think best for a proper understanding of the defandt's guilt and shall proceed to pass sentence upon the defendant which sentence shall have the full force of a sentence pronounced by the court of quarter sessions in like cases and the defendant shall be committed to the jail of the county until the sentence be complied with

Section 3 If the defendant shall plead not guilty to the offenses charged and shall at the same time signify his determination to be tried by a jury of six before the said magistrate alderman or justice of the peace the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall make an entry to that effect upon his docket and the defendant shall then enter into recognizance with good and sufficient surety or sureties conditioned for his appearance before the said magistrate alderman or justice of the peace at the ensuing monthly session and not to depart without leave until discharged according to law but if the defendant shall not enter into such recognizance as aforesaid it shall be the duty of the constable to keep him or her safely until duly discharged by course of law and in either case the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall proceed to the trial of the cause in the manner pointed out in the following sections of this act but if the defendant shall not signify his or her determination to be tried before said magistrate alderman or justice of the peace the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall proceed with the said defendant as if this act had not been passed

Section 4 Whenever a defendant shall signify his determination to be tried by a jury of six before the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace for any of the offenses of which a magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall have jurisdiction according to the provisions of the first section of this act in the manner pointed out in the foregoing section the said magistrate alderman or justice of the peace upon such demand is hereby required to continue the cause to the ensuing monthly court and to issue a venire directed to any constable of the proper borough city or township where the said cause is to be tried commanding him to summon six good and lawful men citizens of said township city or borough and having the qualifications of electors therein who shall be in no wise of kin to either defendant or complainant nor in any manner interested who shall be chosen as follows to wit The magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall write in a panel the names of eighteen persons from which the defendant or his agent or attorney shall strike one name the complainant or prosecutor one and so on alternately until each have stricken six names and the remaining six shall constitute the jury to be and appear before such magistrate alderman or justice of the peace at the time to which said cause shall have been adjourned to serve as a jury for the trial of such cause Provided That in case either party shall neglect or refuse to aid in striking the jury as aforesaid the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall strike the same in behalf of such party

Section 5 It shall be the duty of such constable to make service of said venire and to return the same with the names of the persons by him summoned at the time appointed for the trial of the cause

Section 6 It shall be the further duty of such constable to be in attendance on said court at the time appointed for said trial and during the progress of the same and if by reason of challenge for cause sickness or other disability the persons whose names shall be returned by the venire or any of them shall not be empannelled as jurors the said constable shall fill the panel from the bystanders as is done by the sheriffs in the courts of common pleas and the said constable shall be allowed for his attendance on said court one dollar per day to be taxed in the bill of costs and at the close of the trial the jury shall be conducted by the constable to some private and convenient place where they may deliberately and without interruption consult upon their verdict

Section 7 The competence and credibility of witnesses the form of the oaths to jurors and witnesses and the constable who shall wait upon the jury shall be the same as in the trial of the same offenses in the court of quarter sessions and the jury shall have the same jurisdiction and control over the payment of costs Provided That the county shall in no case be liable for either the prosecutor's or the defendant's bill of costs and the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace in case the jury shall by their verdict direct that the prosecutor or the defendant shall pay the whole or any part of the costs shall proceed to pass sentence accordingly and the party who shall be thus sentenced shall be committed until the sentence be complied with

Section 8 The verdict of the jury shall be final and conclusive upon all the questions of fact involved therein and no writ of certiorari or appeal shall be allowed for the review of such case of fact so tried by the jury and in case the proceedings shall be removed to the court of quarter sessions upon certiorari or appeal the district attorney shall thereafter conduct the proceedings in behalf of the Commonwealth and his

fees shall be the same as upon indictments found by the grand jury to be taxed and paid as other costs of the case and if the proceedings shall be reversed on any certiorari or appeal sued out on behalf of the defendant on account of any defect in the statement of the offense with which the party charged the court shall send the proceedings back to the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace for a new trial and direct the information or accusation in said case to be amended by the district attorney and sworn to by the prosecutor and thereupon the defendant shall be required to enter his plea to such amended information or accusation and the new trial shall proceed before the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace as on the former hearing

Section 9 Whenever the jury shall render a verdict of guilty the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall proceed to pass sentence upon the defendant according to law and with the like effect as if the defendant had plead guilty or been convicted in the court of quarter sessions and any sentence of imprisonment which may be imposed shall only be inflicted in the jail of the proper county and all fines imposed shall be collected and paid into the school fund of the school district in which the offense was committed and it shall be the duty of the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace to receive the amount of the fine and pay it into the treasury of the proper district and any neglect to pay the same as aforesaid shall be considered a misdemeanor in office

Section 10 In all cases which shall be tried by a jury under the provisions of this act the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace trying the same shall be entitled to a fee of two dollars and each juror shall be entitled to fifty cents per day to be taxed as costs

Section 11 When any person shall be summoned to attend as a juror and shall fail to attend at the time and place specified in the venire having on reasonable excuse to assign for such failure every such person shall be fined in any sum not exceeding ten dollars for which fine the magistrate alderman or justice of the peace shall render judgment in the name of the Commonwealth and issue execution therefor and when collected shall pay the same into the township borough or city school treasury for the use of the common schools therein

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the sponsor of this bill.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Centre, Mr. Holmes, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. HOLMES. Certainly, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the gentleman from Centre County what good he expects would come of a bill of this kind.

Mr. HOLMES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill has been in force in many counties of the State for the last seventy years.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the gentleman further if it has been in force for 70 years, why do we need a law now?

Mr. HOLMES. Mr. Speaker, it was only in force in certain counties. I am not a Justice of the Peace and I never have been. I was asked to introduce this bill by certain gentlemen Centre County, gentlemen of very high type. These men asked me to have the law extended to Centre County, which was impossible under the present Constitution. A similar bill was passed in 1861 for Erie County and then later extended to Union County, and later to the following counties which have this right at the present time: Armstrong, Beaver, Bradford, Butler, Clarion, Crawford, Erie, Forest, Indiana, Lawrence, Lehigh, Luzerne, Mercer, Northampton, Northumberland, Perry, Pike, Potter, Susquehanna, Snyder, Tioga, Venango, Warren, Wayne, Washington and Wyoming.

If you will read over the bill I am sure you will agree it is not a salary raiser. It was impossible to have it extended to Centre County unless it took in all of the seventh-class counties. If this has been a bad law it has not in seventy years ever been repealed. They came to me with this request that the law might be extended to our county and therefore I introduced the bill.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I represent a seventh-class county. I have given quite a little attention to the practice of criminal law and law in general for a number of years, and I know no reason why the Legislature of this Commonwealth should wish on the counties of our class a law of this kind. There is no reason on earth for a practice of this kind in seventh-class counties. An act of this kind would put an expense on us that we don't need. We have plenty of machinery now. In fact, we have more machinery than we need. I ask the members of the House to vote this down, because there is no need for it, and the sponsor who has stood up for it does not give any reason for it except that certain gentlemen asked to have it introduced. I ask you to vote it down.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the sponsor of this bill?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Centre permit himself to be interrogated further?

Mr. HOLMES. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to know what the crimes are that are provided for in the section enumerated.

Mr. HOLMES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, at the request of the gentleman from Delaware, I will read a list of the crimes. They may try by a jury composed of six men the following offenses: Assault and battery, blasphemy, cruelty to animals, cheating lodginghouse keepers, disturbing public assemblies, larceny, when the value of the goods is less than ten dollars, malicious mischief to timber trees, windows, doors, signs and bills, open lewdness, revealing the contents of telegrams, and sales of merchandise near camp meetings.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House, if this is such a bad law, I cannot understand why it has remained on our statute books for the past seventy years.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—6.

Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Moore, D. G.,	Schilling,
Donnell,	Holmes,		

NAYS—118.

Adams, E. C.,	Crenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldt, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldt, J.F.M.,2d	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harter,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Boggs,	Himes,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Penfnock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Peters,	Talbot,
Conner,	Kahle,	Pethick,	Turner,
Cooke,	Katz,	Pierce,	Voltz,

Davidson,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	Way,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Purucker	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Reed,	Wells,
Dunn,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wood,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill falls.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2002, as follows:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefore and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and fifty-five) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 41 (a) When a fiduciary shall have in his hands any moneys the principal or capital whereof is to remain for a time in his possession or under his control and the interest profits or income whereof are to be paid away or to accumulate or when the income of real estate shall be more than sufficient for the purpose of the trust such fiduciary may invest such moneys in the stock or public debt of the United States or in the public debt of this Commonwealth or in bonds or certificates of debt now created or hereafter to be created and issued according to law by any of the counties cities boroughs townships school districts or poor districts of this Commonwealth or in ground rents in this Commonwealth or in bonds of one or more individuals secured by a mortgage or mortgages on real estate in this Commonwealth which may be either a single bond secured by a mortgage or one or more bonds of an issue of bonds secured by mortgage or deed of trust to a trustee for the benefit of all bondholders [or in ground rents in this Commonwealth] or in trust certificates certifying that the holder thereof is the owner of an undivided interest in a deposit of securities in which trust funds may be invested hereunder which certificates are guaranteed as to payment of principal and interest by a corporation incorporated under the laws of this State authorized to guarantee mortgages and which securities are deposited with a trustee for the benefit of the holders of such certificates Provided That nothing herein contained shall authorize any fiduciary to make any investment contrary to the directions contained in the will of the decedent in regard to the investment of such moneys

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Celnett,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Cicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pcelor,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,

Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeag,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1819, (Senate Bill No. 60), entitled:

An act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgates of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts or decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuaton; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm	Harding,	Moore, W. H.	Spangler
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	King,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1936, (Senate Bill No. 590), entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee; and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—175.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shellenberger
Aston,	Fuller,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baker,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burke,	Himes,	Pierce,	Way,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peck,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reilly,	White,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wike,

Davidson,	King,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 508, (Senate Bill No. 41), entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schwartz	Zeisenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1498, (Senate Bill No. 705), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—175.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	King,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Zeisenheim,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2107, (Senate Bill No. 585), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hun-

dred and twenty-one (P. L. 789), entitled: "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Howe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Weaver,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—4.

Barton,	Gross,	Himes,	Sheely,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1803, (Senate Bill No. 558), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or any department or division thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident policies for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—174.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baily,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baker,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Himes,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Royle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Goodnough,	McKay,		

NAYS—2.

Brown, T. J.,	Harding,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2117, (Senate Bill No. 976), entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—173.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,

Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1825, (Senate Bill No. 197), entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—174.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baily,	Greeby,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baker,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffner,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1798, (Senate Bill No. 434), entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—174.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington,

Catania,	Howe,	Powell,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wood,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg.
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck.	Hess,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2177, (Senate Bill No. 789), entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments became necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Brusher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cooke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Readcr,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2187, (Senate Bill No. 791), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class and fixing their salaries payable by the county

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—177.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Shutt,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Stadtlander
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,,	Powell,	Washington
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	White,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
			Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments,

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1803, (Senate Bill No. 712), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—172.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Marcus,	Schreck,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fuller	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Coehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Braham,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	White,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1983, (Senate Bill No. 307), entitled:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Supervisor of Paroles and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. FULLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1991, (Senate Bill No. 810), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	McClure,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Gross,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Shaffer,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Millar,	Shortz,
Behm,	Harter,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Sowers,
Black,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Himes,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E .,	Holcombe,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Huester,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burns,	Jones,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Catania,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clovis,	King,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Landis,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Fish,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Root,	Wright,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Royle,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Hess,
Cochring,	McCann,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1827, (Senate Bill No. 971), entitled:

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled, "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws:" by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 352—proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—170.

Adams, E. C.,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baily,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Haws,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Henderson,	Paterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Black,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Howe,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Huester,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Jones,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Burke,	Katz,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burns,	King,	Post,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Purnucker,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Reader,	Way,
Conner,	Landis,	Reed,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wettach,
Denne,	Lose,	Richards, B.	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Root,	Witkin,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Wood,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Wright,
Gicking,	McClure,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Goehring,	McDonald,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Greeby,	McKay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Grenet,	Memolo,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Grimes,	Meredith,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1999, (Senate Bill No. 1020), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Dehm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Biddlspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Storb,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Walker,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peters,	Washington,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. C.,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Post,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Huester,	Purucker,	White,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reader,	Williams, G W.,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Witherspoon,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wright,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Yeagel,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Yerg,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Hess,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Evans,	Marcus,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2121, (Senate Bill No. 1016), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 837), entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes; designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties; and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—175.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Welty,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	White,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lese,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2171, (Senate Bill No. 1156), entitled:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Haines,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Harding,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Barton,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haws,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Heffner,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Himes,	Peelor,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Storer,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Talbot,
Catania,	Kahle,	Powell,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Purucker,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reader,	Walker,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Washington,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Donnell,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Greeby,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Grenet,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1395, (Senate Bill No. 561), entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of

the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baily,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baker,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Black,	Henderson,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Storb,
Boggs,	Himes,	Pierce,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Post,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Purucker,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Reader,	Voltz,
Burke,	Jones,	Reed,	Walker,
Burns,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Washington,
Catania,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wells,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, C. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2110, (Senate Bill No. 975), entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to Insurance; establishing an Insurance Department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of Insurance Companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of Fire Insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of Insurance Agents and Brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign Insurance Companies, Associations or Exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—174.

Adams E. C.,	Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Post,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Powell,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Huester,	Purucker,	White,
Conner,	Jones,	Reader,	Wike,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Williams, C. W.,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2115, (Senate Bill No. 932), entitled:

An Act to empower cities, towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania, to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—173.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,

Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Storer,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2098, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Schrock,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor	Schwartz,
Bally,	Griffith,	McKay,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sheffer,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Shellenberger,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Simon,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Bickett,	Haws,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Soffel,
Black,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Sowers,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bowers,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Burke,	Howe,	Perry,	Storb,
Burns,	Huester,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Jones,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Post,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Powell	Voltz,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Walker,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Landis,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Root,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Hess,
Gicking,	McCann,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2019, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the third class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by the laws of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act" requiring the establishment of a pension fund in certain cities of the third class.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill, House Bill No. 2019, provides for pensioning of the employees of cities of the third class after they have reached the age of sixty years and have been engaged in the employment of the city for a period of twenty years. It provides that the employees shall pay into the Board of Pensions monthly an amount equal to two per centum of their monthly salaries or wages, but in no case to be required to pay over four dollars a month, and after he reaches the age of sixty years he shall be entitled to half pay for the rest of his life. The unfortunate part of this bill is that it settles a permanent obligation upon the cities of the third class. I notice in the last section of this bill, Section 9, that they have changed the word from "may" to "shall." In other words, it imposes upon cities of the third class a burden, a mandatory burden, of taxing the people of those cities for their employees whether the cities want it or whether they don't. Now it seems to me that we have been carrying this pension idea far enough so far as making it mandatory is concerned. It doesn't seem to me to be fair that cities of the third class should be told

by this Legislature that they must impose a tax upon their people for the pensioning of the employees of that city.

There is another objection that I have to this bill, and that is this, that there is no way of knowing how much this pension act will impose on the city, how much money it is going to cost the city. I think before we pass legislation of this kind we should give it thorough and due consideration. I feel that all legislation of this character, which imposes upon a city a mandatory provision to the effect that they must tax their people for a pension fund, whether it is good, bad, or indifferent, is a very loose way of legislating. For that reason I hope the members of this House will vote this bill down. If there was a provision in this bill that city councils might impose this tax there would no objection to it; they ought to be allowed to have self-government. Certainly the cities, when it comes to a matter so vital to their welfare, should be the final arbiter in matters of this kind. I ask you to vote this bill down.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from York, Mr. Spangler.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from York permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. SPANGLER. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask Mr. Spangler if it is not a fact that under the Act of 1921 as it now stands the cities of the third class shall pay a certain sum of money toward a pension fund.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I am not certain about the language of the existing law, but I do know this, that in most of the third-class cities that has not been done. I have not looked up the Act of 1921, but my impression is that it does not so state.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, without desiring to disagree with my friend from York, we have here the law of 1921, and it specifically says that cities of the third class shall contribute a sum of money to pension funds for the firemen.

Mr. SPANGLER. But it does not name the amount.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. That is the weakness of this bill?

Mr. SPANGLER. Yes, exactly.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. The gentleman from York is entirely right in his remarks regarding pensions, but it seems to me if we are going to have a pension system we should have one thing all over. At the present time, because of the differences of opinion existing in cities of the third class between the firemen and the policemen and the members of council, we have fifteen different systems. The city of Erie is not contributing to a pension fund according to one of their members. The city of Reading I am not sure about. The city of New Castle has established a pension fund. As far as taxing the people is concerned, you are going to create a civil service fund for policemen, firemen or whatever. There is certainly only one way to get that money and that is from taxes. I think this bill is a good bill in so far as it clarifies the differences in these systems. It is, however, a bill that is subject to a great many differences of opinion. I think any member of a third-class city here will agree with me that at the present time the councils of cities of the third class are up in the air as to just what to do. In some instances the two per cent. of the foreign insurance premiums is being divided between the policemen and the firemen. Still in other cities the volunteer firemen are getting all of it, and in other cities I cannot say if they are getting any of it at all. Mr. Spangler is right when he says that we should get to some conclusion on pensions and I agree with him, but we do now have a pension act on the books and it is a fact that the Act of 1921 specifically states that cities of the third class shall contribute a sum of money. It is a simple matter for them to avoid that by contributing one dollar, but the amount would be insufficient and therefore the city would have its firemen and policemen getting a pension without a fund to pay it from. We have it for the State employees. In my opinion the present act should be replaced by something clearer on the books.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would have no objections to having this bill amended to read "may." As the gentleman has stated, under the Act of 1921 it left it discretionary to the city council as to how much money they would contribute. In this bill the amount the city might be compelled to contribute is absolutely indefinite. It may be a very great burden on the city and if it becomes a burden on the city the trouble is that they would employ one man where they are now employing two and would avoid employing the man who would come in under the provisions of this act. That is to say they would exclude the old men from their employ and employ only young men who after being in the employ of the city for twenty years and before they would reach the age of sixty might be discharged before he would come under the provisions of this act.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask if it is not a fact that we are to-day only employing men between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five under the civil service rules.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, if the gentleman will change that one word "may" and permit the city councils to use their discretion I will then have no objection to the provisions of the bill.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is not my bill, neither did it have its origin in any idea of mine. Mr. Hefferon is the sponsor of the bill, but I reported the bill out from the Committee on Pensions and Gratuities. I am interested in seeing legislation on the books that someone can interpret properly. Mr. Hefferon is not in the House and I would therefore instead of amending the bill agree that the bill be placed on the postponed calendar until to-morrow or Monday.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 18, entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number Fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and

towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporatd towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gross,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Aston,	Haines,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Harding,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Harkins,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hartsock,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Heffernan,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hefferon,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffner,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffran,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Henderson,	Myers,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Himes,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hoffman,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Peters,	Storer,
Burke,	Jones,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Catania,	Katz,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	King,	Post,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Washington,
Conner,	Landis,	Reader,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Linton,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Faches,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Fish,	Mathay,	Root,	Wolfe,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Royle,	Wood,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Gicking,	McCann,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Goehring,	McClure,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Greeby,	McDonald,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Griffith,	McGregor,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Grimes,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948), entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—172.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Perry,	Storer,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burke,	Howe,	Post,	Voltz,
Burns,	Jones,	Powell,	Walker,
Catania,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wells,
Conner,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Cooke,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2143, (Senate Bill No. 787), entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—171.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Simon,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Grenet,	Michel,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Griffith,	Millar,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Barton,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harstock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burke,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Caufiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J.G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Davis,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2058, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shortz,
Baily,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peeler,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Linton,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1982, (Senate Bill No. 245), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by

providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—177.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Caufiel,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wells,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	King,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Landis,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2081, entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d..	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Caufiel,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Davidson,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	King,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 324, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stark,

Bicker,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Post,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 265, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended; fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2076, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldridge,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Reader,	White,

Denne,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	King,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Hess
Fox,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1380, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gochring,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Behm,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Black,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Catania,	King,	Powell,	Welty,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Clovis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Conner,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Dunn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Eaches,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ede,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Erdley,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,
Evans,			

NAYS—1.

Donnell,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1706, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of the Poor District of the Borough of Mayfield, the Poor District of the Borough of Jermyn, and the Poor District of Blakely Township, all situate in the County of Lackawanna ,to be known as the Poor District of Blakely Township; providing for the care of the poor of said consolidated district; providing for the adjustment of indebtedness; and providing for the appointment of directors and for the administration of said consolidated poor district.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gochring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, W H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Eehm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	Peck,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burke,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Burns,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Catania,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Clovis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Conner,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Dunn,	Marcus,	Root,	Wright,
Eaches,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Ede,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Evans,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,
Flynn,	McDonald,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2035, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article sixteen, of the act, approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," providing that no councilman shall be appointed to any office, position or employment of profit under the city.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Greeby,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1925, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	Mathay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McAlee,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McCann,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McClure,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	McDonald,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffron,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Howe,	Perry,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Huester,	Pethick,	Wells,
Cooke,	Jones,	Pierce,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wettach,
Denne,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wike,
Ditter,	King,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Ede,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Landis,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Linton,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Lose,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2072, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harding,	Munley,	Stadtlander,

Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Burns,	Huester,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Catania,	Jones,	Pitts,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Powell,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Purucker,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Way,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Denne,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McGregor,		
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affrmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1379, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Storb,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Washington,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Way,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pierce,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Zeisenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Fuller,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2029, entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise, and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yerg,

Fockler,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1378, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hartsock	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2059, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Washington,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Post,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2061, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sauter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1347, entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Fuller,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2109, (Senate Bill No. 924), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealtth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State High-

way Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated town with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State Highway routes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gochring,	McGregor,	Shertz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Love,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2168, (Senate Bill No. 1152), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and childrens' exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment hereof the lien thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common liabilities houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gochring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,

Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2109, (Senate Bill No. 1154), entitled:

An Act authorizing and requiring the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States circuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Simon,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudemeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Shaffer,	Ziesenhelm,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1997, (Senate Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," as amended, further regulating the qualifications of members of council.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2040, (Senate Bill No. 50), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.H.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzingor,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Denne	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
		Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1987, (Senate Bill No. 336), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty two thousand five hundred and twenty-one two thousand five hundred and twenty-two and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 519) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clovis,	Katz,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reed,	White,
Denne	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McClure,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1680, (Senate Bill No. 686), entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certain operators thereof; and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue, for violation of the provisions of the public service company law; authorizing the rescission of such suspension; and providing for the disposition of fees.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,

Baily,	Greeby,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Haines,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Heffcron,	Nothnagle,	Stark
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Storb,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Storer,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Tahl,
Clevis,	Kahle,	Post,	Talbot,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Turner,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Walker,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fox,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1902, as follows:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That when used in this act—

(a) The term "habit-forming narcotic drug" or "narcotic" means opium and coca leaves and the innumerable alkaloids derived therefrom the best known of these alkaloids being morphia heregin and codeine obtained from opium and cocaine derived from the coca plant all compounds salts preparations or other derivatives obtained either from the raw material or from the various alkaloids Indiana hemp and its various derivatives compounds and preparations and peyote in its various forms

(b) The term "addict" means any person who habitually uses any habit-forming narcotic drug as defined in this act so as to endanger the public morals health safety or welfare or who is or has been so far addicted to the use of such habit-forming narcotic drugs as to have lost the power of self control with reference to his addiction

Section 2 A State institution is hereby established to be known as the State Narcotic Farm for the confinement detention and treatment of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs

Section 3 The Secretary of Welfare of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania are hereby appointed a committee to select a farm or farms of a total acreage of not less than one hundred fifty (150) acres to be used by the State Narcotic Farm for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the same to be purchased and paid for as now provided by law The said farm to be selected by the said committee at any point within the Commonwealth that in the opinion of said committee is most convenient for carrying into effect the purposes of this act

Section 4 The Secretary of Welfare of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized to cause the plans drawings designs specifications and estimates for the remodeling or construction of the buildings necessary for the purposes of this act to be prepared by a supervising architect to be chosen by the Department of Property and Supplies and after the approval of such plans drawings designs specifications and estimates by the said committee such buildings shall be erected and/or remodeled and additions made thereto on the said farms under the direction of the Department of Property and Supplies and in accordance with the laws relating to such constructions

Section 5 The control and management of the State Narcotic Farm shall be vested in the Secretary of Welfare who shall have power to appoint competent superintendents assistant superintendents physicians pharmacists psychologists nurses and all other officers and employes necessary for the safe keeping care protection treatment and discipline of the inmates There is hereby created in the office of the Secretary of Welfare a division to be known as the Narcotics Division which shall be in charge of a physician trained in the treatment and care of narcotic addicts and which division shall have charge of the management discipline and methods of treatment of all inmates of said narcotic farm

Section 6 That the authorities vested with the power to designate the place of confinement of prisoners are hereby authorized and directed to transfer to the State Narcotic Farm as accomodations become available all addicts as herein defined who are now or shall hereafter be sentenced to confinement in or be confined in any penal correctional disciplinary or reformatory institution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania including those addicts convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth who are confined in State prisons penitentiaries and reformatories Provided That no addict shall be transferred to the State Narcotic Farm who in the opinion of the officer authorized to direct the transfer is not a proper subject for confinement in such institution either because of the nature of the crime he has committed or his apparent incorrigibility The authority vested with the power to designate the place of confinement of a prisoner is authorized to re-transfer from the State Narcotic Farm to the institution from which he was received or to such other institution as may be designated by the proper authority any addict whose presence in the State Narcotic Farm is detrimental to the well-being of the institution or if he has ceased to be a narcotic addict under the terms of this act

Section 7 That it shall be the duty of each prosecuting officer before sentence is pronounced by the Court to report to the court the name of each convicted person believed by him to be an addict as herein defined his reasons for such belief and all pertinent facts bearing on such addiction

Section 8 The Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General are hereby empowered and directed to formulate and promulgate rules and regulations for the control and management of the said Narcotic Farm and for the admission of private patients thereto and for their discharge therefrom

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Black,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bowers,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Steedle
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Weaver,
Davis,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
			Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1127, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to erect, construct and complete a building known as the Farm Show Building, in the city of Harrisburg, and to grade and terrace the ground in connection therewith; providing for the letting of the contracts therefore, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynh,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess, Speaker.
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2293, (Senate Bill No. 1253), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of townships or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township

county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	King,	Reed,	White,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Embardt,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lore,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schilling	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the onstitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2103, (Senate Bill No. 566), entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents, and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Miller, H.A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S.H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell., W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, T.J.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burke,	Huester,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Jones,	Pitts,	Turner,
Catania,	Katz,	Post,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	King,	Powell,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Weaver
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wettach,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, W.H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1979, (Senate Bill No. 920), entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks, savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally.

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Catania,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1443, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston	Greeby,	McKay,	Shaffer
Baily,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Sheffer.
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger.
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffron,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker.
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Roncmus,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schrock,	Ziesenhelm,
Gicking,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1575, (Senate Bill No. 704), entitled:

An Act supplementing the act, approved the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 21), entitled "An act defining optometry; and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and making certain exceptions; and providing a Board of Optometrical Education, Examinations, and Licensure, and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained; and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act; and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board, and providing penalties for violations thereof; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring	Memolo,	Shaffer,

Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burke,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Burns,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Catania,	Kahle,	Post,	Wells,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Conner,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards R.,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Root,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCann,	Schrock,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1684, (Senate Bill No. 450), as follows:

An Act relative to certain judgments prescribing duties of prothonotaries and repealing prior legislation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the prothonotary of any court of common pleas of this Commonwealth before entering any money judgment for plaintiffs other than upon a verdict or order of court shall require delivery to him of a certificate signed by the plaintiff or his attorney or agent setting forth the precise residence address of the plaintiff and upon entering such judgment shall file such certificate at the same number and term as the judgment and shall include in its entry on the judgment docket the address set forth in the certificate and within one month after the entry of the judgment shall make and deliver to the authorities who assess for county tax purposes property in the county in which the judgment has been entered a written report of its entry setting forth the date amount number and term names of all parties and address of plaintiff as set forth in the certificate and where there are joint plaintiffs in any such judgment the precise address of each plaintiff shall be set forth in the certificate and docket and report

Section 2 Failure on the part of any prothonotary to perform any of the duties hereby imposed upon prothonotaries shall in no way impair the validity of any judgment or the lien thereof

Section 3 The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-nine) entitled "An act relative to judgments and prescribing the duties of prothonotaries in connection therewith" is hereby repealed

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, I move this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. FULLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 797, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties" as amended providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	McKay,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. J.,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sowers,
Black,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bowers,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F.W.,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Perhick,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Richards B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn	Lynch	Schrock,	Yerg,

Fockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Siesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 861, (Senate Bill No. 206), as follows:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts bills of lading certificates of stocks certificates of deposit bills of exchange bonds or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in any case hereafter in which advances of money repayable on demand to an amount not less than five thousand dollars are made upon warehouse receipts bills of lading certificates of stock certificates of deposit bills of exchange bonds or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such repayment it shall be lawful to receive or to contract to receive and collect as compensation for making such advances any sum to be agreed upon in writing by the parties to such transaction

Section 2 All laws or parts of laws general or special inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shealy,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Simon,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Haws,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Burke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burns,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Catania,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Linton,	Ricder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Remcmus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Root,	Within,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1238, as follows:

An Act authorizng suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever two adjoining counties of this Commonwealth shall have entered into any contract or contracts for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary line thereof as provided by law it shall be lawful to institute prosecute and maintain against such counties jointly suits and actions to recover upon such contract or contracts and/or to recover for work done and materials furnished in and about the erection and construction of such bridge its abutments approaches and appurtenances in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties

Section 2 Process in any such action shall be served by the sheriff of the county in which such suit is instituted such county and on the other county by his deputizing the sheriff of the other county to make service upon such other county which process shall be served by the sheriff and the deputized sheriff in any of the manners now provided by law for the service of a writ of summons

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts which are inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,

Catania,	Hermansen,	Ponnock,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Perry,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Dengler,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Denne,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	King,	Reyburn	White,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Kohr,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lose,	Royle,	Witkin,
Evans,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAleo,	Shaffer,	Hess
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 796, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to and regulating the effect of contracts for work and labor to be done and labor or materials to be furnished to any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway tollroad conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipeline aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works for supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of gas oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by including among the wells enumerated wells for the production of water

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to and regulating the effect of contracts for work and labor to be done and labor or materials to be furnished to any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway tollroad conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipe-line aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works by supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of gas oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the words "structure or other improvements" as used in this act mean any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway toll-road conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipe-line aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works for supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of water gas oil or other volatile liquid or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be

The word "owner" means an owner in fee a tenant for life or years or one having any estate or interest in the property described in the claim who by contract or agreement express or implied in person or by another contracts for the erection construction or removal of the structure or other improvement or any part thereof for the addition thereto for the alteration or repair thereof or for the fitting up or equipping the same from time to time for the purpose for which it is intended

The word "contractor" means one who by contract or agreement express or implied with the owner or the one who acts for the owner plans or superintends the structure or other improvement or any part thereof or furnishes labor skill or superintendence thereto or supplies or hauls materials reasonably necessary for and actually used therein or any or all of them whether as an architect superintendent builder or material man

The word "sub-contractor" means one who by contract or agreement express or implied with the contract or with one who acts for him superintends the structure or other improvement or any part thereof or furnishes labor skill or superintendence thereto or supplies or hauls material reasonably necessary for and actually used therein or any or all of them whether as superintendent builder or material man excluding however architects and those contracting with material men

The word "claimant" means the person who has filed or may file the claim as a lien against the property

The word "property" means the estate in fee the freehold leasehold or other estate or interest therein with the structure or other improvement thereon and the fixtures and other personal property used in fitting up and equipping the same for the purpose for which it is intended all of which belong to the owner and against which the claim is filed as a lien

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pcelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Ctania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wright,

Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Hess,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Fish,	McAlee,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 745, as follows:

An Act to amend Chapter five Article one subdivision (e) and Chapter Six Article Six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Chapter five article one subdivision (e) of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections which shall be known as sections one hundred twenty-six and one hundred and twenty-seven

Controller

Section 126 Election of Controller The qualified electors in every township of the first class accepting the provisions of this act shall at the municipal election in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and every four years thereafter elect as township controller one person who shall be a comeptent accountant and an elector of the township for at least four years prior to his election The person so chosen shall serve for a term of four years from the first Monday of January next succeeding his election

Section 127 Acceptance of this act by Ordinance This act shall not become operative or effective in any township of the first class until the Board of Commissioners shall by ordinance accept the provisions of sections three hundred forty-two to three hundred fifty-four both inclusive of Chapter Six Article Six hereof When any township of the first class accepts the provisions of sections three hundred forty-two to three hundred fifty-four both inclusive of Chapter Six Article Six of this Act the Court of Quarter Sessions upon petition of the Board of Commissioners shall appoint a controller to hold office until the first Monday of January next succeeding the next municipal election at which a controller may be elected under the provisions of this act

In all townships of the first class accepting the provisions of section three hundred forty-two to three hundred fifty-four both inclusive of Chapter Six Article Six hereof the township auditors then in office shall continue to hold their office until the first day of January succeeding the election of a township controller after which date the office of township auditor is abolished

Section 2 That Chapter Six Article Six of said act is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections which shall be known as sections three hundred forty-two three hundred forty-three three hundred forty-four three hundred forty-five three hundred forty-six three hundred forty-seven three hundred forty-eight three hundred forty-nine three hundred fifty three hundred fifty-one three hundred fifty-two three hundred fifty-three and three hundred fifty-four

Section 342 Oath and Bond of Controller The township controller shall before entering upon the duties of his office take and subscribe the oath prescribed by section one article seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth and shall give bond to the township with two or more sureties or with a surety company to be approved by the Board of Commissioners in such sum as they may by ordinance direct conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties The amount of said bond shall be sufficient to adequately protect the township from any illegal or unfaithful action by the controller The cost of such bond shall be paid by the township

The township controller may at the instance of a taxpayer and by rule upon him for that purpose be compelled to justify his bond as to the amount thereof and the responsibility of the sureties before the court of common pleas

Section 343 Salary of Controller In townships having a population of seventy thousand inhabitants or more the salary of the controller shall be six thousand dollars a year In townships having a population of sixty thousand or more but less than seventy thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be five thousand dollars In townships having a population of fifty thousand or more but less than sixty thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be forty-five hundred dollars In townships having a population of forty thousand or more but less than fifty thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be thirty-six hundred dollars In townships having a population of thirty thousand or more but less than forty thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be twenty-four hundred dollars In townships having a population of twenty thousand or more but less than thirty thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be one thousand five hundred dollars In townships having a population of fifteen thousand or more but less than twenty thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be twelve hundred dollars In townships having a population of ten thousand or more but less than fifteen thousand inhabitants the salary of the controller shall be one thousand dollars In townships having a population of less than ten thousand and not less than five thousand the salary of the controller shall not exceed Seven hundred and fifty Dollars In townships having a population of less than five thousand and not less than twenty-five hundred the salary of the controller shall not exceed Five hundred Dollars In townships having a population of less than two thousand five hundred the salary of the controller shall not exceed three hundred dollars

Section 344 General Powers and Duties of Controller May Require Attendance of Witnesses Penalty The township controller shall superintend the fiscal concerns of the township He shall examine audit and settle all accounts whatsoever in which the township is concerned either as debtor or creditor where provisions for the settlement thereof are made by law and where no such provisions or an insufficient provision has been made he shall examine such accounts and report to the Board of Commissioners the facts relating thereto with his opinion thereon

The controller in addition to the above audits shall annually audit settle and adjust the accounts for the immediately preceding fiscal year in which the township is concerned and for any preceding fiscal year of any officer which have not previously been audited settled and adjusted He shall finish said audit settlement and adjustment and file in the office of the prothonotary of the county in which such township may be situated a report therof within sixty days after the beginning of the current fiscal year setting forth an itemized statement of the chargres against and credits of said officers and any balance or surcharge against them The amount of any balance or shortage or of any expenditure of a kind or made in a manner prohibited or not authorized by statute or which causes a financial loss to the township shall be surcharge against any officer against whom such balance or shortage shall appear or who by vote act or neglect has made approved or permitted such expenditure Any balance or surcharge against any such officer shall be entered by the prothonotary as a judgment against him unless he shall appeal from such report as hereinafter provided

The township controller shall have supervision and control of the accounts of all departments bureaus and officers of the township authorized to collect receive or disburse the public moneys or who are charged with the management or custody thereof He shall audit their respective accounts and may at any time require from any of them a statement in writing

of any moneys or property of the township in their hands or under their control and he shall immediately upon the discovery of any default irregularity or delinquency report the same to the Board of Commissioners He shall also audit and report upon the account of any such officer upon the death resignation removal or expiration of the term of the said officer

In the making of any audit or settlement and in the authentication of any account or claim or demand against the township the controller of any township shall have the same power and authority to obtain the attendance before him of parties and witnesses and the production of books and papers and to administer oaths and affirmations as are given by law to county and township auditors All persons guilty of swearing or affirming falsely before him shall be liable to the penalty for perjury

Section 345 Controller to counter-sign warrants The township controller shall countersign all warrants upon the township treasurer the form thereof to be prescribed by the Board of Commissioners but no warrant shall be countersigned unless there is money in the treasury to pay the same Whenever a warrant on the treasurer shall be presented to the controller to be countersigned the person presenting the same shall if the controller require produce evidence

1 That the amount expressed in the warrant is due to the person in whose favor it is drawn

2 That the supplies or services for payment of which the warrant is drawn have been furnished or performed according to law and the terms of the contract

Section 346 Controller to Prevent Appropriation Over Drafts The township controller shall not permit any appropriation made by the Board of Township Commissioners to be overdrawn Whenever an appropriation is exhausted the object of which is not complete he shall immediately report the fact to the Board of Commissioners and accompany such report with a statement of the moneys which have been drawn on such appropriation and the particular purpose for which they are drawn

Section 347 Amount of Contracts to be Charged Against Appropriations Every contract involving appropriation of money shall designate the item of appropriation on which it is founded and the estimated amount of the expenditure thereunder shall be charged against such item and so certified by the township controller on the contract before it shall take effect as a contract and the payment required by such contract shall be made from the fund appropriated therefor If the controller shall certify any contract in excess of the appropriation made therefor the township shall not be liable for such excess but the controller and his sureties shall be liable for the same which may be recovered in an action at law by the contracting party aggrieved It shall be the duty of the controller to certify contracts for the payments of which sufficient appropriations have been made

Section 348 Controller's Reports The township controller shall as often as he may deem expedient or the Board of Commissioners shall direct suggest plans to the Board of Commissioners for the management and improvement of the township finances and he shall make a report verified by oath or affirmation to the Board of Commissioners at the first stated meeting in January in each year of the public account of the township and of the trusts in its care exhibiting all the expenditures thereof respectively the sources from which the revenue and funds are derived and the manner in which the same have been disbursed Each account shall be accompanied by a detailed statement of the several appropriations made by the Board of Commissioners the amount drawn on each appropriation and the balance standing to the debit or credit of such appropriation The report shall be published at the expense of the township once a week for two weeks in a newspaper circulating generally in the township

Section 349 Books to be Kept by Controller The township controller shall keep a regular set of books in which shall be opened and kept as many accounts under appropriate titles as may be necessary to show separately and distinctly all the estates and property whatsoever real and personal vested in the township all trusts in the care of the same all debts due and owing the township all receipts and expenditures of the various departments of the township government and all appropriations made by the Board of Commissioners and the sums under the same respectively

Section 350 Appeals from Controller's Report Bond Procedure on Appeal It shall be lawful for the township or any taxpayer thereof on its behalf or any officer against whom any sum shall be charged in the report of audit as filed in the office of the prothonotary to appeal therefrom to the court of common pleas within thirty days after the same shall be filed in the prothonotary's office. The appeal shall be filed in the same number and term in which the report has been filed If the appellant is a taxpayer or any officer charged as aforesaid he shall file a bond with one or more sufficient securities conditioned to pay all costs thereafter accruing in case a decision more favorable to the party on whose behalf the appeal shall be taken than that contained in the report of audit shall not be obtained

In case any appeal shall be taken as aforesaid the same may be placed upon the argument list of said court by either party Testimony and evidence as to the accounts of any such officer may be taken before said court or by depositions as the court may direct in the course of which the said accounts may be investigated de novo and the burden shall be upon each officer whose accounts are involved in the appeal of establishing by evidence from original sources his right to credits claimed by him but the opposing party in such appeal may use any fact figures or findings of the report of audit as prima facie evidence against any officer

Section 351 Court to File Conclusions of Fact and Law Judgment Appeals After argument of said appeal the court shall file its conclusions of fact and law and answers to any requests and enter judgment in accordance therewith in favor of and against the proper parties After argument the court may direct an issue to be tried by a jury as to any specific disputed questions of fact Appeals may be taken by any person interested to the Superior or Supreme Court from any such judgment of the court of common pleas in the same way that appeals are now authorized by law to be taken

Section 352 Intervention by taxpayers When any appeal to the court of common pleas shall be taken as aforesaid by the township or any officers charged in said report with any sum of money any taxpayer may come into court and intervene in said appeal and on behalf of the township may cause the same to be prosecuted to final judgment in the same manner and with the same effect as the township authorities could do Such taxpayer shall at the time of intervening file in said court a bond with one or more sufficient sureties conditioned to indemnify the township from all costs that may accrue by reason of such intervention subsequently thereto

Collection of any judgment against any township officer entered by virtue of a controller's report of audit or in the course of an appeal therefrom may be enforced against such officer and his sureties by the township or any taxpayer thereof on its behalf by any appropriate proceeding executionary or otherwise

Section 353 Consolidation of Appeals When more than one appeal from a controller's report of audit shall have been taken whether by the township a township officer or officers or a taxpayer or any or all of them the court of common pleas shall upon petition of any party interested direct the several appeals to be disposed of in a single proceeding

Section 354 Controller to Retain Books Documents et Cetera Pending Appeals Every township controller shall retain in his possession during the thirty days' period elapsing between the date of filing his report and the expiration of the time for filing the appeal therefrom all books documents vouchers checks and other papers which have been procured before him in the course of his audit of the accounts of township officers and if any appeal shall be taken shall continue to hold the same for production in the proceeding to determine the appeal

Section 3 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Bally,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,

Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Ede,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2112, (Senate Bill No. 261), as follows:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase installation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act

Section 1 Definition of Terms Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the list of officers and candidates and the statements of questions on the voting machine shall be deemed an "oficial ballot"

As used in this act

The words "ballot-labels" shall mean the cards paper or other material containing the names of offices and candidates and statements of questions to be voted on

The word "diagram" shall mean an illustration of the official ballot when placed upon the machine showing the names of the parties offices and candidates and statements of the questions in their proper places together with the voting devices therefor and shall be considered a sample ballot

The word "question" shall mean a statement of such constitutional amendment or other proposition as shall be submitted to a popular vote at any election

The words "irregular ballot" shall mean the paper or other material on whcih a vote is cast on a voting machine for persons whose names do not appear on the ballot-labels

The words "vote indicator" shall mean those devices with which votes are indicated for candidates or for or against questions

The words "candidate counters" and "question counters" shall mean the counters on which are registered numerically the votes cast for candidates and on questions respectively

The words "public counter" shall mean a counter or other device which shall at all times publicly indicate how many times the machine has been voted on at an election

The words "protective counter" shall mean a counter or "protective device" or devices that will register each time the machine is operated and shall be constructed and so connected that it cannot be reset altered or operated except by operating the machine

The words "voting machine booth" shall mean the enclosure occupied by the voter when voting

The word "model" shall mean a mechanically operating model of a portion of the face of the machine illustrating the manner of voting

The word "custodian" shall mean the person charged with the duty of testing and preparing the voting machine for the election and instructing the election officers in the use of the voting machine

The words "election" and "elections" whenever used in this act shall be held to include and mean all general municipal primary and special elections

Section 2 Authorization of Voting Machines—Any county city borough or township may be a majority vote of its qualified electors voting thereon cast at any general or municipal election authorize and direct the use of voting machines for registering or recording and computing the vote at all elections held in such county city borough or township or in any part thereof

Section 3 Placing the Question on the Ballot Election thereon—(a) The county commissioners may upon their own motion submit to the qualified electors of the county or of any city borough or township thereof at any election the question "Shall voting machines be used in the (county city borough or township) of ?"

(b) The county commissioners upon receipt of a request from the council of any city or borough or from the commissioners or supervisors of any township said request being evidenced by the filing of a copy of a resolution certified by the secretary or clerk of the council commissioners or supervisors or upon the filing of a petition with them signed by qualified electors of the county city borough or township equal in number to at least one per cent of the total number of electors who voted in said county city borough or township at a preceding general or municipal election but in no case less than fifty unless the total number of electors who voted therein at the preceding general or municipal election was less than one hundred in which case one half of the number so voting shall be sufficient shall at the next general municipal or primary election occurring at least sixty days thereafter submit to the qualified electors of such county city borough or township the question "Shall voting machines be used in the (county city borough or township) of ?"

(c) The county commissioners shall cause the said question to be printed upon the ballots to be used at the election in the form and manner provided by the laws governing general and municipal elections

(d) The election on said question shall be held at the places during the hours and under the regulations provided by law for holding general and municipal elections and shall be conducted by the election officers provided by law to conduct such election The election officers shall count the votes cast at the elections on said question and shall make return thereof to the prothonotary of the county as required by law Said returns shall be computed by the court of common pleas or other return board and when so computed a certificate of the total number of electors voting Yes and of the total number of electors voting No on such question shall be filed in the

office of the prothonotary and a copy thereof certified by the prothonotary shall forthwith be furnished to the county commissioners

(e) If a majority of the electors of any county city borough or township voting on such question shall vote against the adoption of voting machines the question shall not again be submitted to the voters of such political subdivision within a period of one hundred and three weeks

(f) Whenever under the provisions of this section the question of the adoption of voting machines is about to be submitted to the electors of any county city borough or twnship it shall be the duty of the county commissioners or other authority which levies taxes for county purposes in such county to ascertain whether current funds will be available to pay for said machines if adopted and purchased or whether they have power to increase the indebtedness of the county in an amount sufficient to pay for the same without the consent of the electors and if such current funds will not be available and the power to increase the indebtedness of the county in a sufficient amount without the consent of the electors is lacking it shall be the duty of the county commissioners or other authority aforesaid to submit to the electors of the county in the manner provided by law at the same election at which the adoption of voting machines is to be voted on the question whether the indebtedness of such county shall be increased in an amount specified by them sufficient to pay for such voting machines if adopted

Section 4 Installation of Voting Machines—(a) If a majority of the qualified electors voting on the question shall vote in the affirmative the county commissioners of the said county shall purchase for each election district of such county city borough or township one or more voting machines of a kind or kinds approved by the secretary of the Commonwealth as hereinafter provided and shall notify the Secretary of the Commonwealth in writing that they have done so The county commissioners shall provide machines in good working order and shall preserve and keep them in repair Voting machines of different kinds may be used for different districts in the same county city borough or township In each election district in which voting machines are used the county commissioners many provide one voting machine for each six hundred registered voters or fraction thereof therein and shall provide one voting machine for each eight hundred registered voters or fraction thereof therein

(b) Such voting machines shall be installed either simultaneously or gradually in political subdivisions which adopt them Upon the installation of voting machines in any election district the use of paper ballots therein shall be discontinued except as otherwise provided herein

(c) If voting machines are installed gradually they shall be introduced in the case of counties in alphabetical order by cities boroughs and townships so that they will first be used in the city borough or township the name of which is first in alphabetical order and then in the city borough or township the name of which is next in alphabetical order and so on In cities boroughs and townships they shall be introduced in numerical or alphabetical order by wards and election districts if any so that they will first be used in the first election district of the first ward and then in the second election district of the first ward and so on After they have been installed in all the election districts in the first ward they shall be installed in the same manner in the second ward then in the third ward and so on In any event the machines shall be installed as rapidly as practicable after the electors have voted in favor of them

(d) If the question hereinbefore provided shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county city borough or township and the majority of the electors voting thereon shall have voted favorably thereon and if the county commissioners shall not within one year have executed their contract or contracts for the purchase or procurement of voting machines for use at the next general municipal or primary election occurring at least one year and sixty days after the referendum when the secretary of the Commonwealth shall forthwith in writing notify the said county commissioners that after the expiration of thirty days he under the authority of this act on behalf of the said county will award make and execute such contract or contracts unless the said county commissioners meanwhile shall have made and executed the same

(e) If upon the expiration of said thirty days the county commissioners still shall not have made and executed the contract or contracts aforesaid the secretary of the commonwealth on behalf of the said county and upon the approval of the attorney general as to form shall thereupon award make and execute a contract or contracts for the puraches or procurement of one voting machine approved as required by this act for each election district within each such county city borough or township and the cost of such voting machines including the delivery thereof and of making and entering into the said contract or contracts including the preparation and printing of specifications and all other necessary expense incidental thereto shall be the debt of the said county and upon the certificate of the secretary of the commonwealth it shall be the duty of the controller if any to allow and of the treasurer of the county to pay the sum out of any appropriation available therefor or out of the first unappropriated moneys that come into the treasury of the county

(f) Provided That if the county commissioners or the secretary of the commonwealth as the case may be shall find it impracticable to procure a voting machine or voting machines for each election district of the county city borough or township for use at the general municipal or primary election then next ensuing they or he shall provide as many machines as it shall be practicable to procure and as soon thereafter as practicable shall provide the remainder of such machines required hereunder The machines shall be installed in the election district or districts in the manner provided for the gradual introduction of voting machines in Paragraph (c) of this section

(g) Any county city borough or township may by a majority vote of its qualified electors cast at any general election held not earlier than one hundred and three weeks after they have voted to adopt such machines direct the discontinuance of the use of voting machines at elections held in such county city borough or township The question for the discontinuance of the use of such voting machine shall be submitted to the voters in the same manner and subject to the same requirements as to petition and signatures thereon as is required for the submission of the question on the authorization of the use of such voting machines

Section 5 Changing the Boundaries of Election Districts—(a) The courts of quarter sessions shall upon petition redivide wards of cities or boroughs where voting machines are adopted into election districts of compact and contiguous territory or shall consolidate election districts therein into new districts each having eight hundred registered voters as nearly as may be except that districts having less than eight hundred registered voters may be created whenever the court shall be of opinion that the convenience of the voters and the public interests will be promoted thereby

(b) Petitions may be presented to the court of quarter sessions to redivide wards of cities or boroughs into election districts or to consolidate election districts either by the county commissioners or by ten or more qualified voters of the districts involved Such petitions may specify the boundaries desired by the petitioners

(c) Upon the redivision of any ward of a city or borough into election districts and upon the consolidating of election districts under the provisions of this section the said court shall appoint the necessary election officers and fix the places for holding the first election thereafter in said new districts

(d) The cost of proceedings for the redivision and consolidation of election districts under this section shall be paid by the county

Section 6 Examination and Approval of Voting Machines by Secretary of Commonwealth—(a) Any person or corporation owning manufacturing or selling or being interested in the manufacture or sale of any voting machine may request the Secretary of the Commonwealth to examine the machine Before the examination such person or corporation shall pay to the treasury of the Commonwealth an examination fee of four hundred and fifty dollars ($450)

(b) The Secretary of the Commonwealth shall thereupon require such machine to be examined by three examiners whom he shall appoint for the purpose of whom one shall be an expert in patent law and the other two shall be experts in mechanics and shall require of them a written report on such machine attested by their signatures and the Secretary of the Commonwealth himself shall examine the machine and shall make and file in his office together with the reports of the examiners appointed by him his own report attested by his signature and the seal of his office stating whether in his

opinion and in consideration of the reports of the examiners aforesaid the kind of machine so examined can be safely used by electors at elections as provided in this act If his report states that the machine can be so used the machine shall be deemed approved and machines of its kind may be adopted for use at elections as herein provided

(c) No kind of voting machine not so approved shall be used at any election

(d) When a machine has been so approved no improvement or change that does not impair its accuracy efficiency or capacity shall render necessary a re-examination or re-approval of the machine or of its kind

(e) Neither the Secretary of the Commonwealth nor any examiner appointed by him for the purpose prescribed by this section shall have any pecuniary interest in any voting machine or in the manufacture or sale thereof

(f) Each examiner appointed hereunder shall receive a compensation of one hundred and fifty ($150) for each different type of voting machine examined by him which shall be paid by the proper fiscal officer of the Commonwealth upon the proper voucher or certificate of the Secretary of the Commonwealth out of any moneys received as fees for the examination of voting machines

Section 7 Requirements of Voting Machines—No voting machine shall be approved by the Secretary of the Commonwealth or by any examiner appointed by him unless it shall satisfy the following requirements

(a) It shall provide facilities for voting for such candidates as may be nominated and upon such questions as may be submitted

(b) It shall permit each voter at other than primary elections to vote a straight party ticket in one operation and in one operation to vote for all the candidates of one party for presidential electors and in one operation to vote for all the candidates of one party for every office to be voted for except those offices as to which he votes for individual candidates

(c) It shall permit each voter at other than primary elections to vote a ticket selected from the nominees of any and all parties from independent nominations and from persons not in nomination

(d) It shall permit each voter to vote at any election for any person and for any office for whom and for which he is lawfully entitled to vote whether or not the name of such person appears upon a ballot-label as a candidate for nomination or election and to vote for as many persons for an office as he is entitled to vote for and to vote for or against any question upon which he is entitled to vote

(e) It shall preclude each voter from voting for any candidate or upon any question for whom or upon which he is not entitled to vote and from voting for more persons for any office than he is entitled to vote for and from voting for any candidate for the same office or upon any question more than once except in districts and for offices where cumulative voting is authorized by law

(f) It shall be capable of adjustment by election officers so as to permit each voter at a primary election to vote only for the candidates for non-partisan nomination if any and for the candidates seeking nomination by the political party in which he is enrolled if he is enrolled as a member of a political party and so as to preclude him from voting for the candidates seeking nomination by any political party in which he is not enrolled

(g) It shall permit each voter to deposit write in or affix upon receptacles or devices provided for the purpose ballots containing the names of persons for whom he desires to vote whose names do not appear upon the machine

(h) It shall permit each voter to change his vote for any candidate or upon any question appearing upon the ballot-labels up to the time he leaves the voting machine

(i) It shall permit and require voting in absolute secrecy and shall be so constructed that no person can see or know for whom any other elector has voted or is voting save a voter whom he has assisted or is assisting in voting as prescribed by law

(j) It shall have voting devices for separate candidates and questions which shall be arranged in separate parallel rows or columns so that at any election one or more adjacent rows or columns may be assigned to the candidates of a party and shall have parallel office columns or rows transverse thereto

(k) It shall have a counter or other device the register of which is visible from the outside of the machine which shall show during any period of voting the total number of voters who have operated the machine during the said period of voting

(l) It shall have a protective counter or other device the register of which cannot be reset which shall record the cumulative total number of movements of the operating mechanism

(m) It shall be provided with a lock or locks by the use of which immediately after the polls are closed or the operation of the machine for an election is completed all movement of the registering mechanism is absolutely prevented

(n) It shall be provided with a screen hood or curtain which shall conceal the actions of the voter while voting

(o) It shall be constructed of material of good quality in a neat and workmanlike manner

(p) It shall when properly operated register or record correctly and accurately every vote cast

(q) It shall be so constructed that a voter may readily learn the method of operating it

(r) It shall be safely transportable

(s) It shall be so constructed that each separate voting device which is not to be used at an election may be locked against use during that election

(t) During the progress of voting it shall preclude every person from seeing or knowing the number of votes registered for any candidate and from tampering with any of the registering mechanism

Section 8 Payment for Machines—The county commissioners or such other authority as levies the taxes for county purposes of any county which adopts voting machines or of any county in which a city borough or township is located which adopts voting machines shall upon the purchase thereof provide for payment therefor by the county provided however that bonds or other evidences of indebtedness payable not later than ten years from their dates of issuance may be issued in accordance with the provisions of law relating to the increase of indebtedness of counties to meet all or any part of the cost of the voting machines

Section 9 Demonstration of Voting Machines—Whenever a referendum is about to be held upon the adoption of voting machines in any county city borough or township the county commsioners shall purchase lease or borrow a reasonable number of voting machines for demonstration purposes in such county city borough or township prior to such referendum

Section 10 Form of Ballot-Labels on Voting Machines—(a) The papers cards or strips enclosed within the ballot-frame or frames of any voting machine and containing the names of a candidate or candidates or political party or the statement of a question to be voted upon hereinafter referred to as ballot-labels shall be printed in black ink upon clear white material of such size as will fit the ballot-frame and in as plain clear type as the space will reasonably permit

(b) If the construction of the machine shall require it the ballot-label for each candidate group of candidates political party or question to be voted on shall bear the designating letter or number of the counter on the voting machine which will register or record votes therefor Each question to be voted on shall appear in the ballot labels in brief form to be determined by the Secretary of the Commonwealth in the case of constitutional amendments or other questions to be voted on by the electors of more than one county and by the county commissioners in other cases

(c) The ballot-label for each candidate or group of candidates nominated or seeking nomination by a political party shall contain the name or designation of the political party

(d) The titles of offices may be arranged horizontially or vertically with the names of candidates for an office arranged transversely under or opposite the title of the office

(e) The names of all candidates nominated or seeking nomination by a political party shall appear in adjacent rows or columns containing generally the names of candidates nominated or seeking nomination by such party provided that the names of individual candidates for presidential elector shall not appear upon the ballot-labels but in lieu thereof the names of the candidates of said party for president and

vice-president shall be printed on a single ballot-label together with the name of said party

(f) When the same person has been nominated for the same office by more than one political party his name shall appear in the rows or columns containing generally the names of candidates nominated by each such party

(g) The form and arrangement of ballot-labels to be used at any election shall be determined by the Secretary of the Commonwealth as nearly as may be in accordance with the provisions of the laws prescribing the form and arrangement of ballots at such election and shall be furnished by him to the county commissioners who shall procure such further copies of the same as may be necessary at the cost of the county

(h) In primary elections the ballot-labels containing the names of candidates seeking nomination by a political party shall be segregated on the face of the machine in adjacent rows or columns by parties

Section 11 Preparation of Voting Machines by County Commissioners (a) The county commissioners of each county shall cause the proper ballot-labels to be placed on each voting machine which is to be used in any election district within such county and shall cause each machine to be placed in proper order for voting shall examine each machine before it is sent out to a polling-house shall see that each registering counter on each machine is set at zero (000) shall lock each machine so that the counting machinery cannot be operated and shall seal each machine with a numbered seal. The county commissioners shall adjust each machine to be used at a primary election so that the election officers may lock it on election day in such a way that each voter can vote only for the candidates for non-partisan nomination if any and for the candidates seeking nomination by the political party in which he is enrolled if he is enrolled as a member of a political party and so that no voter can vote for the candidates seeking nomination by any political party in which he is not enrolled

(b) The county commissioners shall appoint not more than one custodian for every twenty voting machines who shall prepare the machines to be used in the county at the elections to be held therein. Each custodian shall receive from the county for each day he is actually employed under the provisions of this act such compensation as shall be fixed by the county commissioners but not less than five dollars or more than ten dollars per day Such custodian shall under the direction of the county commissioners have charge of and represent the county commissioners during the preparation of the voting machines as required by this act and shall serve at the pleasure of the county commissioners Each custodian shall take the constitutional oath of office which shall be filed with the county commissioners

(c) On or before the thirtieth day preceding an election the county commissioners shall mail to the chairman of the county committee of each political party which shall be entitled under existing laws to participate in primary elections within the county and to the chairman or presiding officer of any organization of citizens within the county having as its purpose or among its purposes the investigation or prosecution of election frauds which has registered its name and address and the names of its principal officers with the county commissioners at least forty days before such election a written notice stating the times when and the place or places where the machines for use in the several election districts in the county will be prepared for use At such times and places one representative of each of such political parties certified by the respective chairmen of the county committees of such parties and one representative of each such organization of citizens certified by the respective chairmen or presiding officers of such organizations shall be entitled to be present and to see that the machines are properly prepared and are placed in proper condition and order for use

(d) The custodian or custodians of voting machines shall make a certificate in writing which each shall sign and request each representative of a party or a citizens' organization as aforesaid present at the preparation of the machine to attest and which shall be filed with the county commissioners stating (1) the identifying number or other designation of the voting machine (2) that each registering counter of the machine was set at zero (000) (3) the number registered on the protective counter or other device of the machine and (4) the number on the seal with which the machine is sealed

(e) No county commissioner nor custodian nor other employe of the county commissioners shall in any way prevent free access to and examination of all voting machines which are to be used at the election by any of the duly appointed representatives aforesaid and the county commissioners and their employes shall afford to each such representative every facility for the examination of all registering counters protective counters and public counters of each and every voting machine

(f) The county commissioners shall furnish at the expense of the county all ballot-labels forms of certificates returns and other papers and supplies required under the provisions of this act all of which shall be in the form and according to the specifications prescribed from time to time by the Secretary of the Commonwealth

Section 12 Delivery of Voting Machines and Supplies by County Commissioners to Election Officers

(a) The county commissioners shall deliver the proper voting machine or voting machines to the polling-places of the respective election districts at least one hour before the time set for opening the polls at an election or primary and shall cause each machine to be set up in the proper manner for use in voting Each machine shall then remain sealed until the examination immediately preceding the opening of the polls prescribed by this act

(b) The county commissioners shall provide ample protection against molestation of and injury to the voting machine and for that purpose shall and may call upon any police or elected peace officer of this Commonwealth to furnish such assistance as may be necessary and it shall be the duty of police and elected peace officers to furnish such assistance when so requested by the county commissioners

(c) The county commissioners shall furnish at the expense of the county and deliver with each voting machine

(1) A lantern or a proper substitute for one which shall give sufficient light to enable voters while in the voting machine booth to read the ballot-labels and suitable for the use of election officers in examining the counters The lantern or proper substitute therefor shall be prepared and in good order for use before the opening of the polls

(2) Two diagrams or sample ballots of suitable size representing such part of the face of such voting machine as will be in use in the election and accompanied by illustrated directions for voting on the machine Such diagrams shall be posted prominently outside the enclosed space within the polling-place

(3) A mechanically operated model of a portion of the face of a voting machine for the instruction of electors Such model shall be placed in the polling-place and at or outside of the guard-rail

(4) A seal for sealing the machine after the polls are closed an envelope for the return of the keys if the construction of the voting machine shall permit their separate return and such other election materials and supplies as may be necessary or as may be required by law

Section 13 Number of Election Officers—(a) The election board in each election district in which a voting machine is used shall consist of a judge of election and two inspectors of election chosen as is now provided by law There shall be no clerks on election boards in voting machine districts

(b) Where more than one machine is to be used in an election district two machine inspectors shall be appointed one by each of the inspectors of election who shall receive the same compensation as inspectors of election and whose duty it shall be to have charge of the operation of the voting machines under the supervision of the judge of election.

Section 14 Instruction of Election Officers—Before each election at which voting machines are to be used the custodians shall instruct in the use of the machine and in their duties in connection therewith all judges and inspectors of election who are to serve thereat and who have not previously been instructed and found qualified and they shall give to each judge and inspector who has received such instruction and is fully qualified to conduct the election with the machine a certificate to that effect For the purpose of giving such instruction the custodians shall call such meeting or meetings of the judges and inspectors as shall be necessary Each judge and inspector shall upon notice attend any such meeting or meetings called for his instruction and receive such instructions as shall be necessary for the proper conduct of the elections with the machine and as compensation for the time spent in receiving such

instructions each judge and inspector who shall qualify for and serve in the election shall receive the sum of five dollars to be paid to him at the same time and in the same manner as compensation is paid to him for his services on election day No judge or inspector of election shall serve in any election at which a voting machine is used unless he shall have received such instruction and is fully qualified to perform his duties in connection with the machine and has received a certificate to that effect from one of the custodians of the machines Provided however That this shall not prevent the appointment of a judge or inspector of election to fill a vacancy arising on the day of election or on the preceding day

Section 15 Examination of Machine at Polling-Place and Final Preparation Thereof—(a) The county commissioners shall deliver the keys which unlock the operating mechanism and the registering counters or counter compartment of the voting machine to the judge of election not earlier than noon the Saturday preceding an election nor later than three-quarters of an hour before the time set for the opening of the polls and shall take his receipt therefor The keys shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope on which shall be written or printed (1) the number of the voting machine (2) the name or designation of the election district (3) the number of the seal and (4) the number registered on the protective counter or device as reported by the custodian

(b) No election officer shall open an envelope so delivered until the minority inspector shall be present in the polling-place and shall have examined the envelope to see that it has not been opened

(c) Before opening the envelope all the election officers present shall examine the number on the seal on the machine and the number registered on the protective counter or device and shall see whether they are the same as the numbers written on the envelope containing the keys If either number shall be found not to agree the envelope shall remain unopened until the election officers shall have notified the proper custodian of voting machines or the county commissioners and until the custodian or some other person atuhorized by the county commissioners shall have presented himself at the polling-place for the purpose of re-examining the machine and shall have certified that it is properly arranged

(d) But if the numbers on the seal and the protective counter or device shall be found to agree with the numbers on the envelope the election officers shall examine the registering counters and for that purpose shall open the doors concealing such counters if the construction of the voting machine shall so require and before the polls are opened the judge and each inspector shall carefully examine every counter and shall see that it registers zero (000) and shall allow the watchers to examine the counters

(e) If the ballot-labels containing the names of offices parties candidates and questions shall not be in their proper place on the voting machine the election officers forthwith shall notify the proper custodian of voting machines or the county commissioners and the machine shall not be used until the custodian or some other person authorized by the county commissioners shall have supplied ballot-labels as herein prescribed If the ballot-labels for a voting machine shall not be delivered at the time required or if after delivery they shall be lost destroyed or stolen the county commissioners or custodian shall cause other ballot-labels to be prepared printed or written as nearly in the form of the official ballot-labels as practicable and shall cause such ballot-labels to be used in the same manner as nearly as may be as the official ballot-labels would have been used

(f) The judge and each inspector of election shall sign a certificate showing (1) the delivery of the keys in a sealed envelope (2) the number on the seal upon the machine (3) the number registered on the protective counter or device (4) that all of the counters were set at zero (000) and (5) that the ballot-labels are properly placed in the machine which certificate shall be returned by the judge of election to the county commissioners with the other certificates as hereinafter provided

(g) The machine shall remain locked against voting until the polls are opened and shall not be operated except by voters in voting If any counter is found not to register zero (000) the election officers shall immediately notify the custodian or the county commissioners who shall if practicable adjust or cause the counters to be adjusted at zero (000) but if it shall be found impracticable for the custodian or other person authorized by the county commissioners to arrive in time so to adjust such counters before the time set for opening the polls the election officers shall immediately make a written record of the designation or designating letter or number of each counter together with the number registered thereon and shall sign and post the same upon the wall of the polling-place where it shall remain until the polls are closed and in filling out the returns of the election they shall subtract such number from the number registered on the same counter when the polls are closed

(h) The exterior of the voting machine and every part of the polling-place shall be in plain view of the election officers and watchers The voting machine shall be located in the polling-place at least six feet back of the guard-rail in such a position that unless its construction shall require otherwise the ballot-labels on the face of the machine can be seen plainly by the election officers and watchers when the machine is not occupied by a voter The election officers shall not themselves be nor allow any other person to be in any position that will permit one to see or ascertain how a voter votes or how he has voted The election officers or one of them shall inspect the face of the machine at frequent intervals to see that the ballot-labels are in their proper places and that the machine has not been injured or tampered with

(i) During an election the door or other covering of the compartment containing the counters of the machine shall not be unlocked or opened or the counters exposed except by action of the proper custodian of voting machines for good and sufficient reason a statement of which shall be made in writing and signed by him and attested by the signatures of the election officers or except upon the written order of the county commissioners for good and sufficient reason which shall be stated in the order

Section 16 Instruction of Voters Before an Election—(a) During the sixty days next preceding an election the county commissioners may place on public exhibition in any public place and at such times as they may deem desirable one or more voting machines containing the ballot-labels and showing the offices and questions to be voted upon the names and arrangement of parties and so far as practicable the names and arrangement of the candidates to be voted for Such machine or machines shall be under the charge and care of a person competent as custodian and instructor No voting machine which is to be assigned for use in an election shall be used for such public exhibition and instruction after having been prepared and sealed for the election

(b) During such public exhibition and instruction the counting mechanism of the voting machine shall be concealed from view and the doors or cover concealing the same shall be opened if at all only temporarily and only upon written authorization from the county commissioners

(c) Prior to any election the county commissioners may cause copies of any diagram or diagrams required to be furnished with voting machines at polling-places to be made either in full size or in reduced size and to be posted published advertised or distributed among the electors in such manner as they may deem desirable

Section 17 Instruction and Assistance of Voters on Election Day—(a) The election officers shall with the aid of the diagrams herein authorized and the mechanically operated model instruct each voter before he enters the voting machine booth regarding the operation of the machine and shall give the voter opportunity personally to operate the model

(b) No voter shall be permitted to receive any assistance in voting at any election unless he shall first state distinctly and audibly under oath or affirmation which shall be administered to him by the judge of election that he cannot read the names on the voting machine or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to see the machine or prepare it for voting or to enter the voting machine booth without assistance The voter shall state the specific physical disability which requires him to receive assistance Thereupon he shall be permitted by the judge of election to select a qualified voter of the election district to aid him in voting and the judge of election shall forthwith enter in writing on the record of assisted voters (1) the voter's name (2) the fact that the voter cannot read the names on the voting machine if that be the reason for requiring assistance and otherwise the specific physical disability which requires him to receive assistance

and (3) the name of the person furnishing the assistance but

(c) If any voter after entering the voting machine booth and before the closing of such booth shall ask for further instructions concerning the manner of voting he may choose an election officer or any qualified voter of the district who shall give him such instructions but no person giving a voter such instructions shall in any manner request suggest or seek to persuade or induce any such voter to vote any particular ticket or for any particular candidate or for or against any particular question After giving such instructions and before the elector votes the election officer or qualified voter shall retire and the voter shall forthwith vote

Section 18 Manner of Voting (a) The election officers shall ascertain as required by law whether each applicant to vote is entitled to vote If he is found to be entitled to vote and not otherwise the election officer in charge of the ballot check list shall insert therein opposite the voter's name the letter B and shall enter his name on one of the numbered lists of voters and he shall be admitted within the voting machine booth and shall be permitted to vote

(b) The election officers shall permit within the enclosed space at any one time not more than twice as many voters waiting to vote as there are voting machines in use in said district

(c) No voter shall remain within the voting machine booth an unreasonable length of time and if he shall refuse to leave after a reasonable period he shall be removed by the election officers Provided however That they may grant him a longer time if other voters are not waiting to vote

(d) As soon as a voter leaves the voting machine booth the election officer in charge of the voting check list shall insert the letter V opposite his name therein and shall enter his name on the other numbered list of voters

(e) In primary elections before a voter is admitted to the voting machine it shall be adjusted by the election officer in charge thereof so that such voter will only be able to vote for the candidates of the party in which he is enrolled and for candidates for non-partisan nominations if any

(f) It shall be the duty of the judge of election and machine inspectors if any to have especial charge of the operation of the voting machine and to see that the provisions of this section are enforced

Section 19 Voting for a Person Other Than a Nominated Candidate—(a) No irregular ballot shall be cast on a voting machine for any person for any office whose name does not appear as a candidate nominated for that office except it be deposited written or affixed in or upon the appropriate receptacle or device provided in or on the machine for that purpose

(b) Where two or more persons are to be elected to the same office and the name of each candidate is placed upon or adjacent to a separate key handle pointer or knob and the voting machine requires that all irregular ballots voted for that office be deposited written or affixed in or upon a single receptacle or device a voter may vote in or by such receptacle or device for one or more persons whose names do not appear upon the machine with or without the names of one or more persons whose names do so appear

(c) With these exceptions no irregular ballot shall be cast on a voting machine for any person for any office whose name appears on the machine as a nominated candidate for that office Any ballot so cast shall be void and not counted

(d) Nothing in this section contained shall prevent the use of ballots at any election when and as permitted by sections twenty-one and twenty-two of this Act

Section 20 Voting for Presidential Electors—(a) At any general election at which presidential electors are to be chosen each elector shall be permitted to vote by one operation for all the presidential electors of a party For each party nominating presidential electors a ballot-label shall be provided containing only the words "Presidential Electors" preceded by the name of the party and followed by the names of the candidates thereof for the offices of President and Vice-President and the corresponding counter or registering device shall register votes cast for said electors when thus voted for collectively

(b) If an elector desires to vote a ticket made up of the names of persons nominated by different parties or partially of names of persons so in nomination and partially of names of persons not in nominations or wholly of names of persons not in nomination by any party he may write or deposit a paper ballot prepared by himself in the receptacle provided in or on the machine for the purpose

(c) The machine shall be so constructed that it will not be possible for any one voter to vote a straight ticket for presidential electors and at the same time to deposit a ballot for presidential electors in a receptacle as hereinabove provided

(d) When the votes for presidential electors are counted the votes appearing upon the counter or registering device corresponding to the ballot-label containing the names of the candidates for president and vice-president of any party shall be counted as votes for each of the candidates for presidential elector of such party and thereupon all candidates for presidential electors shall be credited in addition with the votes cast for them upon the ballots deposited in the machine as hereinabove provided

Section 21 Voting by Ballot If a method of election for any candidates or offices is prescribed by law in which the use of voting machines is not possible or practicable or in case at any election the number of candidates nominated or seeking nomination for any office renders the use of voting machines for such office at such election impracticable the county commissioners may arrange to have the voting for such candidates or offices conducted by paper ballots In such cases ballots shall be printed for such candidates or offices and the election conducted by the election officers herein provided for and the ballots counted and return thereof made in the manner required by law for such candidates or offices in so far as paper ballots are used

Section 22 Unofficial Ballot-Labels Repair of Machine or Use of Paper Ballots (a) If ballot-labels for an election district at which a voting machine is to be used shall not be delivered to the election officers as required by section fifteen (c) of this act the judge of election of such district shall cause other labels to be prepared printed or written as nearly in the form of official ballot-labels as practicable and the election officers shall cause the labels so substituted to be used at the election in the same manner as near as may be as the official labels Such labels so substituted shall be known as unofficial ballot-labels

(b) If any voting machine being used in any election shall become out of order during such election it shall if possible be repaired or another machine substituted by the custodian or county commissioners as promptly as possible for which purpose the county commissioners may purchase as many extra voting machines as they may deem necessary but in case such repair or substitution cannot be made paper ballots printed or written and of any suitable form may be used for the taking of votes

Section 23 Canvass of Vote and Disposition of Machine—When the polls are closed all qualified voters who are then waiting within the voting room to vote shall be permitted by the election officers to do so As soon as the polls are closed and the last voter has voted the election officers shall immediately lock the voting machine against voting and shall then sign a certificate stating (1) that the machine has been locked against voting and sealed (2) the number of voters as shown on the public counters (3) the number on the seal which they have placed upon the machine (4) the number registered on the protective counter or device and (5) that the voting machine is closed and locked which certificate shall be returned by the judge of election to the county commissioners with the other certificates as herein provided The election officers shall compare the numbers of voters as shown by the machine with the number of names written in the numbered lists of voters which lists shall then be placed in envelopes and sealed The election officers in the presence of the watchers and all other persons who may be lawfully within the polling-place shall then make visible the registering counters and for that purpose shall unlock and open the doors or other covering concealing the same giving full view of all the counter numbers The judge of election shall under the scrutiny of the majority and minority inspectors and the watchers and in the order of the offices as their titles are arranged on the machine read and announce in distinct tones the designation or designating number and letter on each counter for each candidate's name the result as shown by the counter numbers the votes recorded for each office for persons other than nominated candidates and the

designation or designating numbers and letters on each counter and the results as shown by the counter numbers for and against each question voted on The counters shall not be read consecutively along the party rows or columns but shall always be read along the office columns or rows completing the canvass for each office or question before proceeding to the next The vote as registered shall be entered by the election officers in ink on duplicate return sheets and also on a general return sheet and statement all of which shall be signed by the election officers The vote for presidential electors shall be computed and returned as provided hereinbefore in section 19 of this act If more than one voting machine is used in any election district the vote registered on each machine shall be ascertained in like manner and separately entered in appropriate spaces on the duplicate return sheets The total vote cast for each candidate and for and against each question shall then be computed and entered on the duplicate return sheets and such totals only shall be entered on the general return sheet and statement In the case of primary elections duplicate return sheets shall be prepared for each party The registering counters of the voting machine shall remain exposed to view until the said returns and all other reports have been fully completed and checked by the inspectors During such time any candidate or duly accredited watcher who may desire to be present shall be admitted to the polling place The proclamation of the result of the votes cast shall be announced distinctly and audibly by the judge of election who shall read the name of each candidate the designation or designating numbers and letters of his counters and the vote registered on each counter also the vote cast for and against each question submitted During such proclamation ample opportunity shall be given to any person lawfully present to compare the results so announced with the counter dials of the machine and any necessary corrections shall then and there be made by the election officers after which the doors or other cover of the voting machine shall be closed and locked Immediately upon the close of the polls the election officers shall so lock or seal the operating lever or mechanism of the machine that the voting and counting mechanism will be prevented from operation Any ballots deposited written or affixed in or upon the voting machine shall be inclosed in properly sealed packages and properly indorsed and shall be delivered by the judge of election as hereinafter provided The judge of election shall promptly deliver to the county commissioners or their duly authorized representative the keys of the voting machine inclosed in a sealed envelope if the construction of the voting machine shall permit their separate return Said envelope shall have indorsed thereon a certificate of the election officers stating the number of the machine the election district where it has been used the number on the seal and the number on the protective counter or device at the close of the polls As soon as possible after the completion of the count the county commissioners shall have the voting machine properly boxed and removed to the place or places of storage provided for in this act

Section 24 Return of Votes The General return sheet duplicate return sheets and statement shall be printed to conform with the type of voting machine used and in form approved by the Secretary of the Commonwealth The designating number and letter if any on the counter for each candidate shall be printed thereon opposite the candidate's name Immediately after the vote has been ascertained the statement thereof shall be posted on the door of the polling place The minority inspector shall retain one of said duplicate return sheets one numbered list of voters sealed as aforesaid the voting check list (in districts other than cities) and one set of oaths of election officers and other affidavits The other duplicate return sheet numbered list of voters oaths of election officers and affidavits of voters and others and the ballot check list (in districts other than cities) shall be sealed up and given to the judge of election who shall deliver them together with the general return sheet and the package of ballots deposited written or affixed in or upon the voting machine to the prothonotary in the case of general municipal or special elections and to the county commissioners in the case of primary elections provided that returns of elections for borough and township officers shall be made to the officer directed by law to receive them

Section 25 Preservation of Ballots and of Record of the Machine The voting machine shall remain locked against voting for the thirty days next following each election and as much longer as may be necessary or advisable because of any existing or threatened contest over the result of the election with due regard for the date of the next following election except that it may be opened and all the data and figures therein examined upon the order of any court of competent jurisdiction or judge thereof or by direction of any legislative committee to investigate and report upon contested elections affected by the use of such machine and such data and such figures shall be examined by such committee in the presence of the officer having the custody of such machine

Section 26 Provisions for Recanvass of Vote Whenever it shall appear that there is a discrepancy in the returns of any election district or upon petition of three voters of any district verified by affidavit that an error although not apparent on the face of the returns has been committed therein the court of common pleas board of county commissioners or other return board shall at any time prior to the completion of the computation of all the returns for the county summon the election officers of the district and said officers in the presence of said court or board shall make a record of the number of the seal upon the voting machine and the number on the protective counter or other device shall make visible the registering counters of such machine and without unlocking the machine against voting shall re-canvass the vote cast thereon Before making such re-canvass the said court or board shall give notice in writing to the proper custodian of voting machines and to each candidate and to the county chairman of each party or independent nominating body affected by the canvass and each such candidate may be present in person or by attorney and each of such parties or nominating bodies may send two representatives to be present at such re-canvass If upon such re-canvass it shall be found that the original canvass of the returns has been correctly made from the machine and that the discrepancy still remains unaccounted for the said court or board with the assistance of the custodian in the presence of the election officers and the authorized candidates and representatives shall unlock the voting and counting mechanism of the machine and shall proceed thoroughly to examine and test the machine to determine and reveal the true cause or causes if any of the discrepancy in returns from such machine Each counter shall be reset at zero (000) before it is tested after which it shall be operated at least one hundred times After the completion of such examination and test the custodian shall then and there prepare a statement in writing giving in detail the result of the examination and test and such statement shall be witnessed by the persons present and shall be filed with the said court or board If upon such re-canvass it shall appear that the original canvass of the returns by the election officers was incorrect the said returns and all papers being prepared by the said court or board shall be corrected accordingly

Section 27 Custody of Voting Machines and Keys (a) The county commissioners shall designate a person or persons who shall have the custody of the voting machines of the county city borough or township and the keys therefor when the machines are not in use at an election and shall provide for his compensation and for the safe storage and care of the machines and keys

(b) All voting machines when not in use shall be properly boxed or covered and stored in a suitable place

Section 28 Penalties Any election officer or other person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or who shall tamper with or injure or attempt to injure any voting machine to be used or being used in an election or who shall prevent or attempt to prevent the correct operation of such machine or any unauthorized person who shall make or have in his possession a key to a voting machine to be used or being used in an election shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to undergo imprisonment for not more than one year or to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars ($1,000) or both in the discretion of the court

Section 29 Applicability of Election Laws Except as modified by the provisions of this act the general laws regulating general municipal primary special and other elections shall apply to all such elections held in counties cities boroughs and townships adopting voting machines under the provisions of this act

Section 30 Partial Invalidity Legislative Intent It is the intention of the General Assembly that if this act cannot take effect in its entirety because of the judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction holding unconstitutional any section

paragraph or clause thereof the remaining provisions of the act shall be given full force and effect as completely as if the section paragraph or clause held unconstitutional had not been included herein

Section 31 Repealer All acts or parts of acts of assembly in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed so far as the conduct of elections in political subdivisions adopting voting machines is concerned provided that such acts shall remain in force with respect to such subdivisions to regulate the conduct of elections therein by paper ballots when and as permitted by sections twenty-one and twenty-two of this act

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

SENATE BILL NO. 261 MADE A SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be made a special order of business on Monday evening, April 15, 1929, at 11.00 o'clock.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1958, as follows:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Board of Directors of any corporation whether heretofore or hereafter incorporated under any special or general law shall have power to close the stock transfer books of such corporation for a period not exceeding forty days preceding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend or the date for the allotment of rights or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect Provided however that in case of any such closing of the stock transfer books notice thereof shall be mailed to the stockholders at their last known address as the same appears upon the books of the corporation at least ten days before the closing thereof While the stock transfer books of the corporation shall be so closed no transfers of stock shall be made thereon

Section 2 The Board of Directors of any such corporation in lieu of closing the stock transfer books as aforesaid may if the by-laws of such corporation so provide fix in advance a date not exceeding forty days preceding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend or the date for the allotment of rights or the date when any exchange or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect as a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at any such meeting or entitled to receive payment of any such dividend or to any such allotment or rights or to exercise the rights in respect of any such change conversion or exchange of capital stock In such case if otherwise entitled all stockholders of record on the date so fixed and no others shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at such meeting or to receive payment of such dividends or to receive such allotment of rights or exercise such rights as the case may be notwithstanding any transfer of stock on the books of the company after any such record date fixed as aforesaid

Section 3 No transfer or transfers of shares of such corporations within sixty days of any election or meeting of stockholders shall deprive the holder of said shares of the right to vote in respect of the same at such election or meeting if otherwise entitled thereunto

Section 4 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—161.

Adams, E. C.,	Glicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. C.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hart,	Murmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stork,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	King,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2005, as follows:

An Act fixing the liability for the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State institutions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the part of the cost of the care and maintenance including clothing of the indigent insane whether chronic or otherwise in the State hospitals for the insane payable by the counties or poor districts is hereby fixed at the uniform rate of three dollars per week for each person which shall be chargeable to the county or poor district from which such insane person shall come and the amount of the aforesaid cost over and above three dollars per week chargeable to the counties or poor districts shall be paid by the Commonwealth Provided That where a portion of the cost of the care and maintenance including clothing can be collected from said patient's estate or the persons liable for such patient's support then the uncollectible portion of such cost shall be equally divided between the Commonwealth and the county or poor district liable for such patient's support

Section 2 That the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the care and treatment of the indigent insane of the several counties of the Commonwealth in the State and semi-State hospitals for the insane" be and the same is hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shellenborger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Pcelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turnbr,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Himes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, E.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE BILL NO. 926 MADE A SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that Senate Bill No. 926, House Bill No. 2152, File Folio 5800, entitled:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation

on page 39 of today's calendar, bills on third reading, be made a special order for Monday evening, April 15, 1929, at 10.30 o'clock.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. FULLER, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions, providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof, preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

Mr. STADTLANDER, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1173, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, of Allegheny County.

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2314, (Senate Bill No. 938), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

Mr. DITTER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2382, (Senate Bill No. 596), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Mr. E. P. BROWN, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported, as committed, House Bill No. 2146, (Senate Bill No. 477), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part;

requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth, seventh and eighth classes.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2316, (Senate Bill No. 1037), entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2345, (Senate Bill No. 435), entitled:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2298, (Senate Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2173, (Senate Bill No. 1036), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualificaiton regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2343, (Senate Bill No. 1238), entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six), entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity or property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2182, (Senate Bill No. 1025), entitled:

An Act requiring all Title Insurance Companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof and regulating the same.

Mr. SPANGLER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2335, (Senate Bill No. 974), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Mr. STAUDENMEIER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2517, (Senate Bill No. 1088), entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2326, (Senate Bill No. 1303), entitled:

An Act relating to wards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

Mr. RHODES, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2334, (Senate Bill No. 794), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand

nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

Mr. RHODES, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2331, (Senate Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

Mr. STADTLANDER, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2306, (Senate Bill No. 526), entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in securities) defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Mr. YERG, from the Committee on Manufactures, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2297, (Senate Bill No. 717).

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers and pressure vessels; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Mr. FULLER, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, House Bill No. 331, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (P. L. 309), entitled "An act relating to damages for injuries producing death," as amended; permitting brothers and sisters of deceased to recover damages.

Mr. HAGMAIER, from the Committee on Manufactures, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2148 (Senate Bill No. 784), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 733), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule, of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

BILLS RE-REFERRED

Mr. WHEELER, returned from the Committee on Military, with recommendation that it be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations, House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, the American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

The SPEAKER. The bill is now re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. WHEELER, returned from the Committee on Military, with recommendation that it be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations, House Bill No. 2001, entitled:

An Act providing for disability allowances by the Commonwealth to totally disabled veterans as defined in this act providing for a Veterans' Insurance Board in the Department of Military Affairs, and defining its powers and duties relative to the administration of the system of disability allowance and providing penalties.

The SPEAKER. The bill is now re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions, providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof, preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

And said bill, having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1173, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, of Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2314, (Senate Bill No. 938), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men, furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2332, (Senate Bill No. 596), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning

townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2146, (Senate Bill No. 477), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, pro- and state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2316, (Senate Bill No. 1037), entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2345, (Senate Bill No. 435), entitled:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entilted An act relating to insurance, amending, revising, consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2298, (Senate Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten sections twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three twenty-three B and to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen), entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2173, (Senate Bill No. 1036), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulating examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2343, (Senate Bill No. 1238), entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws

two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Cmmonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2182, (Senate Bill No. 1025), entitled:

An Act requiring all Title Insurance Companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof and regulating the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2335, (Senate Bill No. 974), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2317, (Senate Bill No. 1088), entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2334, (Senate Bill No. 794), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the head of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2326, (Senate Bill No. 1303), entitled:

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2331, (Senate Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2306, (Senate Bill No. 526), entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2297, (Senate Bill No. 717), entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance operation and inspection of boilers granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. The Chair declares a recess until 8:00 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 8:00 o'clock P. M.
The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS NOS. 390, 922 AND 1128.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following

House Bill No. 390, file folio 357, entitled, "An Act providing for the purchase of digests and law books for the offices of

district attorneys of the Commonwealth by the boards of commissioners of counties and for the payment of the same out of the funds of the county".

House Bill No. 922, file folio 2023, entitled, "An act fixing the damages for the conversion of property of fluctuating value".

House Bill No. 1128, file folio 3119, entitled, "An act to amend sections two and three of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and sixty) entitled 'An act conferring on the Department of Highways power to enter upon private property and open and maintain drainage channels along roads or highways constructed at the expense of the Department of Highways or under its supervision and providing penalty for interference with such drains or ditches and providing for the payment of damages' by providing a method for ascertaining damages and disposition of penalties".

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL NO. 531.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 531, file folio 659, entitled, "An act relating to regulating and validating the issue of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth".

This bill would authorize an assistant treasurer to countersign corporate stock certificates and would permit the use of facsimile signatures of corporate officers in cases where the certificates is also signed by a transfer agent and a registrar. It would also validate all certificates heretofore issued in the manner authorized in this bill.

House Bill No. 1412, which has passed the Legislature, covers this same subject matter in a somewhat more detailed manner, and I shall be pleased to give it my approval. No purpose would therefore be served by approving this bill.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary not withstanding?

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. EVANS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL NO. 498.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 498, file folio 205, entitled, "An act to amend section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended."

This bill authorizes the supervisors of second class townships to petition the court for permission to levy a road tax in excess of ten mills by majority instead of unanimous action of said boards.

Senate Bill No. 166 is identical in language and purpose and was approved on April 3. The present bill is therefore unnecessary.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary not withstanding.

Mr. MUMFORD. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. WOOD. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, February 6, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that the authorities in charge of all schools and educational institutions of every character in this Commonwealth should at the opening exercises each day such schools and institutions are conducted require the pupils and students attending to take with fitting ceremony the followig pledge

"I pledge allegiance to The Flag of the United States of America for which it stands One Nation indivisible with Liberty and Justice for all"

Resolved That a copy of this resolution be transmitted by the Department of Public Instruction to each school and educational institution in the Commonwealth

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 13.

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital West College Avenue York Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 16.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 47.

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, at Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 73.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 77.

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital, Franklin, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 83.

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of its hospital.

HOUSE BILL No. 100

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital Oil City Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 108.

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M. Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 115.

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital of Indiana County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 132.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Altoona Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 134.

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 162.

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Ridley Park Delaware County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 164.

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association, of Kane, McKean County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 170.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital West Chester Chester County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 173.

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital, Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 185.

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No.191.

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital at Johnstown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 205.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 206.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 235.

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association of Roaring Spring Blair County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 243.

An Act making an appropriation to the Canonsburg General Hospital Association, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 260.

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 275.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 277.

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 286.

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgomery Hospital at Norristown Montgomery County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 307.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital, Ellwood City, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 335.

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 345.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 352.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital, city of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 393.

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 418.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 419.

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 450.

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 458.

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 480.

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, of Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 484.

An Act making an appropriation to Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 673.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 675.

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, at Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 676.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 678.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 690.

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 699.

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 717.

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 734.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 739.

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 762.

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 779.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 784.

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital in the city of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 807.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 847.

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 870.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Garretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 879.

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 880.

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 881.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 889.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 906.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association of Erie Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 980.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 986.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital, of Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 989.

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 996.

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives, located at Eagleville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1044.

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1150.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital Bradford Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1152.

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1181.

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1185.

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital, Renovo, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1186.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital, Lock Haven, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1209.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1231.

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital, located at Frankford, Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 1240.

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital Berwick Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1241.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital Bloomsburg Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1308.

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1405.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

HOUSE BILL No. 1428.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1457.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1503.

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1525.

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital, of Warren, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1560.

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1561.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1563.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital, at McKees Rocks, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1636.

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1637.

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1675.

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1072.

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital Easton Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 748.

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital Braddock Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1793.

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives in requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 12, by inserting after the word "advertised" the following: "and to obtain any other information deemed necessary and to classify such person as to the limits of work on which he shall be qualified to submit bids".

Amend section 2, page 2, line 2, by striking out after the word "person's" the word "it" and inserting in lieu thereof, "and such other information as he may have obtained he".

Amend section 4, page 2, line 13, by striking out after the word "section" the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bidelsplacher,	Hawe,	Patterson,	Staudenmeir,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Powell,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Reaner,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbridge,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richard, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg.
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flockler,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	Meredith,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 931.

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteeen, fifteen, seventeen, eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 466), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative argricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit, and defining agriculture, dairying, livestock raising, poultry raising, beekeeping, and horticulture," increasing the powers of each association in certain instances, and providing a penalty.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives in requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 3, page 3, line 11, by inserting after the word "association" the words "to meet the needs of its patrons and members"; also same section, line 18, by inserting after the word "such" the words "patrons and"; also line

22, by inserting after the word "section" the following: "Provided however that the association shall not deal in the products of or purchase supplies for non-members to an amount greater in value than such as are handled by it for members."

Amend section 8, page 10, line 17, by striking out the word "acutal" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "actual."

Amend section 9, page 10, line 28, by inserting after the word "thereto" the words "as hereinbefore provided."

Amend section 14, page 15, line 23, by inserting after the word "its" the words "patrons and"; also page 16, line 12, by inserting after the word "the" the words "patrons and"; also thereto may at the discretion of the directors make refunds to patrons of the association in such amounts and on such ratio as shall be decided by the board of directors."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Sowers,
Aston,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Baker,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Barton,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bausher,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Behm,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bickett,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bidelspacher,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Catania,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Linton,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ede,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Evans,	McClure,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Shortz,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Simon,	Hess,
Gicking,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,	Speaker.
Goehring,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1190.

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives in requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 1, line 9, by inserting after the word "repealed" the following: "but nothing contained in this act shall be construed to repeal any of the provisions of the Child Labor Laws of the Commonwealth."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Shortz,
Barton,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Harter,	Mumford,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hawe,	Musmanno,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Smith, W. B.,
Bickett,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Soffel,
Black,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Stark,
Boggs,	Himes,	Pennock,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Sterling,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Storb,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Post,	Turner,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Way,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	White,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wike,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Witkin,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Wood,
Gicking,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Greeby,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Griffith,	Memolo,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1094.

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgements and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decendents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and

survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" as amended

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 5, lines 27 and 28, by striking out the words "bonds of one or more individuals secured by mortgage a first mortgage or."

Amend section 1, page 5, line 29, by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" the words "securing bonds or other obligations."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Braham,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pennock,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 811.

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one and section eight hundred and fifty and to add sections eight hundred and fifty-one eight hundred and fifty-two eight hundred and fifty-three and eight hundred and fifty-four the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend bill, page 2, line 11, by inserting after the word "aforesaid" the following:

Section 2 That chapter eleven article three of said act as added by the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act to amend chapter eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' by adding thereto article three section eight hundred and fifty authorizing townships of the second class to accept as part of the township road system roads dedicated to public use" as amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section eight hundred and fifty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' by providing that only roads and streets may be accepted by townships of the second class as part of the highway system thereof and requiring the consent of the court of quarter sessions before such acceptance" is hereby further amended to read as follows

ARTICLE III

[ACCEPTANCE OF DEDICATED ROADS IN TOWNSHIPS OF THE SECOND CLASS]

APPROVAL OF PLANS FOR ROADS AND STREETS AND DRAINAGE FACILITIES

Section 850 [The board of supervisors of any township of the second class may accept any roads streets lanes or alleys or any part thereof as dedicated to public use by a plot duly recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county in which such township is said acceptance to be evidenced by a resolution of the said board of supervisors properly describing said roads streets lanes or alleys adopted by a majority thereof by a vote duly recorded and entered upon the minutes of said board Upon the filing with the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions of said county of a certified and attested copy of said resolution such roads stsreets lanes or alleys shall become a part of the public highway system of said township and shall be so recorded in the said court of quarter sessions] No person shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township without first submitting plans thereof to the township commissioners or township supervisors for their approval Such plans shall be prepared in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the commissioners or supervisors and shall show the profiles of such roads streets lanes or alleys the course structure and capacity of any drainage facilities and the method of drainage of the adjacent or contiguous territory and also any other or further details that may be required under the rules or regulations adopted by the township commissioners or township supervisors Before acting upon any such plans the commissioners or supervisors may in their discretion arrange for a public hearing after giving such notice as they may deem desirable in each case The township commissioners or township supervisors are author-

ized to alter such plans and to specify any change or modifications of any kind which they in their discretion may deem necessary with respect thereto and may make their approval of such plans subject to any such alterations changes or modifications Any plans when so approval shall be signed on behalf of the township by such officer as the commissioners or supervisors may designate and shall be filed in the township office where the same shall be available to public inspection No road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans so approved by the commissioners or supervisors or with further plans subsequently approved by them in the same manner

In any case where the township commissioners or township supervisors shall refuse to approve any plans submitted to them in accordance with this act any person aggravated by the action of the commissioners or supervisors may within thirty days after such action appeal therefrom by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county which court shall hear the matter de novo and after hearing may enter a decree affirming reversing or modifying the action of the commissioners or supervisors as may appear just in the premises The court shall designate the manner in which notices of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given to all parties interested The decision of the court shall be final

The action of the township commissioners or township supervisors or the court on appeal in approving any such plans and such plans shall be recorded by the person applying for such approval in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county

Section 851 If any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans approved by the township commissioners or township supervisors as provided in this act neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors nor any public authorities shall place construct or operate any sewer drain water pipe or other facilities or do any work of any kind in or upon such road street lane or alley and neither the township commissioners nor the township supervisors nor any other public authorities shall have any responsibility of any kind with respect to any such road street lane alley or drainage facilities notwithstanding any use of the same by the public Provided however That nothing herein contained shall prevent the laying of trunk sewer drains water or gas mains if required by engineering necessity for the accommodation of other territory

The township commissioners or township supervisors and their representatives and workmen may enter upon any land and property and maintain marks and monuments so far as the commissioners or supervisors deem necessary in carrying out their powers and duties hereunder

Section 852 Any person who shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township without having first complied with the provisions of this act and of any ordinances or resolutions of the township authorities adopted pursuant hereto shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to suffer imprisonment not exceedeing two years or pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or both in the discretion of the court

Section 853 No approval of plans by a township of the second class pursuant to the provisions of this act shall obligate or require any such township to construct reconstruct maintaitn repair or grade such roads until and unless authorized and ordered so to do by the proper court pursuant to the provisions of existing law in that regard

Section 854 Nothing herein contained shall be held to restrict or limit the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth or any county in the exercise of any of its duties powers and functions under the provisions of any Act of Assembly now in force or hereafter to be enacted

Amend section 2, page 2, line 12, by striking out the numeral "2" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "3."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Lowe,	Schilling,
Aston,	Flynn,	Lucas,	Schreck,
Baily,	Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Baldrige,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Barton,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shcely,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gross,	McKay,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Moore, D. G.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Wells,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Wike,
Dengler,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Howe,	Post,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wood,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wright,
Eaches,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Kohr,	Rice,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Hess,
Evans,	Lose,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1.

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043), entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 5, line 4, by striking out after the word "interests" the following: "For this purpose there is hereby created a 'Former Teachers' Fund' to which the," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "The;" also line 11, by striking out after the word "the" the words "'Former Teachers'

Funds'" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—128.

Adams, E. C.,	Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,
Aston,	Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Baker,	Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Smith, H J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Grimes,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Black,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Walker,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Wells,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	White,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wilson,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Donnell,	Lose,	Root,	Wright,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 250.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association of Monongahela City Washington County Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word: "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven;" insert after the word thousand in the same line the words "two hundred;" strike out in the same line the numerals "($10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($11,200)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E C.,	Greeby,	McAlinn,	Shortz,
Aston,	Grenet,	McCann,	Shutt,
Baily,	Griffith,	McClure,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grimes,	McDonald,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	McKay,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Stark,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.	Henderson,	Peters,	Washington,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Huester,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Jones,	Rice,	Wike,
Denne,	Kahle,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	King,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Royle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Landis,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Linton,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lose,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	Loucks,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Lynch,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Gicking,	Marcus,	Sheely,	Speaker,
Goodnough,	Mathay,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 240.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association of the City of Pittston Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the words "thirty-one" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five;" in line 5 strike out the numerals "($31,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($35,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—153.

Adams, E. C.,	Hartsock,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Haws,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baker,	Heffernan,	Moore, W. H.,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hefferon,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Heffner,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,

Bechtel,	Heffran,	Munley,	Soffel,
Behm,	Henderson,	Musmanno,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Howe,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Huester,	Peters,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Jones,	Pethick,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Katz,	Post,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Turner,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reader,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reed,	Washington,
Davis,	Linton,	Reilly,	Way,
Dengler,	Lose,	Reyburn,	Weaver,
Denne,	Loucks,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Lucas,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Richards, R.,	Welty,
Ede,	Marcus,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Ronemus,	White,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Root,	Williams, G. W.,
Fockler,	McCallister	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Gicking,	McClure,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Goodnough,	McDonald,	Schreck,	Wright,
Granet,	McKay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Grimes,	Memolo,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Gwynne,	Meredith,	Scott, W. H.	Ziesenheim,
Haines,	Metzinger,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Harkins,	Michel,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Harter,	Millar,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 255.

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the words "thirty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the words "forty-five;" amend line 5 by striking out the numerals "($35,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "(45,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gross,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Gwynne,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,Jr.,	Haines,	McKay,	Simon,
Barton,	Harding,	Meredith,	Smith, W B.,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Way,
Conner,	Howe,	Powell,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Jones,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Katz,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Ditter,	King,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fox,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fuller,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.	Yerg,
Gicking,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Greeby,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Grenet,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 362.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section one, page one, line 4, by striking out the words "twenty-two" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five;" amend line 5 by striking out the numerals "($22,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($25,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Harkins,	Memolo,	
Aston,	Hart,	Metzinger,	
Baker,	Harter,	Millar,	
Baldrige,	Hartsock,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haws,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Heffernan	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hefferon,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Heffner,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Munley,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Himes,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Peck,	

Burns,	Huester,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	King,	Pierce,	Way,
Corner,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Landis,	Powell,	Welty,
Denne,	Leidich,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	White,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Evans,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Root,	Witkin,
Fox,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Gelnett,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wood,
Goehring,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Wright,
Goodnough,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Greeby,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Griffith,	McClure,	Scott J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Gross,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Hagmaier,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Haines,	McKay,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 403.

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association, Incorporated, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "fourteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen;" amend line 5 by striking out the numerals "($14,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($15,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 433.

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows :

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the words "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;" amend same line by striking out the words "eight hundred;" amend line 5 striking out the numerals "($2800)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($3000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shortz,
Aston,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baily,	Griffith,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. E.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Millar,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,

Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lowe,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 660.

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows :

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen;" amend line 5 by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($15,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gross,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bickett,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sterling,
Black,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storb,
Bowers,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Powell,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Reader,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reed,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Leidich,	Riddle,	White,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wike,
Denne,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Evans,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McDonald,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Speaker,
Gelnett,			
Goehring,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 664.

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forty-five;" amend line 5 by striking out the numerals "($130,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($145,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	Lose,	Ronemus,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	Loucks,	Root,
Aston,	Flynn,	Lowe,	Sautter,
Baily,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Schilling,
Baker,	Fox,	Lynch,	Schreck,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Fuller,	Marcus,	Schrock,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
Barton,	Goodnough,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McClure,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gross,	McGregor,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harding,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Metzinger,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Michel,	Storer,
Black,	Hartsock,	Millar,	Tahl,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Miller, S. H.,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Moore, D. G.,	Turner,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Moore, W. H.,	Walker,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Munley,	Washington,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Musmanno,	Way,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Nothnagle,	Weaver,
Burke,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Wells,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peck,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Peelor,	Wettach,
Conner,	Howe,	Pennock,	Wheeler,

Cooke,	Huester,	Peters,	White,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pierce,	Wike,
Davis,	Katz,	Pitts,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	King,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wood,
Ede,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wright,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Riddle,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 706.

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the word "forty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty;" amend same line by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred;" also in the same line strike out the numerals "($45)," and in line 5 "(000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($50,500)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—153.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Fox,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Black,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Talbot,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Turner,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Wells,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pitts,	Welty,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Post,	Wettach
Catania,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Purucker,	White,
Conner,	Howe,	Reader,	Wike,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Jones,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Linton,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ede,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fish,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 846.

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out after the words "to the" the words "Trustees of the."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fox,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Turner,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Way,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Wells,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Welty,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Howe,	Powell,	White,
Davidson,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wike,
Dengler	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,

Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1175.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same wit hamendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred" also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($12,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($12,500)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.	Stein,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Perry,	Talbot,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Post,	Wells,
Catania,	Holmes,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Ede,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott W. H.,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 909.

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "four hundred"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($28,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($28,400)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce	Weaver,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Welty,
Conner,	Howe,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1305.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "twenty" the word "-five"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($20,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($25,000)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—153.

Adams, E C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fox,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Cicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gochring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Goodenough,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Miller,	Smith H J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferman,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Voltz
Brown E. P.,	Hermanson,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Wells,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Wettach,
Conner,	Howe,	Powell,	Wheeler
Davidson,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Donnell	Leidich,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lore,	Richards P.,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS NOS. 400, 1362 and 1408.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 400, file folio 1427, entitled, "An act to amend section ten of the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled 'An act to provide for the personal registration of electors in cities of the third class of this Commonwealth to make such registration a condition of the right to vote in such cities and to provide penalties for violation of its provisions' as amended requiring county commissioners to prepare "street lists" of registered voters and providing for the disposition of such "street lists" ".

House Bill No. 1362, file folio 2109, entitled, "An act conferring authority on the Department of Highways or any County or Township to enter upon private property adjacent to any public road or highway and place thereon snow fence between November first and April first of the succeeding year providing the method of ascertaining damages and payment of same by the authorities responsible for the maintenance of the said public road or highway to the owner of adjacent property and repealing certain acts."

House Bill No. 1408, file folio 2569, entitled, "An act to regulate procedure where a defendant desires to have joined as additional defendants persons whom he alleges are liable over to him or jointly or severally liable with him for the cause of action declared on".

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1402.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed House Bill No. 1412, file folio 2605, entitled, "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act relating to and regulating the issue and transfer of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth' by authorizing the countersignatures of assistant treasurers thereon by permitting the signatures countersignatures and seals thereon in facsimile printed or engraved and validating certificates of stock heretofore so executed and issued."

JOHN S. FISHER.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2198, (Senate Bill No. 106), entitled:

A Further Supplement to an act approved the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirteen) entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to carry into effect the act of Congress approved July second one thousand eight hundred and

sixty-two granting public land to the several states for educational purposes and the act of the Legislature of Pennsylvania approved April first one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three accepting the provisions and conditions of said act of Congress and pledging faith of the state to carry the same into effect the sum of six million two hundred and eleven thousand dollars ($6,211,000) is hereby specifically appropriated for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to the Trustees of The Pennsylvania State College for the following purposes

For the general maintenance of instruction in the School of Agriculture and of instruction research and extension in the School of Engineering the School of the Liberal Arts the School of Mines and Metallurgy the School of Chemistry and Physics the School of Education the Graduate School the Department of Physical Education the Department of Military Science and the Carnegie Library including repairs to grounds and buildings service of light heat power water and sewage disposal salaries and wages materials and supplies and equipment street paving insurance and interest and such other expenditures as the Trustees may deem necessary and practicable the sum of two million three hundred thousand dollars ($2,300,000)

For the maintenance and equipment for research and experimental investigation on problems related to the agricultural industry of the State including administration and operation maintenance and repair of physical plant the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000)

For meeting the provisions of the act of Congress approved May eighth one thousand nine hundred and fourteen providing for agricultural and home economics extension and for other forms of extension work in agriculture and home economics including administration and operation maintenance and repair of physical plant the sum of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($650,000)

For the payment of the accumulated debt of the Pennsylvania State College the sum of seven hundred and eleven thousand dollars ($711,000)

For the erection of new buildings and the enlargement or alteration of existing buildings including equipment furnishings and the necessary extension of electric water steam and sewage service lines as in the judgment of the Trustees may be required the sum of two million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($2,250,000)

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments:

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 2, line 1, by striking out after the word "and" and before the word "thousand" the word "[eleven]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty-one."

Amend page 2, line 1, by striking out after the word "dollars" and before the word "is" the figures "[($6,211,000)]" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "($6,261,000)."

Amend page 2, line 17, by inserting after the word "practicable" and before the word "the" the words "including any payments becoming due under a co-operative agreement between the Commonwealth and the Trustees for the joint use of the facilities of the Pennsylvania State Forest School at Mont Alto."

Amend page 2, line 18, by inserting after the word "hundred" and before the word "thousand" the words "and fifty."

Amend page 2, line 18, by striking out the figures "[($2,300,000)]" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "($2,350,000)."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

A further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1737, (Senate Bill No. 436), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 703), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1161, as follows:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs Pennsylvania

Whereas The waters at Bedford Springs are noted for their medicinal qualities and it is alleged that these waters have the same qualities and medicinal value as the waters of the the famous springs at Carlsbad in Germany and

Whereas These waters are privately owned and may in the future be commercialized to the detriment of the people of the Commonwealth and their free use of the same therefore

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Governor is hereby authorized to appoint a commission to consist of two doctors an attorney-at-law and two citizens whose duty it shall be to examine the waters flowing from the springs at Bedford Springs Pennsylvania and to ascertain their quality and medicinal value and to make report to the General Assembly at the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as to the results of said examination and as to the advisability of the public acquisition of one or more of said springs or the acquisition of a free right of use of the waters of any such spring by the public and the manner of any such acquisition In order to carry out the intent of this act the Commission is authorized to request the aid of the Department of Health and its chemists in making such analyses and tests of waters of said springs as the Commission may deem necessary and the said Department of Health is authorized to perform such service for the Commission when so requested

Section 2 The sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Commission for the payment of the expenses of the Commission in carrying out the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1112, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Presbyterian Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2033, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction and equipment of an addition to the Nurses Home

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of nineteen thousand dollars ($19,000) is hereby appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the purpose of completing the construction and for the equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2300, (Senate Bill No. 103), as follows:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2301, (Senate Bill No. 126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2302, (Senate Bill No. 221), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2303, (Senate Bill No. 275), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2304, (Senate Bill No. 456), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill Streets in the City of Philadelphia by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard.

And said bil lhaving been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2307, (Senate Bill No. 564), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction improvement maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2308, (Senate Bill No. 588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania, for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2309, (Senate Bill No 601), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvana Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks County, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2310, (Senate Bill No. 694), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2311, (Senate Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2320, (Senate Bill No. 1258), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania museum and school of industrial art, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2330, (Senate Bill No. 1344), entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 987, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof when such indebtedness was legally incurred

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Public Instruction is hereby authorized to pay to any school district within the Commonwealth such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to reduce the amount of indebtedness of such district to an amount within the limit of indebtedness such district is allowed to incur under the provisions of the Constitution of the Commonwealth when such excess of indebtedness has been incurred without the violation of any law of the Commonwealth and which when incurred was within the limit allowed by law

Section 2 Any school district within the Commonwealth whose indebtedness is now in excess of the amount such district is allowed to incur but where the same was created and incurred in the faith and credit of an assessment subsequently declared illegal shall file its application with the Superintendent of Public Instruction setting forth the amount of such indebtedness the amount it is legally entitled to incur and the reason for the creation or incuring of such excess If the Superintendent of Public Instruction is satisfied after an examination of such application and after making any exam-

ination or investigation he may deem necessary that such excess indebtedness exists and that it was legally created and by or through the commission of no unlawful act by the directors of such school district he shall issue his requisition on the Auditor General for the payment of such amount and the Auditor General shall thereupon issue his warrant upon the State Treasury for the payment of the same to such district from the appropriation hereinafter made

Section 3 The sum of two hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($215,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated for the purpose hereinbefore set forth

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2296, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula

Whereas On April first and second one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one of the most severe storms of recent years raged on the Great Lakes inflicting unprecedented damage on Lake Erie and Presque Isle State Park and

Whereas The said Presque Isle State Park was inundated trees thereon uprooted and the concrete highway strewn with and covered by driftwood trees and rubbish and

Whereas Sand flood wood and uprooted trees completely block the highway and the entrance to the Park and the highway is undermined and made unsafe for travel therefore

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula

Section 2 The work of clearing repairing and reconstructing the said highway shall be done under the supervision of the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth in the same manner as State highways are repaired and reconstructed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	Lucas,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fish,	Marcus,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Flynn,	Mathay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fox,	McClure,	Shertz,
Baldrige,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gicking,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Harding,	Myers,	Storer,
Black	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Peelor,	Turner,
Boggs,	Haws,	Pennock,	Walker,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Wells,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Pethick,	Welty,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Henderson,	Post,	Wike,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Reader,	Wilson,
Davidson,	Holcombe,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Dengler,	Holmes,	Reyburn,	Witkin,
Denne,	Howe,	Rice	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Huester,	Richards, B.,	Wood,
Donnell,	Jones,	Richards, R.,	Wright,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Eaches,	Kleckner,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Ede,	Kohr,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Ederer,	Linton,	Schrock,	Hess,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Erdley,	Lowe,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—150.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harding,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Paterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Wells,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Welty,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Wettach,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Wike,
Conner,	Holmes,	Post,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reader,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Reed,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rice,	Wood,

Ede,	Lowe,	Richards, B.	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess.
Fish,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 436, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flocker,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Welty,
Conner,	Howe,	Post,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Jones,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Richards B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeagel,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCann,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Hess.
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 799, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baucher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Wells,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Welty,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Wettach,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	White,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Wike,
Davidson,	Howe,	Post,	Williams, G.
Dengler,	Jones,	Powell,	Williams, J.
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wright,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Hess,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fish,	Mathay,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,
Aston,	Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,
Baily,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Barton,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Goodonugh,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, D G.,	Spangler,

Blckett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Wells,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Wettach,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Pierce,	White,
Dengler,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wike,
Denne,	Jones,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kleckner	Purucker,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Reed,	Wood,
Ede,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rice,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Richards, B.,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Richards, R.,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Hess,
		Sautter,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2158, (Senate Bill No. 1140), as follows:

An Act providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in State penitentiaries

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the expenses of keeping the convicts in the State penitentiaries shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted The said expenses shall be paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by the duly authorized agents of said Department at said penitentiaries on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agents of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such counties as may have become indebted for convicts confined in said penitentiaries during such calendar month accounts of the expense of keeping said convicts which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to by them and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the respective boards of trustees of the several penitentiaries And provided also That all salaries of the wardens or superintendents their deputies and assistants the guards and other officers engaged in managing the said penitentiaries or holding positions of authority over the inmates therein shall be paid by the State and shall not be included in computing the cost of keeping convicts in said penitentiaries

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Mathay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Fockler,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McKay,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.	Haines,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Harding,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bicket,t	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Black,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Turner,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Walker,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peters,	Wells,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pethick,	Welty,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Wheeler
Catania,	Himes,	Post,	Wike,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Reader,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Huester,	Reyburn,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Royle,	Wright,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Linton,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Ederer,	Lose,	Schrock	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Evans,	Marcus,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2159, (Senate Bill No. 1141), as follows:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seven) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled 'An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons

confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons' by making further provisions for the disposition of products made in such institutions and authorizing boards of trustees of State institutions to use the proceeds of sales of such product for certain purposes" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 Supplies manufactured articles goods and products so made manufactured or produced may be sold or exchanged to or with the Commonwealth or any county city borough or township thereof or any State institution or any educational or charitable institution receiving aid from the Commonwealth In the case of State institutions or hospitals the proceeds of any sales of products under the provisions of this act [may with the approval of the Department of Welfare be expended by such board of trustees for the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of employes the purchase of supplies or equipment or any other expenses of the kind or description necessary for the proper conduct of any work of such board of trustees] shall be collected by the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasury Provided however That such board of trustees shall keep an accurate record of the dates quantities and prices of all sales [and of the dates and purposes of all expenditures] made hereunder which record shall at all times be subject to examination and audit by the Auditor General of this Commonwealth

Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Gochring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baushcr,	Groes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peclor,	Way,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Weaver,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Wells,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Howe,	Post,	White,
Dengler,	Joncs,	Powell,	Yike,
Fenne.	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Williams, G. W.,
Fitter.	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, J. J.,
Connell,	Kohr,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Cunn,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Witkin,
Aches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Ale,	Loss,	Richards, B.,	Wood,
Derer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fidley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Frans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2160, (Senate Bill No. 1142), as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-four of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 24 Whenever any convicted inmate shall be sentenced either to the county prison of the county wherein such Industrial Home shall be established or to either of the penitentiaries of the Commonwealth it shall be lawful for the authorities of the [proper penal institution] county prison to draw annually a warrant or the duly authorized agents of the Department of Revenue at the said penitentiaries to draw monthly a warrant payable to the Department of Revenue upon the treasurer of the county from which said inmate was originally sentenced for the costs and expenses of her maintenance and the treasurer upon whom such warrant may be drawn shall forthwith pay the same

Section 2 That section twenty-five of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 The [board of managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue shall cause to be kept an account of the expense of the support and maintenance of each person committed to the Industrial Home with the county from which she was sent and bills for such expense for each calendar month shall be forwarded [periodically] by said agents promptly after the last day of such month thereafter to the commissioners of the proper county [deducting first from said bills any amount which has been received from the labor of the prisoner referred to] together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of the proper county and it shall be the duty of the county [officers] treasurer to pay promptly the [balance] amount due on said account [within thirty days from the receipt of this statement] to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer Provided That the aforesaid bill and order rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the counties by the board of trustees of the said Industrial Home for Women

Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Wells,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Welty,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Wettach,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	White,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Wike,
Davidson,	Howe,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Jones,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wright,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Hess,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fish,	Mathay,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2161, (Senate Bill No. 1143), as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three(Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents" as amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled 'An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents' requiring building and loan associations to pay the cost of examinations by the Department of Banking" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 9 Maintenance of Department—(a) Expenses—All moneys derived by the department from fees assessments charges penalties and otherwise shall be paid by the Secretary through the Department of Revenue into the State Treasury for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be available for the use of the department upon requisition of the secretary All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the department for the purpose of paying the salaries of the secretary the deputies the examiners and the other employs of the department the expenses of the department including the rental and furniture of such rooms or quarters as the secretary may deem necessary outside of the Capitol and for the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the department as may be required to furnish them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the department and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and the officers and employes of the department operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the secretary from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisitions not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any such requisition

(b) Assessments of Expenses upon Corporations and Individuals—All the expenses incurred in and about the conduct of the business of the department including the cost of the regular examinations of corporations and persons under the supervision of the department the compensation of the secretary deputies examiners and other employes of the department together with all other general or overhead expenses of the department shall be charged to and paid by the corporations and persons subject to the supervision of the department in equitable proportions at such times and in such manner as the secretary shall by general rule or regulation annually prescribe

Provided however That building and loan associations shall be examined at least once in each year and more frequently if the condition of any building and loan association shall be such that in the opinion of the Secretary of Banking an additional examination is necessary and provided further That the Secretary of Banking may upon the request of any building and loan association appoint a certified public accountant to make at the expense of the association the annual examination instead of an examiner of the department and the building and loan association making such request shall be entitled to and furnished with a copy of the report of the examination

Provided however That the charge for examination of building and loan associations shall not exceed the expenses incurred in connection with such examination including a proportionate part of the salary of the examiner or other employe engaged in such examination but not including departmental overhead properly chargeable to building and loan supervision for which an appropriation shall be made by the General Assembly

The expenses incurred in connection with any special examination or investigation of any corporation or person including a proportionate part of the salary of any examiner or other employe of the department engaged in such examination or investigation shall be charged to and paid by such corporation or person

On failure or refusal of any such corporation or person ter thirty days' written notice to pay any sum lawfully as-ssed or charged against it or him by the secretary under the rovisions of this clause the secretary shall call upon the epartment of Justice to an action at law to recover the seme Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, con-dered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and ays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

lams, P. G.,	Fish,	Mathay,	Shaffer,
ston,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Sheely,
lly,	Fockler,	McClure,	Sheffer,
ldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shortz,
ldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shutt,
ldrige,	Gicking,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
rton,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
tchelor,	Goodnough,	Millar,	Sowers,
usher,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
chtel,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
hm,	Gwynne,	Moore D. G.,	Stark,
ll, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
ll, W. T.,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stein,
cker,	Harding,	Myers,	Sterling,
ckett,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
ack,	Hartsock,	Peck,	Storer,
mberg,	Haws,	Peelor,	Tahl,
gs,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Talbot,
aham,	Hefferon,	Peters,	Turner,
own, E.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Walker,
own, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pierce,	Wells,
own, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Welty,
rns,	Hermansen,	Post,	Wettach,
tania.	Himes,	Powell,	Wheeler,
rk, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Purucker,	Wike,
nner,	Holcombe,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
vidson,	Holmes,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
ngler,	Howe,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
nne,	Huester,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
ter,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
nnell,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
nn,	Kleckner,	Royle,	Wood,
hes,	Kohr,	Sautter,	Wright,
e,	Linton,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
rer,	Lose,	Schreck,	Yerg,
hardt,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
lley,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Hess,
ms,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with ormation that the House has passed it with amendments which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

greeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration House Bill No. 2162, (Senate Bill No. 1144), as follows:

An Act providing for the monthly payment by the counties to he Department of Revenue of charges for clothing main-ining and educating pupils at the Pennsylvania Training chool at Morganza

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-etatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General sembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the ame That the children received by the Board of Trustees of nsylvania Training School at Morganza under the convic-n of or commitment by any court shall be clothed main-ed and instructed by the said Board at the public expense the counties from which they came The said expenses shall paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn the duly authorized agent of said Department at said Train-School on the treasurers of the said counties who shall ac-and pay the same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agent of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for children in said school during such calendar month accounts of the expense of clothing maintaining and educating said children which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the Board of Trustees of said school

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Fockler,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shutt,
Barton,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bogge,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peters,	Weidemann,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Wells,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Welty,
Catania,	Himes,	Pitts,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman	Post,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Wike,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reader,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Huester,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Jones,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Royle,	Wright,
Ede,	Linton,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lose,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Hess,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2164, (Senate Bill No. 1145), as follows:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for

the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The expenses of the keeping of any convict transferred under the provisions of this act in the penitentiary to which transferred shall continue to be borne by the county in which such convict was convicted and the same paid to the [inspectors of that penitentiary] Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer in like manner as such county had borne and paid the expenses of keeping such convict in the penitentiary from which transferred and as provided by law for the payment of the expenses of keeping convicts in State Penitentiaries and the [inspectors of] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue at the penitentiary to which a convict is transferred shall accordingly render the account of such expenses to the county commissioners of the county in which the convict was convicted together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of said county

It shall be the duty of the warden of the penitentiary from which any convict is transferred under the provisions of this act immediately upon such transfer to give notice in writing of the transfer to the county commissioners of the county in which the convict was convicted and to the clerk of the court which sentenced the convict who shall enter and file the same of record

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Baily,	Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Gochring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Barton,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Wells,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Welty,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	White,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wike,
Dengler,	Jones,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reader,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Ede,	Lose,	Rice,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Zeisenhelm,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fish,			Speaker

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2165, (Senate Bill No. 1147), as follows:

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Such person or persons as may be so transferred or retransferred shall be subject to the same term of imprisonment as that imposed upon them at the time of sentence under law as attached to sentence at the time the same was imposed either as to parole or as to commutation by reason of good behavior The expenses of transferring retransferring and keeping such prisoners so transferred or retransferred shall continue to be borne by the county in which such person was convicted and the same shall be paid to the authorities having charge of the transferred or retransferred prisoner by the said county from time to time as bills are rendered Provided That where any prisoner is transferred to a State penitentiary or correctional institution said expenses shall be paid by said county to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer in like manner as provided by law for the payment of the expenses of keeping convicts in the State penitentiaries

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,

Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Munley,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Welty,
Conner,	Howe,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2166, (Senate Bill No. 1148), as follows:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled 'An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof' by making money paid in premiums by subscribers available for the payment of expenses for administering the State Fund and by increasing the salary of the assistant manager be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 11 The money paid in premiums by subscribers is hereby made available for the expenses of administering the Fund including the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the board as may be required to furnish them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the board and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and operated by the officers and employes of the board In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the Fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine The Board shall keep an accurate account of the money paid in premiums by the subscribers and the disbursements on account of injuries to the employes thereof and on account of administering the Fund and if at the expiration of any years there shall be a balance remaining after deducting such disbursements the unearned premiums on undetermined risks and the percentage of premiums paid or payable to create or maintain the surplus provided in section nine of this act and after setting aside and adequate reserve so much of the balance as the Board may determine to be safely distributable shall be distributed among the subscribers in proportion to the premiums paid by them and the proportionate share of such subscribers as shall remain subscribers to the Fund shall be credited to the instalment of premiums next due by them and the proportionate share of such subscribers as shall have ceased to be subscribers in the Fund shall be refunded to them out of the Fund in the manner hereinafter provided

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Wells,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Welty,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Wettach,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	White,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Wike,
Davidson,	Howe,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Jones,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wright,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Hess,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2167, (Senate Bill No. 1149), as follows:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 17 The [managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue shall cause to be kept [by the clerk] an account of the cost of the support and maintenance of each convict with the county from which he is sent to the reformatory which said account shall [annually] monthly be approved by the said [managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue and if the same be true and correct shall be sworn to by [at least three of said managers] said agent and shall promptly after the last day of each calendar month be sent to the commissioners of the proper county [first deducting from the said cost the amount received from the labor of the said convict if any and for the balance the said managers shall sixty days thereafter draw their draft on the proper officers of the counties respectively for the amount so found to be due which draft it shall be the duty of the said county officers to pay] together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of the proper county who shall accept and promptly pay the amount thereof to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer Provided That the aforesaid account and order rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the counties by the board of trustees of the reformatory

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Fockler,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Fox,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hart,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Peck,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peeler,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Wells,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Welty,
Catania,	Himes,	Post,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Wike,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Huester,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Jones,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Royle,	Wood,
Ede,	Linton,	Scutter,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lose,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2184, (Senate Bill No. 36), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day or part day service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—152.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,
Aston	Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Baily,	Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M..2d.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Barton,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,

Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Wells,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Wettach,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Pierce,	White,
Dengler,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wike,
Denne,	Jones,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Reader,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Reed,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rice,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Richards, B.,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans	Lynch,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2271, (Senate Bill No. 1139), as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery solicting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-six of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 26 The Commission shall charge and collect the following fees and shall daily pay all fees received into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

(a) For the filing of any original or renewal application the sum of ten ($10.00) dollars

(b) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of a dealer forty ($40.00) dollars except as hereinafter provided

(c) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of an agent or salesman ten ($10.00) dollars

(d) For each and every registration certificate issued to a dealer after the first day of July of any year twenty ($20.00) dollars

For copies of any papers filed in the office of the commission or for the certification thereof the commission shall charge such fees as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe

Section 2 That section twenty-seven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 27 Upon and after the effective date of this act all moneys derived from fees assessments or charges under this act shall be paid by the commission into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be known as the "Securities Commission Fund" to be available for the use of the commission in the administration of this act upon requisition of the commission subject to the approval of the Department of Banking All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the commission for the purpose of paying the salaries and expenses of the commission and of all employes appointed as may now or hereafter be provided by law for the administration of this act including any special deputy attorney or attorneys general or other counsel or attorneys assigned to or employed for the commission and all other expenses necessary and proper for the administration of this act including equipment and maintenance of and supplies for such offices or quarters as the commission may occupy [and] rentals for such offices outside the Capitol Buildings the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the commission as may be required to furnish them motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the commission and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of said fund and operated by the officers and employes of the commission In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the Fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the commission from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisition not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any requisition therefor

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—158.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Welty,
Conner,	Holmes,	Post,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Howe,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch	Schilling,	Yeakel,

Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the order by which Senate Bill No. 406, (House Bill No. 1258), File Folio 309, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

on page 36 of to-day's calendar, bills on second reading, was directed to be transcribed for a third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed second reading be reconsidered.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which the title was agreed to be reconsidered.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The title was read as follows:

An Act authorizing the county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the title?

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend title, line 2, by inserting after the word "cities" the following: "boroughs, towns and townships."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1931, as follows:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the laws concerning newspapers and relating to official publications legal advertising and legal notices in this Commonwealth are hereby codified revised amended and consolidated as follows

Section 2 This Act shall be known and cited as the "NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING ACT"

Section 3 The following words wherever used in the Acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth now in force or hereafter enacted shall have the following meanings

(1) "NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication bearing a title or name and conveying reading or pictorial intelligence of passing events local or general happenings printing regularly or irregularly editorial comment announcements miscellaneous reading matter commercial advertising classified advertising legal advertising and other notices and which has been issued in numbers of four or more pages at short intervals either daily twice or oftener each week or weekly continuously during a period of at least six months or as the successor of such a printed paper or publication issued during an immediate prior period of at least six months and which has been circulated and distributed from an established place of business to subscribers or readers without regard to number for a definite price or consideration either entered or entitled to be entered under the Postal Rules and Regulations as second class matter in the United States mails and subscribed for by readers at a fixed price for each copy or at a price fixed per annum Provided a newspaper may be either a daily newspaper weekly newspaper newspaper of general circulation official newspaper or a legal newspaper as defined by this Act

(2) "DAILY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper regularly issued every day in the week either including or excluding Sundays and legal holidays

(3) "WEEKLY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper issued at least once a week

(4) "NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION" means a newspaper issued daily or not less than once a week intended for general distribution and circulation and sold at fixed prices per copy per week per month or per annum to subscribers and readers without regard to business trade profession or class

(5) "OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper designated by the Public Service Commission the Workmen's Compensation Board or any other state department commission board or officer for the publication of official notices or advertising or by a resolution or election by a Board of Directors or officers of any corporation or unincorporated association or by a Board of County Commissioners Board of Education Board of School Directors town township borough or city commissioners township supervisors or a newspaper designated by an ordinance or resolution of a township borough city or municipal council or city or county commissioners for the publication of notices and statements required by rule order resolution or ordinance of those lawfully constituted authorities who are specially empowered by statute or custom to elect or designate an official paper or publication for disseminating official and public intelligence among the people of a particular township town borough city county or municipality or a sub-division thereof of this Commonwealth

(6) "LEGAL NEWSPAPER" means "legal periodical" "official legal newspaper" or "official legal periodical" publishing legal intelligence as designated by a rule or rules of Court of any particular judicial district of this Commonwealth for the publication of legal advertisements and notices required by law rule order or decree of Court to be published in a legal newspaper legal periodical official legal newspaper or official legal periodical so designated by the rules of a Court of record

(7) "PERIODICAL" means a printed paper or publication issued in pamphlet or book form regardless of page size or number of pages at stated or regular intervals of more than one day between each issue containing either general class trade technical scientific serial articles or other reading matter advertising et cetera and entitled to be entered as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States

(8) "MAGAZINE" means and partakes of the nature of a periodical

(9) "CLASS MAGAZINE" or "CLASS NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication containing class professional trade commercial technical scientific educational religious financial legal or other matter and intelligence intended to be disseminated exclusively among subscribers or readers concerned or interested in the subject matters published

(10) "JOURNAL" means either a newspaper daily newspaper weekly newspaper newspaper of general circulation legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper class newspaper periodical or magazine

(11) A printed paper or publication regardless of size contents or time of issue or number of copies issued distributed and circulated gratuitously is not a newspaper

(12) A printed paper or publication not entitled to be entered or which has been denied entry as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States is not a newspaper

(13) "SUBSCRIBER" means a person or persons corporation association or society which buys or orders verbally or by written subscription or accepts upon delivery from the United States mails or a carrier issues or copies of any newspaper journal legal newspaper periodical or magazine

(14) "CARRIER" means a person persons partnership corporation or association engaged for hire in the delivery of newspapers periodicals or magazines

(15) "CIRCULATION" means the number of copies printed issued sold or subscribed for by the day week month or year at a particular price for each copy or for a series of issues over a definite period but does not include excepting copies exchanged for other newspapers or publications copies or issues circulated gratuitously among the people by any newspaper official newspaper legal newspaper official legal newspaper ournal magazine or periodical

(16) "SAMPLE COPY" means a copy of a newspaper periodical or magazine distributed without charge or expense o prospective subscribers or advertisers in numbers limited y the United States postal rules and regulations governing econd class mail matter

(17) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISING AND LEGAL ADVERTISING" means any advertisement notice statement report esolution ordinance or abstract of the same required by law ule order or decree of Court by resolution of any board of lirectors stockholders or officers of any corporation or unncorporated association or any board of county commissioners oard of education board of school directors township supervisors borough council city commissioners or city council city anager or by the proclamation of any Sheriff Coroner Mayor rovost or Burgess to be printed and published for a valuable onsideration in either a newspaper a newspaper of general irculation a legal newspaper a legal periodical an official ewspaper or an official legal newspaper

(18) "ADVERTISEMENT" means a printed public notice elating to any matter authorized by any person corporation r association which is published for a valuable consideration n either a newspaper legal newspaper legal periodical official ewspaper official legal newspaper official legal periodical agazine or periodical and which may be required by law rule rder or decree of Court or resolution of any corporation or nincorporated association or by ordinance of any municipality sub-division thereof or by any state board commission board ducation township borough city or county commissioners any public officer

(19) "ADVERTISER" means any person persons partnership corporation society or association of persons who orders nd directs a notice or advertisement to be printed or published in a newspaper periodical legal newspaper or magazine

(20) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication or statement or an abstract of a notice dvertisement publication or statement required to be made y law rule order or decree of Court by any person persons rporation or unincorporated association or by any officer the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or an official or the ficials of any private or public corporation or by a township rough city or county or a municipal sub-division thereof or the conduct of the business of a private or public corporation n the order of any officer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or on the order of any officer of any political subdivision or municipality or in the performance of any official uty imposed by law rule order or decree of Court resolution o ordinance

(21) "LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication statement or abstract of a notice advertisement publication or statement required by resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association municipality a municipality sub-division or ordinance of a municipality or by law or by rule order or decree of Court of competent jurisdiction to be published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper or an official legal periodical

(22) "LEGAL NOTICE" when required to be printed or published means either a legal advertisement a legal notice or an official advertisement or an official legal notice

(23) "NOTICE" means a formal printed anouncement transmitting intelligence information or warning to a particular person or generally to all persons who may read the same

(24) "PUBLICATION" means (a) the act of printing a notice advertisement or proclamation for the purpose of disseminating information to the people at large (b) a journal magazine newspaper legal newspaper or periodical

(25) "PROOF OF PUBLICATION" means a printed or written statement declaring the name of a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper a legal periodical official newspaper or official legal newspaper as defined by this Act of Assembly its place of business when the same was established the date or dates and issue or issue in which a printed notice or publication appeared and to which is securely attached exactly as printed or published a copy of the official advertisement official notice legal notice or legal advertisement verified with a statement of the owner or publisher of such newspaper or periodical in which the official or legal advertisement or notice was published duly sworn to before a person authorized to administer oaths and also declaring that the affiant is not interested in the subject matter of the notice or advertising and that all of the allegations of the statement as to the time place and character of publication are true

(26) "NEWS" means narrative or recent intelligence disseminating current information as to local general or world-wide happenings concerning any person or persons matters of private or public interest or concerning any matters affecting the public welfare

(27) "READING MATTER" means news or other printed matter intended to be read as distinguished from intelligence notices announcements display advertising or advertising published for a compensation

(28) "COLUMN" means a single unit or upright section of the total height of the type printed page as separated from the remainder of the page by a line rule or space and not less than ten ems pica in width

(29) "DISPLAY ADVERTISING" means intelligence made conspicuous and designated by either reading matter printed from various sizes kinds and styles of types or illustrations and printed or published for a compensation demanded or intended to be received from those interested in affected or served by the subject matter published

(30) "CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING" means intelligence or notices published and printed in small or inconspicuous type as advertising classed with similar notices of advertising and for which compensation is intended to be charged

(31) "RATE" means the price or sum fixed for printing and publishing either official legal or commercial advertising and may be either a price or sum fixed for a single reading line in a single column or for a space of the depth of one inch in a single column or it may mean the particular stated sums or prices fixed for printing and publishing official or legal advertising where the style and form does not vary except for the names and addresses of the interested parties such as notices of applications for charters of incorporation stockholders' meetings executors administrators auditors' notices sheriffs' proclamations in divorce register of wills' audit notices obituary or death notices et cetera

(32) "SPACE" means the length and breadth of a printed type page or any sub-division thereof intended to be used for either news or advertising matter of any kind

(33) "LINERS" means advertisements published as reading notices intelligence or announcements for which compensation is intended to be charged to those interested in the publication of the same

(34) "TYPE' means a piece of metal or wood from which either a letter figure or other character is impressed with ink upon paper

(35) "POINT" means a unit of measurement for determining the height of a type letter figure or other character or the width of a rule as heretofore generally known and fixed by general agreement of certain type founders and manufacturers at one hundred and thirty-eight ten-thousandths (.0138) of an inch in length

(36) "AGATE" means a type five and one-half (5½) type points in depth or height

(37) "NONPAREIL" means a type six (6) type points in depth or height

(38) "MINION" means a type seven (7) type points in depth or height

(39) "BREVIER" means a type eight (8) type points in depth or height

(40) "BOURGEOIS" means a type nine (9) type points in depth or height

(41) "LONG PRIMER" means a type ten (10) type points in depth or height

(42) "SMALL PICA" means a type eleven (11) type points in depth or height

(43) "PICA" means a type twelve (12) type points in depth or height

(44) "EM" means a square of a type or a space equal to the square of the depth or height of a particular type as measured by the type's number of points in height

(45) "COLUMN RULE" means the printed line between or which separates the printed columns of any type page

(46) "ADVERTISING RULE" means the line between or which separates any two advertisements or notices

(47) "RESOLUTION" means a formal agreement or consent to do or not to do a certain thing which has been recorded upon the minutes or records of the Public Service Commission the State Board of Pardons or any state council state board or state commission or of the legislative or executive officers of any township borough city or county or subdivision thereof or by either the stockholders or board of directors of a corporation or by the members directors managers or trustees of an unincorporated association or society of individuals

(48) "ORDINANCE" means a municipal rule or regulation adopted in the manner required by the statutes of this Commonwealth by the lawfully constituted officers of any township borough city or county or sub-division thereof or any particular sub-division of this Commonwealth empowered to enact laws rules or regulations for the government of the inhabitants of a particular place

(49) "LAW" means an act of the General Assembly or an enactment entitled an ordinance resolution rule or regulation of any municipality township borough city or county or subdivision thereof

(50) "RULE" means any formal order or direction made by the properly constituted authorities of any municipality or by any Court of Record

(51) "DECREE" means a decision judgment order or sentence of any Court of Record

(52) "COURT" means a court or tribunal of record established for the public administration of justice under the provisions of the Constitution of Pennsylvania

Section 4 Whenever in any legal proceeding action at law or any other matter any notice or any advertising is required to be given by law rule order or decree of Court and discretion is vested by law in any Court to omit or dispense with the publication of any notice or advertisement the same shall not be dispensed with except when a special petition or motion praying for such dispensation be presented in open Court setting forth the reasons for not complying with the provisions of the law rule order or decree of Court requiring the particular notice or advertising and after hearing if the Court is satisfied that no interested person will be injured by omitting or dispensing with the notice or advertising or failure to receive notice of the subject matter of said proceeding or any other matter as contemplated by law an express order of Court setting forth the reason for dispensing that such publication shall be dispensed with

Section 5 All official and legal advertising shall be charged for at an established or declared rate or price per single column line of reading matter measured in depth by the point system or at a rate or price per inch single column When such official and legal advertising is not classified and is not published according to prescribed or recognized forms and no rate has been established or declared such rate for official and legal advertising shall not be in excess of the rates usually charged or received by the newspaper publishing such official and legal advertising for commercial general or other advertising Provided where official and legal advertising is usually and ordinarily published according to recognized or prescribed forms or particular matters are itemized and classified under general headings this Act should not be construed to prohibit the fixing of definite prices or sums for publishing official and legal advertising regardless of the number of single column lines or space required for each item notice or advertisement published in any separate matter or proceeding and regardless of rates established fixed charged or received for commercial general or other advertising The purpose of this provision is to enable newspapers to take into consideration as elements when fixing advertising rates or charges location of the advertisement in the newspaper the purpose to be served the character of the advertising and that a newspaper is entitled to compensation for its readiness at all times to render an advertising service

Section 6 All charges costs and expenses incurred including the fees for affidavits to proofs of publication for official and legal advertising in any matter action at law proceeding in Court or legal proceeding in any matter settlement of estates public sales of real estate by either sheriffs masters executors administrators trustees or other persons shall be taxable collectable and payable as other Court costs and expenses of administration are now required by law to be taxed collected and paid upon all judgments orders and decrees of Court Provided no action at law proceeding in Court settlement of estate sale or other matter in any legal proceeding shall be fully and finally determined until there has been filed of record in such matter or proceeding a receipt certifying that such advertising and publication charges have been paid the same as all Court and legal proceeding costs are now required to be paid

Section 7 No legal proceeding matter or case in which notice is required to be given by official or legal advertising shall be binding and effective upon any interested person party corporation association or society unless such official and legal advertising be printed and published in the newspapers of general circulation official newspapers and legal newspapers defined by this act and which have been established and published continuously for at least six months in the proper county prior to such publication in the manner and as required by existing statutes and by Acts of Assembly hereafter enacted and by any rule order or decree of Court resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association or ordinance rule or regulation of any municipality state board state commission state official township borough city or county commissioners board of education or other public officer or public officers in the newspapers of general circulation official newspaper and legal newspapers defined by this Act of Assembly and a proof of publication as hereinbefore provided filed of record in such matter or proceeding

Section 8 All newspapers of general circulation official newspapers legal newspapers and legal periodicals accepting and publishing official and legal advertising are hereby required to fix and establish rates and charges for official legal and all other kinds of advertising offered or accepted for publication and such newspapers and periodicals shall furnish on demand to any person or persons having use for the same detailed schedules stating the rates and charges which shall be deemed to be in force and effect until changed or altered and when changed or altered such newspaper or periodical shall give the person persons corporation association municipality or municipalities or public officers authorized or required to publish advertising before demanding or receiving compensation at any increased rate notice that the rates and charges of such newspaper or periodical or advertising have been changed or abrogated and that increased advertising rates and charges have been established or fixed

Section 9—The provisions of this Act are intended to be a comprehensive statute creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices official advertisements and advertisements as defined by this act or abstracts of any notice statement or advertisement required by law or rule order or decree of Court to be published in a newspaper defining the newspapers in which

official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising and legal notices where rates circulation of the particular publication size of columns or pages and kind or size of type used vary in newspapers of different localities in this Commonwealth

Section 10 The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The provisions of this act shall not affect any suit or action pending but the same shall and may be proceeded with and concluded under the laws in existence when such suit or action was instituted notwithstanding the provisions of this act "Provided that no advertising by any County City Borough or Township shall be required hereunder that is not required or is different from that required under existing laws"

Section 11 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions hereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 12 All general acts and parts of general acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed but existing local or special acts of Assembly shall not be repealed altered amended or affected

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—136.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,
Aston,	Fockler,	Lowe,	Schilling,
Baily,	Fox,	Lucas,	Schreck,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	Marcus,	Schrock,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Barton,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Bechtel,	Gross,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Millar,	Spangler,
Black,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Miller, S. H.,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Moore, D. G.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Walker,
Catania,	Henderson,	Peck,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Welty,
Davidson,	Himes,	Pennock,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Hoffman ,	Peters,	Wike,
Denne,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Huester,	Post,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Jones,	Purucker	Wood,
Ederer,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Yerg,
Evans,	Leidich,	Rice,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1598, as follows:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or National banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by section two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventeen) entititled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' providing for reciprocity with other States in the taxation of the transfer of property of non-resident decedents" and which was again amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act, approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear value of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provision of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amounts to less than the following rates then

in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendant to such child his wife or widow and passing from an illegitimate child to his mother at the rate of one-half of one per centum upon the clear value of all property passing for exclusively public purposes to or for the use of any of the following bodies namely the United States or any agency bureau establishment or institution of the United States the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any city borough county township school district or other municipal or political subdivision of said Commonwealth and [with respect to] all property passing to or for the use of any corporation association foundation institution or establishment formed or organized or to be formed or organized (whether or not formed or organized operated or administered within or under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania) and operated exclusively for religious charitable scientific literary or educational purposes including the encouragement of art and the prevention of cruelty to children or animals and including [posts and similar institutions of veterans of wars of the United States no part of the net earnings of which] any post or similar institution of veterans of wars of the United States if no part of the net earnings of such corporation association foundation institution establishment or post or similar institution inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual or passing to or for the use of a trustee for the purposes aforesaid or any of them and at the rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any other person or person bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth In ascertaining the clear value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amounts the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to the care and preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monuments or gravestones grave and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such estates and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for or on account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or Territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

Section 2 That section sixteen of said act which was amended by section four of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and seventy-eight) entitled "An act to amend an act approved June twentieth one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer [or] of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national bank-ink association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 16 The executor or administrator or other trustee paying any legacy or share in the distribution of any estate of a resident decedent subject to the said tax shall deduct therefrom [at the rate of two per centum upon the whole legacy or sum paid to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and upon the whole legacy from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendant to such illegitimate child his wife or widow or from an illegitimate child to his mother and at the rate of ten per centum upon the whole legacy or sum paid to or for the use of any other person or persons or bodies corporate or politic or if] the tax imposed by this act at the rate applicable to such legacy or share under the foregoing provisions of this act provided that that if such legacy or share is not money he shall demand payment of a sum to be computed at the same rate upon the appraised value thereof No executor or administrator shall be compelled to pay or deliver any specific legacy or article to be distributed subject to tax except on the payment into his hands of a sum computed on its value as aforesaid In case of neglect or refusal on the part of such legatee to pay the same such specific legacy or article or so much thereof as shall be necessary shall be sold by such executor or administrator at public sale after notice to such legatee and the balance that may be left in the hands of the executor or administrator shall be distribuuted as is or may be directed by law Every sum of money, retained by any executor or administrator or paid into his hands on account of any legacy or distributive share for the use of the Commonwealth shall be paid by him without delay

Section 3 All acts or parts of act inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed but nothing herein contained shall repeal any of the provisions of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act providing that estates in buildings ground books curios pictures statuary and other works of art passing by will to any municipality corporation or unincorporated body for free exhibition within Pennsylvania shall not be subject to collateral inheritance tax and in certain instances the date when such tax shall become due" nor any of the provisions of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eleven hundred and forty-three) entitled "An act relating to free public non-sectarian libraries and branch libraries within this Commonwealth providing for their establishment maintenance and regulation and for the maintenance and regulation of such free public non-sectarian libraries as may have been established by the several counties cities boroughs towns and townships and providing that all library property and all gifts devises grants or endowments for library purposes shall be exempt from taxation and providing that the several counties cities boroughs towns and townships may levy taxes condemn private property and borrow money for library purposes and imposing penalties for injuring a library property and for violations of library regulations and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the sponsor of this bill.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Marcus, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MARCUS. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to ask if this is a bill that provides for the one-half of the one per cent. tax?

Mr. MARCUS. That is correct, sir.

Mr. TURNER. Am I correct in my understanding that it reduces the inheritance tax?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, under this act there is a reduction from ten per cent. to one-half of one per cent. on charitable bequests, and I might add that this bill has the endorsement of the administration.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the gentleman from Allegheny if he has any estimate of the amount this will cost the Commonwealth by the reduction in income.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in reply to the gentleman from Delaware I would say that I have not, but before this bill was presented to the membership of this House its provisions were gone over very carefully

by Mr. Rigby of the Auditor General's Department, and he was fully satisfied it was a measure that would not injure the revenue of the State to any considerable amount.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I feel that we ought to call to the attention of the House the fact that the other night we passed a bill reducing the collateral inheritance tax from ten per cent. to five per cent. which I think it was estimated would cost the Commonwealth about $600,000 in revenue. If the reduction of taxation on collateral inheritances from ten per cent. to five per cent. results in a loss of $600,000 to the Commonwealth, the reduction to one-half of one per cent. would be a decrease certainly by that much in proportion.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, in answer to the statement of the gentleman from Delaware, I wish to call to his attention that this act only applies to charitable bequests. It is true that there have been three bills introduced in this House, Mr. Speaker, this session, one by the gentleman from Bedford, Mr. Wright, that made it two per cent. on charitable bequests; another was introduced by the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Mathay, which made the rate five per cent. Then this bill was introduced, which you are now about to approve, which makes it one-half of one per cent. These bills were carefully digested by the administration and after having been gone over carefully by the administration I am informed that it is the wish of the administration that the membership of this House vote for this bill. I am certain that the administration would heartily approve your support of this bill.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I think all of us are in sympathy with bequests to charitable institutions and I believe it is the argument of those who are interested in such organizations that the passage of this bill will assist in the securing of further bequests to charitable institutions. I doubt that very much. I would like to help the charities of Pennsylvania whenever and wherever I can, but I want to call this fact to your attention, that these charities, wherever they have established these institutions, are relieved from local taxation. In the county which I have the honor to represent we have a great number of charitable institutions that have been established in different country districts where they desire to secure more land and more room, and while this bill has no relation directly to local taxation, it is one of the opportunities at least to secure something out of the money that goes to charitable institutions. I believe this bill will reduce the amount of the income of the Commonwealth something over $1,000,000, and, at a time when we are struggling to secure every penny we can to help along our charities in Pennsylvania and striving to secure a greater amount in the appropriation bills, which becomes a direct charge on the revenue of the Commonwealth, I do not believe this bill should be passed.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—109.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Marcus,	Riddle,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fockler,	Mathay,	Royle,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Sautter,
Barton,	Fuller	McCann,	Schilling,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	McKay,	Sheely,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Boggs,	Haws,	Millar,	Sowers,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Burke,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Burns,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Steedle,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Cooke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Storer,
Davidson,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Dietrich,	Howe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Ditter,	Huester,	Pitts,	Wettach,
Dunn,	King,	Post,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Reader,	Witherspoon,
Embardt,	Linton,	Reed,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lucas,	Rice,	Hess,
Fish,	Lynch,	Richards, B.,	Speaker.

NAYS—25.

Aston,	Gicking,	Myers,	Walker,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Patterson, F. W.,	Wells.
Bickett,	Kleckner,	Peck,	Wheeler,
Black,	Kohr,	Spangler,	Williams, G. W.
Brown, E. P.,	Miller, S. H.,	Stein,	Wood,
Brown, T. J.,	Moore, D. G.,	Turner,	Wright,
Clark, M. S.,			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1994, (Senate Bill No. 837), as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect classify and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives and index to the Pennsylvania Archives and to re-edit "Frontier Forts" providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum is hereby authorized and empowered to collect classify and edit material to be included in an eighth and ninth series of the Pennsylvania Archives and to revise and edit the volumes heretofore published by the Commonwealth and known as "Frontier Forts" and the Department of Public Instruction shall cause such volumes of Archives and "Frontier Forts" when compiled and edited to be published at by the Department of Property and Supplies the expense of the Commonwealth

The eighth series of Pennsylvania Archives shall consist of approximately twelve volumes and shall include the votes of the Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania beginning the fourth day of December one thousand six hundred and eighty-two and ending the twenty-sixth day of September one thousand seven hundred and seventy-six

The ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives shall consist of approximately eight volumes and shall include the executive minutes of the Governor of the Commonwealth from the twenty-first day of December one thousand seven hundred and ninety to the twenty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight

The edition of "Frontier Forts" shall consist of a re-editing of the former edition using only such material appearing in the former edition which is known to be correct re-writing that which subsequent investigation has proven to be somewhat incorrect and adding such material as has since been discovered including stories of fortifications which have been found to have been in existence since the publication of "Frontier Forts"

The Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum is also authorized and empowered to prepare and cause to be published an index of the volumes of Pennsylvania Archives including those to be published by authority of this act

The number of each volume of said eighth and ninth series of Archives and of the index to the Archives to be published

shall be three thousand and the number of each volume of "Frontier Forts" to be published shall be six thousand

Section 2 The sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the payment of the cost of printing publication and distribution of the volumes provided for by this act Payments from said appropriation shall be made in the manner provided by law

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,
Aston,	Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,
Baily,	Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.	Fox,	Mathay,	Schreck,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Barton,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheely,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Burns,	Henderson,	Peck,	Walker,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Wells
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Welty,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Wike,
Dengler,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Howe,	Pierce,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Huester,	Pitts,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Jones,	Post,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wood,
Eaches,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wright,
Ede,	Kohr,	Reed,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Rice,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Hess,
Evans,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1993, (Senate Bill No. 835), as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect classify and edit additional volumes of the Statutes-at-Large providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum is hereby authorized and empowered to collect classify and is hereby authorized and empowered to collect classify and edit material to be included in a volume numbered one of the Statutes-at-Large of the Commonwealth which shall consist of a reprint of the charters and laws of Pennsylvania enacted prior to seventeen hundred together with the action of the Crown upon these laws the unpublished commissions and secret instructions to the several deputy governors which explain many of the difficulties they labored under in assenting to the enactments of the assembly and the various essential documents on which the colonial legislation was fundamentally based said volume to be substantially in accordance with the plan announced by the commissioners who compiled the existing volumes of Statutes-at-Large

The Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum is also authorized to compile volumes nineteen and twenty of the Statutes-at-Large commencing at the point where volume eighteen ended

The Department of Public Instruction shall cause five thousand copies of each of said volumes of Statutes-at-Large to be published by the Department of Property and Supplies at the expense of the Commonwealth

Section 2 The sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the payment of the cost of printing and publishing the volumes of Statutes-at-Large provided for by this act Payments from said appropriation shall be made in the manner provided by law

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—136.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,
Aston,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Schilling,
Baily,	Fox,	Marcus,	Schreck,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Barton,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Bechtel,	Gross,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Millar,	Spangler,
Black,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Miller, S. H.,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Moore, D. G.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan	Mumford,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Walker,
Catania,	Henderson,	Peck,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Welty,
Davidson,	Himes,	Pennock,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Wike,
Denne,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Jones,	Post,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wood,
Ederer,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Kohr,	Reed,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Yerg,
Evans,	Linton,	Rice,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER.

The SPEAKER. The Chair desires to explain to the members of the House that House bills on third reading, unless they are considered to-night, will be in considerable jeopardy.

It would require most expeditious action on them for a bill on third reading to pass after to-morrow. For this reason the House will be at ease until we have another report from the printer. There are a number of third reading bills that are in print and which you will have on your desk later in the evening.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, has the Chair any idea of the number of third reading House bills that have not as yet been acted on on the third reading calendar?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is advised that there are not very many on this calendar.

Mr. TURNER. If there are not very many of them, might we not have the numbers of the bills that have not yet been acted on while we are waiting now?

The SPEAKER. The Chair would state to the House that there are now thirty-four appropriation bills not on file, thirty-two third reading bills not on file, and three bills recalled from the Governor that are not on file. Instructions have been given to the printing office to deliver all of these bills to the House to-night. We are desirous to protect the legislation of all of the members of this House and that is the only way it can be accomplished, so the House will be at ease until these bills are on file.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, while I was away on appropriation committee business on Wednesday of last week, during the afternoon session I was marked up as voting "yes" for House Bill No. 1952 and House Bill No. 1955 known as the Convict Labor bills. During the last session I was marked up the same way and there was a circular sent around which very nearly caused my defeat and I would like to have this spread on the Legislative Journal; that I was absent on affairs of the Appropriations Committee and did not vote "yes" and these two bills.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman will be noted in the Journal.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. KOHR. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Cumberland will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. KOHR. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, there have been a number of inquiries about the purpose of House Bill No. 1955 in connection with the building of this institution in Cumberland County, and I would like to say for the information of those who have inquired about it, that the bill has been amended in the Senate striking out that feature providing for some of the labor being done by prisoners from Rockview Penitentiary.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread on the Journal.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1594 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concurs) That House Bill No. 1594, Printer's No. 533, White Folio 3221, entitled: "A supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled 'An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof' authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence, bills numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1308. (HOUSE BILL No. 2349).

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Referred to the Committee on Military.

SENATE BILL No. 691. (HOUSE BILL No. 2350).

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 534), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films, reels, or stereopticon views or slides; providing a system of examination, approval, and regulation thereof, and of the banners, posters, and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith; creating the Board of Censors; and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

Referred to the Committee on Centennial Affairs.

SENATE BILL No. 425. (HOUSE BILL No. 2351).

An Act providing that when Cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 399. (HOUSE BILL No. 2352).

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 367), entitled "An act authorizing the council of cities of the second class to fix the salary of the heads of departments of said cities and providing the maximum amount thereof," by removing the limitation on the amount of the salaries of heads of departments.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

SENATE BILL No. 1334. (HOUSE BILL No. 2353).

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 506. (HOUSE BILL No. 2354).

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, siez, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

SENATE BILL No. 48. (HOUSE BILL No. 1355).

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 73. (HOUSE BILL No. 2356).

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 123. (HOUSE BILL No. 2357).

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for discharged prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 202. (HOUSE BILL No. 2358).

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 203. (HOUSE BILL No. 2359).

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Allegheny County

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 204. (HOUSE BILL No. 2360).

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association, located on Sherman Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 224. (HOUSE BILL No. 2361).

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 239. (HOUSE BILL No. 2362).

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 240. (HOUSE BILL No. 2363).

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 242. (HOUSE BILL No. 2364).

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 273. (HOUSE BILL No. 2365).

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 371. (HOUSE BILL No. 2366.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 372. (HOUSE BILL No. 2367.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 373. (HOUSE BILL No. 2368.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 413. (HOUSE BILL No. 2369.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 423. (HOUSE BILL No. 2370.)

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 431. (HOUSE BILL No. 2371.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 442. (HOUSE BILL No. 2372.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 461. (HOUSE BILL No. 2373.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 554. (HOUSE BILL No. 2374.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 559. (HOUSE BILL No. 2375.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 652. (HOUSE BILL No. 2376.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged, located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 653. (HOUSE BILL No. 2377.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 684. (HOUSE BILL No. 2378.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for The Aged, at Philadelphia.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 695. (HOUSE BILL No. 2579.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 845. (HOUSE BILL No. 2380.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants, located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1095. (HOUSE BILL No. 2381.)

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery, at McKcesport, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1136. (HOUSE BILL No. 2382.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, Allegheny County.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1289. (HOUSE BILL No. 2385.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1295. (HOUSE BILL No. 2384.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1301. (HOUSE BILL No. 2385.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society, at Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1305. (HOUSE BILL No. 2386.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1331. (HOUSE BILL No. 2387.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1340. (HOUSE BILL No. 2388.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1342. (HOUSE BILL No. 2389.)

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. WHEELER, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2001, entitled:

An Act providing for disability allowances by the Commonwealth to totally disabled veterans as defined in this act; providing for a Veterans' Insurance Board in the Department of Military Affairs, and defining its powers and duties relative to the administration of the system of disability allowance; and providing penalties.

Mr. EMHARDT, from the Committee on Judiciary Special, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2354, (Senate Bill No. 506), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings,' and or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces, appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on Centennial Affairs, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2350, (Senate Bill No. 691), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2355, (Senate Bill No. 48), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2356, (Senate Bill No. 73), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2357, (Senate Bill No. 123), entitled:.

An Act making appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2358, (Senate Bill No. 202), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2359, (Senate Bill No. 203), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Allegheny County.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2360, (Senate Bill No. 204), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association, located on Sherman Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2361, (Senate Bill No. 224), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2362, (Senate Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2363, (Senate Bill No. 240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2364, (Senate Bill No. 242), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2365, (Senate Bill No. 273), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2366, (Senate Bill No. 371), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2367, (Senate Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2368, (Senate Bill No. 373), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2369, (Senate Bill No. 413), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2370, (Senate Bill No. 423), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2371, (Senate Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2372, (Senate Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2373, (Senate Bill No. 461), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2374, (Senate Bill No. 554), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2375, (Senate Bill No. 559), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2376, (Senate Bill No. 652), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged, located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2377, (Senate Bill No. 653), entitled

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2378, (Senate Bill No. 684), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged, at Philadelphia.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2379, (Senate Bill No. 695), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2380, (Senate Bill No. 845), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2381, (Senate Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery, at McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2382, (Senate Bill No. 1136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2383, (Senate Bill No. 1289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2384, (Senate Bill No. 1293), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2385, (Senate Bill No. 1301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2386, (Senate Bill No. 1305), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2387, (Senate Bill No. 1331), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2388, (Senate Bill No. 1340), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2389, (Senate Bill No. 1342), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys, of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Mr. BICKETT, from the Committee on Manufactures, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2181, (Senate Bill No. 958), entitled:

An Act to amend section one, three hundred and five, three hundred and six, and three hundred and seven as amended, of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2001, entitled:

An Act providing for disability allowances by the Commonwealth to totally disabled veterans as defined in this act; providing for a Veterans' Insurance Board in the Department of Military Affairs, and defining its powers and duties relative to the administration of the system of disability allowance; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2354, (Senate Bill No. 506), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances, regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau, providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2350, (Senate Bill No. 691), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2355, (Senate Bill No. 48), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2356, (Senate Bill No. 73), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children in the city of Reading Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2357, (Senate Bill No. 123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2358, (Senate Bill No. 202), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind Incorporated at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2359, (Senate Bill No. 203), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2360, (Senate Bill No. 204), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered. To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2361, (Senate Bill No. 224), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2362, (Senate Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home at Williamsport Lycoming County Pensylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2363, (Senate Bill No. 240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission of the City of Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2364, (Senate Bill No. 242), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of the City of Williamsport Pensylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2365, (Senate Bill No. 273), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association New Castle Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2366, (Senate Bill No. 371), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2367, (Senate Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2368, (Senate Bill No. 373), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children of the City of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2369, (Senate Bill No. 413), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2370, (Senate Bill No. 423), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2371, (Senate Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pensylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2372, (Senate Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2373, (Senate Bill No. 461), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2374, (Senate Bill No. 554), entitled:

An Act making an appropriatiion to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2375, (Senate Bill No 559), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2376, (Senate Bill No. 652), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2377, (Senate Bill No 653), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2378, (Senate Bill No. 684), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2379, (Senate Bill No. 695), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2380, (Senate Bill No. 845), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2381, (Senate Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2382, (Senate Bill No. 1136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2383, (Senate Bill No. 1289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2384, (Senate Bill No. 1293), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2385, (Senate Bill No. 1301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2386, (Senate Bill No. 1305), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home of Erie Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2387, (Senate Bill No. 1331), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2388, (Senate Bill No. 1340), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2389, (Senate Bill No. 1342), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time.

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2181, (Senate Bill No. 958), entitled:

An Act to amend section one sections three hundred and five three hundred and six and three hundred and seven as amended of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2084, as follows:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the moneys from time to time in the State Farm Products Show Fund in the State Treasury be and the same are hereby appropriated to the State Farm Products Show Commission for the following purposes

(a) The payment of traveling and other necessary expenses of members of the Commission

(b) The payment of the salaries and expenses of employes of the Department of Agriculture assigned to the work of the Commission

(c) The rental of a building or buildings and grounds for holding such exhibitions as the Commission is authorized by law to hold

(d) The maintenance of the Farm Show building if and when erected by the Commonwealth and the improvement and maintenance of the grounds surrounding it

(e) The payment of prizes and premiums in connection with any exhibition held by the Commission and

(f) The payment of all other expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Commission

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E .,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Root,	Witkin,
Faches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1473, as follows:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway

Secton 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That subject to the terms and conditions and limitation in this act contained the Governor of this Commonwealth for

and in behalf of and in the name of this Commonwealth be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to grant and convey unto the United States of America a tract of land not to exceed one thousand acres in area to be selected by the duly authorized officers and agents of the United States of America from any lands heretofore reserved or acquired and now owned and held for forest reserves to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President of the United States and such other buildings and improvements as may be deemed incidental and necessary for the proper maintenance of such dwelling and home for the purchase price therefor of one cent for each acre of land so granted and conveyed

Section 2 That as of the date of the grant and conveyance aforesaid the exclusive jurisdiction over the lands so granted and conveyed is hereby ceded to the United States of America by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and said lands shall be exempt from the payment of all taxes State and local Provided That the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the land so granted and conveyed for the purpose of serving all civil processes and provided further That such criminal processes as may issue under the authority of the Commonwealth against any person or persons charged with crimes or misdemeanors committed without the area so granted and conveyed may be executed therein in the same manner as though this cession had not been made

Section 3 That as of the date of the grant and conveyance aforesaid a State highway is hereby established the route of which shall be as follows

Beginning at a point on the boundary of the State of Pennsylvania and to be selected and designated by the duly authorized officers and agents of the United States and the Secretary of Highways and running thence along a line to be established by said officers and agents of the United States and the Secretary of Highways to the line of the lands so granted and conveyed

Section 4 That said highway shall be constructed and improved and shall be maintained so long as the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania retains jurisdiction over said highway by the Department of Highways in accordance with the existing laws of the Commonwealth relating to the construction improvement and maintenance of State highways

Section 5 That the cost of such construction improvement and maintenance shall be paid out of any moneys appropriated from time to time to the Department of Highways for the construction improvement and maintenance of State highways

Section 6 That on and after the grant and conveyance aforesaid and upon the acceptance of the same by the United States of America the exclusive jurisdiction over the highway herein established is hereby ceded to the United States of America by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Provided That this cession is made upon the express condition that the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania so far retains concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over said highway as that all civil and criminal process issued under the authority of this Commonwealth may be executed thereon in like manner as if this cession had not been made and provided further That all offences against the criminal laws of Pennsylvania committed upon said highway shall remain as before cognizable in the courts of this Commonwealth but nothing herein contained shall in any wise interfere with the right and power and jurisdiction of the United States to enact and enforce laws for the protection of said highway and for the protection and comfort of travelers on said highway and for insuring unto the President of the United States his family his officers and agents and his guests free and unobstructed and safe passage over and along said highway

Section 7 That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1768, as follows:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salaries of the court criers of the several courts in counties of the third class is hereby fixed at two thousands dollars per annum and the salaries of the tipstaves in said counties is fixed at eighteen hundred dollars per annum Such salaries shall be paid out of the county treasury in the usual manner

Section 2 That the act approved the seventeenth day of March nineteen hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, thirty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class is hereby repealed absolutely All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1972, as follows:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class is hereby fixed at five hundred dollars ($500) per annum for each director payable out of the funds of the poor district

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts general local or special inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1890, as follows:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff of any county under execution or attachment process issued out of any court of this Commonwealth and the sheriff has been notified that said goods and chattels or any part of them belong to any person or persons other than the defendant or defendants in said execution or process and the said sheriff shall have entered a rule in the court out of which said execution or process issued on the supposed owner to show cause why an issue should not be framed to determine the ownership of said goods and chattels if the defendant in said execution canno tbe found in the county it shall be a sufficient notice of said rule to the said defendant for the sheriff to publish a notice giving the term and number of said execution and the name of said plaintiff and of the entry of said rule in one issue of the newspaper published nearest to said defendant's last known place of residence and in the law journal if any of the county in which said rule was entered requiring said de-

fendant to enter his appearance in said cause within ten days from the date of publication of said notice and in default of said appearance said rule may be proceeded with with the same full force and effect as though service of said rule had been made personally on said defendant on the day of the publication aforesaid

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2012, as follows:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Genelar Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class shall be five dollars ($5.00) per diem together with mileage as now provided by law

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2013, as follows:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in cities boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the court of common pleas of each county shall before the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and every fourth year thereafter appoint two persons in the respective boroughs and townships of such counties to act as and perform the duties of overseers of the poor in such city borough or township in every poor district situated in two counties for a term of four years commencing the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

Section 2 The compensation powers and duties of the overseers of the poor appointed under the provisions of this act shall be the same as those now holding such office in the respective boroughs and townships

Section 3 If any person appointed to any such office shall neglect or refuse to serve therein or if a vacancy shall occur in such office by death resignation or otherwise the said court shall appoint a person to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term of the person whose place he or she is appointed to fill

Section 4 The term of office of all persons now holding office as overseers of the poor in the boroughs and townships shall cease and terminate at twelve o'clock midnight immediately preceding the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

Section 5 Section five of the act approved the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the Incorporation of Boroughs" and

Section nine of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five (Pamphlet Laws forty-five) entitled "A supplement to the act relating to county rates and levies and township rates and levies and to the act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers" and

Section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty) entitled "An act regulating the election of overseers of the poor" and the amendments thereto are hereby specifically repealed in so far as they relate to the election of overseers of the poor in boroughs or townships

All acts and parts of acts general local and special inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2067, as follows:

An Act making it unlawful for any alderman justice of the peace or magistrate to refuse or neglect to return each bail deposited with him for the appearance of any defendant in a criminal proceeding at the same time that the transcript of the proceedings is returned

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever current money of the United States is deposited with any alderman justice of the peace or magistrate in lieu of bail and recognizance with surety or sureties as surety for the appearance of any defendant in any criminal action at any term of court of quarter sessions oyer and terminer or general jail delivery the said alderman justic of the peace or magistrate shall return said money so deposited with him to the Clerk of such court at the same time that he returns the transcript of such criminal proceedings

Section 2 Any alderman justice of the peace or magistrate refusing or neglecting to comply with the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or undergo imprisonment not exceeding one year or both at the discretion of the court

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2133 as follows:

An Act making it unlawful to construct dams of more than one hundred feet in height declaring such dams if built to be a nuisance and abatable as such and requiring applicants for permits to build certain dams to furnish proof of their financial responsibility

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act it shall be unlawful for any person association copartnership or corporation to build construct or erect any dam in any of the streams of this Commonwealth for any purpose that shall be of a greater height than one hundred feet above the bed of said stream

Section 2 Any dam or part of a dam hereafter built which shall be of a greater height than one hundred feet above the bed of the stream on which it is located shall be and is hereby declared to be a nuisance and such nuisance may be abated by order of any court of common pleas of the county wherein such dam or any part thereof is located on the complaint of any person whose interests are or may be adversely affected by the construction of such dam or by the subsequent failure

or breaking of such dam and the consequent floood of waters released thereby

Section 3 No permit shall hereafter be given by the Water and Power Resources Board of the Department of Forests and Waters to any person association copartnership or corporation for the construction of any new dam or for the alteration or addition to any existing dam in any of the streams or rivers in this Commonwealth which dam when completed shall be twenty feet or more in height unless such board shall be convinced to its satisfaction that such applicant shall be financially responsible and able to pay all future damages for which it may be reasonably expected to become liable in the event of a subsequent failure or breaking of such dam

Section 4 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in the Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No.1959, as follows:

An Act providing for and regulating the commissioning of policemen for corporations associations copartnerships and individuals defining the powers and liabilities of such policemen and their employes and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any corporation association copartnership or individual owning or leasing and operating any railroad colliery mine furnace rolling mill water company water supply company water power company electric light company electric power company electric transmission company quarrying company or express company within this Commonwealth may apply to the Governor for the purpose of having him commission one or more persons citizens of the Commonwealth as policemen for such corporation association copartnership or individual The Governor upon receipt of such application together with proof of good reputation and such other facts and recommendations as he may require shall have power to appoint such persons as he may deem proper as policemen and to issue to such persons commissions to act as such

Section 2 Every policeman appointed under the provisions of this act shall before entering upon the duties of his office give bond to the Commonwealth in the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties Such bond shall be executed by the policeman and by the corporation association copartnership or individual applying for such appointment as principals and the surety on such bond shall be a surety company authorized to do business in this Commonwealth Every policeman shall also before entering upon the duties of his office take and subscribe the oath of office required by Article Eight of the Constitution The oath and bond of every policeman shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth and any person damaged by the illegal act of any such policeman shall have a right of recovery on such bond

Section 3 The commission of every policeman so appointed shall be recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and shall also be recorded in the office for the recording of deeds of the county in which he is employed

Section 4 Every policeman appointed under the provisions of this act shall posses and exercise the powers of policemen of cities of the first class and the keepers of jails lockups and station houses are required to receive all persons arrested by such policemen for the commission of any offense against the laws of this Commonwealth upon or within one thousand feet of the property of the corporation association copartnership or individual for which or for whom he is employed but any such policeman may pursue any criminal beyond the above limits of territory and he may transport prisoners to places of detention provided however that the limitations above prescribed shall not apply where a policeman is appointed for an express company

Section 5 Such police shall when on duty wear a metallic shield with the words "Industrial Police" and the name of the corporation association copartnership or individual for which appointed inscribed thereon and such shields shall always be worn in plain view

Section 6 The compenstion of such police shall be paid by the corporation association copartnership or individual for which he was appointed

Section 7 Whenever any such policeman leaves the employ of any corporation association copartnership or individual or is dismissed from service it shall be the duty of the employer to immediately lift the commission of such officer and produce the same before the recorder of deeds who shall at the instance of the employer mark such commission cancelled Thereupon the original commission shall be returned by the employer to the Secretary of the Commonwealth who shall also mark on his records the fact that said commission has been cancelled

Section 8 If any policeman appointed under the provisions of this act shall refuse to surrender his commission of his employer within five days after he leaves such employ or after receiving notice from the corporation association copartnership or individual that his employment has been terminated he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) or by imprisonment not exceeding six months or both in the discretion of the court

Section 9 Every corporation association copartnership or individual at whose instance a policeman is appointed under the provisions of this act shall be liable civilly for the illegal acts of such policeman committed while acting in the scope of his employment

Section 10 The commissions of all policemen heretofore issued by the Governor under the provisions of existing laws are hereby revoked at the end of thirty days after this act takes effect and the commissions of all such policemen shall be lifted and cancelled as provided by section seven of this act and the failure of any policeman to surrender his commission shall make him liable to the penalties provided by section eight of this act

Section 11 The act approved the twenty-seventh day of February one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act empowering railroad companies to employ police force" and the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six (Pamphlet Laws ninety-nine) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twenty-seventh day of February Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five entitled 'An act empowering railroad companies to employ police force'" and the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fourteen) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six (Pamphlet Laws ninety-nine) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twenty-seventh day of February Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act empowering railroad companies to employ police force' by extending the same to certain other companies" are hereby repealed

Commission granted under the authority of said repealed laws shall remain in force for a period of thirty days after this act takes effect

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1968, as follows:

An Act providing that any order of the juvenile court of any county of the second class or action of any of its probation officers touching the custody of any child under the jurisdiction of said court calculated to affect the liability of said county for the support or maintenance of said county for the

upport or maintenance of said child shall in order to affect he county's liability for the same be certified or reported y the clerk chief probation officer or such other person as aid court shall designate to the county commissioners of uch county with full details within five days after said order is made or action taken and repealing inconsistent legislation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever any judge of the juvenile court of any county of the second class within this Commonwealth or any probation officer thereof shall make any order or take any action affecting the custody of any child under the jurisdiction of said court calculated to initiate increase decrease or terminate the liabilty of such county for the person or institution to which the county becomes is or ceases to be liable therefor such order or action shall not be effective to affect the county's liability for such support or maintenance unless within five days after such order is made or action taken a copy of said order or report of said action giving full details of the name of the child whose custody support and maintenance is involved and the names and addresses of all persons and institutions the county's liability to whom is thereby sought to be changed be certified to the county commissioners of such county by the clerk of said court the chief probation officer thereof or such other person as such court shall designate

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bill to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2011, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" which was amended by section one of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties' regulating the age of users of drugs providing for an annual report by public institutions and giving certain powers to inspectors in the Bureau of Drug Control" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That except as limited in section two of this act the word "drug" as used in this act shall be construed to include—(a) opium or (b) coca leaves or (c) any compound or derivative of opium or coca leaves or (d) any substance or preparation containing opium or coca leaves or (e) any substance or preparation containing any compounds or derivative of opium or cocoa leaves or (f) mari juana

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2090, as follows:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the court and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a m and six-thiry a m

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1024 Parking in Front of Fire Hydrant Fire Station or Private Driveway—

No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended upon a highway in front of a private driveway or within fifteen (15) feet in either direction of a fire hydrant or the entrance to a fire station nor within

twenty-five (25) feet from the intersection of curb lines or if none then within fifteen (15) feet of the intersection of property lines at an intersection of highways In cities of the first class there shall be no parking of vehicles upon the public highways between the hours of three a m and six-thirty a m

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1750, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes"; by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation as active trustee, agent, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Mcmolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 917.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 917, file folio 4633, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 917 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mrs. PITTS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mrs. PENNOCK. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

Teh SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 1, of the title, line 3, by striking out after "eight)," the word "[as]."

Amend page 1, of the title, by striking out lines 4 to 16, inclusive.

Amend page 2, by striking out the remainder of the title, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "entitled "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,' approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, amending the twenty-fourth section, by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth," as amended."

Amend page 2, line 6, by inserting after the word "eight)" the following: "entitled "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth

section of an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,' approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, amending the twenty-fourth section, by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth.'"

Amend page 3, by inserting at the beginning of line 3, before the word "amended," the word "further."

Amend page 3, line 26, by striking out after the word "above" the word "[purpose]," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "purposes."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 130.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 130, file folio 5639, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 130 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. SCHILLING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. SCHILLING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agreed to the bill on third reading?

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 9 by striking out the word "fifty," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL NO. 1159.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, March 28, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I return herewith, without my approval, House Bill No. 1159, file folio 1435, entitled, "An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and fifty-four) entitled 'An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming-houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection and abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith.'"

This bill would permit the Chief of the Division of Housing and Sanitation in cities of the first class to permit the use of a building as a tenement without a sewer connection, if a bond in an amount fixed by the Chief of the Division be furnished, conditioned upon the connection of the tenement within a period of six months after a sewer has been laid in a contiguous street.

I am advised by the authorities of the City of Philadelphia that the approval of this bill would be a step backwards, even though its provisions merely lodge discretion in the Chief of the Division of Housing which he is not obliged to exercise.

It is against the policy of the city at the present time to permit buildings to be used as tenements unless they have sewer connections. The present bill would permit unconnected buildings to be used as tenements for an indefinite period, the only requirement being that within six months after a sewer is laid in a contiguous street the tenement must be connected therewith.

It is also to be noted that the bill does not in any way indicate upon what basis the Chief of the Division of Housing shall fix the amount of the bond to be furnished by persons permitted to take advantage of the bill. Legislation of this sort should certainly require a bond in at least double the estimated cost of making the sewer connection.

In my judgment, legislation should not be enacted which interferes with the health policy of any city of this Commonwealth.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

Mr. SCHWARTZ. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 327, as follows:

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army navy marine corp revenue cutter service

or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms or while doing certain other things for personal profit and fixing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whoever wears the uniform or any distinctive part thereof of the United States army navy marine corp revenue cutter service or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms or while engaged for personal profit in selling merchandise or taking orders for the same or while engaged for personal profit in seeking or receiving contributions in support of any cause enterprise or undertaking or while engaged in soliciting or receiving subscriptions to any book paper or magazines unless said wearer is a duly authorized solicitor of the Grand Army of the Republic the United Spanish War Veterans the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion or the Disabled American Veterans of the World War or any local branch camp or post thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than three days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court Provided however that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any members of the United States Army Navy Marine Corps Revenue Cutter Service or Coast Guard or to any members of the National Guard while in service

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Flynn,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Aston,	Fockler,	McKay,	Simon,
Baily,	Fox,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baker,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Spangler,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Storer,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Turner,
Bowers,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Voltz,
Braham,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Burke,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Catania,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Conner,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Lesa,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Mathay,	Schwartz	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Erdley,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Evans,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 754, as follows:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representaitves of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter all township reward roads after completion of the improvement shall be maintained by the township supervisors in accordance with standards prescribed by the Department of Highways and the cost of the maintenance of such roads shall be paid by the township but the Commonwealth is hereby authorized to contribute towards such maintenance from funds appropriated for such purposes The sums appropriated from time to time for the maintenance of township reward roads shall be allocated by the Department of Highways among the several counties of the Commonwealth on the basis that the mileage of township reward roads in any county bears to the total mileage of township reward roads in the Commonwealth

Section 2 The sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the maintenance of township reward roads

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Haws,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storb,
Bowers,	Himes,	Perry,	Storer,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burke,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Burns,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weaver,
Catania,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Denne,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Ede,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,

Ederer,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11.00 o'clock.

Mr. YEAKEL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 11.47 o'clock P. M. the House adjourned until 11.00 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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SENATE.

THURSDAY, April 11, 1929.

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Acting-Chaplain, Rev. R. A. Kline, offered the following prayer:

O Lord God, Heavenly Father, we thank Thee that Thou hast brought us together this morning. We pray now that Thou mayest be with us as we are here assembled; and that we may carry on the work which Thou hast given us to do for Thy name's sake and the people of this Commonwealth, this great Commonwealth in which we live.

We pray, O Father, Thou wilt open our hearts unto wisdom, unto understanding, unto knowledge; and that we may do those things which are right and well-pleasing in Thy sight.

We pray for the Governor of this Commonwealth, for the Lieutenant-Governor, for all the members of this Senate and for all the members of the House of Representatives; and we ask that each and every one of them may find and know his proper place in the sphere of activity for Thee and for the glorious cause of this State and nation.

And so, Father, lead us through this day.

We ask it all in the name of Thy Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. DAVIS, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1594.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined,

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 930.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

TIME OF NEXT MEETING.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 10, 1929.

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur), That when the Senate and House of Representatives adjourn this week they reconvene Monday evening, April 15, at eight o'clock.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 37.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 37, entitled:

An act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital, of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania,

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 44.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 44, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital, located at Bethlehem, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 64.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 64, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Punxsutawney Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 89.

He also return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 89, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 90.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 93.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 93, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 94.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 94, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 95.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 102.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 104.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 105.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 105, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 114.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 114, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 116.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 116, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 121.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several fire companies of the City of Harrisburg.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 130.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 132.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 135.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 135, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the State debt.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 136.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 137.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 137, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be used by said Commission in the payment of the cost of the construction, reconstruction, relocation, alteration, or abolition of any

crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporations at, above, or below grade of public highways, exclusive of State highways designated as primary routes; and regulating the expenditures of the amount hereby appropriated.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 138.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 138, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 140.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 140, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 199.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 222.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 241.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 258.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 258, entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth, and making an appropriation.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 271.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 271, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 289.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 328.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 328, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 301.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 378.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 378, entitled:

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for co-operative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 396.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 396, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 403.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 418.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital, Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 428.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 441.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 441, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital, Germantown, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 446.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 446, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Center County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 447.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 447, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 448.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 448, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 452.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 453.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 457.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 475.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 475, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital, of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 481.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 481, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital, located at Danville, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 484.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital, located at Torrance, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 530.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property, included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township, Berks County, from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 550.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 577.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 577, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 654.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for Hospital Maintenance.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 655.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 677.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 677, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, at Mount Airy, Philadelphia, to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 679.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 679, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry; and abolishing the Department of Factory Inspection; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 683.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 696.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 696, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 839.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Torrance State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 844.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 844, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 846.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 848.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 848, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Wernersville State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 849.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Warren State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 850.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 851.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 851, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 853.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 853, entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 854.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 854, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 859.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 859, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Danville State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 860.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 860, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Allentown State Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 861.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 922.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 922, entitled:

An act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 957.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 957, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Shamokin State Hospital, at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 959.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 959, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1019.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1019, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of said hospitals.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1027.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1027, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1038.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1038, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1186.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE COUCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 41.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 41, entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 50.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 60.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 60, entitled:

An act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgates of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts or decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuaton; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, pow-

ers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 336.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty two thousand five hundred and twenty-one two thousand five hundred and twenty-two and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 510) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 434.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 434, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 566.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents, and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 585.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789), entitled: "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 590.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 590, entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee; and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 686.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 686, entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certain operators thereof; and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue, for violation of the provisions of the public service company law; authorizing the rescission of such suspension; and providing for the disposition of fees.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 705.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 705, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 712.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 712, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 787.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 787, entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 789.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments become necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the

salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 791.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 791, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class, and fixing their salaries, payable by the county.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 810.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 810, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 920.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks, savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

with the information that the House has passed the same without admendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 924.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 924, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealtth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated town with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State Highway routes.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 932.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 932, entitled:

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 971.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 971, entitled:

An Act to amend article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 352—Proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 975.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to Insurance; establishing an Insurance Department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of Insurance Companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of Fire Insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of Insurance Agents and Brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign Insurance

Companies, Associations or Exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 976.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 976, entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 978.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended further regulating the qualifications of members of council

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1020.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1020, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1139.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to ,or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner, in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1141.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1141, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State Institutions.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1142.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1143.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization, maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations, partnerships, unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof, providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1146.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1146, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 48), entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary; and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary, and their imprisonment in the Penitentiary to which transferred; imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted; directing that certain notice of such trasnfer of a convict be given; and making appropriations"; providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1152.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (l) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein ,and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefore; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1154.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1154, entitled:

An Act authorizing and requiring the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States circuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1253.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1253, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of townships or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 816.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes of which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency for exercising the right of eminent domain.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1255.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Pennsylvania State College, for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry, and for the purchase of necessary equipment.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seven-

teen (P. L. 1043), entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 240.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association of the City of Pittston Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 250.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 250, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association of Monongahela City Washington County Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 255.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 362.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 362, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 403.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association Incorporated of Allegheny County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 463.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 463, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 660.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 660, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 664.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 664, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 706.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 706, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 811.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one and section eight hundred and fifty and to add sections eight hundred and fifty-one eight hundred and fifty-two eight hundred and fifty-three and eight hundred and fifty-four the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 846.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 909.

He also presented a communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 909, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 931.

He also presented a communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1094.

He also presented a communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgements and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decendents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" as amended

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1175.

He also presented a communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1175, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1305.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1190.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1190, entitled:

An Act relating to the mployment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1346.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1346, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors stockholders officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1393.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1393, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of municipalities had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued o rauthorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 377, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 377, entitled:

An Act requiring the Department of Revenue to prepare and distribute lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 754, (Senate Bill No. 1632), entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads,

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 797, (Senate Bill No. 1633), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July 17, 1919, (P. L. 1003), entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties," and its amendment of May 20, 1921, (P. L. 997), entitled "An act to amend section one of the act, approved and seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three), entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties,'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2095, (Senate Bill No. 1634), entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State or Semi-State Institutions.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 18, (Senate Bill No. 1635), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number Fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporatd towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

House Bill No. 136, (Senate Bill No. 1636), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 150, (Senate Bill No. 1637), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 265, (Senate Bill No. 1638), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended; fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 324, (Senate Bill No. 1639), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 436, (Senate Bill No. 1640), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 457, (Senate Bill No. 1641), entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948), entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

House Bill No. 799, (Senate Bill No. 1642), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 808, (Senate Bill No. 1643), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1127, (Senate Bill No. 1644), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to erect, construct and complete a building known as the Farm Show Building, in the city of Harrisburg, and to grade and terrace the ground in connection therewith; providing for the letting of the contracts therefore, and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1347, (Senate Bill No. 1645), entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1378, (Senate Bill No. 1646), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1379, (Senate Bill No. 1647), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1380, (Senate Bill No. 1648), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1410, (Senate Bill No. 1649), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline; providing for the management and control thereof, and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1443, (Senate Bill No. 1650), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1598, (Senate Bill No. 1651), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporatoin of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" as amended, reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors, administrators, or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1706, (Senate Bill No. 1652), entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of the Poor District of the Borough of Mayfield, the Poor District of the Borough of Jermyn, and the Poor District of Blakely Township, all situate in the County of Lackawanna ,to be known as the Poor District of Blakely Township; providing for the care of the poor of said consolidated district; providing for the adjustment of indebtedness; and providing for the appointment of directors and for the administration of said consolidated poor district.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1750, (Senate Bill No. 1653), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes;" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation, as active trustee, agent, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, nonresident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under, or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1902, (Senate Bill No. 1654), entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm; providing for the confinement, detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs, who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth, and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment; providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes; and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare, the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such form.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

House Bill No. 1925, (Senate Bill No. 1655), entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1931, (Senate Bill No. 1656), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1958, (Senate Bill No. 1657), entitled:

An Act relating to corporations, providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings, or to receive dividends or allotments of rights, or to exercise rights, and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

Which was committed to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 1962, (Senate Bill No. 1658), entitled:

An Act authorizing the recorder of deeds of any county of the second class to record, and where re-recording is authorized by law, to re-record by a photographic or photostatic process or method, all papers required or authorized to be recorded and re-recorded by him, and fixing the fees for such recording and re-recording; providing that any such photographic or photostatic record or re-record or any photographic or photostatic exemplification thereof shall be legal evidence in all cases where such original papers would be competent; authorizing the board of county commissioners of any such county to contract for purchase and pay for out of the county funds such apparatus, equipment, and supplies as shall be necessary to enable such recorder to record and re-record such instruments by such photographic or photostatic process or method; authorizing the employment of such skilled employes and assistants as shall be necessary to administer such process or method, and providing for fixing the kind, number, and compensation for such skilled employes and assistants; and providing that such compensation shall be paid only out of the fees of said office collected or earned.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1967, (Senate Bill No. 1659), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five (P. L. 140), entitled "An act providing for the erection and maintenance of a memorial hall at the county seat of Allegheny County, in honor of the soldiers, sailors and marines from that county who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion; authorizing and directing the commissioners of said Allegheny County to erect and maintain memorial hall, upon a petition of fifth citizens approved by two seccessive grand juries, the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified electors of said county at a general election; designating a committee to determine what relics, records, etc., shall be placed in the said memorial hall and providing for a flagstaff and display of the flag of the United States," as amended; by providing that such memorial hall shall be in honor of the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in all wars, insurrections and expeditions in which the Army or the Navy of the United States may have been or may in the future be engaged; extending the privileges of said memorial hall; increasing the personnel of the board of managers of said memorial hall and providing for equal representation thereon by representatives of survivors of certain organizations of veterans.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 2002, (Senate Bill No. 1660), entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2029, (Senate Bill No. 1661), entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise, and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2035, (Senate Bill No. 1662), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article sixteen, of the act, approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An act for the better government of cites of the first class of this Commonwealth," providing that no councilman shall be appointed to any office, position or employment of profit under the city.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2058, (Senate Bill No. 1663), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the quallfications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General

House Bill No. 2059, (Senate Bill No. 1664), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2061, (Senate Bill No. 1665), entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

House Bill No. 2072, (Senate Bill No. 1666), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 2076, (Senate Bill No. 1667), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

House Bill No. 1081, (Senate Bill No. 1668), entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 2084, (Senate Bill No. 1669), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2098, (Senate Bill No. 1670), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 156, (Senate Bill No. 1671), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 229, (Senate Bill No. 1672), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation," increasing the compensation of assigned judges.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 301, (Senate Bill No. 1673), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 925, (Senate Bill No. 1674), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

Which was committed to the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations.

House Bill No. 992, (Senate Bill No. 1675), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1144, (Senate Bill No. 1676), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1163, (Senate Bill No. 1677), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1183, (Senate Bill No. 1678), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State

highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

House Bill No. 1444, (Senate Bill No. 1679), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1504, (Senate Bill No. 1680), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1583, (Senate Bill No. 1681), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 669), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1623, (Senate Bill No. 1682), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1812, (Senate Bill No. 1683), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1813, (Senate Bill No. 1684), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 843) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith."

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1854, (Senate Bill No. 1685), entitled:

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

Which was committed to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 1861, (Senate Bill No. 1686), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the State Aeronautics Commission.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1879, (Senate Bill No. 1687), entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1884, (Senate Bill No. 1688), entitled:

An act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

House Bill No. 1891, (Senate Bill No. 1689), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1897, (Senate Bill No. 1690), entitled:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibuses having pneumatic tires.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1905, (Senate Bill No. 1691), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law, to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed; providing for notice to owners, if known, and to the Department of Revenue; providing for the payment of charges of such seizure, advertising and sale, and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges, and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made.

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 1922, (Senate Bill No. 1692), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto section eighteen.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2010, (Senate Bill No. 1693), entitled:

An Act authorizing private counsel to participate in or conduct criminal trials with the approval of the district attorney and court.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2028, (Senate Bill No. 1694), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 983), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers; providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators, and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys, and providing penalties," as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2056, (Senate Bill No. 1695), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five, four hundred and ninety-eight, and five hundred, of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2063, (Senate Bill No. 1696), entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

Which was committed to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 2075, (Senate Bill No. 1697), entitled:

An Act regulating the sale and fixing the weight of bread providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and prescribing penalties for violations thereof.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2082, (Senate Bill No. 1698), entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2104, (Senate Bill No. 1609), entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

House Bill No. 2126, (Senate Bill No. 1700), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1314, (House Bill No. 982), entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia, as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania, and making an appropriation for the expense of the Commission.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1366, (House Bill No. 1862), entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 414.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RECESS.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1696, (House Bill No. 2063), entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows:

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILL No. 195.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed Senate Bill No. 195, file folio 1041, entitled, "An Act to amend section three hundred and fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'".

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILL No. 34, and SENATE BILL No. 469.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 34, file folio 1007, entitled, "An Act validating proceedings by boroughs for the grading draining paving curbing and guttering of streets alleys and public highways and validating municipal liens therefor".

Senate Bill No. 469, file folio 2337, entitled, "An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended State-aid construction appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) and its supplements and amendments".

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECESS.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 1.30 P. M.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 414.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 11th, 1929.

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur) That Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1076, WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 11th, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania ship and road purposes in the counties school districts and and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school townships wherein such forests are located

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 469.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 11th, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 188), entitled "An act designating the days and

half days to be observed as legal holidays, and for the payment, acceptance and protesting of bills, notes, drafts, checks, and other negotiable paper on such days," as amended.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 9, on second reading entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the Act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act"

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" be and the same is hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move to amend section 1, page 1, line 1 of the title by striking out after the word "To" and before the word "the" the word [repeal] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "amend section one of"; also line 6 of the title by inserting after the word "act" at the end of the line, the following "fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax"; also line 4, by inserting at the beginning of the line before the word "the" the following "section one of"; also line 9, by striking out at the end of the line the word [repealed] and inserting in lieu thereof the following amended to read as follows: "Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That from and after the passage of this act each and every ton of anthracite coal of the weight of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds avoirdupois mined, washed, screened or otherwise prepared for market in this Commonwealth shall be made subject to a tax of one and one-half per centum (1½) to the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hunded twenty-nine, one per centum (1) for the period beginning on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and ending on the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirty and one-half (½) of one per centum for the period beginning on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty and ending on the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, of the value thereof when prepared for market which said tax shall be assessed at the time when said coal has been mined, washed or screened and is ready for shipment or market. After the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one no tax shall be assessed on anthracite coal under the provisions of this act saving to the Commonwealth, however, the right to collect thereafter all taxes imposed or due and owing under the provisions of this act.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

Section 2 Nothing contained in this repeal shall be construed to prevent the collection of any tax duly collectable to the date when this repeal takes effect

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

SENATE BILL No. 9, SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President. I move that Senate Bill No. 9, the bill just read, be made special order of business for Monday night, April 15th at 9.45 P. M.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1309, (House Bill No. 131), on second reading, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1309, (House Bill No. 131), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

The ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Albert Davis) in the Chair.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 74, as follows:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act exempting in certain cases the net proceeds of life insurance policies or annuities from the claims of creditors"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act exempting in certain cases the net proceeds of life insurance policies or annuities from the claims of creditors" be and the same is hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 75, as follows:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred three) entitled "An act relating to policies of life insurance and annuities"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred three) entitled "An act relating to policies of life insurance and annuities" be and the same is hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 510, as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures not in the ordinary course of business providing certain requirements therefor and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents making their violation a misdemeanor" excepting the sale of furniture fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures not in the ordinary course of business providing certain requirements therefor and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents making their violation a misdemeanor" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 6 Nothing contained in this act shall apply to sales made under any order of a court or to any sales made by assignees for the benefit of creditors executors administrators receivers or any public officer in his official capacity or by any officer of a court or to the sale of furniture fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 960), (House Bill No. 317), entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 963, (House Bill No. 968), entitled:

An Act to amend article three of Chapter fourteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by adding section one thousand one hundred fifty-nine (a) thereto providing for the collection of assessments of cost of building and acquiring sewers by installments and the issue of bonds to provide for payment of cost of such improvement

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1005, (House Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth, who are to serve without compensation, and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company, transportation company, merchant or dealer having requested his appointment.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1034, (House Bill No. 1237), as follows:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and

Court (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" which was last amended by section one of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act to amend sections seven eight and nineteen of an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven as amended by requiring answers to be filed in all civil actions except by municipalities by authorizing a demand for a jury trial and providing for the trial of cases by a judge without a jury regulating the procedure and practice thereof and by providing for the fixing of fees and costs" is hereby further amended to read as follows

(a) The plaintiff may file with a clerk of the court at the county-seat or in the district nearest to the residence or place of business of either plaintiff or defendant or any of them if there be more than one plaintiff or defendant a written statement of his demand verified by affidavit or may make to the clerk his complaint orally whereupon the clerk shall reduce the same to writing which shall be signed and sworn to by plaintiff and said clerk shall thereupon issue a writ of summons or replevin under the seal of the court requiring the defendant to appear at a time and place designated in said writ to answer the plaintiff's complaint and a copy of the plaintiff's statement however prepared shall be served with the writ The time of said hearing shall be not less than twelve nor more than fifteen days from date of said writ except in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies in which cases the time of said hearing shall be [not less than thirty-three nor more than thirty-six] within thirty days from date of the service of said writ

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1055, (House Bill No. 911), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 442), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations, issuing, for money consideration, policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles, or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles; defining motor vehicles; providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts; providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner, and payment of examination expenses, and filing fees; providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues, and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers; providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed; requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received; requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner, and to come under provisions of the act; fixing penalty for violations of the act; providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1074, (House Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act regulating the return of search warrants and the making of inventories of property taken by virtue of a search warrant by officers

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1079, (House Bill No. 1632), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures; providing for their compensation and expenses; prescribing their duties; prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights; and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," by requiring all weights and measures to be inspected at least once in each year; and imposing other duties on inspectors.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1086, (House Bill No. 316), as follows:

An Act to promote the public health and safety by providing for the examination and licensure of those who desire to engage in the occupation of barbering providing for the regulating barber shops barber schools and barber colleges and apprentices and students therein providing for the administration of this act by the Department of Public Instruction and imposing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That it shall be unlawful for any person to follow the occupation of a barber in this Commonwealth unless he or she shall have first passed an examination and obtained a certificate of registration as provided in this act Nothing contained in this act however shall apply to or affect any person who is now actually engaged in such occupation except as hereinafter provided

Section 2 This act shall be administered and enforced by the Department of Public Instruction which is hereinafter called "Department" The Department shall hold examinations on such dates and at such places as the Department shall from time to time deem advisable

Section 3 Every person now engaged in the occupation of a barber shall within ninety days after the effective date of this act file with the Department two affidavits The one shall be made by the applicant and shall set forth his or her name age residence and length of time during which and the place where he or she has practiced said occupation The other shall be made by a practicing physician and shall set forth

that the applicant was examined and is free from all contagious and infectious disease The applicant at the time of filing these affidavits shall pay to the Department the sum of one dollar Thereupon the Department shall issue to such applicant a certificate of registration entitling him or her to practice such occupation

Section 4 Any person not holding a license under the provisions of the preceding section and desiring to obtain a license under this act shall make application in such form as the Department shall prescribe verified by oath or affirmation as to the truth of the statements or answers therein made Such application shall be accompanied by an affidavit which shall be made by a practicing physician and shall set forth that the applicant was examined and is free from all contagious and infectious disease The applicant at the time of filing such application and affidavit shall pay to the Department an examination fee of five dollars and shall present himself or herself for examination at such time and place as the Department shall prescribe The Department shall thereupon proceed to examine such person If satisfied that he or she is above the age af sixteen years free from contagious and infectious disease and has either (a) studied the occupation for a period of two years as apprentice under a qualified and practicing barber or (b) studied the occupation in a properly appointed and conducted barber school under the instruction of a competent barber for a period of at least two years (c) Practiced the occupation in another State for a period of at least two years and is possessed of requisite skill in said occupation to properly perform all the duties thereof including his or her knowledge and ability in the antiseptic preparation of tools shaving hair cutting and all the duties and services incident thereto and is possessed of sufficient knowledge concerning the common diseases of the face and skin to avoid the aggravation and spreading thereof in the practice of said occupation the Department shall enter his or her name in the register hereinafter provided for and shall issue a certificate of registration to him or her authorizing him or her to practice such occupation

Section 5 Any person who holds a certificate of registration granted after examination by a board of barber examiners or department of any other State who shall present credentials showing that he or she is a qualified barber under the laws of that State and who shall file an affidavit made by a practicing physician as hereinbefore provided may be granted a certificate of registration by the Department without practical examination upon the payment of the registration fee of two dollars

Section 6 Nothing in this act shall prohibit any person from serving as an apprentice in such occupation under a registered barber of this Commonwealth or from serving as a student in any barber school for the training of students in said occupation under the training of a duly registered barber authorized to practice such occupation in this Commonwealth Provided that such apprentice or student shall apply to the Department to have his or her name registered with the Department in a book which shall be kept by the Department for the registering of apprentices or students and secure a permit to practice as an apprentice or student under a duly registered barber such permit to be displayed in front of his or her working chair After having practiced the occupation for two years under a registered barber such appentice or student shall be eligible to become a registered barber and shall present himself or herself to the Department for the examination at the time and place prescribed by it and pay the fee as provided for in section four of this act

Section 7 The Department shall furnish to each person to whom a certificate of registration is issued a card bearing the seal and signature of the Department certifying that the holder thereof is entitled to practice the occupation of a barber The holder of such card shall display the same in a conspicuous place in front of his or her working chair where it may be readily seen by all persons whom he or she may serve

Section 8 The card shall be renewed on or before the first day of January in each year and the holders of said certificates of registration shall pay to the Department the sum of two dollars for a renewal card Upon the failure of any holder of a certificate of registration to apply for a renewal of his or her card on or before the first day of January in each year his or her certificate of registration shall be revoked by the Department and a new certificate of registration shall not be issued to such person until he or she shall again comply with all the provisions of this act in the same manner as if he or she had never been registered

Section 9 The Department may revoke any certificate of registration granted by it under this act for (a) habitual drunkeness (b) having or imparting any contagious or infectious disease (c) doing work in an unsanitary or filthy manner or (d) gross incompetence Before any certificate shall be revoked for any of the reasons contained in this section the holder thereof shall have notice in writing of the charge or charges against him or her and shall at a day specified in said notice which shall be at least five days after the service thereof be given a public hearing before the Department with a full opportunity to produce testimony in his or her behalf and to confront witnesses against him or her Any person whose certificate or registration has been so revoked may after the expiration of ninety days on application have the same reissued to him or her upon satisfactory showing that the disqualification has ceased except where such certificate was revoked for having or imparting any contagious or infectious disease in which case a new certificate shall not be issued for a period of at least one year and then only after the provisions of this act have been fully complied with by such person in the same manner as if he or she had never been registered

Section 10 The Department may adopt reasonable rules and regulations prescribing the sanitary requirements of each barber shop barber school or barber college subject to the approval of the Department of Health and shall cause the rules and regulations so approved to be printed in a suitable form and shall transmit a copy thereof to the proprietor or person operating such barber shop school or barber college which shall at all times be kept conspicously displayed in such shop school or college

Any duly authorized agent of the Department may enter and make reasonable examinations of any barber shop barber school or barber college during business hours for the purpose of ascertaining the sanitary conditions thereof Any barber shop barber school or barber college in which tools appliances and furnishings in use therein are kept in such an unclean and unsanitary condition as to be a danger to health is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and the proprietor thereof or any person operating such barber shop school or barber college shall be subject to prosecution and punishment therefor

Section 11 The department shall keep a register in which shall be entered the names of all persons to whom certificates of registration or permits for serving apprenticeship or as students are issued under this act The register shall at all times be open to public inspection

Section 12 In no barber shop shall there be more than one apprentice to two barbers authorized under this act to practice such occupation All barber shops having but one chair shall be entitled to at least one apprentice All barber schools or barber colleges shall have not less than one teacher or instructor for every ten students All barber schools or barber colleges shall keep prominently displayed a sign reading corporation or person desiring to operate or conduct a barber "Barber College" or "Barber School" Any co-partnership school or barber college shall first secure from the board a permit to do so and shall keep the same prominently displayed The Department upon the qualifications appointments and course of study in said school or college which shall be not less than two years.

Section 13 To shave or trim the beard or regular hair cutting to give facial and scalp massaging facial and scalp treatments with any preparation made for this purpose either by hand or by mechanical appliances to singe and shampoo the hair or apply any makes of hair tonics and to dye the hair of any person for hire by the person performing such service or any other person shall be construed as practicing the occupation of barber within the meaning of this act Provided however That nothing contained in this act shall be construed to include so-called beauty shops or hair-dressing parlors patronized by women except as to regular hair cutting

Section 14 Any barber apprentice or student who shall practice the occupation of barber while suffering from contagious or infectious disease or any barber apprentice or student who shall infect any person or who shall impart any contagious or infectious disease by reason of carelessness or negligence in the practice of such occupation or who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a mis-

demeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding sixty days or both at the discretion of the court

Section 15 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 16 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1036, (House Bill No. 316), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1325, (House Bill No. 1857), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters; prescribing its powers and duties; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1337, as follows:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act the operation of a public garage shall not be a nuisance per se nor shall the operation of any such garage or any garage be enjoined except upon proof after actual operation that the manner of operation creates a nuisance in fact injurious to those complaining of it

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

The first and second sections of the bill were read as follows and agreed to:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing a maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "Municipality" as used in this act shall mean any county except counties of the second class [city of the third class] borough town township school district of the second third and fourth class and poor district

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The [mayor of each city of the third class the] burgess of each borough or town the president of the board of county commissioners of each county except counties of the second class the president of the township commissioners of each first class township the chairman of the board of township supervisors of each second class township the president of each school board and the president or chairman of the board of poor directors or overseers of each poor district which shall have any proceedings for the incurring or increasing of indebtedness except notes issued in anticipation of revenue for not more than one year shall before any bonds or evidences of indebtedness are actually issued and sold certify to the Department of Internal Affairs a complete and accurate copy of the proceedings had for such incurring or increasing of indebtedness together with the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation within the respective municipality the total amount of the existing indebtedness and the several amounts claimed as permitted deductions in ascertaining the real indebtedness of such municipality

Any officer of any such municipality who shall fail or refuse to certify any such proceedings or other facts as required by this section or who shall wilfully certify any such proceedings or facts which are false or inaccurate shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or both

The title of the bill was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the title?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to amend title, next to the last line by inserting after the word "class" the following: "and cities of the third class."

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1444, (House Bill No. 897), as follows:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contract are not affected by provisions of this act" providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as last amended by the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred ninety-two) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 16 Before the Secretary of Highways shall undertake the construction reconstruction or improvement of any State highway on the plan of the State highways wherein a change of width or of existing lines and location is necessary and damage is likely to result to abutting property he shall notify the county commissioners of the proper county in writing of the contemplated change in such existing width lines and location whereupon the county commissioners when possible shall enter into an agreement with the owner or owners of said property as to amount of damage to be paid to the said owner or owners which damage if agreed upon shall be paid by the county or in case an agreement satisfactory to the

county commissioners and said owner or owners cannot be made the Secretary of Highways may proceed with the work of construction reconstruction or improvement and the owner or owners of said property damaged thereby or the county commissioners may present their petition to the court of quarter sessions for the appointment of viewers to ascertain and assess such damages The proceedings upon said petition and by the viewers shall be governed by existing laws relating to the ascertainment and assessment of damages for opening public highways The county commissioners or any other party to such proceedings may appeal from the award of the viewers to the court of common pleas and shall be entitled to a trial by jury From the judgment of the court of common pleas an appeal may be had to the Supreme or Superior Court as in other cases Such damages when ascertained shall be paid by the county in which the State highway is located [The county shall also provide for the removal of all structures within the lines of the highway as thus established unless otherwise provided by agreement between said county and the Secretary of Highways]

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1494, (House Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1536, (House Bill No. 1673), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1540, (House Bill No. 1881), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population does not exceed ten thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than ten thousand and does not exceed twenty thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the dictrict attorney in counties whose population is more than twenty thousand and does not exceed thirty thousand inhabitants shall be [six] nine hundred [and twenty-five] dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than thirty thousand and does not exceed forty thousand inhabitants shall be one thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than forty thousand and does not exceed fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than fifty thousand and does not exceed sixty thousand inhabitants shall be fifteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than sixty thousand and does not exceed seventy thousand inhabitants shall be eighteen hundred and seventy-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than seventy thousand and does not exceed eighty thousand inhabitants shall be [twenty-five hundred] three thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than eighty thousand and does not exceed ninety thousand inhabitants shall be thirty-one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than ninety thousand and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be five thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than two hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed three hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be six thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars per year

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1567, (House Bill No. 113), as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the

time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal 'providing for reciprocity with other states in the taxation of the transfer of property of nonresident decedents" and which was further amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear values of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provisions of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amounts to less than the following rates then in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendent to such child his wife or widow and passing from an illegitimate child to his mother and at the rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any other person or persons bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth In ascertaining the clear value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amounts the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to the care and preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monuments or gravestones grave and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such estates and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for an account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or Territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

In addition to the deductions above allowed a deduction shall be allowed in each estate where the two per centum tax is imposed in the amount of twenty-five hundred dollars and except where otherwise provided by the will of the testator if the property is transferred to two or more beneficiaries taxable at such rate then said deduction of twenty-five hundred dollars shall first be apportioned equally among the several beneficiaries and an equal part thereof shall be deducted from each such legacy and distributed share before the tax thereon is computed and in case the deduction allowed to a distributive share or legacy is greater than the share or legacy itself then the amount of the deduction in excess of such legacy or share shall be appropriated equally among the legacies and shares of such estate if any which are in excess of the deductions first allowed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1568, (House Bill No. 232), as follows:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to the collection of city school and poor taxes in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office shall be the collector of the said several taxes prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section fourteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to the collection of city school and poor taxes in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office shall be the collector of the said several taxes prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation" as last amended by section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend section fourteen of an act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and seventy-eight) entitled 'An act relating to the collection of city school and poor taxes in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth and providing that the city treasurer of each of said cities by virtue of his office shall be the collector of the said several taxes prescribing his duties and fixing his compensation' as amended further limiting the compensation of the collector for the collection of city and poor taxes and excluding compensation of the collector of school taxes from the provisions of said section" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 14 The [compensation or commission to] salary of the said treasurer as collector of city and poor taxes and

water rents shall be fixed by the respective authority levying the tax Provided however that this [compensation] salary shall not in any event [be less than one-fourth of one per centum on all taxes paid him before any penalty has been incurred and five per centum on all taxes paid him after the penalty has been incurred His compensation for collecting city taxes shall be paid by warrant but he shall have the right to retain his commission or compensation from and out of the other taxes collected by him] exceed the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) per annum The bond of said treasurer and all stationery and supplies required by him shall be furnished and the salaries of all deputies and clerks required in the conduct of his office shall be fixed and paid by the city

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1568, (House Bill No. 232), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1569, (House Bill No. 299), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1575, (House Bill No. 1229), entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers, sailors, marines and veteran organizations, and providing for the distribution of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1579, (House Bill No. 1834), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1582, (House Bill No. 2099), as follows:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

ARTICLE XX

State [Normal Schools] Teachers Colleges

Section 2001 There shall be thirteen [Normal School] State Teachers College Districts in this Commonwealth as now provided and one State [Normal School] Teachers College in each district

Delaware Chester Bucks and Montgomery Counties shall be the first [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College in West Chester shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lancaster York and Lebanon Counties shall be the Second [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Millersville shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Berks Schuylkill and Lehigh Counties shall be the Third [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Kutztown shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Northampton Carbon Monroe Pike Luzerne Lackawanna and Wayne Counties shall be the Fourth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at East Stroudsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Wyoming Sullivan Susquehanna Bradford Lycoming and Tioga Counties shall be the Fifth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Mansfield shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Dauphin Northumberland Columbia Montour Union Snyder Perry Juniata and Mifflin Counties shall be the Sixth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College of this district

Cumberland Adams Franklin Fulton Bedford Huntingdon and Blair Counties shall be the Seventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Shippensburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Centre Clinton Clearfield Elk Potter and Cameron Counties shall be the Eighth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Lock Haven shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Cambria Indiana Armstrong and Westmoreland Counties shall be the Ninth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at

Indiana shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Washington Fayette Greene and Somerset Counties shall be the Tenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at California shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Allegheny Butler and Beaver Counties shall be the Eleventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Slippery Rock shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lawrence Mercer Venango Crawford and Erie Counties shall be the twelfth State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Edinboro shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Jefferson Clarion Forest Warren and McKean Counties shall be the Thirteenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Clarion shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Section 2002 The [State Normal Schools] Colleges shall be a part of the public school system of the Commonwealth and their purpose the education and [training] preparation of teachers The colleges shall provide proper facilities for instruction in the art and science of teaching for the boarding and lodging of students in residence and other necessary facilities approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 2003 No religious test or qualification shall be required to entitle anyone to become a trustee professor teacher or student in any college

Section 2004 Each college shall provide practice teaching facilities so organized and administered that the students of the college shall acquire therein a practical knowledge of the art of teaching under the instruction and supervision of their proper teachers It shall be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district in this Commonwealth to enter into an agreement between such board of trustees and board of school directors by which all or part of the pupils of such school district may be instructed in the Training School in such college upon terms mutually agreeable to the board of trustees and the board of school directors concerned It shall also be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district or districts to enter into an agreement upon terms mutually satisfactory in accordance with which all or part of the classes of such district or districts may be available for practice teaching facilities for the students of such college Such actions of the said school district or school districts and the boards of trustees of such colleges shall be entered respectively upon the minutes of the said respective boards and must be approved by the Superintendent of Public Grounds The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the college to and from the place or places where such practice teaching facilities are available

Section 2005 The Board of Presidents of the State Teachers Colleges shall consist of the presidents of the several colleges The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be the chairman and the Secretary of the State Council of Education shall be the secretary ex-officio thereof The board shall formulate the educational policies of the Colleges It shall meet annually in the City of Harrisburg and may meet more frequently and at other places by resolution of the Board or on the call of the Superintendent of Public Instruction A majority of all members of the Board shall constitute a quorum and any action favored by a majority of the members shall when approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction be binding upon all of the colleges

Section 2006 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall prescribe and conduct such examinations of students in the several colleges as he may deem necessary to determine and fix the standards of instruction in and of graduation from any of the curriculums of said colleges Each graduate from a college shall receive such a Normal School Certificate or College Diploma as the State Council of Education shall prescribe A Normal School Certificate shall be accepted as full evidence of the qualifications of the holder thereof to teach two annual full school terms in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examinations such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a holder of the College Diploma a Provisional College Certificate entitling him to teach for three annual school terms in any public elementary or secondary school in this Commonwealth without further examination such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education

Section 2007 A holder of a State Normal School certificate who after graduation from college has taught for two school terms in the public elementary schools of this Commonwealth and who presents a certificate of good moral character and of successful teaching for two school terms from the board or boards of school directors in whose employment he has taught countersigned by the proper superintendent or superintendents shall be granted a State Normal School Diploma by the College from which he was graduated signed by the same officers who sign the State Normal School certificates from such college which diploma shall be received as full evidence of his qualifications to teach any of the subjects set forth in his State Normal School certificate or diploma in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examination

Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State Teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are resident of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursuing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there is sufficient room for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail

Section 2011 It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had this article number twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges not been included therein and that if said article twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges or any part thereof is declared unconstitutional the remainder of this act shall continue in full force and effect

Section 2012 Definitions The word "college" or "colleges" where used in this article shall apply to State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers now existing and such other State Teachers Colleges and State Teachers Training Schools as may hereafter be created or constituted by in and for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 2113 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1583, as follows:

A Joint Resolution directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith

Whereas The Senate and House of Representatives of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven passed a resolution authorizing the Governor of the Commonwealth the Attorney General's Department and the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania to investigate the right of said Public Service Commission to establish and maintain rates for the transportation of freight between points within the Commonwealth and directed and authorized said Public Service Commission to establish and enforce intra-state rates for such transportation provided such legal power was found to reside within it and further authorized the Attorney General's Department in case there was no such power to prepare whatever legislation that might be necessary to endow said Commission with said power of fixing and maintaining intra-state rates and to arrange for its introduction into the General Assembly and Congress of United States or both of them as might be necessary and

Whereas No report has reached the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine of any action taken in pursuance to this resolution and

Whereas Recent court decisions and actions of common carriers tend to sustain the contention that the states including the State of Pennsylvania have not at any time relinquished their control of purely intra-state rates for the transportation of freight and that the state still has and may exercise such power therefore be it

Resolved By the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met That the Public Service Commission be directed to proclaim and declare rates for the transportation of freight between points within the State of Pennsylvania and on routes wholly within the State on a fair per ton mile basis allowing for reasonable assembling and terminal charges and that the Governor of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General be directed to furnish such legal advice and assistance as may be necessary to put these rates into effect and to sustain them in the courts of the State and of the United States

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1538, (House Bill No. 1529), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1882), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, (P. L. 1341), entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1591, (House Bill No. 1892), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 426), entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1593, (House Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' providing for reciprocity with other States in the taxation of the transfer of property of non-resident decedents" and which was also amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death

and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear value of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provisions of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amounts to less than the following rates then in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendant to such child his wife or widow and passing from an illegitimate child to his mother at the rate of five per centum on the clear value of such property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and at the rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any person or persons bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth In ascertaining the clear value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amounts the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to the care preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monumnts or gravestons grave and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such estates and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for or on account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or Territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1608, (House Bill No. 1096), entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1609, (House Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions,

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1613, (House Bill No. 1454), entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners operators and lesses of such mines and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1619, (House Bill No. 1893), entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1620, (House Bill No. 1921), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1622, (House Bill No. 1951), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation

on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1625, (House Bill No. 2033), entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1626, (House Bill No. 2034), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1627, (House Bill No. 2132), entitled:

An Act provided for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1631, (House Bill No. 2023), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method for such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine to be used for the development of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives as follows

For remodeling a house or houses now on the site of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives so as to provide suitable quarters for keeping convicts for constructing a kitchen and dining room for providing a water supply for sewers and sewage disposal and for the erection of a unit of permanent cell blocks and of an administrative rotunda

As much of the appropriation hereby made as may be necessary shall be used for paying architects' fees and the expenses of supervision

Section 2 The plans and specifications for the construction work to be done hereunder shall be prepared under the supervision of the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives subject to the approval of the Department of Welfare as provided by law and the specifications shall in addition thereto be subject to the approval of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 3 Contracts for construction work shall be awarded as provided by law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1571, (House Bill No. 763), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand five hundred dollars ($10,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Spencer Hospital located at Meadville Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled

to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1572, (House Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1573, (House Bill No. 1171), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1574, (House Bill No. 1193), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1584, (House Bill No. 934), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three million dollars ($3,000,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated out of the General Fund to the Department of Highways for transfer to the Motor License Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Department for the cost of construction and completion of the North Office Building ready for furnishing

Section 2 That transfers from said appropriation shall be made by the State Treasurer upon warrant of the Auditor General upon requisitions of the Secretary of Highways from time to time as may be deemed advisable This appropriation to be available for reimbursement for all payments made or to become due under contracts entered into by the Department of Highways in connection with the construction and completion of said building ready for furnishing

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1586, (House Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1594, (House Bill No. 183), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1595, (House Bill No. 234) entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1596, (House Bill No. 236), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1597, (House Bill No. 266), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of employes planting trees clearing trails constructing roads bath houses camp sites jetties and other necessary works to protect the Pesque Isle Peninsula from erosion by storms park gates and docks for the purchase of necessary supplies materials and equipment and for the expense of the members of the Commission and its employes including postage freight telegrams telephone toll charges and for other incidental expenses

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1598, (House Bill No. 267), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of three hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($320,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance for alterations improvements and repairs to plant the improvement of land and for the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and live stock

Section 2 All moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance of the honorably discharged soldiers and sailors or marines in the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1599, (House Bill No. 282), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1600, (House Bill No. 285), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1601, (House Bill No. 360), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1602, (House Bill No. 490), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township, Warren County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1603, (House Bill No. 379), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1604, (House Bill No. 671), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the

purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine for the erection of a building for the School of Medicine and for the erection of a building for the School of Dentistry to include Dental Infirmary and Laboratories

The first section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one million two hundred thousand ($1,200,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the general maintenance of the University of Pittsburgh and the purchase of such apparatus and equipmnt as the trustees may deem necessary for the best interests of the University including maintenance of teaching facilities in hospitals for students in the School of Medicine of the University including the Maternity Dispensary and other dispensaries

The title of the bill was read as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine for the erection of a building for the School of Medicine and for the erection of a building for the School of Dentistry to include Dental Infirmary and Laboratories.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the title?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move to amend title, page 1, line 5, by striking out all of said title following the word "Medicine" to the end of the title.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the title as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1606, (House Bill No. 722), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1607, (House Bill No. 997), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions providing State aid for certain agricultural associations and regulating the payment thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1610, (House Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1611, (House Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing said Commission and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1615, (House Bill No. 1534), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1617, (House Bill No. 1758), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1624, (House Bill No. 2034), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1636, (House Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1637, (House Bill No. 150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1640, (House Bill No. 436), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1642, (House Bill No. 799), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1643, (House Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1670, (House Bill No. 2098), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1671, (House Bill No. 156), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1675, (House Bill No. 992), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1679, (House Bill No. 1444), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1682, (House Bill No. 1623), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1683, (House Bill No. 1812), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1686, (House Bill No. 1861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the (State Aeronautics Commission) Department of Property and Supplies.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1689, (House Bill No. 1891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1700, (House Bill No. 2126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from the committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARVEY, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1699, (House Bill No. 2104), entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on Exposition Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1621, (House Bill No. 1930), entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. PARKINSON, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Sentae Bill No. 1654, (House Bill No. 1902), entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm.

RECESS.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for ten minutes.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 206.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts, in which advances of money, repayable on demand, are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive, or to contract to receive, in writing, and collect as compensation, any sum to be agreed upon.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1723.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 84.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 84, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 103.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 103, entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 488.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 488, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth,

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 170.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 170, entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils, providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and drainage of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State or the borough, county and State and validating municipal liens therefor.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 275.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 221.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 221, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 126.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 375.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 375, entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 384.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 384, entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, manitenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 402.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 402, entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 407.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 407, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers of counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 433.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 433, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 444.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 473.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants, tenants in common, or co-parceners.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 456.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 456, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill Streets in the City of Philadelphia by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 536.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 562.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 564.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 564, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 588.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania, for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 601.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 601, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvana Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks County, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 670

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 670, entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 687.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 687, entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 694.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 694, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 698.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 698, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the re-assessment between the periods of the triennial assessment, of property and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 699.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 790.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 790, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 535), entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class, to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties; fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized, and the salaries thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 803.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 803, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 833.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 833, entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed or merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 834.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 834, entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers and composed of trust companies or banking companies or both to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 838.

He also returned to the Senate, Sentae Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to, collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer, and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 841.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1,000) dollars to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 927.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 927, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 985.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 985, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 989.

He also returned to the Senate, Sentae Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 990.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 990, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 991.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P.

L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1014.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the enumeration of all deformed crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1015.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1015, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1026.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1026, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1094.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1127.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1127, entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully killed or caught to be personal property and the subject of larceny.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1133.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1150.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurers' sales and sheriffs' sales for the non-payment of taxes.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1239.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1239, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county borough township school and poor taxes.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1246.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1246, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers, in counties containing a populatior of from three hundred thousand to one million, to designate and appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary" and the amendments thereto.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1249.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1249, entitled:

An Act to provide for appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1251.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1251, entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1258.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1258, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1299.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1299, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-one) entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset" in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1307.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1307, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1344.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1344, entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

RECESS.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for five minutes.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1723.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 13, (Senate Bill No. 1701), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to protect children and aged persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 165, (Senate Bill No. 1702), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 338, (Senate Bill No. 1703), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 342, (Senate Bill No. 1704), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section seven of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 372, (Senate Bill No. 1705), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 834, (Senate Bill No. 1706), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the fourteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 287), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and

commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from, petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking, and use of permits; and fixing penalties."

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 431, (Senate Bill No. 1707), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 464, (Senate Bill No. 1708), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 478, (Senate Bill No. 1709), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 753, (Senate Bill No. 1710), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

[illegible] was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 809, (Senate Bill No. 1711), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 887, (Senate Bill No. 1712), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 838, (Senate Bill No. 1713), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 890, (Senate Bill No. 1714), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 952, (Senate Bill No. 1715), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 973, (Senate Bill No. 1716), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 978, (Senate Bill No. 1717), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1070, (Senate Bill No. 1718), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1123, (Senate Bill No. 1719), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1130, (Senate Bill No. 1720), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1149, (Senate Bill No. 1721), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1170, (Senate Bill No. 1722), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1172, (Senate Bill No. 1723), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtiss Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1214, (Senate Bill No. 1724), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, (P. L. 16), entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund, building and loan associations, regulating the mode of charging premiums, bonus or interest in advance, of withdrawals, of repayment and collection of loans, also restricting the power to levy excessive fines, and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders, and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations."

Which was committed to the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations.

House Bill No. 1232, (Senate Bill No. 1725), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1353, (Senate Bill No. 1726), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1365, (Senate Bill No. 1727), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1429, (Senate Bill No. 1728), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1478, (Senate Bill No. 1729), entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

Which was committed to the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations.

House Bill No. 1480, (Senate Bill No. 1730), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1489, (Senate Bill No. 1731), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1507, (Senate Bill No. 1732), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1586, (Senate Bill No. 1733), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1591, (Senate Bill No. 1734), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1600, (Senate Bill No. 1735), entitled:

An Act exempting from taxaton for county purposes, and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes, all certificates of deposit and pass books issued by, and all interest bearing money deposited in banks, banking institutions and trust companies.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1638, (Senate Bill No. 1736), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 859), entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one), entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal,' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits."

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 1661, (Senate Bill No. 1737), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1671, (Senate Bill No. 1738), entitled:

An Act to authorize the suing out of writes of scire facias on Mechanics Liens where no scire facias has been issued within two years from the date of filing as required by existing law.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1776, (Senate Bill No. 1739), entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations providing grounds and proceedings for decrees of separation and defining the rights of spouses thereafter as to the disposition of property and the vesting thereof after death.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1927, (Senate Bill No. 1740), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2060, (Senate Bill No. 1741), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

House Bill No. 2066, (Senate Bill No. 1742), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2074, (Senate Bill No. 1743), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2077, (Senate Bill No. 1744), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penaltics.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General

House Bill No. 2083, (Senate Bill No. 1745), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2085, (Senate Bill No. 1746), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2086, (Senate Bill No. 1747), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2087, (Senate Bill No. 1748), entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 2088, (Senate Bill No. 1749), entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 2096, (Senate Bill No. 1750), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven article six of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act provided for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" providing for the printing and publishing of ordinances.

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 2100, (Senate Bill No. 1751), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of the construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1657, (House Bill No. 1958), entitled:

An Act relating to corporations, providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings, or to receive dividends or allotments of rights, or to exercise rights, and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

Also, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE from the Committee on Finance reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1653, (House Bill No. 1750), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 507) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation from any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnerships bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that all bills reported from committees at today's session be read the first time.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1314, (House Bill No. 982), entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the expense of the commission.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1366, (House Bill No. 1362), entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty), and its supplements and amendments

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1621, (House Bill No. 1930), entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1636, (House Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1637, (House Bill No. 150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1640, (House Bill No. 436), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home at Chester Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1642, (House Bill No. 799), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1643, (House Bill No. 803), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1653, (House Bill No. 1750), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 507) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation from any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or govern-

ment other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1654, (House Bill No. 1902), entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1657, (House Bill No. 1958), entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1670, (House Bill No. 2098), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an apropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1671, (House Bill No. 156), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1675, (House Bill No. 992), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1679, (House Bill No. 1444), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1682, (House Bill No. 1623), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1683, (House Bill No. 1812), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the oustanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1686, (House Bill No. 1861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the [State Aeronautics Commission] Department of Property and Supplies.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1689, (House Bill No. 1891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1696, (House Bill No. 2063), entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the

Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideratio nof Senate Bill No. 1699, (House Bill No. 2104), entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1700, (House Bill No. 2126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

SENATE BILL No. 406 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 406, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Which was laid upon the table.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE SENATE, SENATE BILL No. 841, (HOUSE BILL No. 1695).

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

In the House of Representatives, April 11th, 1927.

Resolved, (if the Senate concurs), That Senate Bill No. 841, (House Bill No. 1695), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

be recalled from the Senate for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1161, (Senate Bill No. 1752), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

House Bill No. 1473, (Senate Bill No. 1753), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

Which was committed to the Committee on Federal Relations.

House Bill No. 2296, (Senate Bill No. 1754), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1768, (Senate Bill No. 1755), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 1915, (Senate Bill No. 1756), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

Which was committed to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 1968, (Senate Bill No. 1757), entitled:

An Act providing that any order of the juvenile court of any county of the second class or action of any of its probating officers touching the custody of any child under the jurisdiction of said court calculated to affect the liability of said county for the support or maintenance of said child shall, in order to affect the county's liability for the same, be certified or reported by the clerk, chief probation officer, or such other person as said court shall designate, to the county commissions of such county, with full details, within five days after said order is made or action taken; and repealing inconsistent legislation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1972, (Senate Bill No. 1758), entitled.

An act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2012, (Senate Bill No. 1759), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2013, (Senate Bill No. 1760), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships; and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

Which was committed to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

House Bill No. 2019, (Senate Bill No. 1761), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 196) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the third class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by the laws of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act" requiring the establishment of a pension fund in certain cities of the third class

Which was committed to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

House Bill No. 2067, (Senate Bill No. 1762), entitled:

An Act making it unlawful for any alderman, justice of the peace or magistrate to refuse or neglect to return each bail deposited with him for the appearance of any defendant in a criminal proceeding, at the same time that the transcript of the proceedings is returned.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2090, (Senate Bill No. 1763), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 784.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 4:07 P. M. until 8 o'clock, Monday evening, April 15, 1929.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY APRIL 11, 1929.

The House met at 11.00 o'clock A. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph. D., offered the following prayer:

Throughout another week, Oh God, Thou hast crowned us our lives with Thy goodness. It is our bounden duty to pray at all times. We are weak, Oh God, but Thou art strong, we are poor, but Thou art rich in mercy. We live and move and have our being in Thee. We are all social beings, instinctively gregarious and essentially social. Solitary man is a monstrous conception and in this sense a man is no man. We thank Thee, Oh God, that there is in the hearts of men the principle of good which permits us to extend a helping hand unto one another. We thank Thee, Oh God for the heroism and patriotism of Thy people. We pray that Thou wilt bless this Legislature, that Thou wilt bless all the efforts that have been put forth thus far, and may we go to our homes this week and return again with fresh, with renewed vigor, to worship Thee and to enact those laws for the upbuilding of the Commonwealth which Thou wouldst have. We ask it all in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mr. Harter, seconded by Mr. Post, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

RESOLUTION.

FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF HON. THOMAS J. BROWN.

Mr. EVANS offered the following resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Whereas, Fifty years ago tomorrow the Hon. Thomas J. Brown, of Lancaster County, was united in marriage with Mrs. Brown and

Whereas, during this wedlock there were four children born, all of whom are now married and have born to Mr. and Mrs. Brown many grandchildren and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Brown have been honorable, respected and useful citizens of the Borough of Mt. Joy and

Whereas, Mr. Brown has dedicated a great deal of his life in representing the County of Lancaster in the House of Representatives, Harrisburg, therefore be it

Resolved, that this House congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Brown their children and grandchildren upon their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. and Mrs. Brown by the Chief Clerk of the House.

The SPEAKER. The Chair would request the gentlemen from Lancaster, Mr. Evans and Mr. Wood, to escort the gentleman from Lancaster, Mr. Brown, to the rostrum of the House.

It affords the Chair pleasure at this time to introduce to the members of the House, the Honorable Thomas J. Brown of Lancaster, who was married just fifty years ago tomorrow.

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is a very great surprise to me and I hardly know what to say to show my appreciation of the honor you do me in passing such a resolution. It only makes me feel more like some of the other people that have been somewhat honored in the same way in this House as to what they have said in regard to their membership here, that is, that they remember it with the very greatest of pleasure. Those who have stood here before have acknowledged that they have left here with reluctance and that they were always glad to come back and greet their friends here who have shown such a degree of friendship for them. I thoroughly appreciate this honor and I thank you.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, may I be permitted to interrogate the Speaker?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Lancaster permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I will with pleasure.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Indiana will proceed.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Brown, you have stated to us that you are very much surprised this morning. May I ask if you are more surprised this morning than you were fifty years ago?

Mr. JONES. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the gentleman from Lancaster?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Lancaster, Mr. Brown permit himself to be further interrogated?

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. I certainly will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. JONES. Mr. Brown, is it a fact, as they say that the first fifty years of married life is the hardest?

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, my reply to that is that I cannot tell that until I have had the second fifty years.

The SPEAKER. The Chair now understands why the gentleman from Lancaster, Mr. Brown, ordered a radio breakfast this morning.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT BILL.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 1750, file folio 6793, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes"; by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation as active trustee, agent, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

on page 69 of yesterday's calendar, bills on third reading, be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for further study.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Allegheny is advised that House Bill No. 1750 was passed finally yesterday.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill was passed finally be reconsidered.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is informed that this bill has already been messaged to the Senate.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 1551, file folio 7019, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

on page 61 of yesterday's calendar be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 57, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras Pike County

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or so much thereof as may be required is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras Pike County beginning at a point at the southern end of the present dike near Barret Bridge and extending thence southwardly a distance of fifteen hundred feet The sum herein appropriated shall be available for use by the Department of Forests and Waters until the retaining wall or dike herein provided for shall be built and constructed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2337, (Senate Bill No. 1292), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2338, (Senate Bill No. 1329), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2341, (Senate Bill No. 1339), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2342, (Senate Bill No. 1341), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 806, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the protection of State property at the Cresson Sanitorium

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1173, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars ($1,700) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2001, as follows:

An Act providing for disability allowances by the Commonwealth to totally disabled veterans as defined in this act providing for a Veterans' Insurance Board in the Department of Military Affairs and defining its powers and duties relative to the administration of the system of disability allowance and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "veteran" as used in this act shall mean any person totally disabled who was a soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps having a legal residence in this Commonwealth and who served in any war campaign or insurrection in which the United States was engaged and who was at the time of enlistment or induction into service a resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

The words "total disability" or "totally disabled" as used in this act shall be applied to the physical or mental condition of a veteran and shall mean such a physical or mental condition found as a fact by the board as precludes a veteran from ordinarily securing or engaging in any remunerative employment and shall not be construed to mean absolute inability to engage in any employment whatsoever The fact that a veteran has been found to be totally disabled by the United States Veterans' Bureau or in proceedings instituted under the workmen's compensation laws of the Commonwealth may be accepted by the board as constituting total disability under this act The loss of or the loss of the use of both arms or both feet or both legs or both eyes shall constitute total disability under this act

The word "board" as used in this act shall mean the "Veterans' Insurance Board" in the Department of Military Affairs

Section 2 Any veteran totally disabled as defined in this act who shall not have an income in excess of the amount hereinafter provided for shall be entitled when such total disability has continued for a period of three months or more to a disability allowance from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania so long as such total disability continues

Section 3 No veteran totally disabled shall be entitled to receive from the Commonwealth an allowance in excess of fifty dollars per month Where any such veteran receives an allowance compensation or pension from the United States Government of fifty dollars or more per month he shall not be entitled to any allowance from the Commonwealth Where any such veteran receives from the Government of the United

States an allowance compensation or pension of less than fifty dollars per month he shall be entitled to receive from the Commonwealth a monthly allowance equal to the difference between the Federal allowance compensation or pension and fifty dollars Where in any case such a veteran receives workmen's compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Laws of the Commonwealth he shall not be entitled to any disability allowance under this act unless the total amount of such compensation together with the Federal allowance compensation or pension if any shall be less than fifty dollars per month in which case he shall be entitled to a monthly allowance equal to the difference between fifty dollars and his compensation plus any allowance compensation or pension from the Federal Government no veteran shall be entitled to any disability allowance from the Commonwealth whose monthly income from any source whatsoever exceeds one hundred dollars per month

Section 4 There is hereby created in the Department of Military Affairs a "Veterans' Insurance Board" which shall be composed of three citizens of the Commonwealth and the Adjutant General ex-officio The members of said board other than the Adjutant General shall be appointed within ninety days after this act takes effect One of the members shall be appointed for a term of four years one for a term of three years and one for a term of two years and thereafter the members shall be appointed for terms of four years each as the terms of members in office expire Appointments to fill vacancies in the membership of the board shall be made by the Governor for the unexpired term Each member of the board except the Adjutant General shall receive as compensation in addition to the necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duties ten dollars per diem while actually engaged in the work of the board The board shall be a departmental administrative board in said department and shall have the powers conferred by and be subject to the provisions of the Administrative Code relating to such boards

Section 5 The board shall appoint an executive secretary who shall be qualified by character training and experience The board with the approval of the Governor shall fix the salary of the secretary The board may also with the approval of the Governor appoint the necessary number of assistants and investigators and fix their duties and salaries

Section 6 The board shall have the authority to make such rules and regulations as are deemed necessary to carry out the provisions of this act

Section 7 Any veteran entitled to an allowance under the provisions of this act shall file his claim in writing with the board in the manner and on a form prescribed by the board All statements in the application shall be sworn or affirmed by the applicant setting forth that all facts are true in every material point

Where the applicant is unable to make such claim or to make the affidavit the same may be made and the affidavit thereto taken by a guardian committee relative or next friend

Section 8 Whenever an application is made for an allowance under this act the board directly or through an investigator shall promptly make investigations and hear the applicant if it deems the same necessary or if he or she so requests If it approves the application it shall fix the amount of the monthly allowance to which the veteran is entitled The board shall have power to disapprove any application if it determines that a veteran is not entitled to an allowance The board shall send a copy of its recommendation and the reasons for its decision to the applicant Any veteran whose application has been rejected may not reapply within a period of twelve months from the date of his previous application unless he shall clearly show in the application that his mental or physical condition has been materially changed since his former application was made

Section 9 The board may require before any allowance is granted under the provisions of this act that an examination be made of any such veteran by a physician or physicians appointed by the board and that a report of such examination be submitted to the board and to the applicant The fee for any such examination shall be fixed by the board and shall in no case exceed the sum of ten dollars payable by the Commonwealth For the purpose of any investigation the board shall have power to compel by subpoena the attendance for testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers All witnesses shall be examined on oath and any member of the board or the secretary may administer oaths If any person fails or refuses to obey such subpoena the board may petition the court of common pleas of the county where the hearing is held whereupon said court shall issue its subpoena and enforce compliance therewith as in other cases

Section 10 The board shall issue to every veteran to whom assistance is allowed a certificate stating the amount of the monthly allowance to which a veteran is entitled but such certificate may be revoked at any time when the board determines that the amount of the allowance to which a veteran is entitled under the provisions of this act should be increased or decreased The board may require periodic reports under oath from each veteran receiving disability allowance from the Commonwealth in order to ascertain the amount to which such veteran is justly entitled

Section 11 While any veteran receiving assistance is an inmate of any charitable benevolent or fraternal institution or any hospital the amount of assistance or any part thereof may with the consent of the board be paid to the governing authorities of the institution or hospital and be applied toward defraying the actual expenses of such person in such institution or hospital

If any veteran receiving assistance is found incapable of taking care of himself or his money the board may direct the payment of the installments of assistance to the committee or guardian of such veteran or to any responsible person or corporation for his benefit

Section 12 All disability allowances shall be absolutely inalienable by any assignment sale execution or otherwise and in case of bankruptcy the allowance shall not pass to or through any trustees or other persons acting on behalf of creditors

Section 13 If at any time the board has reason to believe that disability allowance has been improperly obtained by any veteran it shall cause special inquiry to be made and may suspend payment of any installment pending the inquiry If on inqury it appears that the allowance was improperly obtained it shall be cancelled but if it appears that it was properly obtained the suspended installments shall be payable in due course

Section 14 Any person who by means of a wilfully false statement or representation or by misrepresentation or other fraudulent device obtains or attempts to obtain or aids and abets any person to obtain a disability allowance to which he is not entitled or an allowance larger than that to which he is justly entitled or who buys or aids or abets in buying the disability allowance of any veteran without the consent of the board shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo imprisonment not exceeding one year or both

Section 15 Within ninety days after the close of each fiscal year the board shall make a report to the Governor for the preceding years stating

(a) The total number of recipients
(b) The amount paid in cash
(c) The total number of applications
(d) The number granted
(e) The number denied
(f) The number cancelled during the year and
(g) Such information as the board may deem advisable

Section 16 All payments for disability allowances under the provisions of this act and the salaries and expenses of the board and its employes and the cost of administering the disability allowance system created by this act shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of moneys specifically appropriated for that purpose in the General Appropriation Law on requisition of the secretary of the board

Section 17 The sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Military Affairs for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and for the payment of salaries and expenses of administering this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2355, (Senate Bill No. 48), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2363, (Senate Bill No. 240), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission of the City of Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2364, (Senate Bill No. 242), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of the city of Williamsport Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand five hundred dollars ($10,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for the Friendless of the City of Williamsport Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2365, (Senate Bill No. 273), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2366, (Senate Bill No. 371), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2367, (Senate Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2368, (Senate Bill No. 373), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2369, (Senate Bill No. 413), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($22,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to ,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2356, (Senate Bill No. 73), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2357, (Senate Bill No. 123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2358, (Senate Bill No. 202), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2359, (Senate Bill No. 203), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2360, (Senate Bill No. 204), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2361, (Senate Bill No. 224), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2362, (Senate Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2370, (Senate Bill No. 423), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2371, (Senate Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2372, (Senate Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2373, (Senate Bill No. 461), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2374, (Senate Bill No. 554), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2375, (Senate Bill No. 559), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2376, (Senate Bill No. 652), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2377, (Senate Bill No. 653), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2379, (Senate Bill No. 684), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2379, (Senate Bill No. 695), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2380, (Senate Bill No. 845), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants, located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2381, (Senate Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery, at McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2382, (Senate Bill No. 1136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideratio nof House Bill No. 2383, (Senate Bill No. 1289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2384, (Senate Bill No. 1293), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2385, (Senate Bill No. 1301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2386, (Senate Bill No. 1305), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2387, (Senate Bill No. 1331), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2388, (Senate Bill No. 1340), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2389, (Senate Bill No. 1342), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2001, file folio 7489, entitled:

An Act providing for disability allowances by the Commonwealth to totally disabled veterans as defined in this act; providing for a Veterans' Insurance Board in the Department of Military Affairs, and defining its powers and duties relative to the administration of the system of disability allowance; and providing penalties.

on page 2 of today's calendar be recommitted to the Committee an Appropriations.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration House Bill No. 1737, (Senate Bill No. 488), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of Common Pleas, and the judges of the Orphan's Court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Aston,	Gross,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Barton,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Post,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Reader,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Reed,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Reyburn,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Rice,	Wells,
Davidson,	King,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rieder,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Root,	Wike,
Donnell,	Linton,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Schilling,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAllan,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,	Zimmerman,
Gicking,	McCann,	Shortz,	Hess,
Goehring,	McClure,	Shutt,	Speaker.
Goodnough,	McDonald,	Smith, H. J.,	
Greeby,	McGregor,	Smith, W. B.,	
Grenet,	McKay,	Soffel,	

NAYS—1.

Batchelor,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2390, (Senate Bill No. 103), entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—143.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Aston,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Munley,	Sowers,
Barton,	Gross,	Myers,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Peck,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Peelor,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins	Pennock,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Walker,

Conner,	Holmes,	Reader,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Reed,	Way,
Davidson,	Huester,	Rice,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rieder,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1600, as follows:

An Act exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes all bank accounts having interest

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That after the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine all bank accounts bearing interest shall be exempt from taxation under the provisions of the act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes

Section 2 The provisions of this act shall in no way prevent or affect the collection of any tax which is or shall be collectible under the provisions of existing law

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed in so far as inconsistent with this act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Spangler,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Lose,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Erdley,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Fox,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shortz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2301, (Senate Bill No. 126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Peck,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peelor,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pitts,	Turner,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Post,	Voltz,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Powell,	Walker,
Cooke,	Hoffman,	Reader,	Washington,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Reed,	Way,
Dengler,	Howe,	Rice,	Weaver,
Denne,	Huester,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2302, (Senate Bill No. 221), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Peck,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Pennock,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Perry,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Storer,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Post,	Talbot,
Conner,	Holmes,	Powell	Turner,
Cooke,	Howe,	Reader,	Voltz,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Walker,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Washington,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Way,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Weaver,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wells,
Dunn,	Lose	Rieder,	Welty,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Wood,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McGregor	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2303, (Senate Bill No. 275), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Michel,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne.	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling.
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle.	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fox.	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2304, (Senate Bill No. 456), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets in the City of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Musmanno,	Sowers,
Barton,	Gross,	Myers,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gwynne.	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Peck,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Pennock,	Stein.
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Perry,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Storb.
Burke,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Storer,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Post,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Himes,	Powell,	Turner,
Conner,	Holmes,	Reader,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Howe,	Reed,	Walker,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Way,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wells,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Welty,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wettach,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wilson,

Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Fish,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Flynn,	McKay,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Fox,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Michel,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2307, (Senate Bill No. 564), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Shellenberger,
Baldridge,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Shortz,
Barton,	Haws,	Mumford,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Spangler,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Peelor,	Stark,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pennock,	Staudenmeier,
Burns,	Huester,	Perry,	Steedle,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Peters,	Stein,
Clovis,	King,	Pethick,	Stevenson,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Storer,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Post,	Sullivan,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Powell,	Talbot,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Turner,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Walker,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Reilly,	Washington,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Reyburn,	Weaver,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Rice,	Wells,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Evans,	McCallister,	Root,	Wilson,
Flynn,	McCann,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Fox,	McClure,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Gelnett	McGregor,	Schreck,	Wood,
Gicking,	McKay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Griffith,	Memolo,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Gross,	Meredith,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
	Michel,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2308, (Senate Bill No. 588), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Hagmaier,	Miller H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Harter,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Haws,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Spangler,
Behm,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Stein,
Black,	Himes,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Storer,
Bowers,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Howe,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Huester,	Post,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Jones,	Powell,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Walker,
Burns,	Katz,	Reader,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	King,	Reed,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Conner,	Landis,	Rice,	Welty,
Davidson,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Goodnough,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2309, (Senate Bill No. 601), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks county, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick"; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Michel,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2310, (Senate Bill No. 694), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Aston,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Goodnough,	Munley,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Cross,	Nothnagle,	Sowers,
Barton,	Gwynne,	O'Neill,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Peelor,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Pennock,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Perry,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.	Haws,	Pierce,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.	Heffernan,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hefferon,	Powell,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffner,	Purucker,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffran,	Reader,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hermanson,	Reed,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Reilly,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holcombe,	Reyburn,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Howe,	Rice,	Wells,
Denne,	Huester,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Ditter,	Katz,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	White,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Yerg.
Gicking,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2311, (Senate Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	Lose,	Rieder,
Aston,	Flynn,	Loucks,	Schilling,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Schreck,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fox,	Lynch,	Schrock,
Baldrige,	Gelnett,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,
Barton,	Gicking,	Mathay,	Shaffer,
Batchelor,	Goehring,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Behm,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Bell, F. A.,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Bell, W. T.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Bicker,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Bidelspacher,	Gross,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B
Blumberg,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Sowers,
Bowers,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Brown, E.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Talbot,
Burns,	Harter,	Mumford,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Wells,
Conner,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Welty,
Cooke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Himes,	Peelor	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Hoffman,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Howe,	Pennock,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Huester,	Perry,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Kahle,	Peters,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Katz,	Pethick,	Wood,

Faches,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Wright,
Ede,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Landis,	Purucker,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Leidich,	Reader,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	Linton,	Reed,	Hess,
Evans,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. GELNETT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration House Bill No. 2320, (Senate Bill No. 1258), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania museum and school of industrial art, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Michel,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Faches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed on the postponed calender.

Mr. EMHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2330, (Senate Bill No. 1344), entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Michel,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Patterson, F. W.	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Voltz,

Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weaver,
Deane,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL ON SECOND READING

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1662, entitled:

An Act authorizing the trial of certain criminal cases by the court without a jury regulating such trials and conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts in such cases

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all criminal cases except murder and crimes punishable by imprisonment of not more than five years triable in the courts of this Commonwealth the defendant shall have the right to waive trial by jury in the manner hereinafter set forth and elect to be tried by the court without a jury

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. EMHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2089, entitled:

An Act authorizing the recording of deeds and other instruments by photographic process in cities of the first class

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the recorder of deeds or other officer in cities of the first class now or hereafter required by law to record deeds and other instruments is hereby authorized to record any deed or other instrument whether or not containing illegible writing and signatures by any approved photographic process Such recording shall for all purposes be of the same force and effect as if such instrument had been recorded by hand with ink typewritten or printed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. EMHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 201, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hunudred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That return of taxes assessed by the authorities of any county of the seventh and eighth class and school districts boroughs incorporated towns or townships in such counties against seated lands shall be made to the commissioners of the county on or before the first day of February succeeding the date when the taxes were assessed Whenever any such taxes are not paid within two years after the date of the assessment such seated lands shall be advertised and sold by the county treasurer except as herein otherwise provided at the time and in the manner and with the same conditions and effect as unseated lands At least ten days before any such sale written notice thereof shall be served by the county treasurer by registered mail upon the owner of such land and if the whereabouts of the owner is unknown such notice shall be served by registered mail upon the terre tenant if any If such notice cannot be served in said manner on the owner or terre tenant then such notice shall be served by the county treasurer by posting the same in the courthouse

The costs of such notices and the service thereof shall be taxed as part of the costs of such proceedings and shall be paid the same as the other costs

The notice to be served and posted under the provisions of this act shall be prepared by the county treasurer and shall be in substantially the following form

To .....
(Owner or reputed owner of property)

You are hereby notified that your property situated ..... has been returned for nonpayment of taxes for the year .....

and unless such taxes are paid before the .....
day of ..... the said property will be sold by the undersigned at his office at the courthouse in the county of ..... of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the ..... day of .....

.....
County Treasurer

Return of any such notice shall be made by the county treasurer by making a record thereof on his docket

Section 2 That the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" and the several amendments thereto be and the same are hereby repealed so far as they relate to counties of the seventh class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2031, as follows:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause (a) of section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1207 APPEARANCE UPON ARREST—

(a) Whenever any person is arrested for a violation of any of the provisions of this act the arresting officer may except as otherwise provided in this act take the name and address of such person and the registration number of his motor vehicle and issue a summons or otherwise notify him in writing to appear at a time and place to be specified in such summons or notice such time to be at least five (5) days after the arrest unless the person arrested shall demand an earlier hearing and such person shall if he so desire have a right to an immediate hearing or a hearing within twenty-four (24) hours at a convenient hour and such hearing to be before a mayor burgess magistrate alderman or justice of the peace within the county wherein such offense was committed Such officer shall thereupon and upon the giving by such person of his written promise to appear at such time and place forthwith release him from custody Such written promise to appear shall be valid and effective to cause the release of the defendant for any continued hearing until a final disposition of the charge shall have been made

Any person refusing to give such written promise to appear shall be taken immediately by the arresting officer before the nearest available mayor burgess magistrate alderman or justice of the peace

Any person who wilfully violates his written promise to appear given in accordance with this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor regardless of the disposition of the charge upon which he was originally arrested

It shall be the duty of the police official in charge when making an arrest for automobile violation to secure sufficient security to the amount of fine and costs from the defendants for their appearance at the hearing

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2281, (Senate Bill No. 970), entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and

in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintneance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with the Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 8 Whenever in the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of any of the State Highways it shall appear to the commissioner that any part or portion of a State Highway as now defined and described in this act is dangerous or inconvenient to the traveling public in its present location either by reason of grades dangerous turns or other local conditions or that the expense to the Commonwealth in the construction building rebuilding maintenance and repair thereof would be too great or unreasonable and could be materially reduced or lessened by a divergence from the road or route the commissioner is hereby empowered to divert the course or direction of same and he may diverge from the line or route of same as herein described in such direction or directions as in his discretion may seem best in order to correct said danger or inconvenience or lessen the cost to the Commonwealth Provided That the said commissioner shall first submit a plan of the proposed change to the Governor and that the same shall be approved by him

The State Highway Commissioner shall also have power with the approval of the Governor to establish the width and lines of any State highway before or after the construction reconstruction or improvement of the same not however exceeding the maximum width fixed by law for public roads Whenever the State Highway Commissioner shall establish the width and lines of any such State highway he shall cause a description and plan thereof to be made showing the center line of said highway and the established width thereof and shall attach thereto his acknowledgment Thereupon such description plan and acknowledgment shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the proper county in a separate book kept for such purpose which shall be furnished to the recorder of deeds by the county commissioners at the expense of the county

[No owner or occupier of lands buildings or improvements shall erect any building or make any improvements within the limits of any State highway the width and lines of which have been established and recorded as provided in this section and of any such erection or improvement shall be made no allowance shall be had therefor by the assessment of damages]

No person shall hereafter be entitled to recover any damages for any buildings or improvements of any kind which shall or may be placed or constructed upon or within the lines of any such State highway after the same shall have been established and recorded as aforesaid

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2323, (Senate Bill No. 1295), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2328, (Senate Bill No. 1327), entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 73) entitled "An act

to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2346, (Senate Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2347, (Senate Bill No. 928), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2339, (Senate Bill No. 1332), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1463, as follows:

An Act to amend Clause four of Section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An Act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Clause four of Section one thousand and six of an Act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Law five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" be amended to read as follows

IV [Except where other wise in this act provided] to publish once in one newspaper printed in the county [and by twelve advertisements posted in public placed in the borough every enactment regulation ordinance or other general law] the title of every ordinance or resolution of a legislative character in the nature of an ordinance or if there be no title or if the title be not sufficient to give reasonable notice of the nature of the ordinance or resolution then to publish a concise statement sufficient to give reasonable notice of the nature of the ordinance or resolution at least ten days before the same shall take effect

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2154, (Senate Bill No. 979), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2322, (Senate Bill No. 1290), entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying or said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highways Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No, 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), as follows:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever the Commonwealth with the aid of any county and township or any county has heretofore con-

structed or improved any section of road as a State-aid highway such section of State-aid highway shall after the passage of this act be deemed a State highway in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth relating to State highways and shall be taken over and be hereafter maintained and reconstructed by the Department of Highways in the same manner as State highways All moneys in the Motor License Fund appropriated for the maintenance and construction of State highways shall be available for use for the maintenance and reconstruction of such State highways and for such purposes are hereby reappropriated

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1563, (Senate Bill No, 272), as follows:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal action pending in any State of the United States of America and providing for penalties for any violations of the same

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That if a judge of a court of record in any State of the United States of America which by its laws has made provision for commanding persons within its borders to attend and testify in any criminal actions in this State certifies under the seal of such court that there is a criminal action pending in such court of such State wherein the defendant is charged with a crime whether a felony or misdemeanor and that a person residing or being within this State is believed to be a material and necessary witness in such action a judge of record in this State upon the presentation of such certificate and such proof of the materiality and necessity of such witness as he may require opportunity being given such witness to appear before such judge and be heard in opposition thereto and upon request so to do by the clerk of the court issuing such certificate shall issue and attach to such certificates a subpoena commanding such witness to appear and testify in the court where such criminal action is pending at the time and place to be stated therein

Section 2 If any person on whom such subpoena has been served in the manner provided by this act having been tendered by the party asking for the subpoena the sum of ten cents for each mile to be traveled to and from such court and the sum of five dollars for each day that his attendance is required the number of days to be specified in the subpoena shall unreasonably neglect to attend and testify at such court or before a magistrate alderman or justice of the peace he shall be punished in the manner provided for the punishment of disobedience of any other subpoena issued from a clerk of a court of record in this State provided however that the laws of the State in which the trial is to be held give to persons coming in the State under such subpoena protection from the service of papers and arrest

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2333, (Senate Bill No. 792), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 935), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 332, as follows:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceedings under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever any sheriff shall pursuant to an execution issued levy upon any goods and chattels upon which there is at the time a distress for rent any sale by the person executing such landlord's warrant pursuant to such levy or distress for rent shall be stayed pending the sale of such goods and chattels by the sheriff and the sheriff may proceed with his execution and sell such goods and chattels as provided by existing law for sheriffs sales and in such cases the claim for rent together with costs of executing such landlord's warrant shall be filed with the sheriff and shall be a lien on the proceeds of the sale by the sheriff and be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale by the sheriff

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2314 (Senate Bill No. 933), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 153), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2332 (Senate Bill No. 593), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 849), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILLIAM T. BELL, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, the American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

BILL ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, The American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER.

The SPEAKER. Permit the Chair to say to the members of the House that pursuant to the resolution passed by the House yesterday appointing a committee to attend the funeral of the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman, the Chair appoints any and all members of the House who find it possible to attend Mr. Beidleman's funeral as member of the special committee appointed for that purpose. All of the members who find it possible to attend Mr. Beidleman's funeral will report and give their names to the Chief Clerk. They will be provided with badges and so forth, and included in the membership of your committee.

The Chief Clerk requests that the committee meet in the Senate Chamber at 1.15 o'clock tomorrow to make arrangements and to proceed to the funeral in a body. The funeral will be held in the Pine Street Presbyterian Church located at Third and Pine Streets, facing the Capitol, at 2.00 o'clock. The members will meet in the Senate Chamber at 1.15 o'clock and proceed in a body from the Senate Chamber to the funeral at the church. The Chair wishes to explain that if any of the members have their wives with them or any of the members have their husbands with them, who are not members of the House, that they may meet and proceed in a similar body to the church, but the members of the House will proceed in a body as an organized committee.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

The SPEAKER. The Chair advises the House that we can consider numerous bills on third reading which are not on the calendar today but which were on yesterday's calendar. The bills are on file.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1491 (Senate Bill No. 170), entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or the borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Ycakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor.	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2147, (Senate Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants tenants in common or coparceners

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,

Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2049, (Senate Bill No. 1026), entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2048 ,(Senate Bill No. 1015), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day o April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleadin usury as a defense."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2291, (Senate Bill No. 1251), entitled:

An Act authorizing the district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,

Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2290, (Senate Bill No. 1249), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Walker,
Clovis,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Wells,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Evans,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McClure,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McKay,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2295, (Senate Bill No. 1299), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Flynn,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Fox,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harding,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Perry,	Washington,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Peters,	Wells,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Himes,	Pierce,	White,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Howe,	Post,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wright,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Evans,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2044, (Senate Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1682, (Senate Bill No. 402), entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbridge,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2175, (Senate Bill No. 698), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the reassessment between the period of the triennial assessment, of property, and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Walker,
Clovis,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Flynn,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Fox,	McGregor,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1573 (Senate Bill No. 670), entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns and townships; providing for

the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth; fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gochring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2043 (Senate Bill No. 444), entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gochring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2288 (Senate Bill No. 1239), entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county, borough, township, school and poor taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gochring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2103 (Senate Bill No. 687), entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and works for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Walker,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Washington,
Conner,	Himes,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Wells,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Post,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reed,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCann,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Fox,	McClure,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2286 (Senate Bill No. 1150), entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurer's sales and sheriff's sales for the non-payment of taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Millar,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.	Henderson,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Walker,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Way,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2176 (Senate Bill No. 699), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer.
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells.
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post.	Wheeler,
Ditter.	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess.
Fox.	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1695 (Senate Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contrac tfor supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth" by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contract from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 513 (Senate Bill No. 84), entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1029 (Senate Bill No. 375), entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,

Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2157 (Senate Bill No. 1127), entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds, or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully taken, killed, or caught to be personal property and the subjects of larceny.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Perry,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pethick,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2113 (Senate Bill No. 990), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—130.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Cooke,	Jones,	Post,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Evans,	McClure,	Sheely,	Hess,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—1.

Himes,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2047, (Senate Bill No. 991), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Evans	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2045, (Senate Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pethick,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reader,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Reed,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rice,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
		Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2149, (Senate Bill No. 833), entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers composed of trust companies or banking companies or both under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Conner,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pierce	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2289, (Senate Bill No. 1246), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers,

in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor: prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary," and the amendments thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Aston.	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith H J.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Myers,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post.	Walker,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice.	Wells,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler
Donnell	Loucks,	Royle,	White,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Ederer ,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Mathay.	Schrock,	Witkin,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2275, (Senate Bill No. 433), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine), entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders of the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett.	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle.	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Wells,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Post,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reed,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rice	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2282, (Senate Bill No. 989), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Coehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Smith W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Jones,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,

Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gicking,	Metzinger,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2285, (Senate Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pethick,	Wells,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pierce,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1992, (Senate Bill No. 834), entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, and composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 414, Printer's No. 115, File Folio 907, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third classes in certain cases

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the ouse concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 10th, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate Concur), That House Bill No. 930 Printer's No. 977 File Folio 5555, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 10th, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate Concurs), that House Bill No. 1594, Printer's Nos. 533, White File Folio 3221, entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled 'An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof' authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

RESOLUTION.

RETURNING HOUSE BILL No. 1076 TO THE GOVERNOR

Mr. WHEELER asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 11th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 973, File Folio 5533, entitled "An Act providing a fixed charge, payable by the Commonwealth, on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government, for forest reserves, or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania, and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks, and the distribution of the same for county, school, township and road purposes, in the counties, school districts, and townships where such forests are located," which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 469 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. SOWERS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 469, 508 Printer's No., White File Folio 3071, entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled 'An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days' as amended" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2274, (Senate Bill No. 334), entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads, and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State

highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provision of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Cicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2046, (Senate Bill No. 935), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Cicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Sowers,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Royle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1259, (Senate Bill No. 407), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldridge,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,

Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1988, (Senate Bill No. 562), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. J.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F.W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2327, (Senate Bill No. 1307), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wike,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2120, (Senate Bill No. 1014), entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; providing for the enumeration of all deformed, crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2230, (Senate Bill No. 927), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Millar,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Erdley,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2153, (Senate Bill No. 1094), entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2299, (Senate Bill No. 790), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Clark M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

TIME EXTENDED ON BILL.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I move that the time on House Bill No. 1125, file folio 5959, entitled:

An Act to provide for the organization, operation and supervision of co-operative savings and credit associations to be termed credit unions, designating such credit unions as corporations, and defining their powers and duties.

on page 46 of todays calender, bills on final passage postponed, be extended five days

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 13, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Hoffman,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Denne,	Huester,	Reed,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Welty,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Landis,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Sautter,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Scott W. H.,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 165, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and and nays were taken and were as follows, viz

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Turner,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Post,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Walker,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler	Howe,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Huester,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Welty,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Munley,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gross,	Nothnagle,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	O'Neill,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Peelor,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Pennock,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Perry,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Peters,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Pethick,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Pierce,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pitts,	Storer,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Post,	Sullivan,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Powell,	Talbot,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Reader,	Turner,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Reed,	Voltz,
Davidson,	Howe,	Rice,	Walker,
Dengler,	Huester,	Richards, B.,	Washington,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Riddle,	Way,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Weaver,
Donnell,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wells,
Dunn,	Linton,	Root,	Welty,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Wood,
Flynn,	McClure.	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Munley,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Turner,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Post,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Huester,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Welty,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Zeisenheim,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gicking,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Munley,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.	Harkins,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Himes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Conner,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Howe,	Powell,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Welty,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McCann,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gicking,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Munley,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Nothnagle,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	O'Neill,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Peelor,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Perry,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harding,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Harkins,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pethick,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Post,	Turner,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Powell,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Reader,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Reed,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Rice,	Way,
Dengler,	Huester,	Richards, B.,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Riddle,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Welty,
Donnell,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Linton,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Metzinger,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.
Barton,	Grimes,	Munley,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Myers,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harding,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Huester,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 753, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Munley,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Peck,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Peters,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Post,	Voltz,
Conner,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Cooke,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Jones,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Welty,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Goehring,	Metzinger,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Munley,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Myers,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peck,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Huester,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weaver,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Welty,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 887, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infant's Home and Hospital of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gross,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Huester,	Reed,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Williams, G W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,

Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	Metzinger,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 888, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stadtlander
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Sterling.
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Storer,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Turner,
Cooke,	Himes,	Post,	Voltz,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington,
Denne,	Huester,	Reed,	Way,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weaver,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Welty,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
			Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 890, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Sterling.
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Huester,	Reed,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Zeisenheim,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 952, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Steedle,

Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Zeisenheim,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the onstitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 973, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Barton,	Griffith,	Munley,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Post,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Powell,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Reader,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reed,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Ditter,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Royle,	White,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wike,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Zeisenheim,
Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Shortz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally.

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Myers,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Peck,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Post,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Powell,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Reader,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Reed,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Ditter,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Fuller,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Metzinger,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1070, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gross,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Hart,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Harter,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burke,	Haws,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Himes,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Dengler,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Welty,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, H A.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Miller, S.H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell., W. T.,	Haines,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, T.J.,	Haws,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burns,	Heffner,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Davidson,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Denne,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Ditter,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Welty,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Eaches,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Ede,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W.H.,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Aston,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Clovis,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Grenet,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Aston,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Post,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Reader,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Reed,	Walker,
Clovis,	Huester,	Rhodes,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Weidemann,
Denne	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Grenet,	Memolo,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Reader,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reed,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Denne	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1172, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudemeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,

Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1232, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Haines,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Myers,	Stark,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Burke,	Himes,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Burns,	Hofman	Peck,	Stevenson,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Howe,	Peters,	Turner,
Conner,	Huester,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wettach,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1353, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1365, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Schrock,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Gross,	McKay,	Sheely,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Behm,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Burke,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Steedle,

Burns,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Donner,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Dooke,	Holmes,	Perry,	Turner,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peters,	Walker,
Dengler,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Welty,
Dunn,	Landis,	Reed,	Wettach,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Wood,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1429, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Walker,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Perry,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peters,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Huester,	Pierce,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Schrock,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Eckett,	Haws,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Burke,	Himes,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Perry,	Turner,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peters,	Walker,
Dengler,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Reilly,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Richards B.,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Rieder,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Ronemus,	Yeagel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schreck,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1489, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Haines,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Haws,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Paterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Peelor,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Perry,	Weaver,
Conner,	Howe,	Peters,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Huester,	Pierce,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Richards, B.	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1507, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Barton,	Gross,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bickett,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Burke,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Burns,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Clovis,	Himes,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Cooke,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Perry,	Turner,
Dengler,	Howe,	Peters,	Walker,
Denne,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wood,
Evans,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wright,
Fish,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fox,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1586, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Aston,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Barton,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Conner,	Huester,	Reader,	Way,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler
Dunn,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schrock	Wolfe,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Gross,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1591, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	McKay,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Moore, D G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Huester,	Pierce,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Pitts,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.
Donnell,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gicking,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1661, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Aston,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W B.,
Baldrige	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harter,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Storer,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Catania,	Howe,	Post,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Walker,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Washington,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wells,
Davidson,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Wood,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Griffith,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1927, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Washington
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheelbr,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Yerg,

Fox,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2066, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children, Doylestown, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania.	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL SIGNED BY SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 206.

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts, in which advances of money, repayable on demand, are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive, or to contract to receive, in writing, and collect as compensation, any sum to be agreed upon.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2083, as follows:

An act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same That section two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-one)" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 Every trustee committee guardian or other person nominated or appointed to take charge of the estate of any insane feeble-minded or other person who is an inmate of any State-owned mental hospital or any home asylum or other institution wherein said inmate is maintained in part by the Commonwealth shall within three months after his appointment make a true and full report under oath to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue showing the amount and character of said estate and every year thereafter report to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue what if any changes there are in said estate and every executor or administrator of any deceased inmate of any mental hospital asylum home or institution who is maintained in part by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as aforesaid shall within three months after letters testamentary or of administration have been issued make a true full and complete report under oath of the extent and character of such estate Whenever and fiduciary or person aforesaid shall file in any court an account of his administration of such property or estate he shall file a duplicate of such account with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue and no such account shall be confirmed except upon due proof to the proper court of the filing of such copy with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue Such fiduciary or person shall also notify the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue when where and by whom such account will be audited and there shall be no confirmation of the report of an auditor auditing such account or final adjudication thereof by any court except after due proof to the proper court of the giving of such notice Any fiduciary or person aforesaid who shall fail to make any report to the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue hereby required shall be personally liable for such amount due the Commonwealth which amount may be recovered by suit

brought in the name of the Commonwealth through the Department of Justice in the same manner as other debts are recoverable

Section 2 That Section four of said act as amended by said act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 The court of common pleas of the county of the residence of any inmate of a State-owned mental hospital or any home hospital asylum or other institution wherein said inmate is maintained in part by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall upon the application of the [Attorney General] Department of Justice acting on behalf of the Department of Revenue make an order for the payment of maintainence to the Commonwealth upon the trustee committee guardian or other person who has charge of the estate of any such inmate or against the husband wife father mother child or children of any person so maintained and any order made against the husband wife father mother child or children shall be in such amount as the court in its discretion deems proper taking into consideration their ability to pay for said maintenance and said court may also upon like application direct any trustees committee guardian or other person having charge of any such estate to file with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue the statement required by the second section of this act

Section 3 Section five of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 5 The sworn statement of the superintendent steward or other person in whose custody are kept the records of any hospital home asylum or other institution not owned by the State wherein persons are maintained [in whole or] in part at the expense of this Commonwealth and a statement of the Department of Revenue issued under its seal on behalf of any State-owned institution wherein persons are maintained in part at the expense of the Commonwealth shall be received as prima facie evidence in any court of this Commonwealth of the amount expended by the Commonwealth for the support or maintainence of any such person in any proceeding brought to recover the amount of such maintainence

Section 4 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yorg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2074, as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof' by including instruments and devices for weighing at coal mines" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 That all county and city inspectors so appointed shall be supplied at the expense of their respective counties and cities with standard tests of weights and measures in conformity with those established by the Government of the United States or the Bureau of Standards of the State and the laws of this Commonwealth to ensure the accuracy of these tests they shall be compared with the standard tests to be purchased by the Secretary of Internal Affairs and when so compared and their correctness established they shall be so stamped or marked in such manner as may be established by the rules and regulations hereinbefore referred to to be put in force by said Secretary of Internal Affairs and approved by the Governor of the Commonwealth

Each inspector shall report in writing at least once every month to the chief of the State Bureau of Standards upon blanks furnished by the chief Such report shall contain (1) The number of tests made since the last preceding report (2) The number of weights measures and balances found by such tests to be correct (3) The number of weights measures and balances found by such tests to be false (4) The number of prosecutions instituted by such inspector since the last preceding report together with the name of the accused the title of the court where the prosecution was instituted and the result of such prosecution (5) Such other matters as the chief may from time to time prescribe

The inspector shall take charge of and safely keep the proper standards They shall be furnished by the chief of the Bureau of Standards of this Commonwealth with full specifications of tolerance and allowance to be used by them in the performance of their duties Each inspector shall have power within his respective jurisdiction to test all instruments and devices used in weighing or measuring anything sold or to be used including instruments and devices for weighing at coal-mines and including weighing machines and scales installed in places frequented by the public which scales or weighing machines by whatever means purport to indicate the weight of any person or object placed thereon upon the deposit of a coin and seal the same if found to

be correct Such test shall include all appliances connected or used with such instruments or devices For the purpose of making such test each inspector at any reasonable time and without formal warrant may enter upon any vendor or dealer or the agent or servant of such vendor or dealer or stop any vehicle used in delivering any commodity which is weighed or measured as delivered He may condemn and mark as condemned or may seize any false or illegal instrument or device used or intended to be used in weighing or measuring If he shall seize any such instrument or device he shall retain possession thereof until it shall have been used as evidence in any prosecution under the laws of this Commonwealth relating to weights and measures or to the sale of commodities After the determination of such prosecution the false or illegal instrument or device shall be destroyed unless otherwise ordered by the proper court

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermancen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Perry,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pierce,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Zimmerman,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shafer,	Hess,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2086, as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) and the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases as used in this act unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meanings

1 "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allowances under the provisions of this act

2 "Retirement Association" shall mean the State employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

3 "Retirement Board" shall mean the State employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

4 "Secretary of the Commonwealth" shall mean the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

5 "State Treasurer" shall mean the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

6 "State employe" shall mean any person holding a State office under the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or employed by the year or by the month by the State Government of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in any capacity whatsoever and shall include also any attorney solicitor investigator appraiser and clerk employed by the year or by the month in the office of any register of wills howsoever appointed whose compensation is actually paid from Commonwealth monies But the term "State employe" shall not include judges and it also shall not include those persons defined as employes in section one paragraph seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by section one paragraph seven of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) excepting such officers and employes of the Department of Public Instruction as are not members of or who may withdraw from the public school employes' retirement association provided by said act and no member shall be deprived of credit for prior service as a State employe because of the fact that such service was rendered while he or she was a member of the public school employes' retirement association

The term "State employe" shall also include all State officers and employes regularly employed by the year or by the month at a fixed annual or monthly compensation when the General Assembly is not in session but who during a legislative session instead of a fixed annual or monthly salary or compensation are paid upon a per diem basis or by a fixed salary or compensation from the legislative session

In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is a State employe as defined in this paragraph and its decision shall be final

7 "Head of Department" as applied to State employes shall mean the head of the department or branch of service not a department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of which the State employe is a member

8 "Member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall be a member of the retirement association established by this act

9 "Original member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a state employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight

10 "New member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall have become a State employe and a member of the retirement association at a date subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four

11 "Contributor" shall mean any person who has [an account in the annuity savings fund] accumulated deductions in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings account

12 "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

13 "Prior Service" shall mean all service completed not later than the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-three

14 "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

15 "Superannuation Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

16 "Superannuation Retirement Age" shall mean as applied to State employes sixty years of age

17 "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earnable by a contributor as a State employe for the five years of service immediately preceding retirement

18 "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and credited to his or her individual account in] paid into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account together with the regular interest thereon

19 "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

20 "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

21 "Members Annuity" shall mean payment for life derived from contributions made by the contributor as provided in this act

22 "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the member's annuity

23 "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

24 "Member's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any member's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

25 ["Expense Fund"] "State Employes' Retirment Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

26 "Contingent Reserve [Fund] "Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

27 "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

28 "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account Number Two" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

29 "Member's Annuity Saving [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

30 Member's Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

Section 2 That section four of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

THE RETIREMENT BOARD

Section 4 (1) Within sixty days following the enactment of this law a retirement board to be known as the "State Employes' Retirement Board" shall be constituted within the Department of State [and Finance] which shall consist of the following

(a) The Secretary of the Commonwealth who shall be chairman thereof

(b) The State Treasurer

(c) One member who shall be appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who shall serve until his successor is appointed

(d) Two members of the retirement association elected from among their number in a manner to be approved by those persons named in paragraphs (a) (b) and (c) of this section—one to serve for one year one for two years and whose successors shall be elected for a term of three years from among the members of the retirement association in a manner to be approved by the retirement board

A vacancy occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired term by the appointment of a successor in the same manner [is] as his or her predecessor Until the establishment of the retirement association and the election of two representatives therefrom the person named in paragraphs (a) (b) and (c) of this section are empowered to perform the duties of the retirement board

(2) The expenses of the administration of this act by the retirement board exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act shall be paid by the Commonwealth by biennial appropriations from the general fund made on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board The members of the retirement board shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed from [the expense fund] the aforesaid appropriations for any necessary expenditures and no contributor shall suffer loss of salary or wages through serving on the retirement board

(3) The [retirement board shall elect from its membership a chairman and] Secretary of the Commonwealth shall with the approval of the Governor appoint a secretary an actuary and such medical clerical and other employes as may be necessary

(4) The compensation of all persons [employed by the retirement board] so appointed shall be fixed by [said retirement board] the Secretary of the Commonwealth with the approval of the Governor Provided That after the Executive Board of the Commonwealth shall have established applicable standards of the persons employed by the retirement board shall conform to such standards

(5) Subject to the limitations of this act and of law the retirement board shall from time to time establish rules and regulations for the administration of the [funds] fund and ledger accounts created by this act and for the transaction of its business

(6) The retirement board shall keep in convenient form such data as shall be necessary for acturial valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

(7) In the years nineteen hundred twenty-seven and nineteen hundred thirty and in every fifth year thereafter the actuary of the retirement board shall make an actuarial investigation into the mortality and service experience of the contributors and beneficiaries as defined in this act and shall make a valuation of the various funds accounts created by this act and on the basis of such investigation and valuation the retirement board shall—

(a) Adopt for the retirement system one or more mortality tables and such other tables as shall be deemed necessary

(b) Certify the rates of deduction from salary necessary to pay the annuities authorized under the provisions of this act and

(c) Certify the rates of contributions expressed as a percentage of salary of new members at various ages which shall be made by the Commonwealth to the State Employes' Retirement Fund and credited to the contingent reserve [fund] account

(8) Immediately after the passage of this act the actuary of the retirement board shall make such investigation of the mortality service and salary experience of the State employes as he shall recommend and the retirement board shall authorize for the purpose of determining upon the proper tables to be prepared and submitted to the retirement board for adoption On the basis of such investigation and recommendation the retirement board shall adopt such tables and certify such rates as are required in subsections (a) (b) and (c) of paragraph seven immediately preceding On the basis of such tables the actuary of the retirement board shall immediately after the first day of January nineteen hundred twenty-four make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

(9) The retirement board shall prepare and have published annually a financial statement showing the condition of the Fund and the various [funds] accounts created by this act and setting forth such other facts recommendations and data as may be of use in the advancement of knowledge concerning State employes' pensions and annuities and of said retirement board shall submit said financial statement to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and shall file copies in the offices of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of the State Insurance Department and of the head of each department for use of the State employes and the public

(10) Each member of the retirement board shall take an oath of office that he or she will so far as it devolves upon him diligently and honestly administer the affairs of said retirement board and that he or she will not knowingly violate or wilfully permit to be violated any of the provisions of law applicable to this act Such oath shall be subscribed by the member making it and certified by the officer before whom it is taken and shall be immediately filed in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth

(11) The retirement board shall keep a record of all its proceedings which shall be open to inspection by the public

(12) The retirement board shall perform such other functions as are required for the execution of the provisions of this act

Section 3 That section six of the said act as amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

MANAGEMENT OF [FUNDS] THE FUND AND ACCOUNTS

Section 6 (1) The members of the retirement board shall be the trustees of the [several funds] Fund created by this act and shall have exclusive control and management of the said [funds] Fund and full power to invest the same subject however to all the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by this act upon the making of investments and subject also to the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by law upon departments wards commissions and officers of the State Government in making investments and subject to like terms conditions limitations and restrictions said trustees shall have full power to hold purchase sell assign transfer or dispose of any of the securities and investments in which any of the moneys in the [funds] Fund created by this act shall have been invested as well as of the proceeds of said investments and of any moneys belonging to said [funds] Fund

(2) The retirement board shall annually allow regular interest on the mean amount for the preceding year [in] to the credit of each of the [funds] accounts created in accordance with the provisions of this act [with the exception of the expense fund] The amount so allowable [shall be due and payable to such funds and] shall be annually credited thereto by the retirement board

(3) The State Treasurer shall be the custodian of the [several funds] Fund created by this act

(4) All payments from the [funds] Fund created by this act shall be made by the State Treasurer only upon [warrant] warrants drawn by the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions signed by the chairman of the retirement board and countersigned by the secretary of the retirement board and no [warrant] requisition shall be drawn except by order of the retirement board duly entered in the record of its proceedings

Provided That no [warrant] requisition shall be signed by the chairman of the retirement board for any State annuity granted under any of the provisions of this act unless the contributor entitled to the annuity shall during his or her lifetime hold himself or herself in readiness to advise and consult with his or her successor or associates and to perform such duties as he or she shall be called upon to perform of a character similar to those which he or she performed at the time of retirement as shall be reasonable in view of his or her physical condition residence and occupation

(5) For the purpose of meeting disbursements for annuities and other payments in excess of the receipts there [may] shall be kept [an] available [fund] by the State Treasurer an amount not exceeding ten per centum of the total amount in the [several funds] Fund created by this act on deposit in any bank or banks in this Commonwealth organized under the laws thereof or under the laws of the United States or with any trust company or companies incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth Provided Said bank or trust company or companies shall furnish adequate security for said [funds] deposit And provided That the sum so deposited in any one bank or trust company shall not exceed twenty-five per centum of the paid-up capital and surplus of said bank or trust company

(6) Except as herein provided no trustee or any person connected with the retirement board shall have any interest direct or indirect in the gains or profits of any investments made by the retirement board nor as such directly or indirectly receive any pay or emoluments for his or her services And no trustee or person connected with said retirement board directly or indirectly for himself or herself or as an agent or partner of others shall borrow any of its funds or deposits or in any manner use the same except to make such current and necessary payments as are authorized by the retirement board as provided in this act nor shall any trustee or person connected with said retirement board become surety or become in any manner an obligor for moneys loaned by or borrowed of said retirement board

(7) By the name of "The State Employes' Retirement System" all of the business of the system shall be transacted [all of] its [funds] Fund invested all [warrants] requisitions for money drawn and payments made and all of its cash and securities and other property shall be held

Section 4 That paragraph six of section seven of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

(6) The State Treasurer on receipt from the heads of the departments of the vouchers for deduction from the salaries of members provided for in paragraph five of this section shall pay each of the amounts so deducted into the [members' annuity savings fund] Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue [and he shall transmit to the secretary of the retirement board monthly or at such less frequent intervals as the retirement board shall designate a detailed statement of all amounts so paid in and credited by him to the members' annuity savings fund] The Secretary of the retirement board shall cause each of such amounts so deducted to be credited [in] to the members' annuity savings [fund] account together with regular interest to an individual account of the member from whose compensation the deduction was made

STATE EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT [FUNDS] FUND AND ACCOUNTS

Section 8 (1) The [funds] Fund and accounts created hereby are—the [expense fund] State Employes' Retirement Fund the contingent reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account number two the members' annuity savings [fund] account and the members' annuity reserve [fund] account

(2) The [expense fund shall consist of such amounts as shall be paid by the Commonwealth on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board to defray the expenses

of the administration of this act exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act] State Employes' Retirement Fund on and after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall consist of all moneys in the several separate funds in the State Treasury set apart to be used under the direction of the State Employes' Retirement Board for the retirement of members of the State employes' retirement association which on the aforesaid date shall be consolidated into one special fund to be known as the "State Employes' Retirement Fund" and thereafter the Treasury Department shall credit to the State Employes' Retirement Fund all moneys received by it from the Department of Revenue arising from contributions from the Commonwealth and members of the retirement association as hereinafter provided and all interest earned by the investments or moneys of said Fund Upon the consolidation of the Separate funds as aforesaid there shall be established and maintained by the retirement board for actuarial purposes the several hereinafter named ledger accounts equivalent to and which shall stand in lieu of the several separate funds hereby abolished and all credits to each abolished fund shall be credited by the retirement board to the ledger account hereinafter created to stand in place of said fund

(3) In the month of January nineteen hundred and twenty-six for a period covering the twelve months next preceding and semi-annually thereafter covering the six months next preceding the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall pay into [a fund to be known as the contingent reserve fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue on account of each new member of the retirement association who was a contributor for one or more months of such respective periods such amounts as shall be certified by the retirement board as necessary to provide by such method of payment during the prospective service as State employe of such new member the State annuity reserve required at the time of retirement for the disability of superannuation State annuity allowable by the said Commonwealth under the provisions of this act or required at the time of discontinuance of service under paragraph four of section eleven of this act which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the contingent reserve account The amount so certified by the retirement board shall be computed to bear a ratio to the salary earnable by such new member during the period for which the amount is certified which shall remain constant during his or her entire period of prospective active service and shall be based on such mortality and other tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board and on regular interest

(4) Upon the retirement of a new member an amount equal to his or her State annuity reserve shall be transferred by the retirement board from the contingent reserve [fund into a fund] account to the credit of a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve [fund] account His or her State annuity shall be [paid from] charged to said State annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the fund created by this act Should said new member be subsequently restored to active service his or her State annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account Should the State annuity of any such new member be otherwise reduced or discontinued in accordance with the provisions of this act his or her State annuity reserve or such proportionate part of his or her State annuity reserve as corresponds to the amount of the reduction of his or her State annuity shall be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account

(5) The actuary after making the first valuation required shall determine the present value of the liability on account of all State annuities payable to original members and the percentage of the total compensation paid to all members during the preceding year which is equivalent to one twenty-fifth of the said liability The [treasurer] Commonwealth shall pay into [a fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue [to be known as State annuity reserve fund number two] annually beginning with the month of June nineteen hundred and twenty-five and until the accumulated reserve equals the present value of said liability the amount as certified [to him] by the retirement board which shall be equal to the per centum determined in accordance with this section of the total compensation paid to all members for service during the preceding year which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve account number two Each annual payment shall be sufficient when compared with that in the [fund] Fund to the credit of the aforesaid account to provide the pensions payable by the Commonwealth during the year then current to original members then retired or to be retired as provided in this act Upon the retirement an original member his or her State annuity shall be [paid from] charged to the State annuity reserve [fund] account number two and paid from the Fund created by this act

(6) There shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as [The] the members' annuity savings [fund shall consist] account the amounts of the accumulated deductions from the salaries of contributors made under such rules and regulations as the retirement board shall prescribe as follows

From the salary of each member who is a contributor there shall be deducted and paid into the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue such per centum of his or her earnable salary as shall be computed to be sufficient with regular interest to procure for him or her on superannuation retirement a members' annuity equal to one one-hundred-sixtieth (1,160) or if the member shall so elect one one-hundredth (1,100) of his or her final salary for each year of service after the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-three except that if the deduction so computed shall exceed five per centum of his or her earnable salary and the member shall so elect there shall be deducted five per centum of his or her earnable salary And further provided That a beneficiary restored to service shall not be required to contribute at a per centum rate of his or her earnable salary which is greater than the per centum thereof which he or she was required to contribute prior to his or her retirement The rate per centum of said deduction from salary shall be based on such mortality and other tables as the retirement board shall adopt together with regular interest and shall be computed to remain constant during the prospective service of the contributor

(7) Upon the retirement of a contributor a credit equivalent to the amount of his or her accumulated deductions shall be transferred from the members' annuity savings [fund] account to [a fund] a ledger account to be known as the members' annuity reserve fund account His or her members' annuity shall be [paid out of] charged to said members' annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said contributor be subsequently restored to active service his or her members' annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from the members' reserve [fund] account to the members' annuity savings [fund] account

(8) No contributor shall be required to continue to contribute to the [members' annuity savings fund] State Employes' Retirement Fund after he or she shall have become eligible for superannuation retirement if he or she shall have already completed ten years of service all contributions made thereafter to said [fund] Fund shall be voluntary

Section 6 That section nine of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

STATE GUARANTY

Section 9 Regular interest charges payable the creation and maintenance of reserves in the Fund created by the act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the maintenance of members' annuity reserves and State annuity reserves as provided for in this act and the payment of all retirement allowances and other benefits granted, by the retirement board under the provisions of this act are hereby made obligations of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania All income interest and dividends derived from deposits and investments authorized by this act shall be used for the payment of the said obligations of the Commonwealth The retirement board shall prepare and submit to the [Legislature] Budget Secretary on or before the [thirty-first] first day of [January] November of each [odd numbered year an itemized estimate of the amounts necessary to be appropriated by the Commonwealth to the [various funds] State Employes' Retirement Fund to complete the payment of the said obligations of said Commonwealth accruing during the biennium beginning June first of the following year and it shall be the duty of [said] the Legislature to make an appropriation sufficient to provide for such obligations of the Commonwealth and the amounts so appropriated shall be included in the

general appropriation bill and shall be paid by the State Treasurer through the Department of Revenue into the [various funds] Fund created by this act upon warrants of the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions presented by the retirement board [For the biennium beginning June first nineteen hundred twenty-three is hereby appropriated to the expense fund created by section eight paragraph two of this act such sum not to exceed fifty thousand dollars as shall be certified to the State Treasurer by the retirement board as necessary to meet the expense of establishing the retirement system constituted by the provisions of this act]

Section 7 That section eleven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

WITHDRAWAL

Section 11 (1) Should a contributor before reaching superannuation retirement age by resignation or dismissal or for any other reason than death or retirement upon disability under section twelve or for superannuation under section thirteen cease to be a State employe he or she shall be paid on demand from the Fund created by this act (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to [the credit of] his or her individual [account] credit in the annuity savings [fund] account or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity beginning at the superannuation retirement age or a deferred annuity which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should a State employe so separate from his service as State Employe return within five years and restore to the State Employes Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored and his obligations as a member of the retirement association shall begin again

3 Should a member be discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service he shall be paid as he may elect as follows

(a) The full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings [fund] account or

(b) An annuity of equivalent actuarial value to his accumulated contributions and in addition a State annuity beginning immediately having a value equal to the present value of a State annuity beginning at the retirement age of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of years of prior service plus one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of his years of service as a member

4 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deductions shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

Section 8 That section sixteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE SUPERVISION

Section 16 The [various funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act shall be subject to the supervision of the State [Department of] Insurance Department

Section 9 That section seventeen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

EXEMPTION FROM EXECUTION

Section 17 The right of a person to a member's annuity a State annuity or retirement allowance to the return of contributions any benefit or right accrued or accruing to any person under the provisions of this act and the moneys in the [various funds] Fund created under this act are hereby exempt from any State or municipal tax and exempt from levy and sale garnishment attachment or any other process whatsoever and shall be unassignable except as in this act specifically otherwise provided

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Evans,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2085, as follows:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor district and individuals for the care treatment or maintainence of mental patients and mental defectives

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three hundred nine of the act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 309 The superintendent of any State or licensed school for mental defectives may receive and detain any mentally defective person resident of this State under twenty years of age and incapable of being properly educated and trained in the public schools whose condition of mental defect and whose need of and fitness for care in a school for mental defectives shall have been certified to by a qualified physician and whose admission shall be applied for by a parent guardian or relative of such person or by any other responsible person having custody of such mentally defective person or being liable for his support

The said application shall be made on a form prescribed by the department and shall state the name sex age and residence of said mentally defective person and such other facts as may be required by the department If the facts or any of them are unknown to the applicant it shall be so stated in the application

If the said application is for the admission of a person to a school owned and controlled by the Commonwealth it shall be endorsed by the poor authorities of the county in which the said person resides if there be such authorities in said county otherwise by the directors or overseers of the poor district in which said person resides

But before any person shall be admitted to any school for mental defectives under the provisions of this section the consent of the managers or superintendent thereof to such admission shall have been obtained

The poor authorities of any county or the overseers of the poor district therein in endorsing an application for the admission of a person to said school shall state whether or not such person has an estate of sufficient value or a parent or parents of sufficient financial ability to defray the expenses in whole or in part of supporting such person in said school and if there be such means of support in part only then the amount per month which the parents or parent or legal guardian of such person may be able to pay and the person or persons who make the application for such admission shall therein make statement under oath as to such means of support Before [Said] said managers or superintendent [in accepting] shall accept an application for the admission of any person the Department of Revenue shall fix the amount if any which shall be paid for such support according to the ability of such parents or parent of the person or according to the value of such person's estate if any and shall require payment for such support so far as there may be ability to pay as a condition to the admission or retention of said person Said amount may at any time be changed by said [managers and superintendent] Department of Revenue upon receiving further information concerning such means of support When neither the said person nor his parent or parents are of sufficient financial ability to defray the expense in whole or in part of his support in said school the ascertainment of the facts shall be as hereinbefore stated and the poor authorities or directors or overseers of the poor endorsing the application shall agree to pay to the Department of Revenue as collection agency of the school an amount for clothing as may be required for the comfort and advantage of said person at an annual rate to be establishd by the Department of Revenue [trustees or managers of the school after submission of the same to and approval by the department] All other support at the school shall be provided for by annual appropriations at such per capita rates as shall be appropriated by the General Assembly on the application of the trustees or managers after submission of the same to and approval by the [department] Department of Welfare provided however That in any judicial district in which there is a municipal court vested with the exclusive jurisdiction over proceedings concerning children suffering from epilepsy nervous and mental defects then admission of mentally defective or epileptic children to any State or municipal institution from said judicial district shall be exclusively vested in said court

Section 2 That section five hundred four of said Act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 504 Whenever any person is maintained as a patient in any mental hospital wholly or in part at the expense of the Commonwealth the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue through any agents authorized by [him] it may investigate the financial ability of such patient or the person liable for the support of such patient to defray the expenses in whole or in part of his care and maintenance in such hospital If upon investigation of the Department of Revenue or its agents it appears that the patient's estate or the financial ability of the person or persons liable for his support are such that the full cost of his support and maintenance or at least a part thereof can be paid then the Department of Revenue shall require the payment of same if said patient was admitted upon voluntary application or if said patient was committed by order of court the Department of Revenue through the Department of Justice shall ask the court to revise its order so as to provide for the payment of the support or maintenance in full or in part as the case may be

Section 3 That section five hundred five of said Act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 505 The Court of common pleas or other court of record of the county in which any mental patient resided prior to his admission to any mental hospital maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth shall have power upon the application of the [Attorney General] Department of Justice acting on behalf of the Department of Revenue to make an order conformable to the provisions of this article for the payment of maintenance to the Commonwealth upon the trustee committee guardian or other person who has charge of the estate of such patient or against the husband father wife mother or child of any patient so maintained in such amounts respectively as the court in its discretion may deem proper taking into consideration the ability of the patient or the person liable for his support to pay for such maintenance and the court may also upon like application direct any trustees committee guardian or other person having charge of any such estate to file with the [Attorney General] Department of Revenue the statement required by the second section of the act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feebleminded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto"

Section 4 That section five hundred nine is hereby added to Article V of the said act as follows

Section 509 All moneys due to the Commonwealth from the estate of a mental patient or the persons liable under existing laws for such patient's support for the care and maintenance including clothing of such patient in a mental hospital owned and operated by the Commonwealth shall be collected by the Department of Revenue as collection agency for such institution and shall be promptly transmitted by the Department of Revenue to the State Treasurer For amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties or poor districts under existing laws for the care and maintenance including clothing of the criminal insane indigent and partly-indigent insane in a mental hospital owned and operated by the Commonwealth the Department of Revenue shall promptly after the last day of each calendar month transmit to the county commissioners of the several counties a certified account of the expenses of the care and maintenance including clothing of insane prisoners or indigent and partly-indigent inmates as the case may be for such calendar month together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county commissioners of the county or treasurer of the poor district who shall accept and promptly pay same to the Department of Revenue Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties or poor districts that have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties or poor districts by the boards of trustees of the aforesaid institutions And provided further That said orders drawn for the payment of the care and maintenance including clothing of the indigent and partly-indigent insane shall be of such amounts as are now or shall hereafter be fixed by law

Section 5 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Royle,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 342, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section seven of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1638, as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisements in such estates

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order that the Commonwealth may receive the benefit of section three hundred and one (b) of the Federal Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six or any other legislation of a similar kind or enacted for a like purpose which grants a credit on the Federal estate tax for inheritance taxes and transfer inheritance taxes paid to the state governments additional transfer taxes for State purposes are hereby imposed upon the transfer in trust or otherwise of any property taxable under the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of this Commonwealth approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and ninetcen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth

of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" Such taxes shall be imposed as estate taxes and shall be collected in accordance with the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of the Commonwealth in the following cases viz Whenever in any estate the total tax paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other states or territory at the rates fixed under the inheritance tax law shall be less than the total credit allowed by the Federal law for taxes paid to the states then the tax imposed by this act upon the transfer of such property shall be an amount equal to the difference between the total credit allowable by the Federal law for taxes payable to the state governments and the total taxes actually paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the inheritance tax laws [and the portion of the increased tax so imposed which shall be chargeable to each of the respective beneficiaries shall be ascertained by multiplying the total amount of such increase in tax by a fraction the numerator of which shall be the amount actually paid or payable by the respective beneficiary to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws and the denominator of which shall be the total taxes paid by all beneficiaries to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws]

Every executor administrator or person in actual or constructive possession of the property of an estate subject to the tax imposed by this act shall within thirty days after the filing of his return with the Federal Government file a copy of such Federal return with the register of wills of the proper county The Commonwealth shall have authority in any estate taxable under this act to make a personal estimate for the payment of taxes to the Commonwealth on account and to make an appraisement of the taxes due by any estate under this act when the amount of the Federal tax has been finally determined

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grocs,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2077, as follows:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the term "commodities" as used in this act shall be construed to mean articles of food other than liquids which are capable of being measured by dry capacity measure and which have been at any time prior to the passage of this act sold by dry capacity measure in this State

The term "dry capacity measure" within the meaning of this act shall be construed to the bushel half-bushel peck half-peck quarter peck quart pint half-pint and similar measures

The term "original standard container" as used in this act shall be construed to mean and include only barrels boxes baskets hampers or similar containers the dimensions or capacity of which is established by law of this State or by act of Congress the contents of which have not been removed or repacked and upon which is plainly and conspicuously marked the net quantity of contents thereof in terms of weight measure or numerical count

Section 2 From and after the taking effect of this act all commodities heretofore commonly offered for sale or sold by dry measure or by basket barrel or container of any kind except as hereinafter provided shall be offered for sale or sold upon the basis of avoirdupois net weight or by numerical count and it shall thereafter be unlawful for anyone to use or employ any dry capacity measure basket barrel or container of any kind as a means of determining the amounts or quantities of any such commodities offered for sale or sold Provided however That the provisions of this act shall not be construed to apply to fruits and vegetables sold in the original standard container nor to vegetables which by common custom are offered for sale or sold by the bunch nor shall the provisions of this act be construed to apply to fresh berries and to other small fruits which are customarily offered for sale and sold by the box basket or other receptacle except however when such fresh berries or such other small fruits are offered for sale or sold in bulk in which case the provisions of this act shall apply to the extent that such fresh berries and such other small frutis shall be offered for sale and sold by avoirdupois net weight only Provided further however That all fresh berries and such other small fruits when offered for sale or sold shall be so offered or sold in boxes baskets or receptacles of uniform size to hold one quart or one pint dry measure only which said boxes baskets or other receptacles shall be uniformly and evenly filled throughout

Section 3 The city and county inspectors of weights and measures are hereby charged with the enforcement of the provisions of this act

Section 4 Any person firm association copartnership or corporation or the members agents officers or employes of any firm association copartnership or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction thereof in summary proceedings before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars or more than fifty dollars for the first offense and not less than fifty or more than one hundred dollars for each subsequent offense and costs of prosecution and upon non-payment of such fine and costs to be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of ten days

Section 5 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer.
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo.	Shellenberger,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz.
Baldrige,	Gross.	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne.	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell. W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws.	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post.	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White.
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice.	Wilson,
Eaches.	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood.
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann.	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1723.

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the County Treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 5, by striking out after the word "of" the word "June," and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "January"; also in line 6, by striking out at the beginning of said line the word "twenty-nine" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Griffitn,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Dengler,	Jones,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2087, as follows:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances re-

turns and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty) the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-two) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases as used in this act unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meanings

(1) "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allowances under the provisions of this act

(2) "Retirement Association" shall mean the school employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

(3) "Retirement Board" shall mean the public school employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

(4) "Superintendent of Public Instruction" shall mean the Superintendent of Public Instruction of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(5) "Public School" shall mean any class school high school normal school training school vocational school truant school parental school and any or all classes or schools within the State of Pennsylvania conducted under the order and superintendence of the Department of Public Instruction of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and of a duly elected or appointed board of public education board of school directors or board of trustees of the Commonwealth or of any school district or normal school district thereof and shall include the officers of the State Department of Public Instruction and the State Council of Education

(6) "Employer" shall mean the Commonwealth school district normal school district board or other committee by which the employe is paid

(7) "Employe" shall mean any teacher principal supervisor supervising principal county superintendent district superintendent assistant superintendent any member of the staff of the State normal schools or of the staff of the State Department of Public Instruction or of the staff of the State Council of Education or any clerk stenographer janitor attendance officer or other person engaged in any work concerning or relating to the public schools of this Commonwealth or in connection therewith or under contract or engagement to perform one or more of these functions Provided That no person shall be deemed an employe within the meaning of this act who is not regularly engaged in performing one or more of these functions as a full-time occupation outside of vacation periods In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is an employe as defined in this act And provided further That those employes of the Department of Public Instruction who are members of or are entitled to membership in the retirement system herein established may withdraw from the system and be entitled to reimbursement of moneys which they have paid in by so electing in writing filed with the Retirement Board on or before the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five After said date all new employes in the Department of Public Instruction shall be members of said system unless they elect otherwise in writing filed with the Retirement Board within one year after beginning their employment

(8) "Present Employe" shall mean any employe as defined in paragraph seven of this section employed in any capacity in connection with the public schools at the time this bill becomes a law and any employe who was employed prior to such time and who shall become a contributor subject to the conditions provided in clause two of section twelve of this act

(9) "New Entrant" shall mean any employe as defined in paragraph seven of this section appointed or elected or contracting or otherwise legally engaging to serve in any capacity in connection with the public schools after this bill becomes a law

(10) "Contributor" shall mean any person who has [an account in] accumulated deductions in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account

(11) "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

(12) "School Service" shall mean any service as an employe as defined by paragraph seven of this section

(13) "Prior Service" shall mean all school service completed not later than the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred nineteen

(14) "School Year" shall mean the official school year of the school district in which an employe is employed

(15) "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

(16) "Superannuation Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

(17) "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earnable by a contributor as an employe for the ten years of service immediately preceding retirement

(18) "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and [credited to his or her individual account in] paid into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the annuity savings [funds] account together with the regular interest thereon

(19) "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

(20) "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

(21) "Employes' Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by a contributor as provided in this act

(22) "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the employe's annuity

(23) "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(24) "Employe's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest on the future payments to be made on account of any employe's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

(25) ["Expense Fund"] "School Employes' Retirement Fund shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

(26) "Contingent Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

(27) "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

(28) "State Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account Number Two" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

(29) "Employes' Annuity Savings [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

(30) "Employes' Annuity Reserve [Fund] Account" shall mean the [fund] account provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

Section 2 That section three of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws fifty) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

SCHOOL EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

Section 3 A school employes' retirement association is hereby organized the membership of which shall consist of the following

1 All present employes including employes in the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind Overbrook Philadelphia Pennsylvania the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind Pittsburgh Pennsylvania the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb Mount Airy Philadelphia Pennsylvania and the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb Wilkinsburg Pennsylvania except those specifically excluded by paragraph three of

this section who by written application to the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall elect before the first day of July nineteen hundred and twenty-eight to be covered by the retirement system Provided That such employe shall at the time of making such application pay into the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the employes' annuity savings [fund] account as provided for in paragraph number six of section eight of this act an amount equal to what would have been at that date the accumulated deductions from the salary of such employe had the election to be covered by the retirement system been made prior to the first day of July nineten hundred and nineteen

2 All new entrants except those specificaly excluded by paragraph three of this section

3 Present employes who are members and new entrants who become members of a retirement system maintained under the laws of the Commonwealth from appropriations or contributions made wholly or in part by any employer and existing at the time this bill becomes a law shall be excluded from membership in this retirement association But should two-thirds of all the members participating in any such retirement system apply for membership in the retirement association by a petition duly signed and verified approved by their employer and filed with the retirement board all the persons included in the membership of such retirement system shall become members of the retirement association at such time within three months after the filing of such petition as the retirement board shall designate Thereupon the retirement system of which they were members at the time they were included in the retirement association provided by this act shall be dissolved and discontinued as follows

The payment of retirement allowances or other benefits which were in effect at the time of such discontinuance shall become an obligation of the employer shall be continued as formerly provided by such retirement system and shall be paid out of such moneys excepting further contributions of members as were formerly available for such payment and the employer shall appropriate for such purpose such other moneys as shall be required

All present assets of such retirement system at the time of its discontinuance shall be transferred to the employer to be held and invested as a trust fund and disbursed only in payment to the before-mentioned retired members except that if the amount of such present assets exceed the present value of the future retirement allowances or other benefits of such retired members computed on the basis of such tables as the retirement board shall have adopted for similar classes of annuitants and of regular interest the amount of the excess shall thereupon be transferred to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of State annuity reserve [fund] account number two Upon the retirement of any contributor of the retirement association established by this act who has not received back any contributions which he or she made to such discontinued retirement system there shall be [paid] transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account number two [into] to the employes' annuity reserve [fund] account a credit equal to the amount of such contributions and he or she shall receive therefor such annuity or other benefit purchasable therewith as he or she may elect in addition to the other benfits provided by this act

Section 3 That section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

THE RETIREMENT BOARD

Section 4 A retirement board of seven members to be known as the "Public School Employes' Retirement Board" is hereby constituted which shall consist of the following

(a) The Superintendent of Public Instruction who shall be chairman thereof

(b) The Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

(c) One member who shall be appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who shall serve until his successor is appointed

(d) Three members of the retirement association elected from among their number in a manner to be approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the State Treasurer and the member of the retirement board appointed by the Governor—one to serve for one year one for two years and one for three years and whose successors shall be elected for a term of three years from among the members of the retirement association in a manner to be approved by the retirement board

(e) One member not an employe nor officer or employe of the State who shall be elected annually by the board to serve for a term of one year

A vacancy occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired term by the appointment of a successor in the same manner as his or her predecessor Until the organization of the retirement association and the election of three representatives therefrom the Superintendent of Public Instruction the State Treasurer and the member appointed by the Governor are empowered to perform the duties of the retirement board

2 The expenses of the administration of this act by the retirement board exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act shall be paid by the Commonwealth by biennial appropriations from the General Fund made on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board The members of the retirement board shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed from the aforesaid appropriations [the expense fund] for any necessary expenditures and no contributors shall suffer loss of salary or wages through serving on the retirement board

3 The [retirement board shall elect from its membership a chairman and] Superintendent of Public Instruction subject to the approval of the Governor shall appoint a secretary an actuary and such medical clerical and other employes as may be necessary

4 The compensation of all persons [employed by the retirement board] so appointed shall be fixed by [said retirement board] the Superintendent of Public Instruction subject to the approval of the Governor and in conformity with the standards of the Executive Board

5 Subject to the limitations of this act and of law the retirement board shall from time to time establish rules and regulations for the administration of the [funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act and for the transaction of its business

6 The retirement board shall keep in convenient form such data as shall be necessary for actuarial valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

7 In the years nineteen hundred twenty-one and nineteen hundred twenty-four and in every fifth year thereafter the actuary of the retirement board shall make an actuarial investigation into the mortality and service experience of the contributors and beneficiaries as defined in this act and shall make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act and on the basis of such investigation and valuation the retirement board shall—

(a) Adopt for the retirement system one or more mortality tables and such other tables as shall be deemed necessary

(b) Certify the rates of deduction from salary necessary to pay the annuities authorized under the provisions of this act and

(c) Certify the rates of contribution expressed as a percentage of salary of new entrants at various ages which shall be made by the Commonwealth to the School Employes' Retirement Fund and credited to the contingent reserve [fund] account

8 Immediately after the passage of this act the actuary of the retirement board shall make such investigation of the mortality service and salary experience of the employes of the public schools as he shall recommend and the retirement board tables to be prepared and submitted to the retirement board shall authorize for the purpose of determining upon the proper for adoption On the basis of such investigation and recommendation the retirement board shall adopt such tables and certify such rates as are required in subsections a b and c of paragraph seven immediately preceding On the basis of such tables the actuary of the retirement board shall immediately after the first day of July nineteen hundred nineteen make a valuation of the various [funds] accounts created by this act

9 The retirement board shall prepare and have published annually a financial statement showing the condition of the Fund and the various [funds] accounts created by this act and setting forth such other facts recommendations and data as may be of use in the advancement of knowledge concerning employes' pensions and annuities and said retirement board shall submit said financial statement to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and shall file copies thereof

in the offices of the State Department of Public Instruction of the State Insurance Department and of each employer for use of the employes and the public

10 Each member of the retirement board shall take an oath of office that he or she will so far as it devolves upon him diligently and honestly administer the affairs of said retirement board and that he or she will not knowingly violate or willfully permit to be violated any of the provisions of law applicable to this act Such oath shall be subscribed by the member making it and certified by the officer before whom it is taken and shall be immediately filed in the office of the Secretary of State

11 The retirement board shall keep a record of all of its proceedings which shall be open to inspection by the public

12 The retirement board shall perform such other functions as are required for the execution of the provisions of this act

Section 4 That section six of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

MANAGEMENT OF THE [FUNDS] FUND AND ACCOUNTS

Section 6 The Fund and accounts created by this act shall be managed as follows

1 The members of the retirement board shall be the trustees of the [several funds] Fund created by this act and shall have exclusive control and management of the said [funds] Fund and full power to invest the same subject however to all the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by this act upon the making of investments and subject also to the terms conditions limitations and restrictions imposed by law upon departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government in the making and disposing of their investments and subject to like terms conditions limitations and restrictions said trustees shall have full power to hold purchase sell assign transfer or dispose of any of the securities and investments in which any of the [funds] moneys in the Fund created by this act shall have been invested as well as of the proceeds of said investments and of any moneys belonging to said [funds] Fund

2 The retirement board shall annually allow regular interest on the mean amount for the preceding year [in] to the credit of each of the [funds] accounts created in accordance with the provisions of this act [with the exception of the expense fund] The amount so allowed [shall be due and payable to such funds and] shall be annually credited thereto by the retirement board

3 The treasurer of this Commonwealth shall be the custodian of the [several funds] Fund created by this act

All payments from the [funds] Fund created by this act shall be made by the State Treasurer only upon [warrant] warrants drawn by the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions signed by the chairman of the retirement board and countersigned by the secretary of the retirement board and no [warrant] requisition shall be drawn except by order of the retirement board duly entered in the record of its proceedings

5 For the purpose of meeting disbursements for annuities and other payments in excess of the receipts there [may] shall be kept [an] available [fund] by the State Treasurer an amount not exceeding ten per centum of the total amount in the [several funds] Fund created by this act on deposit in any bank in this Commonwealth organized under the laws thereof or under the laws of the United States or with any trust company incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth provided said bank or trust company shall furnish adequate security for said [funds] deposit and provided that the sum so deposited in any one bank or trust company shall not exceed twenty-five per centum of the paid-up capital and surplus of said bank or trust company

6 Except as herein provided no trustee or any person connected with the retirement board shall have any interest direct or indirect in the gains or profits of any investments made by the retirement board nor as such directly or indirectly receive any pay or emoluments for his or her services And no trustee or person connected wit hsaid retirement board directly or indirectly for himself or herself or as an agent or partner of others shall borrow any of its funds or deposits or in any manner use the same except to make such current and necessary payments as are authorized by the board of trustees as provided in this act nor shall any trustee or person connected with said retirement board become an endorser or surety or become in any manner an obligor for moneys loaned by or borrowed of said retirement board

Section 5 That paragraph six of section seven of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

6 The treasurer of each employer on receipt from employer of the voucher for deductions from the salaries of employes provided in paragraph five of this section shall transmit monthly or at such times as the retirement board shall designate the amounts specified in such voucher to the secretary of the retirement board The secretary of the retirement board after making a record of all such receipts shall pay them to the treasurer of the Commonwealth through the Department of Revenue for use according to the provisions of this act

Section 6 That section eight of said act as amended by the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-two) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

[FUNDS] SCHOOL EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT FUND AND ACCOUNTS

Section 8 The [funds] Fund and Accounts hereby created are the [expense fund] School Employes' Retirement Fund the contingent reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account State annuity reserve [fund] account number two the employes' annuity savings [fund] account and the employes' annuity reserve [fund] account

2 The [expense fund shall consist of such amounts as shall be paid by the Commonwealth on the basis of estimates submitted by the retirement board to defray the expenses of the administration of this act exclusive of the payment of retirement allowances and of the other benefits provided for in this act] School Employes' Retirement Fund on and after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall consist of all moneys in the several separate funds in the State Treasury set apart to be used under the direction of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board for the retirement of members of the school employes retirement association which on the aforesaid date shall be consolidated into one special fund to be known as the "School Employes' Retirement Fund" and thereafter the Treasury Department shall credit to the "School Employes Retirement Fund" all moneys received by it from the Department of Revenue arising from contributions by the Commonwealth and members of the retirement association as hereinafter provided and all interest earned by the investments or moneys of said Fund Upon the consolidation of the separate funds as aforesaid there shall be established and maintained by the retirement board for actuarial purposes the several hereinafter named ledger accounts equivalent to and which shall stand in lieu of the several separate funds hereby abolished and all credits to each abolished fund shall be credited by the retirement board to the ledger account hereby created to stand in place of said fund

3 In the month of July nineteen hundred twenty for a period covering the twelve months next preceding and semi-annually thereafter covering the six months next preceding the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall pay into [a fund to be known as the contingent reserve fund] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue on account of each new entrant who was a contributor for one or more months of such respective periods such amount as shall be certified by the retirement board as necessary to provide by such method of payment during the prospective active service of such new entrant the State annuity reserve required at the time of retirement for the disability or superannuation State annuity allowable by the said Commonwealth under the provisions of this act which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the contingent reserve account The amount so certified by the retirement board shall be computed to bear a ratio to the salary earnable by such new entrant during the period for which the amount is certified which shall remain constant during his or her entire period of prospective active service and shall be based o nsuch mortality and other tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board and on regular interest

4 Upon the retirement of a new entrant an amount equal to his or her State annuity reserve shall be transferred by the retirement board from the contingent reserve [fund into

fund] account to the credit of a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve [fund] account His or her State annuity shall be charged to [paid from] said State annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said new entrant be subsequently restored to active service his or her State annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account Should the State annuity of any such new entrant be otherwise reduced or discontinued in accordance with the provisions of this act his or her State annuity reserve or such proportionate part of his or her State annuity reserve as corresponds to the amount of the reduction in his or her State annuity shall be transferred from State annuity reserve [fund] account to the contingent reserve [fund] account

5 Beginning with the month of July nineteen hundred nineteen and continuing until the accumulated reserve equals the present value as computed by the actuary of the retirement board and approved by the retirement board of all State annuity payments thereafter payable by the Commonwealth on account of present employes then retired or to be retired on State annuities as provided in this act the said Commonwealth shall pay semi-annually into [a fund to be known as State annuity reserve fund number two] the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue an amount equal to two and eight-tenths (2.8) per centum of the total compensation paid to all contributors for service during the preceding school year and in every case an amount at least three per centum greater than the second preceding semi-annual payment which amount shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as State annuity reserve account number two Beginning with the month of July nineteen hundred twenty-five the Commonwealth shall pay semi-annually into the Fund created by this act as aforesaid to the credit of State annuity reserve [fund] account number two an amount equal to two (2) per centum of the total compensation paid to all contributors for service during the preceding school year Provided That in every case the amount shall be sufficient when combined with that in the Fund to the credit of said account to provide the pensions payable by the Commonwealth during the half-year then current to present employes then retired or to be retired as provided in this act Upon the retirement of a present employe his or her State annuity shall be charged to the [paid from] State annuity reserve [fund] account number two and paid from the Fund created by this act

6 [The] There shall be credited by the retirement board to a ledger account to be known as the employes' annuity savings [fund shall consist] account the amounts of the accumulated deductions from the salaries of contributors made under such rules and regulations as the retirement board shall prescribe as follows

From the salary of each employe who is a contributor there shall be deducted and paid into the Fund created by this act through the Department of Revenue such per centum of his or her earnable salary as shall be computed to be sufficient with regular interest to procure for him or her on superannuation retirement at age sixty-two an employes' annuity equal to one one-hundred-sixtieth (1/160) of his or her final salary for each year of service after the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred nineteen except that if the deduction so computed shall exceed five per centum of his or her earnable salary and the employe shall so elect there shall be deducted five per centum of his or her earnable salary And further provided That a beneficiary restored to school service shall not be required to contribute at a per centum rate of his or her earnable salary which is greater than the per centum thereof which he or she was required to contribute prior to his or her retirement The rate per centum of said deduction from salary shall be based on such mortality and other tables as the retirement board shall adopt together with regular interest and shall be computed to remain constant during the prospective school service of the contributor

7 Upon the retirement of a contributor a credit equivalent to the amount of his or her accumulated deductions shall be transferred from the employes' annuity savings [fund] account to [a fund] a ledger account to be known as the employes' annuity reserve [fund] account His or her employes' annuity shall be [paid out of] charged to said employes' annuity reserve [fund] account and paid from the Fund created by this act Should said contributor be subsequently restored to active service his or her employes' annuity reserve shall thereupon be transferred from the employes' reserve [fund] account to the employes' annuity savings [fund] account

8 No contributor shall be required to continue to contribute to the [employes' annuity savings fund] School Employes' Retirement Fund after he or she shall have become eligible for superannuation retirement all contributions made thereafter to said [fund] Fund shall be voluntary

Section 7 That section nine of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 9 The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall be reimbursed to the extent of one-half of the amount paid by the Commonwealth into the Fund created by this act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the State annuity reserve [fund] account number two on account of employes of each other employer by payments into its treasury made directly by such employer or indirectly from moneys otherwise belonging to such employer To facilitate the payment of amounts due from the treasurer of any employer to the treasurer of the Commonwealth on account of the retirement system and to permit the exchange of credits between the treasurer of the Commonwealth and the treasurer of any employer the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Treasurer are hereby authorized and empowered to cause to be deducted and paid into or retained in the State Treasury from the amount of any moneys due to any employer on account of any appropriation for schools or other purposes the amount due to the State Treasury from such employer in accordance with the provisions of this act Corresponding amounts which would be otherwise transferred to the treasury of the Commonwealth from the treasurer of such employer may be credited to the accounts of the employer to which the moneys withheld by the Commonwealth were payable

Section 8 That section ten of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE GUARANTY

Section 10 Regular interest charges payable the creation and maintenance of reserves in the Fund created by this act to the credit of the contingent reserve [fund] account and the maintenance of employes' annuity reserves and State annuity reserves as provided for in this act and the payment of all retirement allowances and other benefits granted by the retirement board under the provisions of this act are hereby made obligations of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania All income interest and dividends derived from deposits and investments authorized by this act shall be used for the payment of the said obligations of the Commonwealth The retirement board shall prepare and submit to the [Legislature] Budget Secretary on or before the [thirty-first] first day of [January] November in each [odd-numbered] even-numbered year an itemized estimate of the amounts necessary to be appropriated by the Commonwealth to the [various funds] School Employes' Retirement Fund to complete the payment of the said obligations of said Commonwealth accruing during the biennium beginning July first of the [same] following year and it shall be the duty of said Legislature to make an appropriation sufficient to provide for such obligations of the Commonwealth and the amounts so appropriated shall be included in the general appropriation bill and shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Commonwealth into the [various funds] Fund created by this act upon warrants of the Auditor General in accordance with requisitions presented by the retirement board [For the biennium beginning July first nineteen hundred seventeen there is hereby appropriated to the expense fund created by section eight paragraph two of this act such sum not to exceed twenty thousand dollars as shall be certified to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth by the retirement board as necessary to meet the expenses of establishing the retirement system constituted by the provisions of this act For said biennium there is hereby appropriated and the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby authorized and directed to pay into State annuity reserve fund number two the amounts which shall become due in such period from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to such fund under the provisions of section eight paragraph five of this act]

Section 9 That section twelve of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine

hundred and two) and the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

WITHDRAWAL

Section 12 Should a contributor by resignation or dismissal or in any other way than by death or retirement separate from the school service or should such contributor legally withdraw from the retirement system he or she shall be paid on demand from the Fund created by this act (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to [the credit of] his or her individual [account] credit in the annuity savings [fund] account or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity or a deferred annuity which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should an employe so separated from the school service return within five years and restore to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored

Each employe who separated from school service prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and who subsequently returned or shall return to school service prior to July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six after more than five years' absence shall at retirement for superannuation be entitled to have full credit for each year of service in the public schools of Pennsylvania provided

(a) He or she shall have rendered not less than twenty years of service in the public schools of Pennsylvania prior to the retirement and

(b) He or she shall have restored to the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings [fund] account his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation

Each employe who separates from school service after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and who returns to school service after a longer absence than five years shall have his or her annuity rights restored in accordance with the provisions of this paragraph provided he or she fulfills the conditions named in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this clause and in addition thereto (c) shall have left with the retirement board at least twenty per centum of his or her accumulated deductions at the time of his or her separation and (d) shall return to the service prior to the age of fifty-nine years

In no case shall an employe who has separated from school service and who later returned to school service after five or more years of absence be eligible to retirement on account of disability until he or she shall have rendered at least three years of service subsequent to such return

In any case the restoration of the accumulated deductions provided herein may be made by the payment of a lump sum or any actuarial equivalent approved by the retirement board

Subject to

3 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deductions shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

Section 10 That section fifteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

OPTIONS

Section 15 At or before the time of his or her superannuation retirement any contributor may elect by written election duly executed and filed with the retirement board to receive his or her benefits in a superannuation retirement allowance payable throughout life or he or she may on superannuation retirement elect to receive the actuarial equivalent at that time of his employe's annuity his or her State annuity or his superannuation retirement allowance in a lesser employe's annuity or a lesser State annuity or a lesser superannuation retirement allowance payable throughout life with the provisions that

Option 1 If he or she die before he has received in payments the present value of his or her employe's annuity his State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance as it was at the time of his or her superannuation retirement the balance shall be paid to his or her legal representatives or to such person as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledged and filed with the retirement board

Option 2 Upon his or her death his employe's annuity his State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance shall be continued throughout the life of and paid to such person as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledged and filed with the retirement board at the time of his or her superannuation retirement

Option 3 Upon his or her death one-half of his or her employe's annuity his or her State annuity or his or her superannuation retirement allowance shall be continued throughout the life of and paid to such person as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledge and filed with the retirement board at or before the time of his or her superannuation retirement

Option 4 Such other benefit or benefits shall be paid to either the contributor or such other person or persons as he or she shall nominate provided such other benefit or benefits shall together with such lesser employe's annuity or lesser State annuity or lesser superannuation retirement allowance be certified by the actuary of the retirement board to be of equivalent actuarial value and shall be approved by the retirement board

Section 11 That section seventeen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

STATE SUPERVISION

Section 17 The [various funds] Fund and ledger accounts created by this act shall be subject to the supervision of the State [Department of] Insurance Department

Section 12 That section eighteen of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

EXEMPTIONS FROM EXECUTION

Section 18 The right of a person to an employe's annuity a State annuity or retirement allowance to the return of contributions any benefit or right accrued or accruing to any person under the provisions of this act and the moneys in the [various funds] Fund created under this act are hereby exempt from any State or municipal tax and exempt from levy and sale garnishment attachment or any other process whatsoever and shall be unassignable except as in this act specifically otherwise provided

Section 13 That paragraph four of section fourteen of said act which was added thereto by the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) be and the same is hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,

Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2060, as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

Whereas The Commonwealth requested the Harrisburg Railways Company to vacate the State Street Bridge in the City of Harrisburg to enable the Commonwealth to erect and construct the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge and

Whereas The Commonwealth has requested said Harrisburg Railways Company permanently to abandon the franchise heretofore vested in it for the use of State Street between Cameron and Filbert Streets in the City of Harrisburg and

Whereas Said Harrisburg Railways Company has expressed a willingness to abandon said franchise if the Commonwealth will grant to it a right-of-way to operate its lines on Commonwealth Avenue running through Capitol Park

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company permitting said Harrisburg Railways Company to lay and maintain a double track street railway line in the center of Commonwealth Avenue running through Capitol Park in the City of Harrisburg from Walnut Street to North Street said right-of-way to continue as long as said Harrisburg Railways Company continues to operate street railway cars over said tracks

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2096, as follows:

An Act to amend section seven article six of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act provided for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" providing for the printing and publishing of ordinances

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seven article six of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" is hereby amended as follows

Section 7 All ordinances may be proved by the certificate of the City Clerk under the corporate seal and when printed or published in book or pamphlet form and purporting to be published by authority of the city shall be read and received as evidence in all courts and places without further proof All ordinances [shall] unless otherwise provided therein or by law [shall] take effect in ten days after their passage upon their being signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk and every ordinance prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof shall be forthwith published at least three times in not more than two newspapers printed and circulated within the City in such manner as council may direct but the council may at its discretion cause the said ordinance to be printed in full pamphlet form instead of being published in newspapers as aforesaid Provided the said pamphlets shall be supplied for general distribution and notice published at least three times in not more than two newspapers of general circulation in the City setting out in full the title of the said ordinance the penalties provided therein and that the said pamphlet may be had on request at the office of the city clerk All ordinances shall within one month after their passage be certified and recorded by the City Clerk in a book provided by the City for that purpose which shall be at all times open to the inspection of citizens

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memelo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,

Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1671, as follows:

An Act to authorize the suing out of writs of scire facias on Mechanics Liens where no scire facias has been issued within two years from the date of filing as required by existing law

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever heretofore within five years from the passage of this act a Mechanic's Lien has been filed against property for labor or material furnished in the construction or repair thereof but no writ of scire facias has been issued thereon within two years from the date of filing and the time therefor has not been extended as provided by law a writ of scire facias in the usual form may be issued thereon within six months after the passage of this act for the collection of the amount justly due and unpaid on the original lien with the same force effect and validity as if issued within the two years Provided however that the defendant shall be entitled to interpose all defenses to and against such scire facias that the could have interposed against a scire facias issued on the lien within two years as required by law excepting and excluding only the defense that the scire facias was not sued out within the two years Providing also that this act shall not apply where the property described in the lien has been transferred to a bona fide purchaser and the judgment obtained on such scire facias shall be subsequent in lien to any mortgage judgment or other encumbrance which obtained priority over the original Mechanic's Lien by reason of failure to issue a scire facias thereon within the two years as required by law

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, D. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shontz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynn,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.

Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BIIL No. 1723.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eight day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-six), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over" by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 834, as follows:

An Act relating to any tax imposed upon liquid fuels and directing one-half cent per gallon of such tax shall be placed in a separate fund and used for the pay of township reward

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That one-half cent per gallon of any tax imposed and collected by the Commonwealth on liquid fuels or the sale of liquid fuels under the provisions of any act of Assembly shall be placed by the State Treasurer in a separate fund in the State Treasury to be known as the State Reward Fund and the moneys so deposited in such fund shall be used by the Secretary of Highways for the payment of township reward in the manner prescribed by law for the distribution of township reward and for that purpose such money is hereby specifically appropriated On the first day of January of each year the unencumbered moneys remaining in the State Reward Fund shall lapse and be paid by the State Treasurer upon requisition of the Secretary of Highways

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—130.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermanson,	Perry,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—1.

Witherspoon,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1776, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations providing grounds and proceedings for decrees of separation and defining the rights of spouses thereafter as to the disposition of property and the vesting thereof after death

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1723 FROM THE GOVERNOR

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI, JR., asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1723, Printer's No. 1200, File Folio 6811, entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-six), entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over;' by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2100, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,

Clovis,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Landis,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 993, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—125.

Adams, E. C.,	Cochring,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Post,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	White,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Memolo,		

NAYS—6.

Barton,	Schrock,	Sheely,	Witherspoon,
Gelnett,	Shaffer,		

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1214, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of maried women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Cochring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Walker,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Conner,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts	Walker,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Post,	Washington,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheely,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1249, as follows:

An Act exempting personal property used in any commercial enterprise leased hired or conditionally sold from levy or sale on execution or distress for rent

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter all scales and bottling equipment and appurtenances thereto leased or hired by any person or persons residing within this Commonwealth or conditionally sold to any such person or persons under a contract of sale reserving title in the vendor until paid for shall be exempt from levy and sale on execution or distress for rent so long as the title thereto remains in the owner lessor or conditional vendor Provided That either the name and address of owner lessor or conditional vendor of such scales or bottling equipment be marked on or be attached to said scales or bottling equipment on a conspicious part thereof or that before levy or distress the owner lessor or conditional vendor of such scales or bottling equipment and appurtenances or his or their agent or the person or persons so leasing hiring or purchasing the same shall have given notice to the landlord or his agent that the same are leased hired or sold under reservation of title

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. REYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. LOUCKS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2368, entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 835, as follows:

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four six ten fourteen sixteen seventeen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-five and twenty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten) entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions establishing a State Athletic Commission making an appropriation therefor and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes and prescribing penalties"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That sections one two three of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten) entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions establishing a State Athletic Commission making an appropriation therefor and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes and prescribing penalties" be and the same hereby are repealed as the organization of the State Athletic Commission is now governed by The Administrative Code

Section 2 That section four of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Boxing and Wrestling Exhibitions Authorized Jurisdiction of Commission Permits to Persons and Corporations Boxing sparring and wrestling matches or exhibitions [for purses or where an admission fee is received] are hereby allowed except on Sundays The commission shall have and hereby is vested with the sole direction management control and jurisdiction over all such boxing sparring and wrestling matches or exhibitions to be conducted held or given within this Commonwealth and it is hereby authorized to issue licenses and permits therefor No such boxing sparring or wrestling match or exhibition shall be conducted held or given within the Commonwealth except in accordance with the provisions of this act The commission shall issue under its hand and seal annual permits in writing for holding such boxing sparring or wrestling matches or exhibitions but only to persons or corporations duly licensed as hereinafter provided by said commission which permits may be revoked upon violation of any of the provisions of this act or any rule regulation or order of the commission The commission is hereby further given the sole control authority and jurisdiction over all licenses and permits to hold boxing sparring or wrestling matches or exhibitions [for purses or where any admission fee is received] and over all licenses to any and all persons who participate in such boxing sparring or wrestling matches or exhibitions as hereinafter provided

Section 3 That section six of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 6 Corporations and Persons Required to Procure Licenses Definitions All corporations or persons physicians referees judges announcers matchmakers timekeepers professional boxers professional wrestlers their managers [trainers] and seconds shall be licensed by the said commission and no such corporation or person shall be permitted to participate either directly or indirectly in any such boxing sparring or wrestling match or exhibition or the holding thereof unless such corporation and all such persons shall have first procured a license from the commission For the purpose of this act a "professional boxer" or a "professional wrestler" is deemed to be one who competes for money or teaches or pursues or assists in the practice of boxing or wrestling as a means of obtaining a livelihood or pecuniary gain and any contest conforming to the rules regulations and requirements of this act shall be deemed to be a boxing match and not a prize fight

Section 4 That section ten of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 10 Regulation of Conduct of Matches or Exhibitions No boxing or sparring match or exhibition shall be of more than ten rounds in length nor shall such rounds be more than three minutes each No boxer shall be allowed to participate in more than ten rounds in twenty-four consecutive hours The commission may in respect to any bout or in respect to any class of contestants limit the number of rounds of a bout within the maximum of ten rounds At each boxing or sparring match or exhibition there shall be in attendance at the expense of the corporation or person a duly licensed referee who shall direct and control the same Before starting such contest the referee shall ascertain from each contestant the name of his chief second and shall hold such chief second responsible for the conduct of his assistant seconds during the progress of the contest The referee shall have the power in his discretion to [declare forfeited] order held any remuneration or purse [or any part thereof] belonging to the contestants or one of them if in his judgment such contestant or contestants are not honestly competing This purse or remuneration shall be turned over to the commission and the contestant or contestants shall be given a hearing at the next stated meeting of the commission when final disposition of such purse or remuneration shall be made Any remuneration or purse or part thereof [so] forfeited by the commission shall be paid into the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth [and shall be credited to the fund provided for in section twenty-five of this act] There shall also be in attendance at the expense of the corporation or person two duly licensed judges who shall at the termination of each such boxing or sparring match or exhibition render their decision If they are unable to agree the decision shall be rendered by the referee Each contestant shall wear during such contest gloves weighing not less than five ounces if such contestant is a lightweight or in a class of less weight and six ounces if such contestant is in a class heavier than the lightweight class

Section 5 That section fourteen of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 14 Sham or Collusive Exhibitions Every corporation and the officers thereof and any person [or persons] physician referee judge timekeeper announcer matchmaker professional boxer manager [trainer and] or second who shall conduct give or participate in any sham or collusive boxing sparring or wrestling match or exhibition shall be deprived of his license by the commission

Section 6 That section sixteen of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 16 Bond Before a license shall be granted to a corporation or person such corporation or person shall execute and file with the commission a bond in such sum as shall be determined by the commission but [one thousand] not less than three thousand dollars all such bonds shall be approved as to form and sufficiency or sureties thereon by said commission and shall be conditioned for the faithful performance by said corporation or person of the provisions of this act and the rules and regulations of the commission No such license shall be issued until such bond is approved and filed In case of default in the performance of any of the conditions prescribed by this act or by the rules and regulations of the commission the commission shall impose upon the delinquent corporation or person a penalty in the sum of not more than [one thousand dollars] the amount of the bond for each offense which shall be recovered by the Attorney General in the name of the Commonwealth in the same manner as other penalties are recovered by law Any amount so recovered shall be paid to the State Treasurer for the use of the Commonwealth [and shall be credited to the fund provided for in section twenty-five of this act]

Section 7 That section seventeen of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 17 License Fees Each applicant for a license shall before a license is issued by the commission and annually thereafter during the life of such license pay to the commission a license fee as follows Corporations or persons in cities of the first class two hundred and fifty dollars in cities of the second class one hundred dollars in cities of the third class and elsewhere twenty-five dollars physicians ten dollars referees twenty-five dollars judges five dollars timekeepers five dollars professional boxers five dollars professional wrestlers five dollars managers twenty-five dollars [trainers five dollars] seconds five dollars announcers five dollars and matchmakers ten dollars but the commission may issue without fee licenses to referees or physicians authorizing such referees or physicians to officiate only at boxing sparring or wrestling matches or exhibitions between amateurs and only without receiving any compensation for their services Permit for matches or exhibitions in which only amateurs participate shall be issued without fee and may be issued for a single match or exhibition or a series of matches or exhibitions or for a period not exceeding one year

Section 8 That section twenty of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 20 Payments Regulated No contestant shall be paid for services before the contest and should it be determined by the [judges and referee] commission that such contestant did not give an honest exhibition of his skill such services shall not be paid for

Section 9 That section twenty-one of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 21 Payment to State Every corporation or person holding any boxing sparring or wrestling match or exhibition under this act for which an admission is charged and received shall pay to the Commonwealth five per centum of the total

gross receipts exclusive of any Federal taxes paid thereon Such payment shall be made within seventy-two hours after the holding of the contest All moneys received from such taxes shall be through the Department of Revenue

Section 10 That section twenty-three of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23 Penalty Any person or persons association or corporation directly or indirectly holding any boxing sparring or wrestling match or exhibition [except where all contestants are amateurs] without first having procured a license or permit as hereinbefore prescribed shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars

Section 11 That section twenty-five of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 General Fund All license fees fines and forfeitures collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid [monthly] weekly by the [secretary of the] commission to the State Treasurer through the Department of Revenue [cost of the erection and construction of monuments and memorials on the battlefields of France and Belgium in accordance with the law authorizing such erection and construction not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars] [payment of the cost of the erection and construction of monuments and memorials on the battlefields of France and Belgium and the said commission shall from time to time set aside such amounts of moneys from said fund as may to them seem unnecessary for the actual and necessary expenses of the commission for the use of the commission or other agency of the Commonwealth charged with the erection and construction of said monuments and memorials and upon their requisition for any amount so set aside the Auditor General shall issue his warrant to the State Treasurer for the payment thereof to the said commission or other agency of the Commonwealth charged with the erection of such monument or memorial Provided that no expense shall be created to exceed the income of fees as herein provided The secretary of the commission shall give a surety bond to this Commonwealth in such sum as the commission may determine The premium of such bond shall be regarded as a proper and necessary expense of the commission (and shall be paid out of the fund herein created Provided further That all moneys received in excess of three hundred thousand dollars to be used for the erection of monuments in France and Belgium shall become a part of the general fund of the State)].

Section 12 That section twenty-six of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 26 The provisions of this act shall not prohibit any duly constituted organization or association organized for a lawful purpose from having boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions in connection with entertainment when such matches or exhibitions are conducted not for profit Provided that before such match or exhibition is held a permit is granted by the commission

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferman,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Peeler,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Ponnock,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peters,	Way,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If there is no objection, the Chair will declare a recess until 2.15 o'clock to-day.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 2.15 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1623, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peeler,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Storb,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Holmes,	Post,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Purucker,	Turner,
Clovis,	Huester,	Reader,	Walker,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Washington,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wettach,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Zimmerman,
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1915, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 27) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hart,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harter,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bickett,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Holmes,	Perry,	Storb,
Burns,	Howe,	Peters,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Pierce,	Turner,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Post,	Walker,
Davidson,	Landis,	Reader,	Washington,
Dengler,	Linton,	Reed,	Way,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wells,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, E.,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	White,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Root,	Williams, C. W.,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McClure,	Schrock,	Wood,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fox,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	Manolo,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Gicking,	Metzinger,	Sheely,	Hess,
Goehring,	Millar,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Griffith,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1689, (Senate Bill No. 718), as follows:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second and second A classes granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

Section 1 Definitions Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That as used in this act "Department" shall mean the Department of Labor and Industry of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

"Elevator" shall mean all the machinery construction apparatus and equipment used in raising and lowering a car cage or platform vertically between permanent rails or guides and shall include all elevators dumb waiters escalators gravity elevators hoists and other lifting or lowering apparatus

"Establishment" shall mean any room building or place within this Commonwealth where persons are employed or permitted to work for compensation of any kind to whomever payable and any place of business to which the public access except private dwellings

"Freight elevator" shall mean an elevator constructed and used for the carrying of materials

"Inspector" shall mean an inspector examined and authorized by the Department of Labor and Industry to inspect elevators and lifting apparatus in this Commonwealth

"Passenger elevator" shall mean an elevator constructed and used for carrying persons

"Person" shall mean any individual firm partnership unincorporated association corporation or municipality

Wherever the singular is used in this act it shall include the plural and wherever the masculine gender is used it shall include the feminine and neuter

Section 2 General requirement Every elevator as described in Section one of this act shall be so constructed equipped maintained and operated with respect to the supporting members elevator car shaftway guides cables doors and gates safety stops and mechanisms locking mechanisms electrical apparatus and wiring mechanical apparatus counterweights and all other appurtenances as to safely sustain the load which the said elevator is designed and intended to carry Provided That nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to elevators located in cities of the first second and second A classes

Section 3 Rules and regulations To carry out the provisions and the intent and purpose of this act the Department shall have power and its duty shall be to make alter amend or repeal rules and regulations for the construction installation maintenance operation and inspection of elevators used or destined for use in this Commonwealth and shall make specifications for the construction and equipment of such elevators No elevator shall be permitted to be installed and used in this Commonwealth which does not comply with the rules and regulations herein provided for

Section 4 Examination of inspectors and fees therefor No person shall inspect elevators unless he has passed a written examination prescribed by the Department Application for examination shall be made in writing upon a form furnished by the Department and shall be accompanied by an examination fee of ten dollars If the applicant is successful in passing the said examination a certificate of competency and a commission shall be issued upon the payment of an additional fee of five dollars All inspectors shall be required to secure a new credential card each year by application to the Department which application shall be accompanied by a fee of two dollars The Secretary of Labor and Industry may suspend any commission for due cause but no commission may be revoked until the inspector has been granted a hearing

Section 5 Inspection of insured elevators If an elevator is insured by a company authorized to insure elevators in this Commonwealth against loss from accident the inspection may be made by an employe of such company and the only fee collectible by the Commonwealth shall be the certificate fee of one dollar hereinafter provided for in this act

Section 6 Inspection of uninsured elevators If such elevator is not so insured the inspection shall be made by an inspector in the employ of the Department and there shall be a fee charged for each inspection as hereinafter provided for in this act

Section 7 Frequency of inspections Every passenger elevator and escalator shall be inspected four times in every twelve

months freight elevators including gravity elevators shall be inspected at least twice in every twelve months dumb waiters hoists and other lifting apparatus shall be inspected at least once in every twelve months building hoists shall be inspected at the time of erection at each and every building

Section 8 Issuance of certificates Every inspector shall forward to the Department a full report of each and every inspection made of any elevator showing the exact condition of the said elevator If this report indicates that the said elevator is in a safe condition to be operated the Department shall issue a Certificate of Operation for a capacity not to exceed that named in the said report of inspection which certificate shall be valid for thirteen months after the date of inspection No elevator may be lawfully operated without having such a certificate conspicuously posted in the elevator car cage or platform

Section 9 Discontinuance of operation If any elevator be found which in the judgment of an inspector in employ of the Department is dangerous to life and property or is being operated without the operating certificate required by this act such inspector may require the owner or user of such elevator to discontinue its operation within twenty-four hours and such inspector shall immediately report all facts in connection with such elevator to the Department and he shall place a notice in the elevator car to this effect In the event a certificate has been issued for such elevator the said certificate shall be suspended and not renewed until such elevator shall have been placed in a safe condition In such case where an elevator has been placed out of service the owner or user of such elevator shall not again operate the same until repairs have been made and permission given by the said inspector to resume operation of the said elevator

Section 10 Fees for inspection The fee for the certificate of operation for all insured and uninsured elevators shall be one dollar When elevators are inspected by inspectors of the Department the following fees shall be charged in addition to the certificate fee

For passenger elevators fees not exceeding twelve dollars per annum

For freight elevators including gravity elevators fees not exceeding six dollars per annum

For dumb waiters hoists and other lifting apparatus fees not exceeding three dollars per annum

For building hoists fees not exceeding three dollars for each inspection

Section 11 Approval of plans Before any elevator shall be erected and installed or undergo repairs amounting to one-half or more of the original value of the said elevator detailed plans and specifications of the said apparatus in duplicate shall be submitted to the Department for approval If the said plans are approved a permit for the erection or repair of such elevator shall be issued by the Department and a final inspection shall be made of the apparatus when installed or repairs completed before final approval shall be given by the Department The elevator shall not be operated until such final inspection and approval be given unless a temporary permit be granted by the Department

Section 12 Registration of elevators The owner or user of every elevator in this Commonwealth except as exempted from the provisions of this Act in Section 2 shall prior to December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine register with the Department of Labor and Industry every elevator operated by him giving the type capacity and description name of manufacturer and purpose for which each is used. Such registration shall be made on forms to be furnished by the Department

Section 13 Disposition of fees collected All fees provided for by this act shall be paid by cash money order or certified check to the Department of Labor and Industry who shall transmit the same to the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 14 Enforcement It shall be the duty of the Department of Labor and Industry to enforce the provisions of this act

Section 15 Procedure in prosecutions Prosecutions for violations of the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the Department may be instituted by the Department and shall be in the form of summary proceedings before an alderman magistrate or justice of the peace Upon conviction after a hearing the penalties hereinafter provided for shall be imposed and shall be final unless an appeal be taken to a court of proper jurisdiction in the manner prescribed by law

Section 16 Penalties Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the Department as herein provided for or who shall fail or neglect to pay the fees herein provided for shall for the first offense be penalized by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ten days and for each subsequent offense shall be penalized by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty days Any person who shall continue to operate his elevator or other lifting apparatus after notice to discontinue its use as set forth in Section 9 of this act shall be penalized in a like action by a fine of five dollars for each day the said elevator or lifting apparatus has been operated after the service of the said notice in addition to the fines above set forth

All fines collected under this act shall be forwarded to the Department of Labor and Industry who shall transmit the same to the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 17 Repealer Section 12 of an act approved the second day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-two) entitled "An act to regulate the employment in all kinds of industrial establishments of women and children employed at wages or salary by regulating the age at which minors can be employed and the mode of certifying the same and by fixing the hours of labor for women and minors to provide for the safety of all employes in all industrial establishments and of men women and children in school-houses academies seminaries colleges hotels hospitals storehouses office buildings public halls and places of amusement in which proper fire-escapes exits and extinguishers are required to provide for the health of all employes and of men women and children in all such establishments storehouses and buildings by proper sanitary appliances and to provide for the appointment of inspectors office clerks and others who with the Chief Factory Inspector shall constitute the Department of Factory Inspection to enforce the same and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof fixing the term and salaries of the Chief Factory Inspector and his appointees" and all other acts or parts of act inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Cress,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Cwynne,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peek,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovic,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Way,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	White,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Williams, C. W.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Marsh,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,

Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Fish,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Flynn,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McKay,	Sheffer,	Yorg,
Gelnett,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2119, (Senate Bill No. 992), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population does not exceed ten thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than ten thousand and does not exceed twenty thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than twenty thousand and does not exceed thirty thousand inhabitants shall be [six] nine hundred [and twenty-five] dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than thirty thousand and does not exceed forty thousand inhabitants shall be one thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than forty thousand and does not exceed fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than fifty thousand and does not exceed sixty thousand inhabitants shall be fifteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than sixty thousand and does not exceed seventy thousand inhabitants shall be eighteen hundred and seventy-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than seventy thousand and does not exceed eighty thousand inhabitants shall be twenty-five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than eighty thousand and does not exceed ninety thousand inhabitants shall be thirty-one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than ninety thousand and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be five thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than two hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed [one million] three hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be six thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Cross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Clovis,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Davidson,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reed,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loso,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yorg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McGregor,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2053, (Senate Bill No. 1084), as follows:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldier Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphan's Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools" which was amended by the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws seventeen) entitled 'An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act pro-

viding for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes as erection and equipment and the maintenance of the children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphans Schools' approved the twenty-seventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three Provided that in certain cases pupils may remain at the Soldiers' Orphan Industrial Schools after attaining the age of sixteen years" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 6 The said Commission under such rules and forms of application as it may adopt shall be and is hereby authorized to admit to said Soldiers' Orphan Schools or to the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School soldiers orphans of parents residents of this State for a continuous period of not less than five years prior to theih application who shall be under fourteen years of age to be educated and maintained therein until they shall severally become [sixteen] eighteen years of age unless sooner discharged for cause by order of the Commission

Provided That in the case of pupils at the Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School reaching the age of [sixteen] eighteen between the first day of [January] December in any year and the thirtieth day of June of the [same] following year the said pupil [may] shall at the discretion of the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools remain at the school until the thirtieth day of June following the date at which he or she may reach the age of [sixteen] eighteen

Provided further That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Celnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.	Cochring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, T. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Hermanson,	Peters,	Turner,
Conner,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Dengler,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Wells
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1645, (Senate Bill No. 508), as follows:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever heretofore the council of any incorporated borough of this Commonwealth has required by ordinance and caused to be made graded paved curbed or macadamized with brick stone or other suitable material or otherwise improved any public street or thoroughfare or part thereof either cartway or footwalk or has covered or enclosed any watercourse or waterway in any streets or thoroughfare so as to improve or extend and increase the driveway in any street or thoroughfare or has caused sewers to be constructed therein or has caused ornamental lights to be erected pursuant to any ordinance or has by ordinance provided for the assessments against abutting property owners of benefits for such improvement—but owing to some defect in the petition action of council notice or publication or any other proceeding or action necessary under existing laws and ordinances to give jurisdiction to such council or because of noncompliance with existing laws as to publication of copies of ordinance and posting of handbills prior to or after the final passage of such ordinance or because the ordinance itself or the official record book containing the same has been lost mislaid or destroyed or has not been transcribed in the official record book or because of irregularity or error in the appointment of viewers to assess benefits against property abutting along the line of the improvement or because of any irregularity or error in the method or procedure for the ascertainment of the amount of benefits to such property or in arriving at or determining the benefits assessed against such property or because of the failure to give notice as required by law or ordinance or the time for filing a lien or making claim for such improvements has expired or the claim has not been filed after notice to do so or for any other reason the costs of such improvement or a portion thereof cannot be legally assessed upon the property bounding or abutting on the street or part thereof improved or owing to some defect in the statement of claim filed to secure the lien or the failure of the borough solicitor to file the lien in the court of common pleas or to sign the same for the costs of such improvement or the failure of the borough solicitor to preserve the lien or liens filed in the court of common pleas by the proper proceedings within the required period of time or any error made in the name of the owner or owners of the abutting property—payment thereof cannot be enforced as was contemplated by the act or acts of the General Assembly under which the improvement was attempted to be made and statement of claim filed now by this act such—improvements are made valid and binding and the council of such incorporated borough may cause the property bounding or abutting on the street or part thereof upon which the improvement has been made or is now being made to be assessed in the manner now provided by law with such a portion of the costs of such improvement as is contemplated by the law under which the improvement was made or attempted to be made or is now being made and all such benefits and all assessments heretofore made or determined are hereby ratified confirmed and validated Such assessment or other assessment heretofore made shall be a lien upon the property assessed The lien shall date from the completion of the improvement for which the assessment is made whether the work was completed through one or several operations or contracts and shall remain a lien until fully paid for and satisfied Provided That a writ of scire facias is issued to revive

the same during every period of five years after the lien is filed as hereinafter provided

Section 2 The council of any incorporated borough of this Commonwealth entitled to a lien under this act shall file a lien therefor in the office of the prothonotary of the county within which the property lies within six months after the completion of the work where the improvement is now in progress or within six months after confirmation absolute of the report of the viewers assessing benefits for such improvement or within six months after the approval of this act where the improvement is now completed and the same shall be entered upon record as other municipal claims Such liens shall state the name of the party claimant which shall be the corporate name of the borough making the improvement name of the owner or reputed owner of the property assessed a reasonable description of the property assessed the amount or sum claimed to be due which shall include interest for not more than two years on the assessment from the completion of the improvement for what improvement the claim is made the date of its completion the date of the assessment for which the lien is filed. Such lien when so filed shall be prima facie evidence of all matters therein set forth and of the right of the boruogh to recover the amount therein claimed to be due together with interest from the date of the lien or completion of the improvement costs and an attorney's commission of five per centum for collecting

Section 3 The claim when so filed shall be proceeded upon for collection by writ of scire facias Provided That this act shall not apply to any proceeding suit or action wherein a final order or judgement of any court of record has already been made or entered nor shall it affect the lien of any mortgage or judgment given on any property against which any such assessment has been made prior to the approval hereof nor shall it validate any lien filed or to be filed against any property sold and conveyed after any such improvement was completed and prior to the approval hereof

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Celnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Cross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Walker,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Washington,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Way,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Dengler,	Jones,	Post,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1989, (Senate Bill No. 807), entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats, principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions; providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Celnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,

Ehrhart,	Hagen,	Nothnagle,	Steele,
Evans, H. H.,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Evans, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1253, (Senate Bill No. 406), as follows:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities boroughs towns and townships to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same. That the county commissioners of any county may appropriate moneys to assist any city borough town or township within such county or within any adjacent county to acquire operate and maintain airdromes and aviation landing fields

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Golnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Way,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Wells
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Post,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Reed,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representative, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1723, Printer's No. 1200, File Folio 6811, entitled "An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-six). entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over'; by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up House Bill No. 2019, file folio 6677, on page 47 of today's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Bart Richards.

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2019, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the third class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities who are not now protected by pension authorized by the laws of this State and in force at the time of the passage of this act" requiring the establishment of a pension fund in certain cities of the third class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—131.

Adams, E. C.,	Golnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Walker,
Conner,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,

Cooke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Davidson,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Klecknor,	Reader,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE.

Mr. BARTON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 893, file folio 7173, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

on page 29 of today's calendar, bills on third reading, passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. SCHRECK. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. FLYNN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the motion be laid on the table.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Mr. SOWERS asked and obtained unanimous consent to call out of order House Bill No. 2354 (Senate Bill No. 506), file folio 6029, on page 21 of today's calendar, bills on second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2354, (Senate Bill No. 506), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. EMHART. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. FLYNN asked and obtained unanimous consent to call out of order House Bill No. 2143, (Senate Bill No. 784), file folio 3489, on page 44 of to-day's calendar, bills on third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2143, (Senate Bill No. 784), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule, of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Aston,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peeler,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Klecknor,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Shealy,	Yorg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Grenet,	McKay,	Shertz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING SENATE BILL NO. 841 FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. SOWERS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1695, (Senate Bill No. 841, Printer's No. 216, File Folio 2113, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth" by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required

be recalled from the Senate for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2146, (Senate Bill No. 477), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth, seventh and eighth classes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2316, (Senate Bill No. 1037), as follows:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any corporation organized prior to the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one under the provisions of Paragraph IX Section two relating to corporations of the first class as amended of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" namely the maintenance of a society for beneficial or protective purposes to its members from funds collected therein may pay or enter into contracts to pay money or benefits not exceeding ten dollars per week in the event of sickness accident or disability and not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars in the event of death

Section 2 It shall be unlawful for any such corporation to pay or enter into contracts to pay more than ten dollars per week in the event of sickness accident or disability or more than two hundred and fifty dollars in the event of death

Section 3 Any such corporation shall maintain reserves on the life portion contained in all policies or contracts issued based upon a standard table of mortality with interest at three and one-half (3½) per cen per annum approved by the Insurance Commissioner of this Commonwealth and on the disability portion contained in all policies or contracts issued of fifty (50) per cent of the actual weekly monthly or annual premiums or payments in force and shall maintain full reserves for all definite and outstanding claims

Section 4 Any corporation paying or entering into contracts to pay money or benefits in excess of the limitations prescribed by the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each payment or contract so made or entered into

Section 5 —The provisions of this act shall not apply to beneficial associations which are formed by or for the exclusive benefit of those who at the time of becoming members of such associations are engaged in educational work in any department or district of the public school system of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or in any college or university

within this State and which issues beneficiary certificates only to such members

Section 6 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions hereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provisions not been included therein

Section 7 The act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seven) entitled "An act to authorize and empower certain corporations incorporated under an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' approved the twenty-ninth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four to pay money or benefits to members in the event of their sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies" and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2345, (Senate Bill No. 435), entitled:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled An act relating to insurance, amending, revising, consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2298, (Senate Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws"

The first, second, third, fourth and fifth sections were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repeal existing laws" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The laws of every such society from and after five years from the date of the passage of this act shall provide that if the stated periodical contributions of the members are insufficient to pay all matured claims in full and to provide for the payment of its benefit fund obligations valued upon a valuation by one of the standards authorized in section twenty-three or section twenty-three B of this act and for the creation and maintenance of the funds required by its laws additional or increased rates of contribution [may] shall be collected from the members to meet such deficiency [Such laws may also provide that] or each certificate shall be charged with it proportion of any deficiency disclosed by the valuation [hereinafter] herein specified with lawful interest thereon

Section 2 That section ten of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 10 The funds from which benefits shall be paid and the funds from which expenses of the society shall be defrayed shall be derived from regular monthly or other periodical rates of contribution paid by the members of the society and accretions of said funds and no part of any funds set aside for the payment of benefits shall be used for expenses other than expenses incurred in investigating or defending claims against such benefits funds Except as herein otherwise allowed every domestic society shall invest its funds only in securities permitted by the laws of this Commonwealth for the investment of the reserves of life insurance companies Unless the approval of the Insurance Commissioner shall be first obtained in writing no domestic society shall keep or maintain at a place outside of this Commonwealth any securities or other assets except such as are necessary for the collection of current dues and to enable it to comply with the laws of any other State or foreign country for the purpose of transacting business therein

Section 3 That section twenty-two of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections seventeen twenty and twenty-two of an act approved the twentieth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixteen) entitled 'An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of morality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of this act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring

beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws by providing for the practice and procedure to be followed by the Insurance Commissioner in refusing to license any foreign society and in revoking the license of such society and providing for jurisdiction practice and procedure upon appeals from the action of the Insurance Commissioner in such cases" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 22 Before the Insurance Commissioner shall refuse to license any foreign society or shall revoke its authority to do business in this State he shall furnish to such society a concise statement of his reasons for such proposed refusal or revocation and give notice of a time and place of hearing at which such society may show cause why a license should be granted to it or why the license granted to it should not be revoked as the case may be

Upon request made to the Insurance Commissioner by such society he shall issue subpoenas to summon such witnesses as the society may desire to summon and upon the filing of a petition by such society duly verified by oath showing that the testimony of certain persons named therein is competent and relevant to the issues to be heard by the Commissioner and that such persons are outside the State of Pennsylvania he shall appoint a suitable person duly qualified by law to administer oaths as a commissioner to take the testimony of such persons at such place or places specified in the petition as the testimony of such witnesses may be obtained Such testimony shall be taken upon oral examination and cross examination or upon written interrogatories and cross interrogatories as the Insurance Commissioner may determine and when so taken shall be reduced to writing and certified to the Insurance Commissioner by the commissioner so appointed and shall be made a part of the record of such hearing before the Insurance Commissioner The cost of issuing said subpoenas shall be paid to the commissioner by the society

Any notice of hearing required by this act shall be sufficient if sent by registered mail addressed to the society or to its president at its principal office in its home state territory province or county A full and complete record shall be kept of all proceedings had before the Insurance Commissioner at any hearing and all testimony taken at such hearings shall be reported stenographically and the completeness and accuracy of the record shall be certified by the Insurance Commissioner

All decisions rulings and findings of the Insurance Commissioner made under this act together with a statement of his reasons therefor shall be reduced to writing and filed in his office and he shall serve a copy thereof upon the society by registered mail addressed to the society or its president at its principal office in its home state territory province or country and the action of the Insurance Commissioner shall be reviewable upon appeal to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County in the following manner

Any Society aggrieved by any decision ruling or finding of the Insurance Commissioner may file within thirty days thereafter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County a petition against the commissioner officially as defendant alleging therein in brief detail the action and decision complained of and praying for a reversal thereof Thereupon a summons shall issue returnable in ten days and shall be served with a copy of the petition upon the Insurance Commissioner On or before the return day the commissioner shall file an answer in which he shall allege by way of defense the grounds of his decision He shall also on or before the return day of such summons certify to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County the record of the proceedings to which the petition refers Such record shall include the testimony taken thereon the findings of fact and conclusions if any made by the commissioner based upon such testimony a copy of all notices and statements of reasons issued and served by the commissioner in the proceedings and a copy of the decision ruling or finding of the commissioner with his statement of reasons which the petition calls upon the court to reverse The cost of preparing and certifying such record shall be paid to the commissioner by the petitioner and taxed as part of the costs in the case to be paid as directed by the court upon the final determination of the case

Upon the filing of the commissioner's answer the case before the court of common pleas of Dauphin County shall be at issue without further pleadings and upon application of either party made thereafter the case shall be advanced and heard without further delay Mere technical irregularities in the procedure of the commissioner shall be disregarded

Such appeal shall not be supersedeas nor stay further proceedings by the Insurance Commissioner unless otherwise ordered by the court of common pleas of Dauphin County upon such terms and conditions as said court shall determine and then only in the case of an appeal from a decision ruling or finding of the commissioner revoking the authority of any such society to do business.

The case shall be heard upon the record certified to the court by the commissioner Additional testimony shall not be taken by the court but the court may in proper cases remit the record of the commissioner for the taking of further testimony

From the decision of the court of common pleas of Dauphin County an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania as in other cases

In the case of any appeal or other proceeding for review heretofore taken from the decision of the Insurance Commissioner refusing to license any such society or revoking its authority to do business and now pending and undetermined in any court of this Commonwealth the court may make an appropriate order remanding the decision ruling or finding appealed from the Insurance Commissioner with directions to proceed in conformity with the provisions of this act and the making of such order shall restore the status of the appellant society as it was before the making of the decision ruling or finding appealed from

[Nothing contained in this section or in sections sixteen or twenty of this act shall however be taken or construed as preventing any such society from continuing in good faith all contracts made in this Commonwealth during the time such society was legally authorized to transact business herein]

Upon the revocation of the authority of any such foreign society to do business in this Commonwealth for the reason that the valuation of its certificates as hereinbefore provided shall show that the present value of future net contributions together with the admitted asses is less than the present value of the promised benefits and accrued liabilities such society shall reinsure all its business and contracts then in force in this Commonwealth within a reasonable time thereafter in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Insurance Commissioner

Section 4 That section twenty-three of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23 Every society transacting business under this act shall annually on or before the first day of March file with the Insurance Commissioner in such form as may require a statement under oath of its president and secretary or corresponding officers of its transactions for the calendar year standing on that date and shall include therein all accrued liability under unpaid claims where notice was received by the society at its home office before the end of such calendar year No society shall be required to include in such report any claim or claims notice of which had not been received by the society at its home office before the end of such year. It shall also furnish such other information as the Insurance Commissioner may deem necessary to a proper exhibit of its business and plan of working. The commissioner may at other times require any further statement he may deem necessary to be made relating to such society

In addition to the annual report herein required each society shall annually report to the commissioner a valuation of its benefit fund obligations in force on December thirty-first last preceding excluding those entered into within the year for which the report is filed in cases where the contributions for the first year in whole or in part are used for current expenses Such report of valuation shall show as contingent liabilities the present mid-year value of the promised benefits provided in the constitution and laws of such society under certificates then subject to valuation at not more than the average rate of interest earned on its invested assets during five calendar years preceding the date of such annual report less such portion thereof as may have been assumed by other associations or companies and as contingent assets the present mid-year value at the same rate of interest of the future net contributions provided in its constitution and laws as the same are in practice actually collected

In lieu of the above valuation any society at its option may show the net value of its benefit fund obligations subject to valuation at the rate of interest as hereinbefore provided and said net value when computed in the case of monthly contributions may be the means of the terminal value for the end of the preceding and of the current certificate years from which said tabular values shall be deducted such portion thereof as may have been assumed by other associations or companies and in addition there may be deducted the present worth of the probable future annual savings in death losses as specified in the preceding paragraph

Every such valuation report shall include as a contingent liability an estimate made by or on behalf of the society of the probable future payments under unpaid claims notice of which was received by the society at its home office before the end of the calendar year covered by the annual report but which has not been approved for payment at the date of such report

Deferred payments or instalments of claims whether involving a life contingency or not shall be included in the valuation report as contingent liabilities on the happening of the contingency upon which such payments or instalments are thereafter to be paid All such liability shall be the present worth of such future payments or instalments at the average rate of interest earned by the society during the five calendar years preceding the date of such annual report

Each valuation report shall be certified by a competent accountant or actuary or at the request and expense of the society verified by the actuary of the department of insurance of the home State of the society and shall be filed with the Insurance Commissioner on or before the first day of June succeeding the submission of the last preceding annual report

The minimum standard of valuation for all benefit fund obligations except for disability and dependent benefits shall be the National Fraternal Congress Table of Mortality hereinbefore referred to or at the option of the society by any other standard table or a table based upon the society's own experience of at least twenty years and covering not less than one hundred thousand lives with an interest assumption of not more than the average rate of interest earned on its invested assets during the five calendar years preceding such annual report

Every valuation report shall set forth clearly and fully the mortality and interest basis and the method of valuation Any society providing for disability benefits shall keep a separate account of the same in its said valuation report shall charge as a liability the balance to the credit of such fund or funds at the date of such valuation Where a combined contribution table is used by a society for both death and permanent and total disability benefits the valuation may be of death benefit only and in such case a separate accounting shall not be required

A report of such valuation with such explanation as the society may deem advisable shall be printed and mailed to each beneficial member of the society not later than July first of each year in lieu thereof may be published in the society's official paper and the issue containing the same mailed to each beneficial member of the society [The valuation herein provided for shall not be considered or regarded as a test of the financial solvency of the society but each society shall be held to be legally solvent so long as the funds in its possession are equal to or in excess of its matured liabilities]

Section 5 That section twenty-three B of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23B In lieu of the valuation hereinbefore required any society may value its certificates on a basis herein designated "accumulated basis" by crediting each member with the net amount contributed for each year and with interest at approximately the net rate earned and by charging him with his share of the losses for each year herein designated "cost of insurance" and carrying the balance if any to his credit The charge for the cost of insurance may be according to the actual experience of the society as applied to a table of mortality recognized by the law of this Commonwealth and shall take into consideration the amount at risk during each year which shall be the amount payable at death less the credit to the member

Unless specifically provided in its constitution or laws no charge shall be carried forward from the first valuation hereunder against any member for any past share of losses extending the contributions and credit If after the first valuation any member's share or losses for any year exceeds his credit including the contributions for the year the contributions shall be increased to cover his share of the losses

Any such excess share of losses chargeable to any member may be paid out of a fund or contributions especially created or required for such purpose Any member may transfer to any plans adopted by the society with net rates on which tabular reserves are maintained and on transfer shall be entitled to take such application of his credit as provided in the laws of the society Certificates issued rerated or readjusted on a basis providing for adequate rates with adequate reserves to mature such certificates upon assumption for mortality and interest recognized by the law of this Commonwealth shall be valued on such basis herein designated the "tabular basis" Provided That if on the first valuation under this section a deficiency in reserve shall be shown for any such certificate the same shall be valued on the accumulation basis

Whenever in any society having members upon the tabular basis and upon the accumulation basis the total of all costs of insurance provided for any years shall be insufficient to meet the actual death and disability losses for the year the deficiency may be met for the year from the available funds after setting aside all credits in the reserve or from increased contributions or by an increase in the number of assessments applied in the society as a whole or to classes of members as may be specified in its laws Savings from a lower amount of death losses may be returned in like manner as may be specified in its laws

If the laws of the society so provide the assets representing the reserves of any separate class of members may be carried separate for such class as if in an independent society and the required reserve accumulation of such class to set part shall not thereafter be merged with the assets of other classes of the society

A table showing the credits to individual members for each age and year of entry and showing opposite each credits the tabular reserve required in the whole life or other plan of insurance specified in the contract according to assumptions for mortality and interest recognized by the law of this Commonwealth and adopted by the society shall be filed by the society with each annual report and also be furnished to each member before July first of each year

In lieu of the aforesaid statement there may be furnished to each member within the same time a statement giving the credit for such member and giving the tabular reserve and level rate required for the transfer carrying out the plan of insurance specified in the contract No table or statement need be made or furnished where the reserves are maintained on the tabular basis For this purpose individual bookkeeping accounts for each member shall not be required and all calculations may be made by actuarial methods

Nothing herein contained shall prevent the maintenance of such surplus over and above the credits on the accumulation basis and the reserves on the tabular basis as any society may provide by or pursuant to its laws nor be construed as giving to the individual member any right or claim to any such reserve or credit other than in manner and as expressed in its constitution and laws

The sixth section was read as follows:

Section 6 That the said Act be and the same is hereby amended by adding after Section twenty-three B thereof the following new section

Section 23C If the valuation of the certificates as herein before provided shall show that the present value of future net contributions together with the admitted assets is less than the present value of the promised benefits and accrued liabilities such society shall within three years from the date of the passage of this act either collect additional assessments or increase the rates of contribution from the members to meet such deficiency or classify its members according to the adequacy of the rates they are contributing and charge each class with its proportion of any deficiency disclosed by any such valuation

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. FLYNN. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk.

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend bill, page 17, line 15, by striking out after the word "within" and before the word "years" the word "[three]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The seventh and eighth sections and title were separately read and agreed to as follows:

Section 7 That section twenty-five of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 Any person who shall solicit membership for or in any manner assist in procuring membership in any fraternal benefit society not authorized to do business in this Commonwealth shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than [fifty] five hundred nor more than [two hundred] one thousand dollars Any officer agent or employe of any society neglecting or refusing to comply with or violating any of the provisions of this act the penalty for which refusal or violation is not specified shall upon conviction thereof be fined not exceeding [two hundred] one thousand dollars

Section 8 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

An Act to amend sections three and ten sections twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen), entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2173, (Senate Bill No. 1038), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulating examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2343, (Senate Bill No. 1238), entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six), entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity or property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2182, (Senate Bill No. 1025), entitled:

An Act requiring all Title Insurance Companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof and regulating the same.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2335, (Senate Bill No. 974), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2317, (Senate Bill No. 1038), entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2326, (Senate Bill No. 1303), entitled:

An Act relating to wards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2334, (Senate Bill No. 794), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the head of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2331, (Senate Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2306, (Senate Bill No. 526), entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2297, (Senate Bill No. 717), entitled:

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violation of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 331, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to damages for injuries producing death" as amended permitting brothers and sisters of deceased to recover damages

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to damages for injuries producing death" which was amended by the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-eight) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act relating to damages for injuries producing death' approved the twenty-sixth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five so as to provide that certain surviving relatives of the deceased may recover damages whether such surviving relations be citizens of this Commonwealth or not" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the persons entitled to recover damages for any injuries causing death shall be the husband widow children [or] parents or brothers and sisters of the deceased and no other relatives and that the husband widow children [or] parents or brothers and sisters of the deceased shall be entitled to recover whether he she or they be citizens or residents of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or citizens or residents of any other State or place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States or of any foreign country or subjects of any foreign potentate and the sum recovered shall go to them in the proportion they would take his or her personal estate in case of intestacy and that without liability to creditors under the law of this Commonwealth

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special for further study.

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2181, (Senate Bill No. 958), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one three hundred and five and three hundred and seven as amended of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly set and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be called and cited as The Workmen's Compensation Act of 1915 and shall apply to all accidents occurring within this Commonwealth irrespective of the place where the contract of hiring was made renewed or extended and shall not apply to any accident occuring outside of the Commonwealth except to accidents occurring to State employes outside the Commonwealth while such employes are engaged in duly authorized business of the State

Section 2 That section three hundred and five of said act as amended by the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fourteen) entitled "An act to amend section three hundred and five of an act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled 'An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder' by imposing penalties for failure of an employer to insure his liability to pay compensation and providing the method by which an employer may be exempted from the necessity of such insurance" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 305 Every employer liable under this act to pay compensation shall insure the payment of compensation in the State Workmen's Insurance Fund or in any insurance company or mutual association or company authorized to insure such liability in this Commonwealth unless such employer shall be exempted by the bureau from such insurance An employer desiring to be exempt from insuring the whole or any part of his liability for compensation shall make application to the bureau showing his financial ability to pay such compensation whereupon the bureau if satisfied of the applicant's financial ability shall by written order make such exemption The bureau may from time to time require further statements of the financial ability of such employer and if at any time such employer appear no longer able to pay compensation shal lrevoke its order granting exemption in which case the employer shall immediately subscribe to the State Fund or insure his liability in a mutual association or company as aforesaid

If any employer fails to comply with the provisions of this section [the bureau shall serve by registered mail or in such other manner as the rules and regulations of the bureau shall provide upon such employer a notice to comply forthwith with such provisions and if such employer does not within thirty days thereafter insure his liability as aforesaid or obtain exemption from such insurance such employer shall pay as a penalty the sum of one dollar ($1.00) per diem for each employer desiring to be exempt from insuring the whole or any obtain exemption which sum shall be collectible by the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation in the same manner as debts of like amounts are now by law recovered All moneys so recovered by the bureau shall be immediately covered into the State Treasury Provided however That a second notice with bill for fines incurred sent by registered mail shall be served on employers within thirty days after their fines begin to run] such employer shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof for every such failure shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars ($100) nor more than five hundred dollars ($500) and costs of prosecution or imprisonment for a period of not more than six months or both at the discretion of the court every day's violation shall constitute a separate offense It shall be the duty of the Bureau to enforce the provisions of this section and it shall investigate all violations that are brought to its notice and shall institute prosecutions for violations thereof All fines recovered under the provisions of this section shall be paid by the clerk of the court to the Bureau and by it paid into the State Treasury

Section 306 The following schedule of compensation is hereby established for injuries resulting in total disability

(a) For the first five hundred weeks after the seventh day of total disability sixty-five per centum of the wages of the injured employe as defined in section three hundred and nine but the compensation shall not be more than fifteen dollars per week nor less than seven dollars per week and shall not exceed in aggregate the sum of sixty-five hundred dollars Provided That if at the time of injury the employe receives wages of less than seven dollars per week then he shall receive the full amount of such wages per week as compensation Nothing in this clause shall require payment of compensation after disability shall cease Should partial disability be followed by total disability the period of five hundred weeks mentioned in this clause of this section shall be reduced by the number of weeks during which compensation was paid for such partial disability

(b) For disability partial in character (except the particular cases mention in clause (c) sixty-five per centum of the difference between the wages of the injured employe as defined in section three hundred and nine and the earning power of the employe thereafter or in case the earning power of the employe has not been established by his return to employment after the accident upon the percentage of disability as established by medical testimony but such compensation shall not be more than fifteen dollars per week This compensation shall be paid during the period of such partial disability not however beyond three hundred weeks after the seventh day of such partial disability Should total disability be followed by partial disability the period of three hundred weeks mentioned in this clause shall be reduced by the number of weeks during which compensation was paid for such total disability

(c) For all disability resulting from permament injuries of the following classes the compensation shall be exclusively as follows

For the loss of a hand sixty-five per centum of wages during one hundred and seventy-five weeks

For the loss of an arm sixty-five per centum of wages during two hundred and fifteen weeks

For the loss of a foot sixty-five per centum of wages during one hundred and fifty weeks

For the loss of a leg sixty-five per centum of wages during two hundred and fifteen weeks

For the loss of an eye sixty-five per centum of wages during one hundred and twenty-five weeks

For the loss of a thumb sixty-five per centum of wages during sixty weeks

For the loss of a first finger commonly called index finger sixty-five per centum of wages during thirty-five weeks

For the loss of a second finger sixty-five per centum of wages during thirty weeks

For the loss of a third finger sixty-five per centum of wages during twenty weeks

For the loss of a fourth finger commonly called little finger sixty-five per centum of wages during fifteen weeks

The loss of the first phalange of the thumb or of any finger shall be considered equivalent to the loss of one-half of such thumb or finger and shall be compensated at the same rate as for the loss of a thumb or finger but for one-half of the period provided for the loss of a thumb or finger

The loss of more than one phalange of a thumb or finger shall be considered equivalent to the loss of the entire thumb or finger

For the loss of any two or more such members or the permanent loss of the use of the hand arm foot leg or eye as hereinbefore provided not constituting total disability sixty-five per centum of wages during the aggregate of the periods specified for each

For serious and permanent disfigurement of the head or face of such a character as to produce an unsightly appearance and such as is not usually incident to the employment sixty-five per centum of wages not to exceed one hundred and fifty weeks

Unless the board shall otherwise determine the loss of both hands or both arms or both feet or both legs or both eyes shall constitute total disability to be compensated according to the provisions of clause (a)

Amputation between the elbow and the wrist shall be considered as the equivalent of the loss of a hand and amputa- the equivalent of the loss of a foot Amputation at or above tion between the knee and ankle shall be considered as the elbow shall be considered as the loss of an arm and amputation at or above the knee shall be considered as the loss of a leg Permanent loss of the use of a hand arm foot leg eye finger or thumb shall be considered as the equivalent of the loss of such hand arm foot leg eye finger or thumb

This compensation shall not be more than fifteen dollars per week nor less than seven dollars per week Provided That if at the time of injury the employe receives wages of less than seven dollars per week then he shall receive the full amount of such wages per week as compensation

(d) No compensation shall be allowed for the first seven days after disability begins except as hereinafter provided in clause (e) of this section

(e) During the first thirty days after disability begins the employer shall furnish reasonable surgical and medical services medicines and supplies as and when needed unless the employe refuses to allow them to be furnished by the employer The cost of such services medicines and supplies shall not exceed one hundred dollars ($100) If the employer shall upon application made to him refuse to furnish such services medicines and supplies the employe may procure the same and shall receive from the employer the reasonable cost thereof within the above limitations In addition to the above service medicines and supplies hospital treatment services and supplies shall be furnished by the employer for the said period of thirty days The cost of such hospital treatment service and supplies shall not in any case exceed the prevailing charge in the hospital for like services to other individuals If the employe shall refuse reasonable surgical medical and hospital services medicines and supplies tendered to him by his employer he shall forfeit all right to compensation for any injury or any increase in his incapacity shown to have resulted from such refusal

(f) Should the employe die as a result of the injury the period during which compensation shall be payable to his dependents under section three hundred and seven of this article shall be reduced by the period during which compensation was paid to him in his life-time under this section of this article. No reduction shall be made for the amount which may have been paid or contracted to be paid for medical and hospital services and medicines nor for the expenses of the last sickness and burial Should the employe die from some other cause than the injury the liability for compensation shall cease

(g) Hernia shall be considered as a physical weakness or ailment which ordinarily develops gradually and shall not be compensable unless conclusive proof is offered that the hernia was immediately precipitated by such sudden effort or severe strain that First the descent of the hernia immediately followed the cause second there was actual pain in the hernial region third the above manifestitations were of such severity that the same were immediately noticed by the claimant and communicated to the employer or a representative fo the employer within forty-eight hours after the occurrence of the accident

Section 3 That section three hundred and seven of said act as last amended by section two of said amending act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphet Laws one hundred eight-six) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 307 In case of death compensation shall be computed on the following basis and distributed to the following persons

1 If there be no widow nor widower entitled to compensation compensation shall be paid to the guardian of the child or children or if there be no guardian to such other persons as may be designated by the board as hereinafter provided as follows

(a) If there be either one or two children thirty-three per centum of wages of deceased but not in excess of seven dollars and fifty cents per week

(b) If there be three children forty-four per centum of wages of deceased but not in excess of ten dollars per week

(c) If there be four children fifty-five per centum of wages of deceased but not in excess of twelve dollars and fifty cents per week

(d) If there be five children sixty-two and one-half per centum of wages of deceased but not in excess of fourteen dollars per week

(e) If there be six or more children sixty-five per centum of wages of deceased but not in excess of fifteen dollars per week

2 To the widow or widower if there be no children forty-four per centum of wages but not in excess of ten dollars per week

3 To the widow or widower if there be one child fifty-five per centum of wages but not in excess of twelve and a half dollars per week

4 To the widow or widower if there be two children sixty-two and one-half per centum of wages but not in excess of fourteen dollars per week

4½ To the widow or widower if there be three or more children sixty-five per centum of wages but not in excess of fifteen dollars per week

5 If there be neither widow widower nor children entitled to compensation then to the father or mother if dependent to any extent upon the employe at the time of the accident twenty-five per centum of wages but not in excess of five dollars per week Provided however That in the case of a minor child who has been contributing to his parents the dependency of said parents shall be presumed and Provided further That if the father or mother was totally dependent upon the deceased employe at the time of the accident the compensation payable to such father or mother shall be forty-five per centum of wages but not in excess of ten dollars per week

6 If there be neither widow widower children nor dependent parent entitled to compensation then to the brothers and sisters if actually dependent to any extent upon the decedent for support at the time of his death fifteen per centum of wages for one brother or sister and five per centum additional for each additional brother or sister with a maximum of twenty-five per centum such compensation to be paid to their guardian or if there be no guardian to such other person as may be designated by the board as hereinafter provided

7 Whether or not there be dependents as aforesaid the reasonable expense of burial not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars which shall be paid by the employer or insurer directly to the undertaker (without deduction of any amounts theretofore paid for compensation or for medical expenses)

Compensation shall be payable under this section to or on account of any child brother or sister only if and while such child brother and sister is under the age of sixteen No compensation shall be payable under this section to a widow unless she was living with her deceased husband at the time of his death or was then actually dependent upon him for support No compensation shall be payable under this section to a widower unless he be incapable of self-support at the time of his wife's death and be at such time dependent upon her for support The terms "child" and "children" shall include stepchildren and adopted children and children to whom he stood in loco parentis if members of decedent's household at the time of his death and shall include posthum-

ous children Should any dependent of a deceased employe die or remarry or should the widower become capable of self-support the right of such dependent or widower to compensation under this section shall cease [Provided however That upon the remarriage of any widow other than a nonresident alien widow the employer shall pay to such widow the then value of the compensation payable to her during one-third of the period during which compensation then remains payable but not exceeding one hundred weeks calculated in accordance with the provisions of section three hundred and sixteen of this article] Provided however That upon remarriage of any widow other than a nonresident alien widow the compensation of such widow shall continue as hereinbefore provided for one-third of the period during which compensation then remains payable to her If the compensation payable under this section to any person shall for any cause cease the compensation to the remaining persons entitled thereunder shall thereafter be the same as would have been payable to them had they been the only persons entitled to compensation at the time of the death of the deceased

The wages upon which death compensation shall be based shall not in any case be taken to exceed twenty-four dollars per week nor be less than twelve dollars per week

This compensation shall be paid during three hundred weeks and in the case of children entitled to compensation under this section the compensation of each child shall continue after said period of three hundred weeks until such child reaches the age of sixteen at the rate of seventeen and one-half per centum of wages but not in excess of three dollars and seventy-five cents per week if there be one child twenty-seven and one-half per centum of wages but not in excess of six dollars and twenty-five cents per week if there be two children thirty-eight and one-half per centum of wages but not in excess of eight dollars and seventy-five cents per week if there be three children fifty per centum of wages but not in excess of eleven dollars and twenty-five cents per week if there be four children fifty-five per centum of wages but not in excess of twelve dollars and fifty cents per week if there be five children and sixty per centum of wages but not in excess of thirteen dollars and seventy-five cents per week if there be six children or more The board may if the best interest of a child or children shall so require at any time order and direct the compensation payable to a child or children or to a widow or widower on account of any child or children to be paid to the guardian of such child or children or if there be no guardian to such other person as the board as hereinafter provided may direct If there be no guardian or committee of any minor dependent or insane employe or dependent on whose account compensation is payable the amount payable on account of such minor dependent or insane employe or dependent may be paid to any surviving parent or to such other person as the board may order and direct and the board may require any person other than a guardian or committee to whom it has directed compensation for a minor dependent or insane employe or dependent to be paid to render as and when it shall so order accounts of the receipts and disbursements of such person and to file with it a satisfactory bond in a sum sufficient to secure the proper application of the moneys received by such person

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2350, (Senate Bill No. 691), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Millar,	Shortz,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Spangler,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Burke,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Catania,	Himes,	Peck,	Stein,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Clovis,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Storb,
Conner,	Holmes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Davidson,	Howe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Dengler,	Huester,	Pierce,	Turner,
Denne,	King,	Post,	Voltz,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Walker,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Washington,
Eaches,	Landis,	Reader,	Wettach,
Ederer,	Linton,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Erdley,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Fox,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McCann,	Schrock,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Barton,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.	Hefferon,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Heffran,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Denne,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Welty,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Royle,	White,
Eaches,	Linton,	Sautter,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Schilling,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shellenberger,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Nothnagle,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harkins,	O'Neill,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Peelor,	Stark,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Pennock,	Staudenmaier,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Perry,	Steedle,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peters,	Stein,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Sterling,
Cauffiel,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Stevenson,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Talbot,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Turner,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Voltz,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Walker,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Washington,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wells,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	McCann,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Aston,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Reader,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reed,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2067, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful for any alderman, justice of the peace or magistrate to refuse or neglect to return each bail deposited with him for the appearance of any defendant in a criminal proceeding at the same time that the transcript of the proceedings is returned.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Aston,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Barton,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,

Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Reader,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reed,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Embardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1968, entitled:

An Act providing that any order of the juvenile court of any county of the second class or action of any of its probation officers touching the custody of any child under the jurisdiction of said court calculated to affect the liability of said county for the support or maintenance of said child shall, in order to effect the county's liability for the same, be certified or reported by the clerk, chief probation officer, or such other persons as said court shall designate, to the county commissioners of such county with full details, within five days after said order is made or action taken; and repealing inconsistent legislation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Jones,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. J.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F.W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,

Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpost of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Aston,	Griffith,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Spangler,
Baldridge,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Barton,	Haines,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.	Harkins,	Peck,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hartsock,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Haws,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Conner,	Himes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Holcombe,	Post,	Washington,
Davidson,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weaver,
Denne,	Katz,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Welty,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	White,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wike,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Williams, G. W.,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Williams, J. J.,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wilson,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Witkin,
Flynn,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Wolfe,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheely,	Wood,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Wright,
Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	Yeakel,
Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,	Yerg,
Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shutt,	Ziesenheim,
Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 973, File Folio 5533, entitled: "An Act providing a fixed charge, payable by the Commonwealth, on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government, for forest reserves, or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania, and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks, and the distribution of the same for county, school, township and road purposes, in the counties, school districts, and townships where such forests are located," which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 11, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 469, Printer's No. 508, White File Folio 3071, entitled: "An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled 'An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days' as amended" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 933, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine) entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor" providing additional methods of postponing such liens and validating certain postponements

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine) entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in every case where a mortgage has been or shall hereafter be made and recorded in the proper office in the county in which the land mortgaged is situated it shall be lawful for the mortgagee or mortgagees his or their heirs executors administrators or assigns and in the case of a corporate mortgagee its successors and assigns to postpone the lien of such mortgage or mortgages on the mortgaged premises and the bond or bonds accompanying the same to the lien of a subsequent mortgage or mortgages and the bond or bonds accompanying the same on the same mortgaged premises (a) by entering a postponement upon the margin of the record of such mortgage [or] which postponement shall state the date and place of record of and the names of the parties to the subsequent mortgage or mortgages to which mortgage or mortgages the said entry of postponement is intended to subordinate the lien of the mortgage or mortgages to be postponed

which postponement shall be signed by the person or persons who are then the owner or owners of the said mortgage or mortgages so postponed and which postponement when attested by the recorder of deeds shall be a part of the record of said mortgage and shall be notice to all persons of the facts therein contained or (b) by a stipulation contained in the body of the mortgage postponing the lien thereof to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages about to be recorded or (c) by an agreement in writing with the mortgagor [or] and with the subsequent mortgagee or mortgagees [or] and any other person [in interest] interested as owners of the mortgaged premises or as holders of liens thereon duly acknowledged before a proper officer authorized by the State of Pennsylvania to take acknowledgments which said agreement for the postponement of lien of mortgage and bond accompanying the same shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county where the mortgaged premises lie and if the said mortgaged premises lie in more than one county then in the recorder of deeds office in all the counties in which said mortgaged premises lie the recording of which shall be notice to all persons of the facts therein contained when and only when a memorandum of the said agreement shall be noted by the said recorder of deeds upon the margin of the record of the mortgage or mortgages to be postponed giving the book and page wherein any such postponement agreement is recorded together with the date of such recording

For each such notation entered upon the margin of the record of a mortgage the recorder of deeds shall be entitled to charge and receive a fee of twenty-five cents

All postponements heretofore made in conformity with the provisions of this section and this amendment are hereby validated

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Walker,
Davidson,	Huester,	Reed,	Washington,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 930.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate, recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 930, file folio 5555, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 930 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 2, line 21, by striking out after the word "storing" at the end of the line the word "[han-],"and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hand-."

Amend page 3, line 10, by striking out after the word "The" the word "[principle]," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "principal."

Amend page 17, line 19, by striking out after the word "value" and before the word "of" the words "[if a stock with par value]."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS Nos. 197, 353, 494, 519, 570, 1168 AND 1455.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 197, file folio 4689, entitled: "An Act providing for the certification of inspected seed potatoes agricultural and vegetable seeds prohibiting the use of the words "certified" "inspected" "registered" or similar terms in connection with the sale of seed potatoes and agricultural and vegetable seeds unless inspected and certified as provided in this act providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Agriculture prescribing penalties and conferring jurisdiction in certain cases upon the courts of common pleas."

House Bill No. 353, file folio 5551, entitled: "An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-one) entitled 'An act to encourage the breeding of horses to regulate the public service of stallions and jacks to prevent misrepresentation of same to require the licensing of stallions and jacks and to provide for the enforcement thereof' as amended eliminating the annual license fee."

House Bill No. 494, file folio 3129, entitled, "An act to amend section eight of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-five) entitled 'An act to encourage and authorize the formation of co-operative associations productive and distributive by farmers mechanics laborers or other persons.'"

House Bill No. 519, file folio 5529, entitled: "An Act to further amend clause five of section twenty-nine of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' by providing the manner in which trust companies may use trust funds awaiting investment or distribution."

House Bill No. 570, file folio 2829, entitled: "An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-two) entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth' increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter."

House Bill No. 1168, file folio 2117, entitled: "An Act for the Elimination of Special Forest Fire Hazards Authorizing the Chief Forest Fire Warden under certain circumstances to declare any such hazard a public nuisance, providing for the abatement of the same and for the collection of the cost of abatement and imposing penalties."

House Bill No. 1455, file folio 2883, entitled: "An Act to amend the act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-seven) entitled 'An act requiring all counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities and incorporated districts to sell any bonds or other securities issued by them to the highest responsible bidder after due public notice' providing for private sales where no bids are received."

JOHN S. FISHER

ADJOURNMENT

IN MEMORY OF THE HONORABLE EDWARD E. BEIDLEMAN.

Mr. FOX. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn in memory of the late Honorable Edward E. Beidleman until Monday evening, April 15th, 1929, at 8.00 o'clock.

SAMUEL H. MILLER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 4.03 o'clock P. M. the House adjourned until Monday evening, April 15th, 1929, at 8.00 o'clock.

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SENATE.

MONDAY, April 15, 1929.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Our adorable Heavenly Father, we thank Thee that Thou hast graciously spared our lives until this evening, and dost permit us to enter upon the duties of the final week of our legislative session.

We pray that with courage we may face these duties and perform them to the best of our understanding and ability, with the light Thou has given us.

Bless all the departments of our government, and may they well serve the noble purposes for which they exist

For all these mercies we ask in Thy most Holy Name. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. WOODWARD, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. SCOTT asked and obtained leave of absence for the Senator from Franklin, Mr. Bonbrake, on account of illness.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. DAVIS, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1755, (House Bill No. 1768), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class.

Mr. BELL, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1673, (House Bill No. 391), entitled:

An act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

Mr. WOODWARD, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1351, (House Bill No. 1598), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporatoin of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" as amended, reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors, administrators, or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax.

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Finance, reported as Senate Bill No. 1570, (House Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, the judges of the Orphans' Courts, the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

Mr. WEINGARTNER, from the Committee on Corporations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1316, (House Bill No. 1745), entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or ates sewer ates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

Also, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1519, (House Bill No. 1464), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six, one thousand six hundred sixty-seven, one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction, opening, dedication and drainage of highways.

Mr. PAINTER, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1668, (House Bill No. 2081), entitled:

An act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Mr. BELL, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1634, (House Bill No. 2095), entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State Institutions.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1655, (House Bill No. 1925), entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

Also, from the Committee on Military Affairs, re-reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1234, (House Bill No. 1071), entitled:

An Act to amend section three as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1759, (House Bill No. 2012), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1618, (House Bill No. 1685), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating law relating thereto."

Also, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1691, (House Bill No. 1905), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law, to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed; providing for notice to owners, if known, and to the Department of Revenue; providing for the payment of charges of such seizure, advertising and sale, and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges, and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary Special, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1673, (House Bill No. 1916), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 782) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes

Mr. SORDONI, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1760, (House Bill No. 2013), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships; and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

Mr. EALY, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1639, (House Bill No. 324), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

Mr. PARKINSON, from the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1741, (House Bill No. 2030), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railways companies

Mr. GELDER, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1751, (House Bill No. 2100), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of the construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1753, (House Bill No. 1972), entitled:

An act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

Mr. KUNKLE, from the Committee on Federal Relations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1753, (House Bill No. 1473), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

Mr. FRAZIER, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1376, (House Bill No. 1144), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1332, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes.

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1649, (House Bill No. 1410), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline; providing for the management and control thereof, and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto.

Mr. KITTS, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1137, (House Bill No. 814), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto."

Also, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1666, (House Bill No. 2072), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committeee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1701, (House Bill No. 13), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to protect children and aged persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1702, (House Bill No. 165), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1703, (House Bill No. 338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1705, (House Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1707, (House Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1708, (House Bill No. 434), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrisen Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1709, (House Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1710, (House Bill No. 753), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1711, (House Bill No. 809), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1712, (House Bill No. 887), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1713, (House Bill No. 888), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1714, (House Bill No. 850), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1715, (House Bill No. 952), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1716, (House Bill No. 973), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1717, (House Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1718, (House Bill No. 1070), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1719, (House Bill No. 1123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1720, (House Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1721, (House Bill No. 1149), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1722, (House Bill No. 1170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1723, (House Bill No. 1172), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1725, (House Bill No. 1232), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1726, (House Bill No. 1353), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1727, (House Bill No. 1365), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1728, (House Bill No. 1429), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committe on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1730, (House Bill No. 1480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended Senate Bill No. 1731, (House Bill No. 1489), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1732, (House Bill No. 1507), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1733, (House Bill No. 1586), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1734, (House Bill No. 1591), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1737, (House Bill No. 1661), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1740, (House Bill No. 1927), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1742, (House Bill No. 2066), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1754, (House Bill No. 2296), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 327 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 327, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army, navy, marine corps, revenue cutter service, or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms, or while doing certain other things for personal profit, and fixing penalties.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were considered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 9, by inserting after the word "engaged" the words "for personal profit"; also page 2, line 10 by inserting after the word "court" the following:

"Provided however that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to any member of the United States Army Navy Marine Corps Revenue Cutter Service or Coast Guard or to any member of the National Guard while in service."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkin
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL NO. 835 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four, six, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five and twenty-six of the act, approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten), entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing, sparring, and wrestling matches and exhibitions; establishing a State Athletic Commission; making an appropriation therefor; and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes; and prescribing penalties."

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were considered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 6, page 6, line 10, by inserting after the word "be" the following: "recovered by the Attorney General in the name of the Commonwealth in the same manner as other penalties"; also section 9, page 7, line 21, by striking out the words "State Treasurer" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"; also line 25 by striking out after the word "be" the following: "set aside in a separate fund in the State Treasury and shall be used for the purposes set forth in section twenty-five of this act"; also line 28 by removing the brackets around the words "paid to the State Treasurer"; also section 11, page 8, line 13, by striking out the word "Special" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "General"; also by striking out the word "Appropriation"; also line 17 by striking out after the word "Revenue" the following: "who shall keep the moneys thus collected and all moneys received under provisions of section twenty-one of this act as a fund separate and apart for the payment under the supervision of the commission of the salaries and actual and necessary expenses of the officers and employes of the commission and for the payment of the"; also line 27 by striking out after the word "dollars" the following:

"Expenses and disbursements of the Pennsylvania Veterans Commission as may be authorized by law and for the establishment of a Veterans Relief Fund to be controlled and disbursed by said Pennsylvania Veterans Commission for the purpose of providing the necessities of life for such Pennsylvania Veterans of the World War or of any other war or the widows and infant children of such veterans as are sick disabled or indigent and who are without means to pay for said necessities or for proper care All moneys in such fund from time to time are hereby specifically appropriated for the use of the commission and for the"; also page 10, line 5, by striking out after the word "State" the following: "use of the Pennsylvania Veterans Commission as aforesaid The Auditor General shall upon requisition from time to time of the commission or the Adjutant General for the Pennsylvania Veterans Commission and the proper accounting for moneys already advanced from the Fund drawn his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the amount specified in such requisition not exceeding however the amounts in such fund available for the purposes before specified at the time such requisition is made.".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—47.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,	

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 993, (Senate Bill No. 1764), entitled:

An act to amend sections six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examinations suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

Which was committed to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. NORTON, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1764, (House Bill No. 993), entitled:

An act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyd associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1656, (House Bill No. 1931), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be

published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 2061), entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1688, (House Bill No. 1884), entitled:

An act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporatd towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948), entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1678, (House Bill No. 1183), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

Mr. GELDER, from the committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1681, (House Bill No. 1583), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1112, (House Bill No. 1184), entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of nonresidents and to make uniform the laws of the State, with reference thereto.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1647, (House Bill No. 1379), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1660, (House Bill No. 2002), entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1646, (House Bill No. 1378), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1663, (House Bill No. 2058), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1684, (House Bill No. 1813), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 843) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for noncompliance therewith."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1634, (House Bill No. 2059), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1387, (House Bill No. 1870), entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised

Also, from the committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1687, (House Bill No. 1879), entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1743, (House Bill No. 2074), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1113, (House Bill No. 1104), entitled:

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act pro-

viding for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1744, (House Bill No. 2077), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1648, (House Bill No. 1380), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1590, (House Bill No. 1889), entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes.

BILL INTRODUCED

Mr. ARON read in his place and presented to the Chair Senate Bill No. 1765, entitled:

An act to require the owner of each motor vehicle registered in pursuance of the laws of this State to provide as a prerequisite to the registration thereof, and to maintain during the entire period of such registration, a mean whereby such owner can and will respond in damages to the extent in this act provided in satisfaction of the legal liability of said owner and/or of the person operating said motor vehicle with the consent of said owner for injury (including death resulting therefrom) to person and/or damage to property resulting from the negligent maintenance, use, or operation of such motor vehicle within this Commonwealth, giving said owner the election of providing and maintaining such means of responding in damages either by filing an insurance policy or policies or a certificate or surety bond, or by satisfying the Secretary of Highways and/or his agent of the financial responsibility of such owner, aiding such owner in procuring and maintaining such insurance policy or polices or bonds, providing for issuance of certificates of compliance, and providing for penalties and for methods of enforcement.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 781.

Mr. FREEMAN offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 781, file folio 5523, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs.

Be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATES TO THE AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

Mr. WOODWARD offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows and referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two Senators, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two Members of the House, as delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvainia, to attend the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association. Said delegates shall make a full report of any action taken by said association to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thiry-one. The expenses of the said delegates in attending said meeting, shall be paid from an item inserted in the General Appropriation Law.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 380, as follows:

An Act to amend Rule Twenty-five of Article Twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Rule Twenty-five of Article Twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health and saftey of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

Rule Twenty-five In all gaseous and in all dry and dusty mines shot firers or other persons charging holes in any mines for blasting shall use incombustible material for tamping All holes before being fired shall be solidly tamped the full length of the hole Provided however That with the consent of the mine inspector "cushion" or "air" blasting shall be permitted

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,

Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 674, as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen to read as follows

Section 2519 The board of school directors in each school district of the second class shall also have power to levy a special library tax annually not exceeding one mills on the assessed value of taxable property in the district and to pay such library tax to the board of library directors for the purpose of assisting in the support maintenance and operation of any free public non-sectarian library which has been established and is being maintained in the municipality in which such school district is located

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I move that we give first consideration to the Senate Bills on third reading calendar for purpose of expediting their progress and preventing them from falling by the wayside.

Mr. FREEMAN. I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1157, as follows:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the laws concerning newspapers and relating to official publications legal advertising and legal notices in this Commonwealth are hereby codified revised amended and consolidated as follows

Section 2 This Act shall be known and cited as the "NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING ACT"

Section 3 The following words wherever used in the Acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth now in force or hereafter enacted shall have the following meanings

(1) "NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication bearing a title or name and conveying reading or pictorial intelligence of passing events local or general happenings printing regularly or irregularly editorial comment announcements miscellaneous reading matter commercial advertising classified advertising legal advertising and other notices and which has been issued in numbers of four or more pages at short intervals either daily twice or oftener each week or weekly continuously during a period of at least six months or as the successor of such a printed paper or publication issued during an immediate prior period of at least six months and which has been circulated and distributed from an established place of business to subscribers or readers without regard to number for a definite price or consideration either entered or entitled to be entered under the Postal Rules and Regulations as second class matter in the United States mails and subscribed for by readers at a fixed price for each copy or at a price fixed per annum Provided a newspaper may be either a daily newspaper weekly newspaper newspaper of general circulation official newspaper or a legal newspaper as defined by this act

(2) "DAILY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper regularly issued every day in the week either including or excluding Sundays and legal holidays

(3) "WEEKLY NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper issued at least once a week

(4) "NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION" means a newspaper issued daily or not less than once a week intended for general distribution and circulation and sold at fixed prices per copy per week per month or per annum to subscribers and readers without regard to business trade profession or class

(5) "OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER" means a newspaper designated by the Public Service Commission the Workmen's Compensation Board or any other state department commission board or officer for the publication of official notices or advertising or by a resolution or election by a Board of Di-

rectors or officers of any corporation or unincorporated association or by a Board of County Commissioners Board of Education Board of School Directors town township borough or city commissioners township supervisors or a newspaper designated by an ordinance or resolution of a township borough city or municipal council or city or county commissioners for the publication of notices and statements required by rule order resolution or ordinance of those lawfully constituted authorities who are specially empowered by statute or custom to elect or designate an official paper or publication for disseminating official and public intelligence among the people of a particular township town borough city county or municipality or a sub-division thereof of this Commonwealth

(6) "LEGAL NEWSPAPER" means "legal periodical" "official legal newspaper" or "official legal periodical" publishing legal intelligence as designated by a rule or rules of Court of any particular judicial district of this Commonwealth for the publication of legal advertisements and notices required by law rule order or decree of Court to be published in a legal newspaper legal periodical official legal newspaper or official legal periodical so designated by the rules of a Court of record

(7) "PERIODICAL" means a printed paper or publication issued in pamphlet or book form regardless of page size or number of pages at stated or regular intervals of more than one day between each issue containing either general class trade teachnical scientific serial articles or other reading matter advertising et cetera and entitled to be entered as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States

(8) "MAGAZINE" means and partakes of the nature of a periodical

(9) "CLASS MAGAZINE" or "CLASS NEWSPAPER" means a printed paper or publication containing class professional trade commercial technical scientific educational religious financial legal or other matter and intelligence intended to be disseminated exclusively among subscribers or readers concerned or interested in the subject matters published

(10) "JOURNAL" means either a newspaper daily newspaper weekly newspaper of general circulation legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper class newspaper periodical or magazine

(11) A printed paper or publication regardless of size contents or time of issue or number of copies issued distributed and circulated gratuitously is not a newspaper

(12) A printed paper or publication not entitled to be entered or which has been denied entry as second class matter in the United States mails under the Postal Rules and Regulations of the United States is not a newspaper

(13) "SUBSCRIBER" means a person or persons corporation association or society which buys or orders verbally or by written subscription or accepts upon delivery from the United States mails or a carrier issues or copies of any newspaper journal legal newspaper periodical or magazine

(14) "CARRIER" means a person persons partnership corporation or association engaged for hire in the delivery of newspapers periodicals or magazines

(15) "CIRCULATION" means the number of copies printed issued sold or subscribed for by the day week month or year at a particular price for each copy or for a series of issues over a definite period but does not include excepting copies exchanged for other newspapers or publications copies or issues circulated gratuitously among the people by any newspaper official newspaper legal newspaper official legal newspaper journal magazine or periodical

(16) "SAMPLE COPY" means a copy of a newspaper periodical or magazine distributed without charge or expense to prospective subscribers or advertisers in numbers limited by the United States postal rules and regulations governing second class mail matter

(17) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISING AND LEGAL ADVERTISING" means any advertisement notice statement report resolution ordinance or abstract of the same required by law rule order or decree of Court by resolution of any board of diectors stockholders or officers of any corpoation or unincorporated association or any board of county commissioners board of education board of school directors township supervisors borough council city commissioners or city council city manager or by the proclamation of any Sheriff Coroner Mayor Provost or Burgess to be printed and published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper a legal periodical an official newspaper or an official legal newspaper

(18) "ADVERTISEMENT" means a printed public notice relating to any matter authorized by any person corporation or association which is published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper legal newspaper legal periodical official newspaper official legal newspaper official legal periodical magazine or periodical and which may be required by law rule order or decree of Court or resolution of any corporation or unincorporated association or by ordinance of any municipality or sub-division thereof or by any state board commission board of education township borough city or county commissioners or any public officer

(19) "ADVERTISER" means any person persons partnership corporation society or association of persons who orders and directs a notice or advertisement to be printed or published in a newspaper periodical legal newspaper or magazine

(20) "OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication or statement or an abstract of a notice advertisement publication or statement required to be made by law rule order or decree of Court by any person persons corporation or unincorporated association or by any officer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or an official or the official of any private or public corporation or by a township borough city or county or a municipal sub-division thereof or in the conduct of the business of a private or public corporation or on the order of any official or the officials of any private or public corporation order of any officer of any political sub-division or municipality or in the performance of any official duty imposed by law rule order or decree of Court resolution or ordinance

(21) "LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT" means a notice advertisement publication statement or abstract of a notice advertisement publication or statement required by resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association municipality a municipal sub-division or ordinance of a municipality or by law or by rule order or decree of Court of competent jurisdiction to be published for a valuable consideration in either a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper official newspaper official legal newspaper or an official legal periodical

(22) "LEGAL NOTICE" when required to be printed or published means either a legal advertisement a legal notice or an official advertisement or an official legal notice

(23) "NOTICE" means a formal printed announcement transmitting intelligence information or warning to a particular person or generally to all persons who may read the same

(24) "PUBLICATION" means (a) the act of printing a notice advertisement or proclamation for the purpose of disseminating information to the people at large (b) a journal magazine newspaper legal newspaper or periodical

(25) "PROOF OF PUBLICATION" means a printed or written statement declaring the name of a newspaper of general circulation a legal newspaper a legal periodical official newspaper or official legal newspaper as defined by this Act of assembly its place of business when the same was established the date or duties and issue or issues in which a printed notice or publication appeared and to which is securely attached exactly as printed or published a copy of the official advertisement official notice legal notice or legal advertisement verified with a statement of the owner or publisher of such newspaper or periodical in which the official or legal advertisement or notice was published duly sworn to before a person authorized to administer oaths and also declaring that the affiant is not interested in the subject matter of the notice or advertising and that all of the allegations of the statement as to the time place and character of publication are true

(26) "NEWS" means narrative or recent intelligence disseminating current information as to local general or world-wide happenings concerning any person or persons matters or private or public interest or concerning any matters affecting the public welfare

(27) "READING MATTER" means news or other printed matter intended to be read as distinguished from intelligence notices announcements display advertising or advertising published for a compensation

(28) "COLUMN" means a single unit or upright section of the total height of the type printed page as separated from

the remainder of the page by a line rule or space and not less than ten ems pica in width

(29) "DISPLAY ADVERTISING" means intelligence made conspicuous and designated by either reading matter printed from various sizes kinds and styles of types or illustrations and printed or published for a compensation demanded or intended to be received from those interested in affected or served by the subject matter published

(30) "CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING" means intelligence or notices published and printed in small or inconspicuous type as advertising classed with similar notices of advertising and for which compensation is intended to be charged

(31) "RATE" means the price or sum fixed for printing and publishing either official legal or commercial advertising and may be either a price or sum fixed for a single reading line in a single column or for a space of the depth of one inch in a single column or it may mean the particular stated sums or prices fixed for printing and publishing official or legal advertising where the style and form does not vary except for the names and addresses of the interested parties such as notices of applications for charters of incorporation stockholders' meetings executors administrators auditors' notices sheriffs' proclamations in divorce register of wills' audit notices obituary or death notices et cetera

(32) "SPACE" means the length and breadth of a printed type page or any sub-division thereof intended to be used for either news or advertising matter of any kind

(33) "LINERS" means advertisements published as reading notices intelligence or announcements for which compensation is intended to be charged to those interested in the publication of the same

(34) "TYPE" means a piece of metal or wood from which either a letter figure or other character is impressed with ink upon paper

(35) "POINT" means a unit of measurement for determining the height of a type letter figure or other character or the width of a rule as heretofore generally known and fixed by general agreement of certain type founders and manufacturers at one hundred and thirty-eight ten-thousandths (.0138) of an inch in length

(36) "AGATE" means a type five and one-half (5½) type points in depth or height

(37) "NONPAREIL" means a type six (6) type points in depth or height

(38) "MINION" means a type seven (7) points in depth or height

(39) "BREVIER" means a type eight (8) type points in depth or height

(40) "BOURGEOIS" means a type nine (9) type points in depth or height

(41) "LONG PREMIER" means a type ten (10) type points in depth or height

(42) "SMALL PICA" means a type eleven (11) type points in depth or height

(43) "PICA" means a type twelve (12) type points in depth or height

(44) "EM" means a square of a type or a space equal to the square of the depth or height of a particular type as measured by the type's number of points in height

(45) "COLUMN RULE" means the printed line between or which separates the printed columns of any type page

(46) "ADVERTISING RULE" means the line between or which separates any two advertisements or notices

(47) "RESOLUTION" means a formal agreement or consent to do or not to do a certain thing which has been recorded upon the minutes or records of the Public Service Commission the State Board of Pardons or any state council state board or state commission or of the legislative or executive officers of any township borough city or county or sub-division thereof or by either the stockholders or board of directors of a corporation or by the members directors managers or trustees of an unincorporated association or society of individuals

(48) "ORDINANCE" means a municipal rule or regulation adopted in the manner required by the statutes of this Commonwealth by the lawfully constituted officers of any township borough city or county or subdivision thereof or any particular subdivision of this Commonwealth empowered to enact laws rules or regulations for the government of the inhabitants of a particular place

(49) "LAW" means an act of the General Assembly or an enactment entitled an ordinance resolution rule or regulation of any municipality township borough city or county or subdivision thereof

(50) "RULE" means any formal order or direction made by the properly constituted authorities of any municipality or by any Court of Record

(51) "DECREE" means a decision judgment order or sentence of any Court of Record

(52) "COURT" means a court of tribunal of record established for the public administration of justice under the provisions of the Constitution of Pennsylvania

Section 4 Whenever in any legal proceeding action at law or any other matter any notice or any advertising is required to be given by law rule order or decree of Court and discretion is vested by law in any Court to omit or dispense with the publication of any notice or advertisement the same shall not be dispensed with except when a special petition or motion praying for such dispensation be presented in open Court setting forth the reasons for not complying with the provisions of the law rule order or decree of Court requiring the particular notice or advertising and after hearing if the Court is satisfied that no interested person will be injured by omitting or dispensing with the notice or advertising or failure to receive notice of the subject matter of said proceeding or any other matter as contemplated by law an express order of Court setting forth the reason for dispensing with the notice or advertising may be made directing that such publication shall be dispensed with

Section 5 All official and legal advertising shall be charged for at an established or declared rate or price per single column line of reading matter measured in depth by the point system or at a rate or price per inch single column When such official and legal advertising is not classified and is not published according to prescribed or recognized forms and no rate has been established or declared such rate for official and legal advertising shall not be in excess of the rates usually charged or received by the newspaper publishing such official and legal advertising for commercial general or other advertising Provided where official and legal advertising is usually and ordinarily published according to recognized or prescribed forms or particular matters are itemized and classified under general headings this act should not be construed to prohibit the fixing of definite prices or sums for publishing official and legal advertising regardless of the number of single column lines or space required for each item notice or advertisement published in any separate matter or proceeding and regardless of rates established fixed charged or received for commercial general or other advertising The purpose of this provision is to enable newspapers to take into consideration as elements when fixing advertising rates or charges location of the advertisement in the newspaper the purpose to be served the character of the advertising and that a newspaper is entitled to compensation for its readiness at all times to render an advertising service

Section 6 All charges costs and expenses incurred including the fees for affidavits to proofs of publication for official and legal advertising in any matter action at law proceeding in Court or legal proceeding in any matter settlement of estates public sales of real estate by either sheriffs masters executors administrators trustees or other persons shall be taxable collectible and payable as other Court costs and expenses of administration are now required by law to be taxed collected and paid upon all judgments orders and decrees of Court Provided no action at law proceeding in Court settlement of estate sale or other matter in any legal proceeding shall be fully and finally determined until there has been filed of record in such matter or proceeding a receipt certifying that such advertising and publication charges have been paid the same as all Court and legal proceeding costs are now required to be paid

Section 7 No legal proceeding matter or case in which notice is required to be given by official or legal advertising shall be binding and effective upon any interested person party corporation association or society unless such official and legal advertising be printed and published in the newspapers of general circulation official newspapers and legal newspapers defined by this act and which have been established and published contiuously for at least six months in the proper county prior to such publication in the manner and as required by ex-

isting statutes and by Acts of Assembly hereafter enacted and by any rule order or decree of Court resolution of a corporation or unincorporated association or ordinance rule or regulation of any municipality state board state commission state official township borough city or county commissioners board of education or other public officer or public officers in the newspapers of general circulation official newspapers and legal newspapers defined by this Act of Assembly and a proof of publication as hereinbefore provided filed of record in such matter or proceeding

Section 8 All newspapers of general circulation official newspapers legal newspapers and legal periodicals accepting and publishing official and legal advertising are hereby required to fix and establish rates and charges for official legal and all other kinds of advertising offered or accepted for publication and such newspapers and periodicals shall furnish on demand to any person or persons having use for the same detailed schedules stating the rates and charges which shall be deemed to be in force and effect until changed or altered and when changed or altered such newspaper or periodical shall give the person persons corporation association municipality or municipalities or public officers authorized or required to publish advertising before demanding or receiving compensation at any increased rate notice that the rates and charges of such newspaper or periodical or advertising have been changed or abrogated and that increased advertising rates and charges have been established or fixed

Section 9 The provisions of this act are intended to be a comprehensive statute creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices official advertisements and advertisements as defined by this act or abstracts of any notice statement or advertisement required by law or rule order or decree of Court to be published in a newspaper defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as costs in all matters and proceedings and to establish a uniform method for determining the cost of legal advertising and legal notices where rates circulation of the particular publication size of columns or pages and kind or size of type used vary in newspapers of different localities in this Commonwealth

Section 10 The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The provisions of this act shall not affect any suit or action pending but the same shall and may be proceeded with and concluded under the laws in existence when such suit or action was instituted notwithstanding the provisions of this act "Provided that no advertising by any County City Borough or Township shall be required hereunder that is not required or is different from that required under existing law"

Section 11 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions hereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 12 All general acts and parts of general acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed but existing local or special Acts of Assembly shall not be repealed altered amended or affected

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 443, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE (SPECIAL ORDER).

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 9 on third reading special order for 9.45 this evening, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act," fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease, and the rate of said tax.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 9, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection threeof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease, and that the rate of said tax.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act each and every ton of anthracite coal of the weight of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds avoirdupois mined washed screened or otherwise prepared for market in this Commonwealth shall be made subject to a tax of one and one-half per centum (1½) to the thirty first day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine one per centum (1) for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty and one-half (½) of one per centum for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred thirty and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one of the value thereof when prepared for market which said tax shall be assessed at the time when said coal has been mined washed or screened and is ready for shipment or market After the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one no tax shall be assessed on anthracite coal under the provisions of this act saving to the Commonwealth however the right to collect thereafter all taxes imposed or due and owing under the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Senate, it seems to me that this measure and the other repeal bill are of enough importance to the members of this Senate to give a little time to the consideration of the condition that we shall be in if this bill is passed.

Perhaps it is not known by all that the anthracite tonnage tax carries the third largest revenue of any revenue measure that we have in Pennsylvania. The thought has come to me that the members of this Senate may be interested enough at this time to know something about the real condition that the State will be in if this tax is repealed.

It is not, Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Senate, my intention to try to influence the vote of any member of this body; but I do think it is only right that we should look for a moment to the financial structure of our State, so that we may know what will happen if this tax is repealed; and it has occurred to me, in this connection, that it would not be out of place to study, for a short time, the report of the Committee on Ways and Means of the House. This committee has gone into a lot of detail, in co-operation with the Governor's budget officer, in ascertaining just where we shall be if this tax legislation is repealed; and I am going to take the liberty of reading from this report, which I believe gives as true a picture of our finances as can be ascertained by budget officers and experts in looking up the condition of our State. If it takes a few minutes, I trust you will bear with me as I read from the report.

REPORT OF WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE OF HOUSE OF REURESENTATIVES, SESSION 1929, ON REVENUES AND APPROPRIATION LIABILITIES FOR BIENNIUM JUNE 1, 1929—MAY 31, 1931.

The Chief Executive of the Commonwealth on January 21st last, submitted to the Legislature, pursuant to law, a comprehensive and balanced budget for the biennium beginning June 1st next. The budget figures relating to anticipated revenues were obtained from the fiscal officers and the heads of the departments, boards and commissions, as well as from actual records in the several departments of the Commonwealth. The estimates were made by the budget secretary in the light of available information and from revenue receipts experienced in previous years. The accuracy of these estimates naturally depends in part upon the degree of conservatism exercised by the budget secretary. The appropriation liabilities of the State, on the other hand, were ascertained and determined by the budget secretary from the very best sources available at the time when the budget was prepared.

The Executive Budget speaks as of the date when it was submitted to the Legislature, although the collection figures contained therein are as of December 1, 1928. More than four months have since passed. In that time, new developments have occurred. Conditions have changed. Additional fact information has been made available. Too much commendation cannot be given to the quality and value of the information contained in the Executive Budget. Nothing that I may herein say should be construed to impugn or reflect upon its accuracy. The report which I now submit, if accepted, will doubtless paint an altogether different picture of the present financial condition of the Commonwealth, than was portrayed in the Executive Budget.

The Ways and Means Committee, probably for the first time in the history of the Commonwealth, has used the Executive Budget for the purpose for which it was actually intended—namely, organized Legislative study—as a guide for deeper and more profound research by the Legislature into the General Fund finances of the State. Accordingly, since the early days of this session, that study has gone on through the wholehearted co-operation of my colleagues of the committee, to whom I now make public acknowledgment of gratitude. These men have, from time to time, met and conferred with the fiscal officers and department heads of the State; they have searched deeply into the statements made to them by the fiscal officers and department heads; they have frequently conferred with the budget secretary, who on his own account has had under consideration the revision of appropriation recommendations in the light of later information; they have carefully analyzed the figures of the budget; they have on many occasions met together to consider and study profoundly the result of their labors and to reconcile the data on hand. It is the report of this research that I now ask the privilege to present to you in order that you, as members of the General Assembly, may more intelligently pass on the bills relating to appropriation and revenue that will, in the closing days of the session, come before you; and also that you, as the Legislative branch of the State Government, through this report, if it is accepted by you, may

place before the Governor information and data that will greatly assist him in his consideration of the appropriation and revenue measures which will lie upon his desk after we have gone home.

We will first consider the subject of revenue:—

The initial figure to be ascertained is how much, if any, surplus will we have in the treasury on May 31, 1929.

According to the records in the office of the State Treasurer, the cash balance on March 1, 1929, was $30,885,009. Based upon collections of revenue for the period March 1st to May 31, 1929, in two preceding years, the estimated revenue for the period, March 1, 1929 to May 31, 1929, is $20,876,877. To the total of these sums should be added surplus estimated to be transferred from departments, boards and commissions under the Department of Welfare to the General Fund (page 42, Schedule L of the Executive Budget), $980,803, thus making a total in the treasury on May 31, 1929, of $52,742,692. This sum, however, is encumbered by appropriation liabilities as of March 1, 1929, in the sum of $33,710,930, less the amount thereof estimated to lapse of $4,500,000 (Executive Budget page 34, Schedule G), or a net appropriation liability of $29,210,930, after the payment of which, there will remain in the treasury, as of June 1, 1929, the net sum of surplus of $23,531,762. This figure is in agreement with the Executive Budget (page 24) and the adjustments thereof made by the budget secretary.

With this sum we begin the next biennium of June 1, 1929. This brings us then to the question—how much money will we received in the two-year period beginning on that date, from sources available under the law for General Fund purposes. On this item, we differ materially from the estimate stated in the Executive Budget (page 24, Schedule A). There it is stated that the estimated revenues available for General Fund purposes for the next biennium are $144,126,000. Your Committee firmly believes that this sum is far too conservative an estimate for the following special reason. In the biennium ending May 31, 1929, the actual and estimated collections from county officers (which collections comprise almost entirely inheritance taxes) will be slightly over $42,000,000. Whereas, for the coming biennium, the figure used for this item (Executive Budget page 130) is $39,500,000—a difference of $2,500,000. This cut or reduction is not justified. It is submitted in support of this conclusion, first, that the adult mortality in the next biennium will be at least as great as in the present biennium, and it is further submitted in support of the conclusion, that the per capita wealth of those persons who will die in the next biennium will be no less than the per capita wealth of those persons who died during the present biennium. It may be reasonably expected on the contrary, on account of the sharp advance in the value of securities, that the per capita wealth of such persons will be substantially increased. A responsible authority states that from the returns of income to the Federal government for income tax purposes, it is shown that the per capita wealth for this State and the country is on a sharp upward trend. The very great increase in receipts of income tax payments made to the government on March 15th last, proves this fact beyond contradiction.

Your committee believes that it would be justified in anticipating revenues from this source, even in excess of the sum received by the State in the present biennium. However, for the sake of safety, it submits an adjustment of the budget secretary's figure on this item by adding thereto the sum of $3,149,103, making thus available $147,275,103. A further adjustment of this figure, however, is found necessary on account of required deductions for anthracite coal tax and interest in the sum of $300,000. This will leave us with a revised estimate of revenue available for General Fund purposes in the sum of $146,975,163, which sum represents the net estimated revenue of the Commonwealth available for General Fund purposes in the next biennium. To this sum must be added the surplus $23,531,762, with which we begin the biennium. In this manner, the grand total anticipated net revenues for General Fund purposes, will be $170,506,925, which sum is in round figures about $3,000,000 in excess of the corresponding item set forth in the Executive Budget (page 131).

The announcement of this sum must not be accepted as encouragement to those of you who are interested in securing certain appropriations for institutions in your districts, or to those of you who are urging the enactment of measures the effect of which will be to reduce the revenues of the Commonwealth. The committee has put its proverbial "best foot forward" in placing the consideration and discussion of revenues in this report ahead of appropriation liabilities. Even with this greater amount of revenue, the committee deems it its duty to warn against "raiding the treasury." The greatest care and the profoundest judgment must be given to appropriation and revenue reducing legislation. This warning is given because in the study of the recommended appropriations in the Executive Budget (page 40) we find many items not there included, although the amounts thereof are actually required by mandate of law and or are necessary to the ordinary operations of the State Government. These extra appropriation items are enumerated and explained as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION	
For teachers' salary, teachers' retirement, transportation of pupils and consolidation of schools ..	$4,900,000
DEPARTMENT OF PROPERTY AND SUPPLIES	
Under provisions of amended administrative code; organization of central purchasing department ...	1,000,000
DEARTMENT OF REVENUE	
For organization and establishment (approximately)	1,500,000
STATE-AIDED HOSPITALS AND STATE-OWNED MENTAL INSTITUTIONS	
For normal expansion of operation, free bed services and temporary buildings	1,000,000
BOARD OF FINANCE AND REVENUE	50,000
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY	24,000
TOTAL.....	$8,474,000

And for less mandatory appropriations yet none the less required for efficacious operations and expansion of the business of the Commonwealth, the following:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT	
On account of normal increase due to ordinary expansions	$1,000,000
ADDITIONAL HOSPITAL AND OTHER INSTITUTIONAL DEFICIENCIES	300,000
JUDICIARY	728,000
TOTAL	$2,028,000

The expenditure of these sums it must be borne in mind, is almost entirely required by mandate of existing laws. To the total thereof—$10,502,000 must be added the sum of $167,666,302, which is the appropriation budget recommendation, including actual and estimated deficits, or a grand total of appropriations in the sum of $178,168,302.

Pausing here to take account of the situation thus far described, we find that against the total of estimated revenues available for General Fund appropriations, in the amount of $170,506,925, we shall have, by mandatory laws, obligated the Commonwealth to the payment of $178,168,302. This indicates a deficit in the treasury of the Commonwealth of $7,661,377.

Your committee believes that a normal increase in the revenues of the Commonwealth may be reasonably expected from all sources in the next biennium, but it is equally certain that such increase will not nearly equal the deficit just stated.

Anthracite coal tax measures pending in the Senate and House must also at this time have our consideration. According to the Executive Budget, the anticipated revenue from this source in the next biennium will be $12,500,000. If the coal tax law is repealed at once the Commonwealth will face an indicated deficit at the end of the next biennium of about $20,161,377.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I shall be very glad to answer any interrogation.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I would like to ask the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, if this bill does take away the tax at once.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, these figures I am giving now show what the deficit will be if the tax is taken away at once; and they also show what it will be if only $250,000 is taken away at this time and the remainder under the graduated repeal. The figures will be given in both cases, and I am speaking, Mr. President, in regard to both these measures.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, the Senator does not seem to understand my question. He says this bill would take the tax away at once. I would like to have him tell the Senate again whether it takes the tax away in two years or one year.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, these figures,—one set of them will apply if the tax is taken away in one year; and this set appears in the report, and another set will apply if the tax is taken off at once. Does that answer the question of the Senator from Lackawanna, Mr. Davis?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, it does.

Mr. BALDWIN. On the other hand, if the anthracite coal tax law is repealed under the Heaton Bill, the loss of revenue to the Commonwealth from this source will be $6,250,000 in the next biennium, and the indicated deficit will then be $13,911,377.

The reference in this report to pending revenue reducing measures are made impartially. The committee does not mean thereby to be considered favoring or opposing such legislation. This report is made for information only.

Your attention is further directed to the subject of additional financial aid required for capital expenditures by State-owned institutions. Although the Executive Budget allows for this item, a very sizable sum, it is strenuously urged by those interested in these institutions, that the amount so allowed is much less than is actually required to place them is such a position as will do credit to the Commonwealth.

State aided hospials also deserve your notice. These institutions are justly entitled to greater financial assistance from the Commonwealth

During every session of the Legislature, the revenue receipts and the appropriation liabilities of the State are brought further apart through the enactment of laws, the final effect of which cannot be determined until a long time after their passage. In fact, the result of such legislation is often not felt or noticed until the close of the biennium or even later. In respect to such legislation this session will be no different from others that have gone before.

It becomes necessary in the opinion of the Ways and Means Committee to remind you again that you must not, in view of this report on the anticipated revenues and appropriation liabilities, place this administration in a position of embarassment. This session of the Legislature must not be remembered by a deficit handed over by it to its successors.

Your committee believes that in addition to the anticipated revenue hereinbefore considered, the Commonwealth might receive for General Fund purposes, beginning with the next biennuim, the annual sum of $2,350,000, or in the biennium, $4,700,000, from an entirely new source not considered or mentioned in the Executive Budget. This revenue might be expected to continue only so long as the Federal Estates Tax Act of 1926 remains unchanged. However, owing to usual delays in the appraisment and settlement of Federal Estate Taxes and the ability of the estates to pay the tax promptly, (because the amount of the tax generally involves large sums), we are of the opinion that this estimated increase in revenue in the net biennium should be reduced to $3,000,000.

In fairness to the Chief Executive and his budget secretary it must be pointed out here that this revenue could not have been included in the Executive Budget since at the time when it was prepared the information relating thereto was neither in existence nor even remotely to be anticipated.

The revenue thus referred to may come to the Commonwealth from inheritance tax payment made under the provisions of and through the operation of the United States Revenue Act of 1926, and the Act of May 7, 1927, P. L. 359, supplementing the Inheritance Tax Act of 1919, P. L. 921. The constitutionality of the 1927 act remained in doubt until last Monday when the Chief Justice of our Supreme Court, in a well considered and profoundly reasoned opinion, upheld that act in affirming the decision of the Orphans' Court of Philadelphia county in the estate of Emma C. Knowles.

The Federal Government, by the Revenue Act of 1926, has declared it to be the national policy that the net value of all estates in excess of $100,000 (that amount being exempt; Section 303 (a) 4-44 Stat. 72 U. S. C. A., Tit. 26, Sec. 1095) shall, before distribution to the persons entitled thereto, be reduced by certain percentages progressively levied as succession taxes, but it is willing that the several states should indirectly profit by this system. To that end the Federal statute, in effect, provides that in all instances where the State imposes inheritance taxes the Federal Government will allow to those paying such local inheritance taxes the amount thereof up to a sum equal to eighty per cent. of its own inheritance taxes, retaining the right to collect only so much of the Federal tax as may exceed the sum thus relinquished. This is a method of distributing to the several states moneys collectable by the National Government from their taxables, and the provision in question is not intended to either burden or benefit the taxpayer. Wherever the State does not see fit to take advantage of the situation thus created, the National Government will collect the entire 100% of its assessed Federal inheritance taxes. When this Federal Revenue Act, with its extraordinary provisions which gives the States an opportunity to increase their own revenue—without cost

to those who pay the taxes—by passing legislation pursuant to it, became effective the Legislature of Pennsylvania, to avail the Commonwealth of the provision in question, supplemented the Inheritance Tax Act of June 20, 1919, P. L. 521, by the act of May 7, 1927, P. L. 859. The constitutionality of the latter statute having thus been sustained, the Commonwealth may with reasonable certainty expect to receive revenues from this source.

Realizing the very great importance of this decision to the Commonwealth, your committee many weeks ago began a study of the records in the office of the Auditor General relating to estates to which the act of 1927 would be applicable. Careful computations were made of the revenue that the Commonwealth would have received from this source for a period of five years ending 1928, and from this result an average annual return was ascertained.

Through the receipt of this revenue, the deficit first discussed will thus be reduced from $7,661,377 to $4,661,377. This figure does not, however, include the added burden that will be imposed upon the treasury through the enactment into law of the pending measures already mentioned. If these bills become law, the situation will be as follows:

Indicated deficit	$4,661,377
Loss of Revenue by repeal of anthracite coal tax act (Jones Bill)	12,500,000
Deficit	$17,161,377
or if the coal tax act is repealed by the Heaton Bill, which will cause a loss of revenue of	6,250,000
the deficit will then be	$10,911,377

The anticipated revenue for the next biennium may be further increased by the provisions of the act, of 1927 (supra) on account of inheritance taxes which will be claimed by the State from the estates of Rodman Wanamaker and Philip S. Dupont.

There may become due the Commonwealth from these estates, in addition to the usual tax, the following sums: from the Wanamaker estate $6,510,000 and from the Dupont estate about $400,000 or a total of $6,910,000. Although the parties interested in the first mentioned estate may, because of the very great sum involved, resist the payment by litigation, it is believed that the Commonwealth will ultimately be awarded the sum claimed. Delays in litigation may, however, postpone the date of payment beyond the close of the biennium under consideration. Assuming that the payment will be made during the next biennium, the deficit of $17,166,377 will be adjusted to $10,251,377; and the alternative deficit of $10,911,377 will be adjusted to $4,001,377.

Your committee believes itself obligated to State finally (notwithstanding the lengthy discussion of anticipated new revenue under Act of 1927 and Federal Estate Acts),—to point to you and the Chief Executive that this matter is still open and subject to further litigation, the result of which might ultimately deprive the Commonwealth of the revenue anticipated from this source.

March 29, 1929.

ESTIMATED REVENUE AND SURPLUS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION BIENNIUM 1929-31.

REVENUES		
Cash balance, June 1, 1927,		$20,972,351
Actual revenue, June 1, 1927 to Nov. 30, 1928	116,369,239	
Estimated revenue, Dec. 1, 1928 to May 31, 1929	36,700,000	
Institutional surplus to be transferred to General Fund	980,807	
Total revenue and cash balance		$175,022,397
Receipts available for special purposes, June 1, 1927 to Nov. 30, 1928	1,006,304	
Dec. 1, 1928 to May 31, 1929	721,947	
Total		1,728,251
Total receipts and cash balance		176,750,648
Actual expenditures, June 1, 1927 to Nov. 30, 1928	103,675,753	
Appropriation liability as of Nov. 30, 1928	53,105,963	
Estimated liability for special receipts, Dec. 1, 1928 to May 31, 1929	721,947	
Total expenditures and liabilities	157,703,663	
Less liabilities estimated to lapse	4,500,000	
Net expenditures and liabilities		153,203,663
Estimated cash balance, June 1, 1929		23,546,985
Less special appropriation by 1929 Legislature and minor adjustments		15,223
Net estimated cash balance, June 1, 1929		23,531,732
Budget estimate of revenue available for appropriation, biennium 1929-31	144,126,000	
Add inheritance tax correction	3,149,163	
Total	147,275,163	
Deduct anthracite coal tax and interest corrections	300,000	
Net revenue available for appropriation (revised estimate)		146,975,163
Total available revenue and cash balance		170,506,925
Deduct anthracite coal tax (2 years) if repealed		12,500,000
Net available revenue and cash balance, if anthracite coal tax is repealed		158,006,925
APPROPRIATIONS		
Budget recommendations, including actual and estimated deficiencies		167,636,302
Mandatory increases:		
Dept. of Public Instruction	4,900,000	
Dept. of Labor and Industry	24,000	
Dept. of Revenue (approximate only)	1,500,000	
Board of Finance and Revenue	50,000	
Dept. of Property and Supplies	1,000,000	
State-aided hospitals	500,000	
Mental hospitals	500,000	
Total mandatory increases		8,474,000
Additional appropriations to Departments		1,000,000
Additional deficiencies		300,000
Judges salary bill		
Total estimated appropriations, 1929-31		178,138,302
Net available revenue (if anthracite coal tax is repealed)		158,006,925
Indicated deficit		20,161,377

March 26, 1929.

MEMORANDUM SHOWING ADDITIONAL REVENUE THAT MAY BE EXPECTED IN BIENNIUM 1929-31 UNDER THE 80 PER CENT. PROVISIONS OF THE FEDERAL ESTATE TAX LAW.

A comprehensive and detailed investigation of all estates of $500,000 or over during the five-year period 1924 to 1928, inclusive, has been made in order to determine what additional revenue may be expected during the biennium 1929-31, under the 80 per cent. provision of the Federal Estate Tax Law, on the basis of past experience. The complete computations are set forth in separate tables but the summarized results are as follows:

Additional annual revenue from	
Allegheny County (4 year basis)	$503,419.59
Chester County (4 year basis)	18,701.37
Montgomery County (4 year basis)	360,530.43
All other counties (5 year basis)	1,465,493.77
Total (annual)	$2,353,145.19
Total for biennium	4,706,290.38

The above figures exclude the Rodman Wanamaker estate, which will yield approximately the following additional revenue:

Pennsylvania tax at 2% (on $52,000,000)	$1,040,000
Pennsylvania tax at 10% (on $2,100,000)	210,000
Total inheritance taxes payable in Pa.	1,250,000
Federal estate tax on Wanamaker Estate	9,700,000
80% of Federal tax	7,760,000
Less taxes in Pennsylvania	1,250,000
Additional revenue on Wanamaker Estate	6,510,000

If the above taxes on the Wanamaker Estate are paid during the biennium 1929-31, as they should be, the total additional revenue to be expected during the biennium 1929-31 may be set down as follows

Rodman Wanamaker Estate	$6,510,000
Philip S. Dupont Estate ($300,000 to $300,000 additional)—approximately	400,000
All other estates, approximately	4,700,000
Total	$11,610,000

Gentlemen, we are reminded that four years ago this body passed resolutions requiring bond issues in the amount of $133,000,000. Two years ago those of the Senators who are here now voted for resolutions again providing for bond issues in the amount of $133,000,000. Those bond issues, as you all know, were to comprise appropriations to the Welfare Department, in the amount of $50,000,000, the Forestry Department, in the amount of $25,000,000, the Highway Department in the amount of $50,000,000, to State College, in the amount of $8,000,000, and to armories, in the amount of $5,000,000.

Four years ago, and again two years ago, we, as members of this Legislature, thought that it was necessary to bond the State in these amounts. Last fall, previous to the November election, you know that the word went around that we would have funds enough, we did not need these bond issues; that we could adequately and completely finance these worthwhile objects without bond issue. And I want to say in this connection, Mr. President, that I have stood here always, since the first two bond issues for road purposes were passed, and have opposed the State of Pennsylvania's bonding itself for further money, believing that our State was great enough and resourceful enough to adopt the method of paying as we go. I have not changed my mind in that regard, but I ask you gentlemen of the Senate—after we have said to these people that no bond issue was needed, and that these worthwhile objects were taken care of, not half way but completely, adequately, as much so as they would have been if bond issues had been passed,—if it is not our business to see that they are taken care of.

We are discussing here to-night the repeal of revenues of this Commonwealth. We are advocating the repeal of the anthracite tonnage tax; and, as I have said, this tax provides the third largest source of revenue in our Commonwealth. You have your capital stock tax; you have your inheritance tax; and you have your coal tax,—the three largest sources of revenue.

Mr. President, I am opposed to all taxes. If I could do it, I would amend this bill,—if I had not the interest of the State at heart—and I would repeal the anthracite coal tax, I would repeal the inheritance tax, I would repeal—on Senator Woodward's account—the four mill personal property tax; I would repeal all these objectionable taxes. My experience has been that I do not like taxes at all. It has been my misfortune for a good many years to spend two or three months before taxpaying time getting together enough money to pay my tax and take my discount. So, I am speaking to you as one who is opposed to all taxes,—except for the one condition: that we cannot handle this State of ours without revenue; and it is for the good that comes from it, the necessity of having the taxes, that I am supporting them.

Mr. President, it seems to me that there is some inconsistency in asking for the repeal of a tax that brings in $12,500,000 of revenue,—and mind you I do not care whether it is repealed by the Heaton Bill or by the Jones bill, you are only prolonging the agony; repeal it all at once and get rid of it as soon as you can; but it comes to me that we have to meet the situation.

A few years ago there was a candidate who came into this State and made his campaign on the fact that the State was bankrupt, that we had a deficit, that we were not able to pay our bills; and I say to the gentlemen of this Senate that I do not want to see again such a condition that some candidate will come in and have to make a campaign upon a deficit. It does not seem to me that we should invite that thing; but it is liable to come if we do not look out.

I am no prophet,—I do not stand as any such thing; but my guess is that when the Legislature convenes here two years from now and four years from now there will be the greatest jam you ever saw for new revenue. I do not know where you are going to get it, where it will be placed easier than it is now, whether you will want a State tax on real estate, whether you will want an income tax or a tax on manufacturers; I do not know where you are going to turn.

It was my misfortune to be in here when we put on this anthracite coal tax; also when we put on the tax which Governor Brumbaugh approved with a great deal of regret, the inheritance tax. They are all burdensome, but I ask you, if we can repeal, without consideration, this tax that brings in revenue to the amount of $12,500,000, where are you going to suggest that the revenue is coming from when we meet again to provide revenue?

I just wanted to call your attention to what seems to me to be strange inconsistency,—that this Legislature of ours at the time when we are repealing $12,500,000 of revenue, will be raising the gasoline tax, raising the drivers' license fees, raising the licence fees on buses and trucks. Let me say to you that I am for that program,—for the very reason that it is producing something, it seems to me, that is worthwhile for this Commonwealth of ours.

My people back home are all opposed to this increase in the gasoline tax and all these others; but I forget about the fact of their opposition when I think of the great good that I consider it is going to do this Commonwealth.

And gentleman of this Senate, I forget about the coal industry, I forget about the oil industry, when I think what it means if these taxes are repealed.

I oppose the repeal of the anthracite tax because I believe this State needs that revenue in order to properly function.

Just a moment more. Some of my good friends from the anthracite section and some other places told you how burdensome this eight-cent tonnage tax is, how much of a nuisance tax it is, how much it has crippled the coal business. I do not know but what it has. But many times the thought has come to me,—and I know it has to others—whether the operators and the miners themselves were not responsible to some extent for the condition they are in there; whether the strikers did not teach the people to use substitutes—coke, oil, gas, electricity, soft coal and all those other things; whether they are not themselves to blame, I ask you again.

And I would like to carry out this comparison. How burdensome can 8c a ton be? That is a natural industrial tax placed locally on all these things,—the same as the oil industry has to contend with. Some think the oil industry is not taxed, that the gas industry is not taxed Let us take your figures just a moment. We say that beside paying on every barrel of oil your valuation has increased, and out of that you are paying State, county, school, road and the county for the poor fund, for all the taxes, the same as you do on coal land,—notice what we are doing: We are putting a 4 cent tax on gasoline. Suppose the retailer sells without the tax—

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, says we are imposing a tax of 4 cents on gasoline. Can he state that positively?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, we are proposing to make a tax of 4 cents a gallon. I just wanted to show where the burden is, for a moment. Four cents a gallon on gasoline that the retailer has paid 20 cents a gallon for. For one dollar he would have five gallons. Adding the tax of 4 cents a gallon, it would amount to 20 cents on one dollar's worth of gasoline. That would be 20 per cent. of what the retailer would be receiving for the gasoline.

On the other hand, in the coal industry, you are paying out a little over five mills on the dollar.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I would like to interrogate the gentleman from Potter, Mr. Baldwin.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, with very great pleasure.

Mr. GELDER. I would like to ask the gentleman from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, if we are imposing a tax on gasoline manufactured in Pennsylvania and sold in Pennsylvania, or whether we are imposing it on gasoline manufactured in Pennsylvania and sold outside of the State?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, the Senator from Susquehanna, Mr. Gelder, is misunderstanding the tax. As far as Pennsylvania is concerned our jurisdiction does not go outside of Pennsylvania, as the Senator must know. But in carrying out that comparison this is what you are doing in coal,—I want you to pay a little attention to this,—you are paying five mills on the dollar, whereas with a tax of 4 cents a gallon on gasoline you are paying 20 cents on the dollar, and that figures forty times as much on gasoline as on the coal. Figure it for yourselves, if you do not think it is so. Are we going to pay it?

Gentlemen of this Senate, I have not any interest in this matter except one, and that is, the interest of the State. I know what my people think back home of increased gasoline tax and all that kind of thing; but, as I say, I am forgetting about it except as to what it is going to bring to them, what it is going to accomplish and all that; and I cannot help thinking that when we attack this coal tax,—and let me call your attention further, on the coal tax we are shedding tears and saying our business is being ruined on account of this 8 cent coal tax, and yet about 80 per cent. of it is being paid outside of the State. Why should we shed tears for those outside of the State? Our industry is—

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, pardon me but since the anthracite tax has been put on we are sending only about 30 per cent. outside of the State, not 80.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I am not claiming to know the exact figures, but I think you will find out they are selling a great quantity of their coal outside of the State.

But you gentlemen of the Senate have borne patiently with me, and you know this situation just as well as I do; and, as I said in the beginning, I am not in here to attempt to influence any Senator in his vote; but I would like to have you see this situation, as I consider it, in its true light.

I know very well that if a deficit is created here we are going to have trouble in the future; and I say, further, that when this Legislature, on any measure—gentlemen, it is not only on this measure—when we pass out of this Senate any bill that has the approval of this Senate it shows that the Senate is in favor of it; and the Governor, on the other end of the Capitol has the right to say, as he does say, "The House and the Senate are for it." If we pass it we are approving it. And I want to be understood just in regard to one vote, and that vote is my own, which I want to cast in accordance with my best judgment and what I most earnestly consider to be to the best interest of this great Commonwealth of ours.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President and members of the Senate, I am a new member of this body, but I should like to answer, to the best of my ability, some of the statements—and misstatements, if I may be permitted to say such a thing, that have come from the Senator from Potter county, Mr. Baldwin. This is the first time I have been on my feet during my term as Senator, but I feel constrained to take the floor because of the vital importance of this Anthracite Coal Tax Repeal Bill to our community and, in fact, to the entire State

The repeal of the anthracite coal tax bears no relation to the proposed four-cent gasoline tax. The former, as you know, goes to the general fund, while the latter is purely for the Highway Department. Each is a separate and distinct tax, and belongs to its own department of our State Government.

The fact that such a large amount of Pennsylvania anthracite is shipped outside of our State naturally compels the people of other States to pay this tax; and while the amount of the tax on each tone is not so great as to be prohibitive, the natural resentment against what is referred to in other States as an "export tax," is such that in a number of States they have absolutely boycotted Pennsylvania anthracite coal. I have been told that in the State of Massachusetts they

passed a law—later declared unconstitutional—prohibiting the use of Pennsylvania anthracite coal in any public building in the state, due to this tax. The repeal of this tax will do away with the greatest piece of propaganda now being used by the manufacturers and dealers in anthracite substitutes.

As you all know, the anthracite coal tax was passed in 1921 as an emergency measure. At the time it was passed the cash balance of the Commonwealth was about $3,000. The last fiscal statement shows a cash balance in the State Treasury of approximately $35,000,000, indicating conclusively that the emergency no longer exists and that the tax should be repealed.

In further support of the contention that the State is well able to repeal this tax we have the anticipated increase of ordinary revenue and the tremendous increase in inheritance taxes and other items of income revealed during the present session of the Legislature.

The repeal of this tax is an economic necessity. When it was passed anthracite coal was considered a necessity, but today anthracite coal is in keen competition with other fuels, and the industry has undergone a serious depression during the last three years.

The normal production of anthracite coal is 80,000,000 tons per year. In 1926 there were 75,000,000 tons produced, in 1927 it dropped to 71,000,000 tons, and in 1928 it was only 63,000,000 tons. With this reduction in tonnage there has been withdrawn from the ordinary business channels of the district approximately $40,000,000,—this during the last two years, because of the current depression. The industry has failed to buy supplies, during the last two years, that would amount to $20,000,000.

This depression has been reflected throughout the entire State, but more especially in the eastern section, and particularly in Philadelphia. Local business of all kinds is materialy reduced in volume. Miners and their families are in distress. Real estate is at a standstill, and the whole economic structure of our community is topsy-turvy.

The people of the anthracite region are asking for this repeal because it means their economic preservation; and the great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania cannot afford to be charged, either directly or indirectly, with the hindering, retarding or ruining of the anthracite industry or any other industry within its borders.

Furthermore, this tax on anthracite, instead of producing a wholesome income to the State, is working the exact opposite. The money that the State receives through this tax is only a portion of the vast sum it would otherwise receive, through other taxes,—direct and indirect,—were the anthracite industry on the splendid basis of prosperity it once enjoyed. The tax can be repealed in view of the present balance in the treasury and the anticipated income, without any extra taxation whatsoever; the Governor has answered the statement of the Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House, and says he is prepared to give proper consideration to repeal and wants the bill to come to him.

Gentlemen of the Senate, this is a business proposition, not a matter of politics. At the present time we have an appropriation before this Senate of $4,000,000 for building a new Eastern Penitentiary. There is no question in my mind that this penitentiary is needed, but this State does not need it so badly that it must throttle our anthracite industry in order to raise the money for this purpose. Nor do we so badly need the $11,000,000 that have ben appropriated for new buildings at Harrisburg that we must throttle the anthracite industry in order to raise this amount.

The Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, says the people of our State refused to pass some bond issues. This is very true, but the people of our Commonwealth have no desire to have improvements in the State at large provided for at the cost of the annihilation of the anthracite industry,—an industry that at the present time has a capital investment of $950,000,000, employs more than 158,000 men, and that pays exactly 35 per cent. of its net income in taxes. And we need not talk about bond issues when we have ample funds before us.

Furthermore, gentlemen of the Senate, let me say to you that while you may think this tax is a trifling amount on each ton of coal, it is not the amount of tax that hurts, but it is the application of it in States other than Pennsylvania. You remember that the Revolutionary War was caused by an unjust tax on tea imposed by King George III of England; and it was the colonists living in Boston who took the law into their own hands and had the celebrated Boston Tea Party. The result of that tea party was the forming of a new nation, the United States of America.

And the same spirit that actuated the New England Colonists of that day now animates their descendants, so that, as I have said, Pennsylvania anthracite coal is discriminated against in that section due to this tax, which they consider unjust.

Gentlemen of the Senate, we cannot afford to throttle this great anthracite coal industry in Pennsylvania, nor the business that is dependent upon it; and I ask you, in all fairness, to vote for the passage of this repeal bill.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I dare say these men from the coal regions will be a little surprised to have someone from Philadelphia get up and speak in favor of the repeal, but I have somewhat of a selfish interest in the matter, myself. If the Senators who read their bibles will recall the 57th verse of the 13th chapter of St. Luke they will recall it is to the effect that a prophet is not without honor save in his own country; and when Senator Baldwin attempts to prophesy what is going to happen two years from now I am afraid that passage of the scripture may apply to him.

Now, I want to make a little prophecy myself. Figures are always dry, and I hate to have to refer to them; but I am going to just for a brief moment. Figures are also beautiful. If in need of a position, and if Mrs. Kyle, our City Statistician should lose her position or die, I think that with this gift at figures we might use the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, as our Statistician in Philadelphia.

My prophecy is that this alleged $13,000,000 deficit which is going to come by reason of the repeal of this coal tax will develop into a $21,000,000 surplus, such as we have had in this biennium. I do not think it is so much a question of the amount of the tax; it is, as the Senator from Luzerne, Mr. Sordoni, has said, the psychological effect of this tax.

I also want to quote just a few figures to show why we from Philadelphia are supporting this bill. In the first place, I am given to understand that

Products of the City of Philadelphia are sold and shipped into the ANTHRACITE REGIONS, annually, to the amount of	$101,000,000
Visitors from the ANTHRACITE REGIONS to Philadelphia by trains and automobiles spend in Philadelphia annually	10,000,000
Postal clearings from the ANTHRACITE REGIONS to Philadelphia amount annually to	12,000,000

The 176 banks in the ANTHRACITE REGIONS carry average daily deposits in the Philadelphia Banks of	31,475,312
The average yearly clearance to and from Anthracite Regions Banks to Philadelphia Banks is—I would ask Senator Baldwin to read these figures—it looks like two billion, eight hundred fourteen million, eight hundred thousand dollars	2,814,800,000

Therefore, anyone who has given study to the situation concerning the anthracite region realizes that if the City of Philadelphia is to continue to get this amount of business from that section we must have a healthy condition in the anthracite region, and I believe that the psychology of the repeal of this tax will help a whole lot.

The one personal, selfish interest I have is this: Mrs. Frazier is always complaining about a smudge on her nose when she goes out. There is an oil burner just above us, on Pine Street; and I am afraid that we who live on Pine Street are going to continue to have oil smudges if we do not help the anthracite district. I understand there is to be an oil burner installed to the east of us also, and pretty soon Mrs. Frazier will not be able to get out of the house. Therefore, I am going to vote for this bill.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I hope this discussion will not develop into a filibuster. The gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Sterling, who is chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means in the House, devoted a lot of time, and I think, went to a lot of expense to get that statement that Senator Baldwin has read to us to-night. I, too, can read volumes; but the time is getting late and we have a calendar of 48 pages, and I will try to be as brief as possible.

The only argument against the repeal of the anthracite tax—in 1923, in 1925 and in 1927—has been that the State needed the revenue during this period the State has passed from financial stringency to financial abundance, due to wise, economical administration of public affairs, the efficiency of the fiscal officers for the State on the eve of the meeting of the General Assembly in 1929 the State Treasurer, who was Auditor General for four years, and State Treasurer almost an equal time, and is therefore qualified to speak with peculiar authority on this subject, made the following statement:

"At the expiration of eight years' service, four years as Auditor General and a trifle less than four years as State Treasurer, I cannot help contrasting the financial condition of the Commonwealth with that of seven years ago. On August 1, 1922, we had slightly more than $300,000 in the General Fund, with more than $18,000,000 of unpaid bills. Tomorrow (that means to-day) the Legislature meets with all current bills paid and a balance in the Treasury of approximately $35,000,000."

He refers also to the balance in the General Fund of the State at the end of each fiscal year of the last decade, as follows: 1919, $5,000,000; 1920, $2,000,000; 1921, $8,000,000. This is the year that Governor Sproul needed the money to pay the extra amount of money on account of the Edmonds Bill, to pay the school teachers. 1922, $233,000; 1923, $31,000; 1924, $3,300,000; 1925, $4,600,000; 1926, $12,723,000; 1927, $20,972,000. At the end of the fiscal year, May 31, 1928, $35,366,000.

Why can we not repeal this tax? I can go on and give you more figures. One of the foremost organizations, civic organizations, in Pennsylvania is the Pennsylvania Chamber of Commerce. At a regular meeting on January 31, 1929, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, The stringency in State finances no longer exists which led to the imposition of the State tonnage tax on anthracite coal and blocked the efforts for its repeal; and

Whereas, The Commonwealth can now spare the proceeds of this tax without substituting some other source of revenue, provided due restraint is shown in appropriating the treasury surplus and prospective increases in State revenues; and

Whereas, The physical effect of the tax is to curtail the consumption of anthracite coal in out-of-the-state markets where the levy is regarded as an export tax selfishly imposed for the benefit of general government in Pennsylvania; and

Whereas, The anthracite industry in Pennsylvania, which is a basic one, not only bears a very heavy burden of State and local taxes, but is the only natural resource industry of the state paying a severance tax, therefore be it

Resolved, That the State Chamber of Commerce in annual convention assembled favors repeal by the 1929 legislature of the 1½ per cent, advalorem state tax on anthracite coal."

Mr. President, in conclusion I ask that the Senate vote unanimously for this Senate Bill No. 9.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I have been elected a member of the Senate Anthracite Coal Club, and they will allow me four minutes,—well, three minutes. If you ask the Auditor General what industries are most backward in paying their taxes he will tell you it is the coal industry,—not because they are worse than other corporations but because they are hard up.

If you will look at Section 1 of Article IX of the Constitution of Pennsylvania you will find "All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, * * *" As a matter of fact, they are very far from uniform. The ratio of net profits in relation to the tax is from 33 per cent, where they pay one-third the amount of net profits in taxes, to 2 per cent.—paid by the newspapers, with manufacturers paying 5 per cent. and the other corporations 9 per cent. As against that you have over 33 per cent. from the anthracite tax; and therefore it is easy enough to prove that anthracite has been made the goat.

In this biennium we are appropriating $6,000,000 to State-aid hospitals. That is, if not exactly the same, pretty nearly the same that the State will lose by the Heaton Bill, $6,000,000. Whatever your opinions may be as to State-aid institutions—hospitals—my personal opinion is that is is a mistake to collect money from the anthracite coal industry and pay it over to State-aid hospitals to the amount of six millions of dollars.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—44.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baumer,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Roberts,
Bell,	Einstein,	Krause,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—5.

Baldwin,	Kunkle,	Lamb,	Quigley,
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A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 47, on third reading, entitled:

An act to repeal sections one and three of an act approved the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred and fifty-two), entitled, "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine, five hundred and eleven, five hundred and twelve, seven hundred and nine, and seven hundred and twenty, and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and fifty-nine), entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto'."

be recommitted to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. APPLE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bil No. 74, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 824), entitled "An act exempting in certain cases the net proceeds of life insurance policies or annuities from the claims of creditors"

be recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. APPLE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 75, on third reading, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 103), entitled "An act relating to policies of life insurance and annuities"

be recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 78, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a joint legislative committee to investigate and report upon the conduct, operation, management and administration of building and loan associations; defining the duties of said committee and making an appropriation to meet its expenses.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—1.

Baumer.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 107, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 719), enttled "An act regulating certain political parties; providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices, the election of delegates and alternate delegates to National party conventions, and of certain party officers, including State committeemen; a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States; and the payment by the several counties, and their reimbursement by the State, of the expenses of the same; authorizing the State committee of a political party to make, and to alter, amend, and revoke, rules; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein; and repealing inconsistent legislation;" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 108, entitled:

An Act permitting any citizen to inspect certain election records and obtain certified copies thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 422, entitled:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Luzerne, and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. EINSTEIN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 505, on third reading, entitled:

An Act regulating the compounding, dispensing and preparation of drugs, medicines or poisons; providing for the enforcement thereof, and providing penalties.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 714, on third reading, entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of of such lands for taxes," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1035, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments, or other questions, are submitted to the vote of the people.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof

the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other building devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1135, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of county controllers in counties of the fourth class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,

Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1242, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz;

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1256, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," as amended; more specifically outlining the power of the board with respect to licenses, and providing procedure relatives thereto, and providing for the disposition of moneys collected.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1286, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act, approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania lines on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1287, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revoluticnary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities refined herein, including securities issued them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,

Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were laid on the table.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1597, 1093 Printer's No., White Folio 6283, entitled "An act creating in the counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1282.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concurs), That House Bill No. 1282, Printer's No. 444, White Folio 2745, entitled "An act to amend section four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation hereof" as amended by the Act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one) be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1655, Printer's No. 1029, White Folio 6059, entitled, "An act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation

supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws' by adding thereto section four hundred (fifteen) twenty," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1333, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three), entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. WEINGRATNER. Mr. President, I desire to make a statement to the Senate regarding this bill. I have received numerous letters and telegrams from plumbers, supply manufacturers and founders urging the passage of this bill, stating as a reason that it was necessary to establish a code for plumbing, to cover not only the cities but the entire Commonwealth; and this is in the interest of the public health.

Mr. President, I intend to vote for this bill, and I want to state to the Senate, so that I may keep faith with my constituents back home who think it covers that, that this bill covers cities, boroughs and first-class townships, and that my constituents back home who have been urging me and telegraphing me about this bill, who are interested in second-class townships, are not covered by this bill at all.

I make this statement because it has been represented to the master plumbers and the journeyman plumbers of my district that this was a general plumbing code that covers not only the cities, boroughs and first-class townships but also second-class townships,—which is not the fact.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz :

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1479, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1481, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 764) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board, also when the adjudication is within said period.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill the the House of Representatives for concurrence.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), on third reading, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work at the site of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of said new institution

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the admission of patients thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine to be used for the development of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives as follows

For remodeling a house or houses now on the site of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives so as to provide suitable quarters for keeping patients for constructing a kitchen and dining room for providing a water supply for sewers and sewage disposal and for the erection of a unit of permanent cell blocks and of an administrative rotunda Providing that on the completion of one or more buildings suitable for the care of patients the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives shall admit patients to said institution by commitment or transfer as provided by law

As much of the appropriation hereby made as may be necessary shall be used for paying architects' fees and the expenses of supervision

Section 2 The plans and specifications for the construction work to be done hereunder shall be prepared under the super-

vision of the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives subject to the approval of the Department of Welfare as provided by law and the specifications shall in addition thereto be subject to the approval of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 3 Contracts for construction work shall be awarded as provided by law

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 1, line 3, of the title, by inserting after the words "Mental Defectives" the words "and providing for the admission of patients thereto"; also, amend page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "dollars" and before the word "or", the figures "($250,000); also, page 2, line 8, by striking out, at the beginning of the line, the word "[convicts]" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "patients"; also, page 2, line 11, by inserting after the word "rotunda" the words: "Providing, that on the completion of one or more buildings suitable for the care of patients, the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives shall admit patients to said institution by commitment or transfer as provided by law."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1564, (House Bill No. 231), entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 954, (House Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act to amend (part) paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by sheriffs in this Commonwealth and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same" by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

Also, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1103, (House Bill No. 884), entitled:

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 953, (House Bill No. 1236), entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 54), entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants, as computed by the last preceding United States census; the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid, the publication and posting of said fees, the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," by increasing the fees for service of summons.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

SENATE BILL NO. 1139 RETURNED WITH AMEDMENTS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatvies being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner, in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 17, by inserting after the word "fund" the words "to be known as the Securities Commission Fund"; also line 19 by inserting after the word "commission" the words "subject to the approval of the Department of Banking"; also page 4, line 6 by striking out "employes" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "employes of the commission and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of"; also line 8 by inserting after the word "and" the words "operated by"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL NO. 1142 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 9, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to"; also section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to"; also line 9 by inserting after the word "thirty" the word "years"; also section 2, page 3, line 6, by striking out the words "the same" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "for expense for each calendar month"; also line 7 by striking out the following: "thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the"; also line 8 by striking out the words "each calendar" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "such"; also by adding after section 2, line 24 the following:

Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1143 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization, maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations, partnerships, unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof, providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents," as amended.

With the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 10, by striking out the words "this provision" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "its provisions"; also by striking out the word "the"; also line 11 by striking out the word "act" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Act"; also line 12 by striking out the word "the"; also section 1, page 5, line 10, by striking out the word "provision" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisions"; also line 11 by striking out the words "may at his option"; also by inserting after the word "bring" the words "shall call upon the Department of Justice to"; also by inserting after line 18 the following:

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,

Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton	Williamson,
Dalr,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT, (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home, for Women, authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings, providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act," providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the Table of Contents" as amended.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT, (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

RECESS.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for five minutes.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1674, (House Bill No. 925), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

Also, from the committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1735, (House Bill No. 1000), entitled:

An Act exempting from taxation for State purposes and for county purposes, and in cities co-extensive with counties, for State city and county purposes all bank accounts having interest.

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1747, (House Bill No. 2086), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1709, (House Bill No. 1112), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1767, (House Bill No. 497), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1771, (House Bill No. 2033), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction, and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WOODWARD, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1698, (House Bill No. 2082), entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. KRAUSE, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1690, (House Bill No. 1897), entitled:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibuses having pneumatic tires.

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1743, (House Bill No. 2085), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAVIS, from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1729, (House Bill No. 1478), entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1748, (House Bill No. 2087), entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation.

Also, from the Committee on Finance, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers incuding all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SONES, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1745, (House Bill No. 2083), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR, SENATE BILL No. 415.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 415, file folio 5263, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1763, white file folio 4781, entitled, "An act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1143.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN, offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1143, file folio 5999, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and opeartion of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1142.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN, offered the following resolution which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1142, file folio 5987, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (P. L. 1311) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1139.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1139, file folio 6063, entitled:

An act to amend sections twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273) entitled "An act for t ehregistration and regulation of certain individuals and entri esselling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 57, (Senate Bill No. 1766), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 497, (Senate Bill No. 1767), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 987, (Senate Bill No. 1768), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1112, (Senate Bill No. 1769), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1551, (Senate Bill No. 1770), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a

Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 2033, (Senate Bill No. 1771), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction, and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 806, (Senate Bill No. 1772), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 48.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 240.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 73.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 73, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 123.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 202.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 202, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 203.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 203, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industr Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Alleghe County.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 204.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 204, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Ass ciation, located on Sherman Avenue, North Side, Pittsburg Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 224.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 224, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged Westmoreland County.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 239.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 239, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Wo en's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania,

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 273.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 273, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Ass ciation, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 371.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 371, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Tempora Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 372.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 372, entitle

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's I dustrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Gi of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the sa without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1342.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1342, e titled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industr Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred a twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvani

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 373.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 373, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 423.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 423, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 431.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 442.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 442, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 461.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 461, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 554.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 559.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 652.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 652, entitled

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged, located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 655.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 684.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 684, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged, at Philadelphia.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 695.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 695, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 845.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 845, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1292.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1292, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1329.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1329, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1339.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1339, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1341.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1341, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1093.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1136.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1289.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1293.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1293, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1301.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1305.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home of Erie Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1331.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1331, entitled;

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1340.

He also returned to the Senate ,Senate Bill No, 1340, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 1155, (Senate Bill No. 1773), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. ARON, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1749, (House Bill No. 2088), entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE MERGING OF BANKS.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SALUS offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Whereas, The consolidation and merging of banks and banking institutions and the results and effects of such consolidations and mergings are of interest to the public and should be investigated and studied for the protection of the interests of the public, therefore be it

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur), That the Senate Committee on Banks and Buildings and Loan Associations is hereby authorized to investigate the consolidation and merger of all banks and other institutions doing a banking or building and loan association business within the Commonwealth, and to report its finding from time to time to the Attorney General with any suggestions it may have to make as to any action to be taken by or in behalf of the Commonwealth and to file a complete report to the Senate at the beginning of the Sessions of the Legislature of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee of Banks and Building and Loan Associations shall have power to sit and continue such

investigations after the adjournment of the Legislature at such times and places as it may deem advisable, and shall have authority and power to issue subpoenas and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, vouchers and records deemed necessary in any matter they are investigating. If any person refuses to appear and testify or produce any books, vouchers or records, the Committee shall have power to bring the matter to the attention of the Court of Common Pleas of the County where the subpoena was served, which Court shall thereupon issue its subpoena to require such witnesses to attend before it and testify or to produce such books, vouchers or records, and be it further

Resolved, That the Attorney General of the Commonwealth shall furnish such legal aid and advice as may be necessary to assist the said Committee in making such investigation, and to pay any expense he may deem necessary and proper out of the funds in the Department of Justice, upon vouchers furnished by the Chairman of said Committee.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39, which requires concurrent resolutions to be referred to an appropriate committee, be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the resolution just read.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 174, (House Bill No. 1214), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, (P. L. 16), entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund, building and loan associations, regulating the mode of charging premiums, bonus or interest in advance, of withdrawals, of repayment and collection of loans, also restricting the power to levy excessive fines, and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders, and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations."

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 759, (House Bill No. 340), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1770, (House Bill No. 1551), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1768, (House Bill No. 987), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1772, (House Bill No. 806), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State Property.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1766, (House Bill No. 57), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bill to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1314, (House Bill No. 982), entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia, as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania, and making an appropriation for the expense of the Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1366, (House Bill No. 1862), entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1621, (House Bill No. 1930), entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bill to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1633, (House Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1637, (House Bill No. 150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1640, (House Bill No. 433), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1642, (House Bill No. 799), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1643, (House Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1653, (House Bill No. 1750), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes"; by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation as active trustee, agent, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1654, (House Bill No. 1902), entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare, Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1657, (House Bill No. 1958), entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1670, (House Bill No. 2098), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1671, (House Bill No. 156), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1675, (House Bill No. 992), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1679, (House Bill No. 1444), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1682, (House Bill No. 1623), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) is hereby specifically appropriated out of the Motor License Fund for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the construction and improvement of State-aid highways in accordance with existing law

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move to amend section 1, by adding after the word "law", in line 9, the following: "and in location to be finally approved by the Secretary of Highways."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1683, (House Bill No. 1812), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1686, (House Bill No. 1861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the [State Aeronautics Commission] Department of Property and Supplies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1689, (House Bill No. 1891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Commitee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1696, (House Bill No. 2063), entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill Na. 1699, (House Bill No. 2104), entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1700, (House Bill No. 2126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1345, on third reading, entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1345, (House Bill No. 155), as follows:—

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealer and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combusion engines for the generation of power and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naptha benzol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm co-partnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm co-partnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company

Section 2 (a) All dealers and consumers of liquid fuels in this Commonwealth engaged in such business at the time this act shall go into effect within thirty days thereafter and all dealers and consumers of liquid fuels engaging in the transaction of such business hereafter shall prior to the commencement of such business file a duly acknowledged certificate with the department on a form prescribed prepared and furnished by it which shall set forth the name under which such dealer or consumer transacts or intends to transact such business and the place of business of such dealer or consumer if such dealer or consumer has more than one place of business within the State the address of the principal place of business within the State and if such dealer or consumer is a firm copartnership or association the name and addresses of such persons constituting such firm copartnership or association and if a corporation the names and addresses of the principal officers thereof and any other information demanded by the department for the purposes of identification shall be set forth in said certificate Within ten (10) days of the approval of the certificate by the department it shall be the duty of such dealer or consumer to file a surety bond in an amount to be approved by the department said surety bond not to be less than five hundred dollars ($500) conditioned

upon the faithful compliance by the dealer or consumer with the terms of this act No dealer or consumer as herein defined shall after the date this act becomes effective sell or use any liquid fuels until such certificate and surety bond are filed as required by this act nor shall any dealer or consumer engaging in such business subsequent to the passage of this act commence such business without first filing such certificate and surety bond with the department

(b) Upon approval of the certificate and surety bond provided for in this section the department shall issue to each such dealer or consumer a "Liquid Fuel Permit" for each place of business of such dealer or consumer within this Commonwealth Such liquid fuel permits shall not be assignable and shall be valid only for the dealer or consumer in whose name issued and for the transaction of business at the place designated therein Such permit shall be conspicuously exposed by such dealer or consumer at each place of business maintained by him or it within the Commonwealth and shall authorize such dealer or consumer to engage in the sale or use of liquid fuels upon condition that the tax imposed by this act is assessed collected reported and paid into the State Treasury as provided by this act

It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels at any place within this Commonwealth without having on public display a liquid fuel permit issued to him for such place

(c) All liquid fuel permits issued under the provisions of this act shall be revocable by the department upon proof furnished to it that the holder thereof has violated any of the provisions of this act or has failed or neglected to collect or report or pay over any tax imposed by this act It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels after any such permit has been revoked

(d) Whenever any dealer or consumer in liquid fuels shall cease to sell or use liquid fuels within this Commonwealth he shall within ten days thereafter notify the department thereof make the report required by this act pay the tax due as shown by said report and surrender to the department all liquid fuel permits in his possession

(e) Nothing contained in this section shall require the filing of any certificate or the necessity of having a liquid fuel permit for such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State

(f) Any dealer or consumer or any of his or its agents or employes violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days nor more than six months

Section 3 Until the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirty a State tax of four cents a gallon or fraction thereof and thereafter a State tax of three cents a gallon or fraction thereof is hereby imposed and assessed upon all liquid fuels sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale and upon all liquid fuels used within this Commonwealth by consumers when no such tax has been collected thereon by a dealer except liquid fuels purchased received or consumed by the United States or any department board commission or other agency or instrumentality thereof Duplicate taxation is not intended but the tax hereby imposed shall apply to all liquid fuels sold or used within this Commonwealth excepting such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State The taxes on sales hereby provided for shall be collected by the dealers selling liquid fuels to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale and the taxes on use shall be paid by the consumers who use liquid fuels upon which the tax has not been paid and said taxes shall be paid by such dealers and consumers in the State Treasury through the Department in the manner and within the times herein specified For and in consideration of the filing of the certificate and bond as provided for in this act and for and in consideration of the collection of the aforesaid tax the dealer shall be allowed a commission of one per centum on the first two thousand dollars or any part thereof tax paid by him to the Department of Revenue and one-half of one per centum on all sums in excess thereof The commission may be deducted by the dealer in making his payments The commission shall be allowed only on the aggregate of the tax paid by a dealer for any period whether his report of sales and use of liquid fuels are combined in one report or made in separate reports

Section 4 For the purpose of ascertaining the amount of the taxes it shall be the duty of every such dealer and consumer to transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the department a statement or return under oath or affirmation of the liquid fuels purchased sold or used by such dealer or consumer during the preceding month such statement or return shall show the number of gallons of such liquid fuels purchased sold or used within the State during the month for which it is made from the respective places of business of such dealer or consumer with such further information as the department shall prescribe Upon such statement or return the Department shall make a determination of the taxes owing to the Commonwealth If any such dealer or consumer shall neglect or refuse to make such statement or return as herein required and provided an additional ten per centum of the amount of the tax shall be added by the Department and collected as hereinafter provided and in addition thereto the liquid fuel permit of such dealer may be revoked by the department

Section 5 Every dealer and consumer at the time of making every statement or return required by section four of this act shall pay to the State Treasurer through the Department the amount of the tax due for the month covered by such statement or return The amount of all taxes determined by the Department under the provisions of this act shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date they are due and payable until paid

Section 6 The department or any agent appointed in writing by it is hereby authorized to examine the books and papers of any dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act to verify the accuracy of any statement or return made under the provisions of this act but any information gained by the department or any other person as a result of the reports investigations or verifications herein required to be made shall be confidential and any person divulging such information shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars or to undergo imprisonment of not more than one year or both

Section 7 (a) If the department is not satisfied with the statement or return made by any dealer or consumer under the provisions of this act it is hereby authorized and empowered to determine the tax due by such dealer or consumer based upon the facts contained in the statement or return or upon any information within its possession or that shall come into its possession

(b) Promptly after the date of any such determination the department shall send by mail or otherwise a copy thereof to such dealer or consumer Within thirty days after the date of any such determination such dealer or consumer may file with the department a petition for redetermination of such tax Every petition for redetermination shall fully state the reasons which the petitioner believes entitle him to such redetermination It shall be the duty of the department wtihin three months after the date of any determination to dispose of any petition for redtermination Notice of the action taken upon any petition for a redetermination shall be given to the petitioner promptly after the date of redetermination by the department

(c) Within thirty days after notice by the department of the action taken on any petitoin for redetermination filed with it the dealer or consumer against whom such determination was made may by petition request the Board of Finance and Revenue to review such action Every petition for review filed hereunder shall state specifically the reasons upon which the petitioner relies The petition shall be supported by affidavit that it is not made for the purpose of delay and that the facts therein set forth are true If the petitioner be a limited partnership association or corporation the affidavit must be made by one of the principal officers thereof The Board of Finance and Revenue shall dispose of such petitions filed with it within ninety days after they have been received and in the event of the failure of said Board to dispose of any such petition within ninety days the department's action

taken upon the petition for redetermination shall be deemed sustained The Board of Finance and Revenue may sustain the action taken on the petition for redetermination or it may redetermine the tax due upon such basis as it shall deem according to law and equity Notice of the action of the Board of Finance and Revenue shall be given by mail or otherwise to the department and to the petitioner

(d) The department or any person aggrieved by the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or by the Board's failure to act upon his petition for review within ninety days may within sixty days thereafter appeal to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County from the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or from the decision of the department as the case may be in the manner now or hereafter provided by law for appeals in the case of tax settlements

(e) If any dealer or consumer or other person shall neglect or refuse to make the statement or return required by this act the department may estimate the tax due by such dealer or consumer and determine the amount due by him for taxes interest and penalty thereon as prescribed herein from which determination there shall be no right of review or appeal

Section 8 Any dealer or consumer who shall fail neglect or refuse to make the statements or returns or pay the tax as herein prescribed or who shall refuse to permit the department or any agent appointed by it in writing to examine the books or papers of any such dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act or who makes any incomplete false or fraudulent statement or return hereunder or who does or who attempts to do anything whatsoever to avoid a full disclosure of the amount of such business done or liquid fuels consumed or to avoid the payment of the whole or any part of the tax due shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars or in the case of an individual or the officer or employe charged with the duty of making such statement or return for a person firm copartnership association or corporation to undergo imprisonment not exceeding six months or both Such penalty shall be in addition to the penalty imposed by any other section of this act

Section 9 The tax imposed by this act shall be paid by the person firm copartnership association or corporation purchasing liquid fuels from dealers for his own use and not for the purpose of resale or by the person firm copartnership association or corporation using liquid fuels upon which no tax has been collected by a dealer and every person firm copartnership association or corporation required by this act to collect the tax herein specified shall state the amount of such tax separately from the price of the said liquid fuels on all liquid fuel price display signs sales or delivery slips bills statements et cetera and any one failing so to state separately the tax and price of the said liquid fuels shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

Section 10 One-half cent per gallon of the tax collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund of the State Treasury and shall on the first days of August and February of each year be paid to the respective counties in which the tax was collected and shall be used by them only for the purpose of the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of roads and highways and for the payment of the interest on county bonds issued for road purposes The remainder of the net tax and penalties imposed by the provisions of this act and all interest earned on deposits of the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund shall be paid into the motor license fund and such moneys so paid into said fund are hereby specifically appropriated for the same purposes for which moneys in the said motor license fund are appropriated by law

Section 11 Every person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which sells liquid fuels for the purpose of resale within the Commonwealth shall transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the Department a statement under oath or affirmation of the number of gallons of liquid fuels sold within the State for the purpose of resale during the preceding month such statement shall show the name and business address including the county of each dealer to whom such liquid fuels were sold and the amount sold to each such dealer Such name and address shall correspond to the name and address of the dealer as shown in his or its liquid fuel permit It shall be unlawful for any person firm copartnership association or corporation to fail neglect or refuse to make the statement required by this act and any person firm copartnership or corporation failing or neglecting to file such statement shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

Section 12 All taxes collected by a dealer or consumer for the Commonwealth shall be considered a public account after being determined in the manner herein prescribed and as such shall be a lien upon the franchises or property both real and personal of any dealer or consumer after the same has been entered and indexed of record by the prothonotary of the county where the dealer's or consumer's franchises or property are situated

Section 13 Whenever such taxes interest or penalties forming the public account herein provided are not paid within thirty days from the date of their determination if no petition for redetermination has been filed or from the date of redetermination if no petition for review has been filed or within ninety days from the date of the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for review or the expiration of the Board's time for acting upon such petition if no appeal has been filed and in all cases of judicial sales assignments or bankruptcies the department shall call upon the Department of Justice to collect such account The Department of Justice may employ counsel to collect the same and such counsel is authorized and directed to add to the amount of such public account and to collect from such dealer or consumer for the purpose of compensating such counsel so employed a counsel's commission based on the amount of such collection at the following rates viz ten per centum on the first five hundred dollars ($500.00) any part thereof five per centum on the next two thousand dollars ($2,000) any part thereof two and one-half per centum on any amount in excess of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) which commissions together with costs shall be paid by such dealer or consumer and shall have the same priority and lien as such public account provided for herein Provided That the Department of Justice shall not so employ counsel as aforesaid until it shall have first given ten days' notice in writing of its intention so to do to such dealer or consumer

Section 14 (a) Whenever such taxes interest or penalties forming the public account herein provided are not paid within thirty days from the date of their determination if no petition for redetermination has been filed or from the date of redetermination if no petition for review has been filed or within ninety days from the date of the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for review or the expiration of said Board's time for acting upon such petition if no appeal has been filed and if such public account has become a lien upon the goods chattels and effects of such dealer or consumer in the manner provided in Section twelve hereof the department may issue its warrant to the sheriff or any constable of the appropriate county or to any deputy of the department authorizing and directing such officer to collect such public account by distraint and sale in the manner hereinafter provided of the goods chattels and effects including liquid fuels of such dealer or consumer

(b) When distraint is made as aforesaid the officer making the same shall make or cause to be made an account of the goods chattels and effects distrained a copy of which signed by the officer making such distraint shall be left with the owner or possessor of such property or at his dwelling or usual place of business with some person of suitable age and discretion if any such can be found with a note of the sum demanded and the time and place of sale and the said officer shall forthwith cause notice of the time and place of the said sale to be publicly posted upon the premises in which the distrained goods chattels or effects are located and in two other public places in the vicinity The time of sale shall not

be less than ten nor more than twenty days from the date of such notification to the owner or possessor of the property The place proposed for the sale shall not be more than five miles distant from the place of making such distraint Said sale may be adjourned from time to time by said officer if he deems it advisable but not for a time to exceed in all thirty days It shall be unlawful for the owner or possessor to remove molest or otherwise intermeddle with the goods chattles and effects so distrained at any time after such distraint and before the sale thereof It shall be the duty of the officer making such distraint to prevent any such removal molestation or intermeddling therewith and if necessary he may appoint a watchman or watchmen therefor

(c) Upon any sale under a distraint as hereinabove provided the amount of the public account herein provided for shall after deducting the expenses of such sale and all prior liens upon the property be first appropriated out of the proceeds thereof to the payment of the said public account in any case of distraint for the payment of a public account herein provided for the goods chattels or effects so distrained shall be restored to the owner or possessor if prior to the sale payment of the amount due is made to the proper officer charged with the collection together with his fees and the other charges Upon any such sale the bill of sale of the officer conducting the same shall be prima facie evidence of the right of the officer to make such sale and conclusive of the regularity of his proceedings in making the sale and shall transfer to the purchaser all right title and interest of such delinquent in and to the property sold

(d) The sheriff constable or other officer making the collection by distraint shall promptly pay into the State Treasury through the department all taxes interest and penalties collected by him and for his services he shall receive a fee or commission based on the amount of such collection at the following rates viz five per cent on the first one thousand dollars and two per cent on any amount in excess of one thousand dollars which commission together with the compensation of watchmen if any and other expenses of the sale shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the goods chattels and effects distrainted before the amount of the said public account is paid therefrom

Section 15 All fines imposed under this act shall be payable by the magistrate alderman justice of the peace or officer collecting the same to the State Treasurer through the Department The State Treasurer shall deposit the same to the credit of the motor license fund

Section 16 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of its provisions shall be held unconstitutional the decision of the court shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions of the act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included herein

Section 17 This act shall become effective the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed from and after the effective date of this act

PROVIDED However that nothing herein contained shall be taken or construed to relieve any person or persons firms copartnerships associations or corporations whatsoever from the payment of any tax interest or penalty due or owing to the Commonwealth under any laws in force at the time this Act becomes effective

And said bill having been read the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 9 by striking out line 6; amend page 11, line 14, by striking out after the word "and" and before the word "thereon" the word [penalty]; and inserting in lieu thereof the word "penalties"; amend page 18, line 8, by striking out after the word "effects" the word [do] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "so"; amend page 19, line 1, by striking out at the beginning of the line the word "[distrainted]" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "distrained"

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question:

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports by capital stock taxpayers.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 7, line 25, by striking out after the words "of the" and before the word "and," the word [taxpayers] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "taxpayer"; amend page 8, line 14, by striking out after the word "each" and before the word "of" the word [dollars] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "dollar"; amend page 8, line 28, by striking out after the word "taxable" the word [according] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "accordingly"; amend page 9, line 20, by striking out after the word "meats" and before the word "their," the word [and].

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1033, (House Bill No. 1053), on third reading, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles, tractors, street

cars, bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling including liens, encumbrances and legal claims, registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; owners of vehicles and garage keepers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, within the Commonwealth, liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation, and providing for refunds.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1033, House Bill No. 1053), as follows:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars trackless trolley omnibuses bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

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ARTICLE 1

SHORT TITLE AND PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

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Section 101 Short Title Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The Vehicle Code"

Section 102 Definitions—The following words and phrases when used in this act shall for the purpose of this act have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this section except in those instances where the context clearly indicates a different meaning

"Approved"—Having been favorably passed upon by the Secretary as suitable for the purpose designed

"Auxiliary Driving Lamp"—A complete road illuminating device in addition to or supplementing the head lamps located upon the front of a motor vehicle

"Bicycle with Motor Attached"—Every vehicle except a motorcycle as herein defined which is self-propelled by an engine not exceeding four (4) horse power

"Business District"—The territory contiguous to a highway when fifty (50) per cent or more of the frontage thereon for a distance of three hundred (300) feet or more is occupied by buildings in use for business

"Chassis"—The chassis of a motor vehicle to be propelled by an internal combustion or steam engine shall consist of an assembly of all essential parts with protective housings ready for operation on the highway including as minimum equipment a set of tires attached to wheels driver's seat including cab front wheel fenders running board or mounting step tool compartment priming coat on all parts to be painted pair of front lamps and one rear lamp license brackets jack and a set of tools commonly used for making adjustments and minor repairs on the highway water oil and fuel

"Clearance Lamp"—A lamp or lamps so arranged to show white or green to the front and red to the rear

"Commercial Motor Vehicle"—Shall include all motor vehicles designed for carrying freight or merchandise Provided however that a motor vehicle originally designed for passenger transportation with a removable box body shall not be deemed a "commercial motor vehicle" for the purpose of this act

"Crosswalk"—That portion of a highway ordinarily included within the prolongation of curb and property lines at intersections or any portion of a highway clearly indicated for pedestrian crossing by lines or other markings on the surface

"Cushion Rubber Tire"—A tire molded on a steel base having a longitudal cavity running circumcerentially at the center line o fthe tire extending from its base with a height of no less than one half the overall standing height of the tire such tires when new being no less than four and one-half (4½) inches high overall including steel base

"Dealer"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the purchase and sale of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and who has an established place of business

"Department"—The Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Emergency Brake"—The means of applying braking effort to at least two (2) wheels on a motor vehicle normally operated by the operator's hand Provided however that where there are two (2) brakes both designed to be operated by the foot the one (1) equipped with a rachet or other device for holding the brake in the applied position shall be considered the "Emergency Brake" and the requirements shall be the same as herein set forth

"Essential Parts"—All integral parts and body parts the removal alteration or substitution of which will tend to conceal the identity or substantially alter the appearance of the vehicle

"Explosives"—Any chemical compound or mechanical mixture that is commonly used or intended for the purpose of producing an explosion that contains any oxidizing and combustible units or other ingredients in such proportions quantities or packing that any ignition by fire by friction by concussion by percussion or by detonator of any part of the compound or mixture may cause such a sudden generation of highly heated gases that the resultant gaseous pressures are capable of producing destructive effects on contiguous objects or of destroying life or limb

"Foreign Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer which shall be brought into this Commonwealth otherwise than in ordinary course of business by or through a manufacturer or dealer and which has not been registered in this Commonwealth

"Gross Weight"—The combined weight of the vehicle or combination of vehicles and its or their maximum allowable load or loads or any fractional parts thereof

"Headlamp"—A complete road illuminating device located upon the front of a motor vehicle the rays from which are projected forward other than a sidelight auxiliary driving lamp searchlight and spot lamp

"Highway"—Every way or place of whatever nature open to the use of the public as a matter of right for purposes of vehicular travel The term "highway" shall not be deemed to include a roadway or driveway upon grounds owned by private persons colleges universities or other institutions

"Intersection"—The area embraced within the prolongation of the lateral curb lines or if none then the lateral boundary lines of two or more highways which join one another at an angle whether or not one such highway crosses the other

"Jobber"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the purchase and sale of new motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers and their resale directly to dealers

"Learner's Permit"—A permit issued to any person to learn to operate a motor vehicle or tractor

"Local Authorities"—Every county municipal and other local board or body having authority to adopt local police regulations under the Constitution and laws of this Commonwealth

"Magistrate"—A mayor burgess magistrate alderman justice of the peace or other officer having the powers of a committing magistrate

"Manufacturer"—Every person engaged in the business of manufacturing motor vehicles trailers semi-trailers motors or bodies of such vehicles

"Mechanical Signal"—A movable device operated mechanically or by the driver and so constructed and arranged as to give a cautionary or direction signal to the rear

"Metal Tires"—All tires the surface of which in contract with the highway is wholly or partly of metal or other hard non-resilient material

"Motor Bus"—Shall include all motor vehicles operated for the carriage of passengers for hire by individuals associations copartnerships or corporations required under the laws of this Commonwealth to obtain certificate of public convenience from the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania before engaging in the carriage of passengers for hire or by individuals associations co-partnerships or corporations who or which were engaged in the business of carrying passengers for hire as common carriers prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen

"Motor Cycle"—Every motor vehicle designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground except any such vehicle as may be included within the term "tractor"

"Motor Omnibus"—Shall include all motor vehicles operated for the carriage of passengers for hire by individuals associations co-partnerships or corporations who or which were not engaged in the carriage of passengers for hire as common carriers prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and who or which are not required under the laws of this Commonwealth to obtain from the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certificate of public convenience for the carriage of passengers for hire Provided that this definition shall not include or apply to any motor vehicle operated under contract with any School district of this Commonwealth for part time transportation of school children such motor vehicles to come within the definition under this section within which such motor vehicle would come were it not used or operated for the transportation of school children

"Motor Vehicles"—Every vehicle as herein defined which is self-propelled except tractors power shovels road rollers agricultural machinery and vehicles which move upon or are guided by a track or travel through the air

"New Motor Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle which is not defined as a reconstructed rebuilt or used motor vehicle

"Non-Resident"—Any resident of any state or country who has no regular place of abode or business in this Commonwealth for a period of more than thirty (30) consecutive days in the year except as otherwise provided in Section 409 and Section 603 of this a

"Obscured Registration Plate"—Every registration plate the characters on which are not legible in daylight at a distance of fifty (50) feet from the front or rear of the motor vehicle on the line of the axis of the vehicle on an approximately level stretch of highway

"Operator"—Every person who is in actual physical control of a motor vehicle or tractor upon a highway

"Operator's License"—The license issued to any person to operate a motor vehicle or tractor

"Owner"—A person or persons holding the legal title of a vehicle or in the event a vehicle is the subject of an agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof or other like agreement with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or lessee then such conditional vendee or lessee shall be deemed the owner for the purpose of this act

"Parking"—Every vehicle standing or waiting on any highway not actually engaged in taking up or setting down passengers or merchandise

"Parking Lamp or Clearance Lamp"—A lamp or lamps so arranged to show white or green to the front and red to the rear

"Passenger Seat"—Each sixteen (16) inches of seating capacity in any motor omnibus or motorbus

"Peace Officer"—A sheriff deputy sheriff constable member of the Pennsylvania State Police State Highway Patrolman or other police officer vested with authority of arrest

"Pedestrian"—Any person afoot

"Person"—Every natural person firm co-partnership association or corporation

"Pneumatic Tires"—All tires inflated with compressed air

"Private Road or Driveway"—Every road or drive not open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel

"Railway Grade Crossing"—Any set of tracks or rails of any steam gasoline or electric railway line which intersects or crosses any highway at the same level or grade of such highway except electric railway lines within cities boroughs or incorporated towns

"Rear Lamp"—A lamp located upon the rear of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer so arranged as to show red to the rear and illuminate the rear registration plate

"Rebuilt Motor Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle which shall have been assembled by using new parts and used parts derived from other motor vehicles of the same make and rebuilt by the manufacturer thereof

"Reconstructed Motor Vehicle"—Any motor vehicle which shall have been assembled or constructed largely by means of essential parts new or used derived from other motor vehicles or makes of motor vehicles of various names models and types or which if originally otherwise constructed shall have been materially altered by the removal of essential parts or by the addition or substitution of essential parts new or used derived from other motor vehicles or makes of motor vehicles

"Residence District"—The territory contiguous to a highway not comprising a business district when the frontage on such highway for a distance of three hundred (300) feet or more is closely built up with dwellings or by dwellings and buildings in use for business

"Right of Way"—The privilege of the immediate use of the highway

"Safety Zone"—The area of space officially set aside within a highway for the exclusive use of pedestrians and which is so plainly marked or indicated by proper signs as to be plainly visible at all times while set apart as a safety zone

"Secretary"—The Secretary of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Semi-trailer"—Every vehicle of the trailer type so designed and used in conjunction with a motor vehicle that some part of its own weight and that of its own load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle

"Service Brake"—The means of applying braking effort to at least two (2) wheels on a motor vehicle normally operated by the operator's foot

"Sidelights"—Any lights upon a motor vehicle other than headlamp or auxiliary driving lamp or searchlight or spot lamp the rays of which project forward

"Sign"—Any device mark marker board plate or other contrivance designed for the purpose of guiding traffic or informing of a traffic regulation

"Signal Lamp"—A lamp located upon the side or rear of a motor vehicle so arranged to show red green or yellow to the rear as a cautionary signal

"Solid Rubber Tire"—Every tire made of rubber other than a pneumatic tire or a cushion rubber tire

"Specially Constructed Vehicle"—Any vehicle which shall not have been originally constructed under a distinctive name make model or type by a generally recognized manufacturer of vehicles

"Spot Lamp"—An auxiliary illuminating device either fixed or movable intended to project a powerful concentrated beam of light

"State"—A state territory organized or unorganized or district of the United States of America

"Street Car"—Every device travelling exclusively upon rails when upon or crossing a highway other than cars or trains propelled or moved by steam

"Tractor"—Every vehicle which is self-propelled equipped with metal-tired wheels or crawlers operated or propelled by any form of engine motor or mechanical power excepting power shovels road rollers self-propelled engines which move or are operated upon or are guided by an immovable track excepting tractors agricultural implements such as grass mowers binders manure spreaders hay loaders hay rakes grain drills or potato planters to be used exclusively by any person upon the farm or farms he owns or operates or upon highways connecting by the most direct route any farms or portions of farms under the single ownership or operation of such person

"Traffic"—Pedestrians vehicles and street cars either singly or together while using any highway for purposes of travel

"Traffic Signal"—Any device using words or colored lights or a combination thereof either manually or electrically controlled by which traffic is alternately directed to stop and go

"Trailer"—Every vehicle without motive power designed to carry property or passengers wholly on its own structure and to be drawn by a motor vehicle

"Truck Tractor"—Every motor vehicle designed and used primarily for drawing other vehicles and not so constructed as to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle and load so drawn

"Used Motor Vehicles"—Every motor vehicle which has been sold bargained exchanged given away or title transferred from the person who first acquired it from the manufacturer or jobber or dealer and so used as to have become what is commonly known as "secondhand" within the ordinary meaning thereof

"Vehicle"—Every device in upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway excepting tractors agricultural machinery devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks Provided That for the purpose of Article X of this act a bicycle or a ridden animal or a tractor shall be deemed a vehicle

Section 103 Printed Matter—The secretary is authorized to order through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agent the printing of necessary forms bulletins and other printed matter required for carrying out the provisions of this act and for the dissemination of information to the public Provided however That all bulletins or other publications for the dissemination of information to the public shall be distributed only by or with the consent of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 104 Construction of Act Generally—The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any act of Assembly or part thereof shall not revive any act or part thereof heretofore repealed or superseded The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested or affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

Section 105 Constitutional Construction—The provisions of this act are severable and if any provision thereof is held to be unconstitutional the decision so holding shall not be construed as affecting or impairing any other provision of this act or the act as a whole It is hereby declared as the legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

ARTICLE II

CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

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Section 201 Certificate of Title Required—(a) No person who is a resident of this Commonwealth shall own a motor vehicle in this Commonwealth unless a certificate of title therefor shall have been obtained as provided in this act

(b) Provided That manufacturers and jobbers shall not be required to obtain certificate of title for new motor vehicles when consigned by such manufacturers or jobbers to dealers And further provided That dealers need not obtain certificate of title for new motor vehicles until and before sale thereof

Penalty—Any person violating the provisions of sub-section (a) this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 202 Application for Certificate of Title—Application for a certificate of title shall be made upon a form furnished by the department and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall be accompanied by the fee prescribed in this act and shall contain a full description of the motor vehicle the actual or bona fide address and name of the owner together with a statement of the owner's title and of any liens or encumbrances or legal claims upon said motor vehicle and whether possession is held under a lease contract of conditional sale or other like agreement The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same. The secretary shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining whether or not the facts stated in said application are true and if satisfied that the applicant is the lawful owned of such motor vehicle or is otherwise entitled to have the same titled in his name the department shall issue a certificate of title bearing the signature or facsimile signature of the secretary or such officer of the department as he shall designate and sealed with the seal of the department.

Section 203 Contents Delivery and Life of Certificate of Title—(a) A certificate of title shall contain such description and other evidence of identification of the motor vehicle for which it is issued as the secretary may deem necessary together with a statement of any liens or encumbrances or legal claims which the applicant may show to be thereon together with the name and address of the holder or holders of any such liens encumbrances or legal claims

(b) Where there are no liens encumbrances or legal claims upon the motor vehicle the certificate of title shall be delivered to the owner but otherwise the certificate of title shall be delivered to the person holding the first lien encumbrance or legal claim upon said motor vehicle and be retained by such person until the entire amount of such first lien encumbrance or legal claim is fully paid by the owner of said motor vehicle when the said certificate of title shall be delivered to said owner by the person who held the first lien encumbrance or legal claim with proper evidence of satisfaction of same A corrected certificate of title without statement of liens encum-

brances or legal claims shall be issued by the secretary upon request of the owner when original certificate of title is returned with proper evidence that all said liens encumbrances or legal claims have been satisfied or when the original certificate of title cannot be returned and proper evidence is produced that all said liens encumbrances or legal claims have been satisfied

(c) A certificate of title shall not have to be renewed when record of certificate of title has been cancelled by the department.

Section 204 Issuance of Certificate of Title—It shall be lawful for the secretary to issue in the name of the first owner of a new or rebuilt motor vehicle a certificate of title if such owner presents to the secretary an application for certificate of title duly made and acknowledged by the manufacturer jobber or dealer and assigned to such owner accompanied by the fees prescribed in this act

Section 205 Correction of Certificate of Title—Wher it is shown by proper evidence upon investigation and good cause appearing therefor that any certificate of title has been issued bearing incorrect information due to any cause the secretary shall require the return of such certificate of title together with any other information necessary for the adjustment of the department records and the secretary shall thereupon issue a corrected certificate of title without fee

Section 206 Duplicate Certificate of Title—In the event of a lost destroyed or illegible certificate of title application may be made to the department for a duplicate upon a form furnished by the department which shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and accompanied by the fee provided in this act Thereupon the department shall issue a duplicate certificate of title to the owner or person entitled to receive same under the provisions of this act

Section 207 Assignment of Certificate of Title—(a) In the event of the sale or transfer of the ownership of a motor vehicle for which certificate of title has been issued the owner of such motor vehicle shall execute an assignment of the certificate of title to the purchaser or transferee with warranty of title with a statement of all liens encumbrances or legal claims on said motor vehicle the name and address of the holder of said liens encumbrances or legal claims sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and deliver the same to the purchaser or transferee at the time of the delivery to him of such motor vehicle

(b) The owner or transferee shall within ten (10) days of such assignment or reassignment of certificate of title on a reassignment form furnished by the department present to the secretary such assigned certificate of title or reassignment form sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths with the assigned certificate of title attached thereto together with a statement of all liens encumbrances or legal claims on said motor vehicle with application for certificate of title and accompanied by the fee prescribed in this act whereupon a new certificate of title may be issued in the name of the owner

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 208 Change of Ownership by Operaiton of Law and Judicial Sale—In case of the transfer of ownership or possession of a motor vehicle by operation of law as upon inheritance device or bequest order in bankruptcy insolvency replevin or execution sale or whenever a motor vehicle is sold at public sale to satisfy storage or repair charges or repossession is had upon default in performance of the terms of a lease contract of conditional sale or other like agreement it shall thereupon become the duty of the person from whose possession such motor vehicle was taken and without prejudice to his rights in the premises immediately to surrender the certificate of title for such motor vehicle to the person to whom possession of such motor vehicle has so passed The secretary upon surrender of prior certificate of title or when that is not possible upon presentation of satisfactory proof to the secretary of ownership and right of possession to such motor vehicle and upon payment of the fee prescribed in this act and presentation of application for certificate of title may issue to the applicant to whom possession of such motor vehicle has so passed a certificate of title thereto

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 209 Records of Stolen Motor Vehicles (a) It shall be the duty of the secretary whenever he receives report of the theft of a motor vehicle whether the same has been registered or not and whether owned in this or any other State together with the name and manufacturer's serial number thereof to make a distinctive record thereof and file the same in numerical order of the manufacturer's serial number with the records of the vehicles of such name already titled

(b) In the event of the receipt of an application for a certificate of title of such motor vehicle the secretary shall immediately notify the rightful owner thereof and shall withhold the issuing of such certificate of title until the proper investigation shall have been made

(c) In the event of the recovery of a stolen motor vehicle of which the secretary has been notified it shall be the duty of the owner to notify the secretary immediately

(d) It shall be the duty of every peace officer having knowledge of a stolen motor vehicle immediately to furnish the secretary with full information in conection therewith

(e) The secretary shall prepare a report listing motor vehicles stolen and recovered as disclosed by the reports submitted to him to be distributed as he may deem advisable

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 210 Destruction and Cancellation of Records of Certificates of Title Notice of Junking Motor Vehicles — (a) The secretary shall maintain a record of certificates of title issued and may after five (5) years from year of issue at his discretion destroy such records

(b) The owner of a motor vehicle shall notify the secretary within ten (10) days of the destruction or junking of any motor vehicles and return certificate of title to the department for cancellation of record

(c) Any owner who sells a motor vehicle as scrap or to be destroyed or junked shall assign the certificate of title thereto to the person to whom the motor vehicle is sold but shall return such assigned certificate of title to the department immediately with an application for a certificate of junk whereupon the department shall issue to the person shown as the assignee a certificate of junk which shall authorize the holder thereof to possess transport or by endorsement transfer ownership in such junked motor vehicle and a certificate of title shall not again be issued for such motor vehicle

(d) The secretary upon receipt of notification from another State or foreign country that a certificate of title issued by the department has been surrendered by the owner in conformity with the laws of such other State or foreign country may cancel such record of certificate of title

(e) The secretary upon receipt of certification from the clerk of the courts showing conviction for a mis-statement of facts on an application for certificate of title or duplicate thereof or any assignment of certificate of title shall forthwith cancel the record of such certificate of title assignment or duplicate certificate and require that the certificate of title be returned immediately to the department for cancellation of record

(f) The secretary may cancel any record of certificate of title when check received in payment of fee therefor is not paid on demand

(g) The secretary may cancel the certificate of title issued for a new motor vehicle in the possession of a dealer when it is shown by satisfactory evidence that the motor vehicle has been returned to the manufacturer jobber or dealer from whom obtained

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in de-

fault of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 211 Other Penalties—Any person who shall be convicted of any of the following offenses shall be guilty of a felony and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay the following fines and costs of prosecution or to undergo imprisonment for the terms indicated or both for each offense

(a) Altering or forging any certificate of title to a motor vehicle or any assignment thereof or possessing or using any such certificate or assignment knowing the same to have been altered or forged not more than one thousand ($1000) dollars or not more than two (2) years or both such fine and imprisonment

(b) Procuring or attempting to procure certificate of title to a motor vehicle or passing or attempting to pass certificate of title or any assignment thereof to a motor vehicle knowing or having reason to believe that such motor vehicle has been stolen not more than one thousand ($1000) dollars or not more than two (2) years or both such fine and imprisonment

ARTICLE III

DEFACED ENGINE AND MANUFACTURER'S SERIAL NUMBER

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Section 305 Officer to Seize Motor Vehicle Having Defaced Numbers Authority to Dispose of Same

Section 306 Sale of Motor Vehicle with Defaced Numbers

Section 301 Possession or Operation of a Motor Vehicle with Defaced Numbers It shall be unlawful to have possession of or to operate a motor vehicle on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced Provided however this shall not affect those persons authorized by law to have in their possession motor vehicles on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 302 Registration When Number Defaced—(a) No motor vehicle on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced shall be titled without special permit from the secretary

(b) Before issuing a certificate of title for any such motor vehicle the owner shall apply to the secretary for a special number plate on a form furnished by the department which shall contain the full name and actual bona fide address of the owner the date of purchase of such motor vehicle the name and address of the person from whom it was purchased together with satisfactory evidence that the engine or manufacturer's serial number was not removed for the purpose of concealing the identity of such vehicle and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths The secretary shall furnish a special number plate which shall be immediately placed on the component part from which the original number was destroyed removed covered altered or defaced and the certificate of title will not be valid until this special number requirement has been complied with Such special number shall be preceded by the letter "S" and followed by "Pa"

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 303 Replacing Engines on Which the Number is Defaced—(a) Where the engine of a motor vehicle is replaced by a new or used engine on which the engine number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced it shall be the duty of the owner of such motor vehicle to apply to the secretary on a form furnished by the department for a special number plate to be placed on such engine Such form shall be accompanied by the certificate of title issued for said motor vehicle upon receipt of which a corrected certificate of title shall be issued without additional fee

(b) The application shall contain a description of such motor vehicle and facts pertaining thereto as the secretary may require which description and facts shall be sworn to by the owner before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths Upon receipt of such application the secretary shall issue to the owner a special number plate for such motor vehicle and when such special number plate has been placed on the engine it shall become and thereafter be the lawful engine number of such motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 304 License to Transfer Engine Numbers—(a) The secretary may in his discretion issue license to manufacturers or manufacturers' authorized representatives or authorized dealers to remove engine numbers on engines being replaced by new rebuilt or used engines and transferring the engine numbers from the engines being removed to the new rebuilt or used engines Such licenses issued to manufacturers' authorized representatives or authorized dealers shall automatically expire with the termination of the contract or agreement with the manufacturers

(b) Every such license must be posted in a conspicuous place in the manufacturer's or manufacturer's authorized representative's or dealer's place of business and such place of business and the records thereof shall be open for inspection by any peace officer or department employee who shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority

(c) The manufacturer or manufacturers authorized representative or authorized dealer shall file with his application for such license is satisfactory bond Such bond to be renewed annually and proof of renewal to be filed with the department and in addition thereto in the case of a manufacturer's authorized representative or authorized dealer an affidavit from the manufacturer certifying that such applicant is his authorized representative or authorized dealer Manufacturers or manufacturer's authorized representatives or authorized dealers so licensed shall maintain and keep records for a period of not less than five (5) years of all changes of engines on forms prescribed by the secretary

(d) Such licensed manufacturer or manufacturer's authorized representative or authorized dealer shall file with the department immediately after each change of engine and engine number on form furnished by the department such information as the secretary may require

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section hall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 305 Officer to Seize Motor Vehicle Having Defaced Numbers Authority to Dispose of Same—(a) It shall be the duty of every peace officer having knowledge of a motor vehicle on which the engine number or manufacturer's number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced to immediately seize and take possession of such motor vehicle and arrest or file information for the arrest of the supposed owner or custodian thereof It shall be the duty of the court to retain in custody the seized motor vehicle pending prosecution of the person arrested and in case such person shall be guilty said motor vehicle shall remain in the custody of the court until the fine and costs of prosecution shall be paid Provided however if ninety (90) days have elapsed after judgment has been rendered and such fine and costs have not been paid the court shall proceed to advertise and sell said motor vehicle in the manner provided by law for the sale of personal property under execution

The proceeds from such sale shall be used to pay the fine and costs of prosecution and the balance if any shall be forwarded to the department and same shall be transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund"

(b) If ownership to such motor vehicle is not established to the satisfaction of the court said motor vehicle shall be confiscated by the court and sold immediately and the proceeds thereof shall be used to pay the cost of proceedings and the balance if any shall be forwarded to the department and same to be transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund"

Section 306 Sale of Motor Vehicle With Defaced Number Any person selling or offering for sale in this Commonwealth a motor vehicle on which the engine number or manufacturer's serial number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced with knowldge of said destruction removal covering alteration or defacement of said engine number or manufacturer's serial number shall be guilty of a felony and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of five thousand ($5000) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

ARTICLE IV

REGISTRATION

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Section 401—Registration of Motor Vehicles Trailers and Semi-Trailers Required—Except as in hereinafter provided no motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated upon any highway in this Commonwealth until such motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall have been properly registered with the department as hereinafter provided and the registration plate or plates that have been issued for the vehicle for the current year are received and displayed as required by this act and no motor vehicle shall be registered until a certificate of title has been obtained therefor

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 402—Application for Registration—(a) Application for the registration of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be made to the department upon a form furnished by the department The application shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner or owners together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number the character of the motive power and the horsepower or seating capacity and in the case of commercial motor vehicles the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of electric commercial motor vehicles the gross maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of trailers and semi-trailers the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same and shall be accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(b) Applicants for registration who are not residents of this Commonwealth shall by their application in addition to the above requirements designate the secretary as their authorized agent upon whom process may be served

(c) Annual renewals of the registration of a motor vehicle shall be made in such manner as the department may require upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act The department shall mail such form to the last address of the owner as it appears on the department records

Provided That annual renewal forms will not be mailed to owners of motor vehicles not registered by such owners during the previous year Such renewal forms may however be obtained upon presentation of certificate of title or such other information as the secretary may deem satisfactory

Section 403—Calculations of Horsepower—The horsepower of motor vehicles except those propelled by steam or electricity shall be computed by the following formula Diameter of bore in inches squared times the number of cylinders times four tenths (.4) The accepted horsepower for the registration of motor vehicles propelled by steam or electricity shall be that given and certified to by the manufacturer

Section 404—File of Applications—(a) Upon receipt of each application when the department is satisfied as to the genuineness and regularity thereof and that the applicant is entitled thereto the department shall register the vehicle therein described and the name of the owner thereof in suitable books or in index cards as follows

1 Under a distinctive registration number assigned to the vehicle and to the owner thereof hereinafter referred to as the registration number

2 Alphabetically under the name of the owner

3 Numerically and alphabetically under the manufacturer's serial number and name of the vehicle

(b) The secretary may cause the application for registration and records in connection therewith to be destroyed two (2) years after the year for which issued

Section 405—Registration Cards—(a) The department upon registering a vehicle shall issue to the owner a registration card which shall contain the registration number assigned to the owner and to the vehicle the name and address of the owner also a description of the vehicle including the engine and manufacturer's serial numbers thereof and such other statement of facts as may be determined by the department

(b) The owner upon receiving the registration card shall sign the usual signature or name of such owner with pen and ink in the space provided

(c) In the event of a lost detroyed or illegible registration card it shall be the duty of the owner to apply to the department for a duplicate within forty-eight (48) hours of his discovery of the loss or defacement of such registration card upon a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(d) No owner or operator of a vehicle shall be subject to a fine or failure to have registration card if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of the twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new registration card was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating the provisions of sub-sections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 406—Registration Card to be Carried—The registration card issued for a vehicle shall at all times while the vehicle is being operated upon a highway be in the possession of the operator thereof or carried in the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 407—Proof of Certificate of Public Convenience—Before registering any motor vehicle to be used as a motor bus the secretary shall require evidence that a certificate of

public convenience has been issued by the Public Service Commission which certificate shall not have been revoked or shall not have expired by reason of limitations therein contained or that public service was begun prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen

Section 408—Registration of Manufacturers Jobbers and Dealers—(a) Motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers owned or in the possession of manufacturers jobbers or dealers shall be exempt from individual registration if said manufacturer jobber or dealer registers with the department in the "Dealer's Class"

(b) Application for such registration shall be made upon a form provided by the department and shall set forth the full name and business address of the applicant and such other information as the department shall require and shall be signed by such manufacturer jobber or dealer Upon receipt of the application accompanied by the fee provided in this act for each registration desired the department shall register the manufacturer jobber or dealer in the "Dealer's Class"

(c) No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall under any circumstances be operated under a manufacturer's jobber's or dealer's registration unless the registration card for the registration plate or plates displayed is carried in the vehicle or is in the immediate possession of the operator and bears the signature of the manufacturer jobber or dealer to whom issued

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 409—Registration by Non-Residents—(a) Non-residents of this Commonwealth except as otherwise provided in this act will be exempt from the provisions of this act as to the registration of motor vehicles trailers semi-trailers for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under laws of the foreign country or state of their residence Provided That they shall have complied with the provisions of the law of the foreign country or state of their residence relative to the registration and equipment of their motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and shall conspicuously display the registration plates as required thereby and have in their possession the registration certificate issued for such vehicle

(b) The owner of a foreign vehicle operated within this Commonwealth for the transportation of persons or property for compensation either regularly according to schedule or for a period exceeding thirty (30) days shall register such vehicles and pay the same fees therefor as are required for like vehicles owned by residents of this Commonwealth

(c) Every non-resident including any foreign corporation carrying on business within this Commonwealth and owning and regularly operating in such business any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer exclusively within this Commonwealth shall be required to register each such vehicle and pay the same fee therefor as is required with reference to like vehicles owned by residents of this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 410—Registration Shall Be Refused—The department shall not accept an application for the registration of a vehicle in any of the following events

1 When the applicant therefor is not entitled thereto under the provisions of this act

2 When the applicant has neglected or refused to furnish the department with the information required in the appropriate official form or reasonable additional information required by the department

3 When the fees required therefor by law have not been paid

4 When the vehicle is not constructed or equipped as required by this act

Section 411—Transfer of Registration—(a) Upon transfer of ownership or the destruction of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer the registration shall expire

(b) When transfer is made from one registration classification to another registration classification application shall be made immediately to the department upon a form furnished by the department upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act when the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is of equal or less horsepower or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer be properly registered in a higher class

(c) The application shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number the character of the motive power and the horsepower or seating capacity and in the case of a commercial motor vehicle the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of electric commercial motor vehicles the gross maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of trailers and semi-trailers the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same.

(d) When transfer of registration is made the owner shall be given a transfer registration card and new registration number if transfer is made to another classification

(e) When a transfer of registration is made after a vehicle has been registered for the succeeding year and the transfer application has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year the transfer fee provided in this act shall not be required

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 412—Registration Suspended—(a) The secretary may suspend any registration with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative in any of the following cases

1 When vehicle is unsafe or unfit for operation or is not equipped as required by this act

2 When the owner shall make or permit to be made any unlawful use of a vehicle or registration plate or plates or permit the use thereof by a person not entitled thereto

3 When the owner has been convicted of using a false or fictitious name or giving a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

4 Upon certification or request or order of any court or the Public Service Commission duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certificates requests or orders

5 When check submitted in payment of any registration is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) The secretary upon suspending any registration shall require the registration plate or plates and registration card to be surrendered immediately to the department and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to seize such registration plate or plates and registration card

(c) Any person whose registration has been suspended shall not be entitled to apply for or receive new or duplicate registration until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

(d) Whenever the secretary suspends any registration the secretary shall immediately notify the owner and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not been already held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the registration for a further period

(e) Any person whose registration has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 413—Expiration of Registration—All registrations shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary and immediately upon the transfer of ownership or the destruction of the vehicle but registration cards for the succeeding year may at the option of their holders be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

Section 414—Police Departments to have Registration Bulletins—The secretary shall issue bulletins giving the registration number name and address of the owner of each vehicle registered to such police departments as he deems necessary and such police departments are hereby prohibited from disposing of such bulletins or parts of such bulletins for other than information as to violations of the motor vehicle laws

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 415—Sale of Copy of Registrations or Learner's Permits—(a) The secretary is authorized to dispose of after advertisement and competitive bidding to the highest bidder an official copy of vehicle registrations or learner's permits as issued No other copy of said registrations or learner's permits shall be disposed of by the secretary except as herein provided

(b) The purchaser of the official copy of vehicle registrations or learner's permits is authorized to reprint and use the same for commercial purposes

ARTICLE V

REGISTRATION PLATES

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Section 501 Registration Plates to be furnished by Department—(a) The department shall furnish to every owner whose motor vehicle is registered and for each registration applied for by a manufacturer jobber or dealer in motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailer two registration plates and to every owner of a registered trailer semi-trailer motorcycle or bicycle with motor attached and for each registration applied for by a manufacturer jobber or dealer in motorcycles or bicycles with motor attached one registration plate

(b) Every registration plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number assigned to the vehicle the name of the Commonwealth which may be abbreviated the year number for which it is issued and any other identification the department may deem necessary. The required letters and numerals on such plate or plates shall be not more than five (5) inches in height to be plainly legible from a distance of one hundred (100) feet during daylight except that the required letters and figures on motorcycle motorcycle dealer and bicycle with motor attached plates shall be not more than three and one-half (3½) inches in height

(c) It shall be unlawful to display on any vehicle an altered defaced or forged registration plate

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 502 Use of Manufacturer's Jobber's and Dealer's Registration Plates Limited—Registration plate or plates issued in the "Dealer's Class" may be used on any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned or in the possession of a manufacturer jobber or dealer and operated by such manufacturer jobber or dealer or the employe of such manufacturer jobber or dealer when such motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is used (a) in the motor vehicle business of such manufacturer jobber in the motor vehicle business of such manufacturer jobber or dealer (b) for the personal pleasure of such manufacturer jobber or dealer or the members of his family when operated by such manufacturer jobber or dealer or an immediate member of his family (c) for teaching a new operator how to operate a motor vehicle if such new operator has procured a learner's permit and for such new operator to take an examination for an operator's license or (d) for testing motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers in the possession of such manufacturer jobber or dealer or (e) for demonstrating motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers in the possession of such manufacturer jobber or dealer and such vehicles may be operated by a prospective purchaser when licensed as an operator or permittee and when accompanied by the manufacturer jobber or dealer or an employe of such manufacturer jobber or dealer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 503—How Registration Plates Carried on Motor Vehicles—Every registration plate shall at all times be securely fastened to the vehicle to which it is assigned one on the front the other on the rear except for motorcycles bicycles with motor attached trailers and semi-trailers the single plate shall be on the rear

No plate shall be attached at a height less than twelve (12) inches from the ground measuring from the bottom of such plate nor shall any plate be obscured

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 504 Use of Registration Plates Restricted—No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated under any other registration plates than those of its own registration except as provided in this act Except as is provided in this act for non-residents no registration plate or plates shall be displayed on any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer other than those issued by the department nor shall there be displayed upon any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned by a resident of this Commonwealth while operating upon any highway in this Commonwealth any registration plate or plates issued by any other state or foreign country but a resident of this Commonwealth may display in addition to the Pennsylvania registration plate or plates registration plate or plates of one or more states

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be

sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 505 Lost Defaced or Substituted Registration Plates (a) In the event of the loss of one or both registration plates or if a plate or plates become so defaced that the numerals or letters thereon are illegible it shall be the duty of the owner of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer for which the same were issued to apply to the department for new plates within forty-eight (48) hours of his discovery of the loss or defacement of such plate or plates

(b) The Department may issue substitute or duplicate registration plate or plates in exchange for plate or plates already issued

(c) Applications for such replacements or substitutions or duplications shall be made upon a form furnished by the department on which shall be set forth the loss defacing or destruction of or reasons for substitution or duplication of such plate or plates and be accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths thereupon the department shall cancel the original registration and shall replace the original plate or plates with duplicate plate or plates or with plate or plates of number other than that originally issued also a correct or duplicate registration card

(d) Upon the receipt of new plate or plates it shall be the duty of the owner to return immediately to the department for cancellation the old registration plate or plates unless lost or destroyed

(e) No owner or operator of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that one or both registration plates are missing if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of the twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new plate or plates was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 506 Transfer of Registration Plates—(a) Upon the transfer of ownership or the destruction of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer the owner shall remove the registration plate or plates therefrom immediately

(b) In the event of the transfer of registration plate or plates to a vehicle of the same vehicle classification as that originally registered the owner shall be assigned the registration plate or plates previously issued to him unless such registration plate or plates have been lost or destroyed

(c) If transfer of registration plate or plates is from one vehicle classification to another vehicle classification new registration plate or plates shall be issued to the owner Upon receipt of new registration plate or plates the registration plate or plates previously issued shall be returned to the department immediately for cancellation unless such registration plate or plates have been lost or destroyed

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 507—Temporary Use of Registration Plates Pending Transfer—After the transfer of registration plate or plates from a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer to another motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned by the same owner the owner or operator shall not for a period of twenty (20) days be subject to a fine for the operation of the latter motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer without the proper transfer registration card for the registration plate or plates displayed provided he shall have made application to the department as required in this act for transfer of the registration and provided he shall upon prosecution make an affidavit or testify under oath to that effect

Section 508 Illegal Transfer of Registration Plates—No person shall give or lend registration plate or plates or manufacturer's jobber's or dealer's registration plate or plates to another

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 509 Return of Manufacturer's Jobber's or Dealer's Registration Plates—Registration plate or plates and registration cards issued in the dealer's class shall be returned to the department for cancellation when the manufacturer jobber or dealer discontinues motor vehicle business

Penalty—Any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 510—The Expiration of Registration Plates—(a) All registration plates shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but the registration plate or plates for the succeeding year may at the option of the owner be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

(b) No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated after December thirty-first with registration plates for the previous year nor without registration plates on claim by the owner or operator that registration plates for the current year have been applied for but not received

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

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Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 602 Persons Exempt from License—Every person in the service of the Federal Government when furnished with a driver's permit and when operating an official motor vehicle in such service shall be exempt from license under this act

Section 603 Non-Residents when Exempt from License—(a) A non-resident who has been duly licensed as an operator

under a law requiring the licensing of operators in his home state or country and who has in his immediate possession a valid operator's license issued to him in his home state or country shall be permitted without examination or operator's license under this act to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under the laws of the foreign state or country as provided in this act

(b) It shall be unlawful for any non-resident whose home state or country does not require the licensing of operators to operate any motor vehicle upon any highway in this Commonwealth without first making application for and obtaining a license as an operator as required under this act except that any said unlicensed non-resident who is the owner of a motor vehicle which has been duly registered for the current calendar year in the state or country of which the owner is a resident may operate motor vehicles upon the highways of this Commonwealth for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under the laws of the state or country of the non-resident without making application for or obtaining an operator's license under this act upon condition that the non-resident owner has in his immediate possession a registration card evidencing such ownership and registration in his home state or country

(c) Provided that non-resident operators operating motor vehicles within this Commonwealth for the transporation of persons or property for compensation either regularly according to a schedule or for a period exceeding thirty (30) days shall be required to obtain a Pennsylvania operator's license

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 604 Persons Not to be Licensed—(a) An operator's license or learner's permit shall not be issued to any person under the following conditions

1 When less than sixteen (16) years of age
2 When operating privilege is suspended
3 When operating privilege is revoked
4 When applicant's name appears upon department's prohibitory list
5 To an habitual drunkard or addict to the use of narcotic drugs
6 When adjudged insane or an idiot imbecile epileptic or feeble-minded until restored to competency by judicial decree or released from a hospital for the insane or feeble-minded upon certification by the superintendent or medical director that such person is competent nor then unless the secretary is satisfied such person competent to operate a motor vehicle with safety to persons and property
7 When afflicted with or suffering from a physical or mental disability or disease which in the opinion of the secretary will prevent such person from exercising reasonable and ordinary control over a motor vehicle
8 When unable to understand warning or direction signs in the English language

(b) Physical disability includes the following
1 Loss of the use of both hands
2 Less than fifty (50) per centum of normal vision with the aid of glasses (To possess fifty (50) per centum of normal vision one must be able with one eye to read all the letters on the seventy (70) line of the Standard Snellen Type Chart at a distance of twenty (20) feet)
3 Less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing (To possess two (2) per centum of normal hearing one must respond when addressed in a natural tone of voice by another standing one (1) foot behind)

(c) The Secretary may issue an operator's license or learner's permit to a person having less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing upon the receipt of such evidence or demonstration as shall satisfy him that such person has had sufficient experience in the operation of a motor vehicle to enable him to do so without endangering the safety of the public and provided that such person shall not operate a motor vehicle unless same is equipped with a mirror so located as to reflect to the operator a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear

Section 605 Age Limits for Drivers of School Busses and Public Passenger Carrying Motor Vehicles—It shall be unlawful for any person who is under the age of twenty-one (21) years to operate a motor vehicle while used in the transporation of pupils to or from school or to operate a motor bus or motor omnibus

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 606 Learner's Permits—(a) The department upon receiving from any person sixteen (16) years of age or over an application for a learner's permit may in its discretion issue such a permit entitling the applicant while having such permit in his immediate possession to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways for a period of sixty (60) days from date of issue when accompanied by a licensed operator who is actually occupying a seat beside the hloder of the learner's permit except that permittees operating motorcycles or bicycles with motor attached need not be so accompanied

(b) Every application for learner's permit shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths on a form provided by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall state the name age sex and actual or bona fide address of the applicant together with any other information the secretary may desire and whether or not the applicant has heretofore been licensed as an operator and if so when and by what state and whether or not such license has ever been revoked or suspended and if so the date of and reason for such suspension or revocation

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 607 Renewal of Operator's License—Annual renewals of operator's license shall be made in such manner as the secretary may require upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act Provided That renewals may be made in the same manner as annual renewals of any operator's license issued during any of the three (3) years preceding application for renewal when applicant furnishes satisfactory proof of having had a Pennsylvania operator's license issued to him or her during any of the three (3) immediate preceding license years The department shall mail such form to the last address of the operator as it appears on the department records

Section 608 Examination of Applicants—(a) Before issuing an operator's license to any person except as otherwise provided the secretary shall require the applicant to demonstrate personally to him or his representative in such a manner as the secretary may direct that such applicant is a proper person to operate a motor vehicle has sufficient knowledge of the mechanism of motor vehicles to insure their safe operation and a satisfactory knowledge of the laws and regulations concerning motor vehicles and their operation

(b) The secretary may issue an operator's license either unlimited or containing certain restrictions or limitations as the secretary may deem advisable

(c) The secretary may in his discretion waive the examination of any person applying for the renewal of an operator's license issued under this act

(d) The secretary may in his discretion issue an operator's license under this act without examination to any person applying therefor who is of sufficient age as required by this act to receive the license applied for when the secretary is satisfied that the applicant is fully qualified as an operator of motor vehicles and to any person who at the time of such application has a valid unrevoked license of like nature issued to such person in another state under a law requiring the licensing and examination of operators

(e) Following any examination and pending the issue of the operator's license the secretary's representative may au-

thorize any applicant who has qualified as an operator to operate a motor vehicle with his learner's permit card and without being accompanied by a licensed operator provided such learner's permit card is properly approved for such purpose

Section 609 Register of Operators and Learners—The secretary shall file every application for an operator's license and learner's permit and index the same by name and number and maintain suitable records of all licenses and permits issued and all applications for licenses denied also a record of all licenses and permits which have been revoked or suspended The secretary may cause the applications for operator's licenses and learners' permits and records in connection therewith to be destroyed three (3) years after the year for which issued

Section 610 Licenses Issued to Operators—(a) The department shall issue to every person licensed as an operator an operator's license card

(b) Every such card shall bear thereon the operator's license number the name residence address and such other information as may be required also a space for the signature of the licensee

Section 611 Duplicate License Cards—(a) In the event that an operator's license or learner's permit shall be lost or destroyed or become illegible the person to whom the same was issued shall make application to the department upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act for a duplicate thereof

(b) No owner or operator of a motor vehicle shall be subject to a fine for the reason that an operator's license or learner's permit is lost if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for duplicate operator's license or learner's permit was made within forty-eight (48) hours of discovery of loss of same

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 612 License to be Signed and Carried—(a) Every person licensed as an operator or learner shall write his usual signature with pen and ink in the space provided for that purpose on the operator's license or learner's permit card issued to him immediately upon receipt of such card

(b) The licensee or permittee shall have such operator's license or learner's permit in his immediate possession at all times when operating a motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 613 Expiration of Licenses—All operator's licenses shall expire on the last day of February of each year unless sooner revoked or suspended for cause by the secretary but operator's licenses for the succeeding year may at the option of their owners be used on and after February fifteenth of the current year

Section 614 Revocation of Licenses—(a) The secretary shall forthwith revoke for a period of one (1) year from date of revocation the operator's license or learner's permit of any person upon receiving a certified record from the clerk of the court of the conviction of such person of any of the following crimes

1 Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic or habit producing drug or permitting any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic or habit producing drug to operate any motor vehicle owned by him or in his custody or control

2 Using a false or fictitious name or giving a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

3 Any crime punishable as a felony under the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth or any other felony in the commission of which a motor vehicle is used

4. Conviction of an operator of a motor vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property upon the charge of failing to stop and render assistance or disclose his identity at the scene of the accident

(b) The secretary upon receiving a certified record from the clerk of the court of the conviction of any person upon a charge of operating a motor vehicle while the operator's license or learner's permit of such person is revoked shall immediately extend the period of such first revocation for an additional like period

(c) The secretary upon revoking any operator's license or learner's permit shall require that such license of any operator whose license or permit is so revoked shall immediately be surrendered to and retained by the department

Section 615 Suspensions of Licenses or Operating Priviieges—(a) The secretary may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative and without receiving a record of conviction of such person of crime whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence

1 That such person is incompetent to operate a motor vehicle or is afflicted with mental or physical infirmities or disabilities rendering it unsafe for such person to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways

2 That such person has bee nconvicted of or forfeited bail upon three (3) charges of reckless driving all within the preceding twelve (12) months

3 That such person has been convicted of a misdemeanor or has forfeited bail upon such a charge in the commission of which a motor vehicle was used

4 That such person has been convicted of manslaughter resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle

(b) The secretary may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person after a hearing before the secretary or his representative o rupon failure of the said person to appear at such hearing whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence

1 That such person has committed any offense for the conviction of which mandatory revocation of license is provided in this act

2 That such person is an habitual reckless or negligent operator of a motor vehicle or has committed any violation of the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth

3 That such persn has failed to file a report with the department of a motor vehicle accident as required by this act

(c) The secretary may suspend any operator's license or learner's permit when check submitted in payment is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to lift operator's license or learner's permit card so cancelled

(d) The secretary is hereby authorized to suspend the privilege of any non-resident to operate a motor vehicle in this Commonwealth for any cause for which the license of a resident operator may be suspended or revoked The secretary is further authorized upon receiving a record of the conviction in this Commonwealth of a non-resident operator of a motor vehicle of any offense under the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth to forward a report of such conviction to the Motor Vehicle Administrator in the State wherein the person so convicted is a resident

(e) The secretary is hereby authorized after a hearing before the secretary or his representative to suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person licensed in this Commonwealth upon receiving notice of the conviction of such person in another state of an offense therein which if committed in this Commonwealth would be grounds for the suspension or revocation of the license of an operator

(f) The secretary may suspend any operator's license or learner's permit upon certification or request or order of any court or commission duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certifications requests or orders

(g) The Secretary upon suspending any operator's license or learner's permit shall require that such licenses of any operator

whose license or permit is so suspended shall be surrendered immediately to and retained by the department

(h) Whenever the secretary suspends the operator's license or learner's permit of any person the secretary shall immediately notify such person and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not already been held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of such person for a further period

Section 616 Right of Appeal to Court from Suspension—Any person whose operator's license or learner's permit has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of operator's license or learner's permit under the provisions of this act

Section 617 New Operator's License after Revocation or Suspension—Any person whose operator's license or learner's permit has been revoked under the provisions of this act shall not be entitled to apply for or receive any new operator's license or learner's permit until the expiration of one (1) year from the date of revocation or in the event of suspension no new operator's license or learner's permit until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

Section 618 Owner Liable for Negligence of Certain Minors—Every owner of a motor vehicle causing or knowingly permitting a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to operate a motor vehicle upon a highway and any person who knowingly gives or furnishes a motor vehicle to a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years shall be jointly and severally liable with such minor for any damages caused by the negligence of such minor in operating such vehicle

Section 619 Counties and Municipalities Liable for Negligence of Their Employes—Every county city borough incorporated town or township within this Commonwealth employing any person shall be jointly and severally liable with such person for any damages caused by the negligence of such person while operating a motor vehicle upon a highway in the course of their employment

Section 620 Violation of License Provisions—It shall be unlawful for any person to commit any of the following acts

(a) To display or cause or permit to be displayed or to have in possession any operator's license or learner's permit knowing the same to be fictitious or to have been cancelled revoked suspended or altered

(b) To lend to or knowingly permit the use of by one not entitled thereto any operator's license or learner's permit issued to the person so lending or permitting the use thereof

(c) To display or to represent as one's own any operator's license or learner's permit not issued to the person so displaying the same

(d) To fail or refuse to surrender to the department upon demand any operator's license learner's permit registration card registration plates certificate of title or duplicates thereof which have been suspended cancelled or revoked as provided in this act

(e) To make use of or operate any motor vehicle without the knowledge or consent of the owner or custodian thereof

(f) To operate a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic drug or permit any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug to operate any motor vehicle owned by him or in his custody or control

(g) To turn off any or all the lights on a motor vehicle for the purpose of avoiding identification or arrest

(h) To operate any motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth after operator's license or learner's permit is suspended or revoked

(i) To operate any motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth after its registration has been suspended by the secretary

(j) To use a false or fictitious name or give a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly make a false statement or knowingly conceal a material fact or otherwise commit a fraud in any application

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) (b) (c) or (d) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) or (j) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 621 Unlawful for Minor to Operate Motor Vehicle as a Paid Employe—It shall be unlawful for any person under the age of eighteen (18) years to operate a motor vehicle upon any highway as a paid employe or for any person to cause or permit any such operation

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 622 Unlawful to Permit Violations of Act—No person shall authorize or permit a motor vehicle owned by him or under his control to be operated by any person who has no legal right to do so or in violation of any of the provisions of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

ARTICLE VII

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Section 701 Motorcycles and Motor-Bicycles—The fee for the annual registration of a motorcycle shall be three ($3) dollars and for the annual registration of a bicycle with a motor attached two ($2) dollars

Section 702 Motor Vehicles—The fee for annual registration of motor vehicles except as provided in this act shall be

at the rate of forty (40) cents for each horse power or fractional part thereof Provided That the minimum fee payable for such annual registration shall be ten ($10) dollars

Section 703 Commercial Motor Vehicles and Truck Tractors with Pneumatic Tires—Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires other than those electrically operated shall be divided into nine (9) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross chassis weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
R	Less than 2000	$16.50
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	26.00
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	35.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	45.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	63.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	90.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	110.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	155.00
ZZ	12000 and over	225.00

Section 704 Commercial Motor Vehicles and ruck Tractors with Solid Rubber or Cushion Rubber Tires Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires approved by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth other than those electrically operated shall be divided into nine (9) classes and the fee for the annual registration o fsuch vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross chassis weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
	(Solid Rubber Tires)	
R	Less than 2000	$23.00
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	45.00
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	60.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	75.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	105.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	150.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	195.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	300.00
ZZ	12000 and over	350.00

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
	(Cushion Rubber Tires)	
R	Less than 2000	$25.00
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	35.00
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	50.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	60.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	85.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	125.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	150.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	200.00
ZZ	12000 and over	275.00

Section 705 Electrically Operated Commercial Motor Vehicles and Truck Tractors—Electrically operated commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors shall be divided into eight (8) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Weight of Chassis Battery Body and load in Pounds	Fee
R	Less than 5001	$16.50
S	5001 and over but less than 7001	26.00
T	7001 and over but less than 11001	35.00
U	11001 and over but less than 15001	45.00
V	15001 and over but less than 18001	63.00
W	18001 and over but less than 22001	90.00
Y	22001 and over but less than 25001	110.00
Z	25001 and over but less than 26000	155.00

Section 706 Trailers and Semi-Trailers—Trailers and semi-trailers whether equipped with pneumatic cushion rubber or solid rubber tires shall be divided into seven (7) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross weight of chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
A	Less than 1000	$5.00
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	8.00
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	15.00
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	25.00
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	30.00
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	45.00
G	6000 and over	75.00

Section 707 Motor Busses and Motor Omnibusses with Pneumatic Tires—The fee for annual registration of each motor bus and motor omnibus with pneumatic tires shall be according to seating capacity and the following classes

Class	Seating Capacity	Fee
A	Five (5) Passenger or less	$25.00
B	More than five (5) passengers and less than (8) passengers	30.00
C	More than seven (7) passengers and not more than twenty-six passengers	$40.00 plus $4.00 for each seat over seven seats
D	In excess of twenty-six (26) passengers	$40.00 plus $4.00 for each seat over seven seats to and including twenty-six seats plus $10.00 for each seat over twenty-six

Section 708 Motor Busses and Motor Omnibusses with Solid Rubber Tires—The fee for annual registration of each motor bus and motor omnibus with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires shall be according to seating capacity and the following classes

Class	Seating Capacity	Fee
A	Five (5) passengers or less	$37.50
B	More than five (5) passengers and less than eight (8) passengers	$45.00
C	More than seven (7) passengers and not more than twenty-six (26) passengers	$50.00 plus $5.00 for each seat over seven seats
D	In excess of twenty-six (26) passengers (except as otherwise provided in Class E)	$50.00 plus $5.00 for each seat over seven seats to and including twenty-six seats plus $12.50 for each seat over twenty-six
E	In excess of fifty-three (53) passengers when operated exclusively in cities	$400.00

Section 709 Metal Tires—The fee for annual registration of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer equipped with metal tires shall be double the regular fee of a similar vehicle equipped with solid rubber tires

Section 710 Reduction of Registration Fees in Certain Cases—The fee for registration of a motor vehicle trailer and semi-trailer when registration is issued on or after August first but prior to November first shall be one-half (½) of the fee for annual registration Provided That the fee for registration of any such vehicles when registration is issued on or after November first shall be one-fourth (¼) of the fee herein specified

Section 711 Manufacturers Jobbers and Dealers—The fee shall be five ($5) dollars for each registration issued to manufacturers jobbers or dealers in motorcycles and bicycles with motor attached registered in the "Dealer's Class"

The fee shall be twenty-five ($25) dollars for each of the first two registrations and five ($5) dollars for each additional annual registration issued to manufacturers jobbers or dealers in motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers registered in the "Dealer's Class"

Section 712 Lighting Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of head lamps and auxiliary driving lamps shall

be one hundred and fifty ($150.00) dollars for each type approved

The fee for approval and registration of rear lamps signal lamps and mechanical signal devices shall be fifty ($50.00) dollars for each type approved

The fee for approval and registration incident to the renewal of a certificate of approval for headlamps shall be fifty ($50.00) dollars

The fee for approval and registration incident to the renewal of a certificate of approval for auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps signal lamps and mechanical signal devices shall be twenty-five ($25.00) dollars

Section 713 Operator's Licenses Duplicate Registration or Operator's License Card—The fee for issuing an operator's license to a person unable to produce satisfactory proof of having held a Pennsylvania operator's license during any one of the three (3) years preceding application shall be three dollars which fee shall entitle the applicant for such license to receive a learner's permit valid for sixty (60) days from date of issue and if the examination shall have been passed during the sixty (60) day period an operator's license for the current year

The fee for renewal of an operator's license shall be two ($2.00) dollars

The fee for a duplicate operator's license card or duplicate registration card shall be fifty ($.50) cents

Section 714 Replacement or Substitution of Registration Plates—The fee for replaced or substituted or duplicated motor vehicle trailer semi-trailer and manufacturer's jobbers or dealers' registration plate or plates shall be one ($1.00) dollar and except that the fee for replaced or substituted or duplicated motorcycle or bicycle with motor attached registration plates shall be fifty ($.50) cents

Section 715 Transferring Registration—The fee for transfer of registration shall be two ($2.00) dollars when motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is of equal or less horse-power or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of a fee of two ($2.00) dollars and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer be properly registerable in a higher classification

Section 716 Certificates of Title Duplicate Certificates of Title—The fee for each certificate of title shall be two ($2.00) dollars except in the case of a manufacturer jobber or dealer when the fee shall be fifty ($.50) cents The fee for a duplicate certificate of title shall be fifty ($.50) cents

No fee shall be required when a certificate of title or assigned certificate of title is returned to the department for cancellation

Section 717 Certified Copies of Records—The fee for a certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 718 Uncollectible Checks—Whenever any check issued in payment of any fee or for any other purpose shall be returned to the department as uncollectible the secretary shall charge a fee of five ($5) dollars plus all protest fees to the person presenting such check to him to cover the cost of its collection

Section 719 Special Hauling Permits—The fee for a special hauling permit shall be five ($5) dollars payable to the authorities issuing such permit

Section 720 Mechanical Brake Testing Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of a mechanical brake testing device shall be one hundred ($100) dollars for each type approved

Section 721 Headlamp Testing Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of a headlamp testing device shall be one hundred ($100) dollars for each type approved

Section 722 Exemptions From Fees—(a) No fee shall be charged for a certificate of title or registration of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and used by (a) the Federal Government (b) any state other than Pennsylvania which issues titles or registrations to this Commonwealth without charge (c) the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (d) any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth (e) any duly authorized volunteer fire force hospital humane society or anti-cruelty society in this Commonwealth (f) by the American Red Cross (g) by churches (h) Girl Scouts of America (i) Boy Scouts of America (j) Salvation Army (k) Mine or industrial ambulances (l) Ambassadors Ministers Consular Representatives and other diplomatic representatives who are entitled to exemption under the terms of a treaty but all such vehicle except those owned and used by the Federal Government shall be titled and registered and shall display registration plates as is now provided for privately owned motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers

(b) No fee shall be charged for operator's licenses issued to employes of this Commonwealth engaged in the operation of motor vehicles owned by this Commonwealth

(c) No fee shall be charged for replacement or substitution of registration card registration plates operator's license card learner's permit card or certificate of title when satisfactory proof is furnished the secretary of loss of same in the mails

(d) No fee shall be charged for certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any department record furnished to Federal State County or Municipal authorities

(e) No fee shall be charged for special hauling permits issued to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth

(f) No fee shall be charged for transfer of registration for the succeeding year when such transfer has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year

(g) No fee shall be charged for a certificate of junk issued to any person

(h) No fee shall be charged a manufacturer jobber or dealer for a certificate of title to a new motor vehicle when assignment of certificate of title accompanies the application for certificate of title

Section 723 No Other Taxes or Fees to be Imposed Exception—The fees herein set forth shall be in lieu of any other fees or taxes to be imposed by this Commonwealth or sub-division thereof and no city borough incorporated town township or county shall require or collect any registration or license fee or tax for any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer or license from any operator thereof except motor busses and motor omnibusses transporting passengers for pay or hire within the limits of any city or from points within such city to points outside of the city limits

Section 724 Motor License Fund—The department shall collect all fees payable under this act and all other moneys received in connection with the administration of this act and transmit them to the State Treasury where they shall be kept in the "Motor License Fund" separate and from all other moneys in the State Treasury

ARTICLE VIII

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Section 801 Required Lighting Equipment—(a) When Vehicles Must Be Equipped—Every vehicle upon a highway within this Commonwealth during the period from one (1) hour after sunset to one (1) hour before sunrise and at any other time when there is not sufficient light to render clearly discernible any person on the highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead shall be equipped with lighted front and rear lamps as in this section respectively required for different classes of vehicles

(b) Head Lamps on Motor Vehicles—Every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle or bicycle with motor attached shall be equipped with two (2) head lamps and no less at the front of and on opposite sides of the motor vehicle which headlamps shall comply with the requirements and limitations set forth in this act and except as to acetylene headlamps approved by the secretary

(c) Head Lamps on Motorcycles—Every motorcycle shall be equipped with at least one (1) head lamp which shall comply with the requirements and limitations set forth in this act and except as to acetylene head lamps shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

(d) Rear Lamps and Illumination of Rear Registration Plate—Every motor vehicle and every trailer or semi-trailer attached to a motor vehicle shall carry at the rear a lamp of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary and which exhibits a red light plainly visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear of such vehicle and so constructed and placed that the number plate carried on the rear of such vehicle shall under like conditions be so illuminated by a white light as to be read from a distance of fifty (50) feet to the rear of such vehicle

(e) Clearance Lamps—Every motor vehicle having a width at any part in excess of ninety (90) inches shall carry at least one (1) clearance lamps on the left side of such vehicle and displaying a white or green light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of the vehicle and displaying a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear of the vehicle Provided That motorcycles having more than two (2) wheels or with side car equipment shall display a clearance lamps in such a manner as to indicate the right lateral extension of the vehicle

(f) Lamps on Bicycles—Every bicycle and every bicycle with motor attached shall be equipped with a lighted lamp on the front thereof visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet in front of such bicycle or bicycle with motor attached and shall also be equipped with a reflex mirror or lamp on the rear exhibiting or reflecting a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of such bicycle or bicycle with motor attached

(g) Lights on Other Vehicles—All vehicles not required in this act to be equipped with specific lighted lamps shall carry one (1) or more lighted lamps or lanters displaying a white light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of not less than five hundred (500) feet to the front and rear of such vehicles except for vehicles other than motor vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk.

(h) Lights on Parked Motor Vehicles—Whenever a motor vehicle is parked or stopped upon a highway whether attended or unattended during the time when lights are required by this section may in lieu of the lighting equipment specified show one (1) white or green light carried on the left side of the motor vehicle visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of such vehicle and projecting a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear Provided That local authorities may by ordinance or rule or regulation establish zones within which motor vehicles may remain standing without lights

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) or (f) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (g) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of two (2) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than one (1) day

Section 802 Additional Permissible Lights—(a) Spot Lamps—Any motor vehicle may be equipped with not to exceed two (2) spot lamps except that a motorcycle shall not be equipped with more than one (1) spot lamp and every lighted spot lamp shall be so aimed and used upon approaching another vehicle that no part of the beam will be directed to the left of the center of the highway nor more than one hundred (100) feet ahead of the vehicle

(b) Auxiliary Driving Lamps—Any motor vehicle may be equipped with not less than two (2) auxiliary driving lamps mounted on the front which lamps shall comply with requirements and limitations set forth in this act and shall be of types which at the time of their use are approved by the secretary

(c) Signal Lamps and Mechanical Signal Devices—1 Whenever a motor vehicle is equipped with a signal lamp the signal lamp shall be so constructed and located on the vehicle as to give a signal yellow or red or green in color which shall be plainly visible in normal sunlight from a distance of one hundred (100) feet to the rear of the vehicle but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light and shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

2 When a vehicle is equipped with a mechanical signal the mechanical signal shall be so constructed and located on the vehicle as to give a signal plainly visible from a distance of one hundred (100) feet to the rear of the vehicle and shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 803 Requirements as to Head Lamps and Auxiliary Driving Lamps—(a) The head lamps or head lamp of motor vehicles shall be so constructed arranged adjusted and attached that except as provided in this act they will at all time mentioned in this act and under normal atmospheric conditions and on a level road produce a driving light sufficient to render clearly discernible all vehicles persons or substantial objects one hundred sixty (160) feet ahead but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of such head lamps or head lamp Provided That for motorcycles the distance at which vehicle persons or substantial objects shall be clearly discernible shall be one hundred fifteen (115) feet

(b) Head lamps or head lamp shall be deemed to comply with the foregoing provisions prohibiting glaring and dazzling lights if no part of the main bright portion of the head lamp beam rises above a horizontal plane passing through the lamp centers parallel to the level of the highway upon which the loaded vehicle stands and in no case higher than forty-two (42) inches at a distance seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the vehicle

(c) Whenever a motor vehicle is being operated upon a highway or a portion thereof which is sufficiently lighted to reveal vehicles persons or substantial objects on such highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead of motor vehicle it shall be permissable to dim the headlamps or headlamp or to tilt the beams or beam downward or to substitute therefor the light from side lights or auxiliary driving lamps subject to the restrictions as to tilted beams and auxiliary driving lamps as provided in this act

(d) Restrictions on Lamps Bulbs and Reflectors—Any device other than headlamps spot lamps or auxiliary driving lamps

which project a beam of light of an intensity greater than twenty-five (25) candlepower shall be so directed that no part of the beam will strike the level of the surface on which the vehicle stands at a distance of more than fifty (50) feet from the vehicle

Every electric lamp or bulb used in any head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp on any motor vehicle shall not exceed the mean spherical candlepower designated in certificate of approval as issued by the secretary

Every electric lamp or bulb used in any side light shall not exceed four (4) mean spherical candlepower

Every reflector which is used as a part of any head lamp shall have a highly polished silvered or glass or other reflecting surface and shall be free from dents rust and other imperfections

(c) Whenever a motor vehicle meets another vehicle on any highway it shall be permissable to tilt the beams or beam of the headlamps or headlamp downward or to substitute therefor the light from auxiliary driving lamps subject to the requirement that the tilted beams or beam or the beams from the auxiliary driving lamps shall give sufficient illumination under normal atmospheric conditions and on an approximately level highway to render clearly discernible vehicles persons or substantial objects seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the motor vehicle but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of the motor vehicle Provided That at all times required in this act at least two (2) lights shall be displayed on the front of and on opposite sides of every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle which shall display at least one (1) light as provided in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 804 Acetylene Lights Motor vehicles may be equipped with two (2) acetylene headlamps of approximately equal candlepower when equipped with clear plain glass fronts bright spherical or Mangan mirrors not to exceed six (6) inches in diameter and standard acetylene five-eights (5/8) foot burners not more and not less and which do not project a glaring or dazzling light into the eyes of approaching persons except that motorcycles may be equipped with one (1) acetylene headlamp of these specifications

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 805 Use Test and Approval of Lamps— (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to use upon a motor vehicle upon a highway any electric headlamp lens reflector or headlight control device or any electric auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechnaical signal device or signal lamp unless of a type which has been submitted to the secretary for test and for which a certificate of approval has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect as provided in this act

(b) The secretary is hereby authorized to adopt and enforce rules and uniform standard specifications as to the amount color and direction of light to be emitted by headlamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps mechanical signal devices and signal lamps and the secretary is authorized and required to determine whether any headlamps auxiliary driving lamps signal lamps mechanical signal devices and rear lamps submitted will comply with such rules and uniform standard specifications and the secretary may approve such headlamps auxiliary driving lamps signal lamps mechanical signal devices and rear lamps and to publish lists of such devices by name and type together with the permissible candlepower rating of the electric lamps or bulbs as he shall determine are lawful thereunder

(c) Any person desiring approval of any lighting device or mechanical signal device herein provided shall submit to the secretary two (2) sets of each type of device upon which approval is desired together with the fee provided in this act The secretary shall upon notice to the applicant submit such device to the United States Bureau of Standards or to such other recognized testing laboratory he may elect for a report as to the compliance of such device with the rules and uniform standard specifications adopted by the secretary Such devices will also be subject to any road tests or other tests as the secretary may deem necessary to determine that each type of headlamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device and signal lamp they and their component parts are so constructed and mounted as to render them readily and universally adjustable to conform to the requirements as adopted by the secretary The secretary is authorized to refuse approval of any lighting device or mechanical signal device certified as complying with the specifications and requirements which the secretary determines will be in actual use unsafe or impracticable or would fail to comply with the provisions of this act or such requirements as may be adopted by the secretary

(d) The secretary shall request the testing agency to submit a report of each type of device to the secretary in duplicate For those which are found to comply with the specifications and requirements the report shall include any special adjustments required and the candlepower rating of the bulbs for such conformance Reports of all tests shall be accessible to the public and a copy thereof shall be furnished by the secretary to the applicant for the test

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 806 Illegal Sale of Lighting Devices—It shall be unlawful for any person to sell or to offer for sale either separately or as a part of the equipment of a motor vehicle any head lamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp or signal lamp unless such device is approved by the secretary and bears the trade mark or name under which it is approved so as to be legible when installed and is accompanied by printed instructions as to the candlepower of bulbs to be used therewith as approved by the Secretary and any particular methods of mounting or adjustment as to focus or aim necessary for compliance with the requirements of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 807 Revocation of Certificates of Approval of Lighting Devices—(a) Any certificates of approval however heretofore or hereafter issued may be revoked by the secretary after a hearing before the secretary or his represntative of which the person named therein or his successor in interest shall be given reasonable notice or opportunity to hear or be heard upon the grounds that the lighting device or mechanical signal device does not comply with the provisions of this act regulations adopted or is not being supplied in production in accordance with specifications original blue print assemblies or sample devices originally submitted However revocation of certificates of approval of devices heretofore or hereafter approved shall not take effect until three (3) months after decision of the secretary revoking same

(b) The secretary may adopt uniform standard specifications for head lamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps signal lamps and may promulgate certain rules and regulations not inconsistent with this act to govern his decision in approving any lighting device or mechanical signal device or revoking any certificate of approval issued for such devices

(c) Certificates approving each type of head lamp device hereafter issued by the secretary will expire and be void after two (2) years from date of issue unless the manufacturer has prior to the expiration date made application for renewal of such certificate furnishing two (2) pair of samples for test purposes in accordance with this act together with the fee provided in this act and new certificate of approval has been issued

(d) Certificates approving each type of auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device and signal lamp hereafter issued by the secretary will expire and be void after two (2) years from date of issue unless the manufacturer has prior to the expiration date made application for renewal of any such certificate furnishing two (2) samples for the purposes in accordance with this act together with fee pro-

vided in this act and new certificate of approval has been issued

(e) When no renewal application is made and when an application for renewal of certificate of approval is refused the head lamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device or signal lamp will become illegal for use on motor vehicles after two (2) years from date of expiration of certificate Provided however new motor vehicles will not be titled unless the lighting devices are of an approved type for which certificates of approval are in effect at the time of application for title

Section 808 Enforcement and Authority to Refuse Title or Registration—(a) A head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp will be presumed to project a glaring or dazzling light if the top of any main beam of light projected by it is at a distance of twenty-five (25) feet ahead of the motor vehicle on an approximately level stretch of highway projected on the body of a person or on a motor vehicle or on any object at a height greater than the distance of the centers of the lamps from the highway A head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp mounted on a motor vehicle at a height higher than forty-two (42) inches above the highway will be presumed to project a glaring or dazzling light if the top of the beam of light projected by it on an approximately level stretch of highway be higher than forty-two (42) inches above the highway seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the vehicle

(b) The owner or operator of any motor vehicle equipped with approved headlamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps or signal lamp who is notified by a peace officer that such lamps are improperly adjusted or are equipped with bulbs of a candle-power not approved for use therewith shall be allowed forty-eight (48) hours within which to adjust and equip such lamps to conform with the requirements of this act To submit a certificate to the peace officer giving notification issued or executed by an official headlight adjusting station showing that within forty-eight (48) hours after such notification the lamps have been adjusted or equipped to conform with the requirements of this act shall relieve the owner or operator from arrest Unless such certificate is received by the peace officer within five (5) days from the date of notification showing that the lamps have been adjusted or equipped as required in this act information for arrest shall be made

(c) Any non-resident not required to register a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be exempt from the provisions of this act with regard to lighting equipment for the same period during which such person is exempt from registration under this act if the lighting equipment of such vehicles conforms to the requirements of the laws of the foreign country or state in which the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is registered

(d) The secretary may refuse to title or issue registration for any motor vehicle the lighting equipment of which is not approved for use in this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) or (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 809 Red Light Visible From in Front of Vehicle—No person shall operate or move any vehicle upon a highway with a red light displayed on the front thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 810 Official Headlight Adjusting Stations—(a) The secretary is authorized to designate furnish instruction to and to supervise official stations for adjusting head lamps and auxiliary driving lamps to conform with the provisions of this act The establishment of official headlight adjusting stations shall mean the designation of any place which shall comply with the requirements for a test station as determined by the secretary When headlamps and auxiliary driving lamps have been adjusted in conformity with the instructions issued by the secretary a certificate of adjustment shall be issued to the owner or operator of the motor vehicle on a form prescribed by the secretary and showing date of issue registration number of the motor vehicle owner's name name of vehicle and official designation of the adjusting station

(b) The secretary shall approve methods of headlamp and auxiliary driving lamp tests Approval of the use of head lamp testing equipment may be given by the secretary When necessary the United States Bureau of Standards or such other recognized testing agency may be called upon to assist the secretary in determining whether the headlamp testing equipment shall be approved for the purposes set forth in this act

(c) If the secretary finds that the business of any official adjusting station is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of such station

(d) It shall be unlawful for any person to display or cause or permitted to be displayed any sign mark or advertisement as an Official Headlight Adjusting Station unless certificate of appointment has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect or to furnish a certificate of Headlight Adjustment when not authorized to do so

(e) It shall be unlawful for the owner or any employe of an Official Headlight Adjusting Station to violate rules adopted by the secretary governing the correction adjustment or repair and inspection of lamps

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (d) or (e) of this sectoin shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 811 Brakes—(a) Every motor vehicle titled or registered in this Commonwealth and when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with brakes adequate to control the movement of and to stop and to hold such vehicle including two (2) separate means of applying the brakes each of which means shall be effective to apply the brakes to at least two (2) wheels If these two (2) separate means of applying the brakes are connected in any way they shall be so constructed that failure of any one (1) part of the operating mechanism shall not leave the motor vehicle without brakes on at least two (2) wheels

(b) Every motorcycle and bicycle with motor attached titled or registered in this Commonwealth and when operated upon a highway shall be provided with at least one (1) brake which may be operated by hand or foot

(c) All such brakes shall be maintained in good working order and shall conform to regulations further provided in this act

(d) On and after July first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one all new motor vehicles titled or registered in this Commonwealth shall be equipped with brakes as respectively required in this act for different classes of motor vehicles capable of conforming to braking requirements further provided in this act

(e) On a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose materail the service brake shall be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance.

(f) On a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material the emergency brake shall be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance

(g) Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with semi-trailers attached exceeding seven thousand (7000) pounds gross weight shall be capable of stopping on a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material within the following distances or at rates corresponding in each instance to the several performances specified

Within fifty (50) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon simultaneous application of the service and emergency brakes

Within seventy-five (75) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon application of the service brake alone

Within seventy-five (75) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon application of the emergency brake alone

(h) When any motor vehicle with trailer attached is operated in combination the application of brakes shall be construed to mean the application of all brakes on the motor

vehicle and trailer are normally capable of being operated simultaneously by the operator

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provision of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 812 Brake Enforcement—(a) The brakes on a motor vehicle will be presumed to be unsafe and to require immediate attention if on a dry approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material the service brake will not be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet and the emergency brake under the same conditions within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance except that the brakes on commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with semi-trailers attached exceeding seven thousand (7000) pounds gross weight will be presumed to be unsafe and to require immediate attention if on a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material both brakes applied simultaneously will not be capable of stopping such vehicles from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet and the service and emergency brakes applied separately under the same conditions within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance Or when on a descending grade not exceeding ten (10) per centum motor vehicle will drift with either service or emergency brake applied singly.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle without required number of brakes in good working condition The owner or operator of any motor vehicle who is notified by a peace officer that such brake or brakes are improperly adjusted or are unsafe or unfit or in need of correction adjustment or repairs shall be allowed forty-eight (48) hours within which to correct adjust or repair such brakes to conform with the requirements of this act To submit a certificate to the peace officer giving the notification issued or executed by an official brake adjusting station showing that within forty-eight (48) hours after such notification the brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired to conform with the requirements of this act shall relieve the owner or operator from arrest Unless such certificate is received by the peace officer within five (5) days from the date of notification showing that the brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired as required in this act information for arrest shall be made Provided that when service and emergency brakes applied together will not stop a motor vehicle within distances defined in this act or hold a motor vehicle on a descending grade not exceeding ten (10) per centum the owner or operator may be required to make temporary correction adjustment or repairs before being permitted to proceed with the motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 813—Official Brake Adjusting Statons—(a) The secretary is authorized to designate furnish instructions to and to supervise Official Stations for correction adjustment repairs and inspection of motor vehicle brakes The establishment of Official Brake Adjusting Stations shall mean the designation of any place which shall comply with the requirements for a test station as determined by the secretary When brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired and inspected and found to conform with the instructions issued by the secretary only then shall a certificate of adjustment be issued to the owner or operator of the motor vehicle on a form prescribed by the secretary showing date of issue registration number of the vehicle owner's name and address name of vehicle and offical designation of the adjusting station

(b) If the secretary finds that the business of any Official Brake Adjusting Station is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of such station

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to display or cause or permit to be displayed any sign mark or advertisement as an Official Brake Adjusting Station unless Certificate of Appointment has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect or to furnish certificate of brake adjustment when not authorized to do so

(d) The secretary shall approve methods of Brake Tests Approval of the use of mechanical brake testing equipment may be given by the secretary When necessary the United States Bureau of Standards or such other recognized testing agency may be called upon to assist the secretary in determining whether the mechanical brake testing equipment shall be approved for the purposes set forth in this act

(e) It shall be unlawful for the owner or any employe of an official Brake Adjusting Station to violate rules adopted by the secretary governing the correction adjustment repair or inspection of brakes

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (c) or (e) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 814 Horns and Warning Devices—(a) Every motor vehicle when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with a horn or other warning device in good working order capable of emitting sound audible under normal conditions from a distance of not less than two hundred (200) feet and it shall be unlawful except as otherwise provided in this act for any vehicle to be equipped with or for any person to use upon a vehicle any siren bell compression or sparkplug whistle or for any person at any time to use a horn or other warning devices otherwise than as a reasonable warning or to make any unnecessary or unreasonably loud or harsh sound by means of a horn or other warning device

(b) Every police and fire department and fire patrol vehicle and every ambulance may be equipped with a bell siren compression or sparkplug whistle of a type approved by the secretary

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 815 Mirrors—No person shall operate a motor vehicle on a highway which motor vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent the operator from obtaining a view of the highway to the rear by looking backward from the operator's position unless such vehicle is equipped with a mirror so located as to reflect to the operator a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of such vehicle Provided That persons who have less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing to whom an operator's license has been issued shall be required to have any motor vehicle which they may operate equipped with a mirror attached and adjusted to enable them to see traffic approaching from the rear

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 816 Windshields Must Be Unobstructed and Equipped with Wipers—(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any motor vehicle upon a highway with any sign poster or other non-transparent material upon the front windshield side wings side or rear windows of such motor vehicle other than a certificate or other paper required by law or so directed by the secretary to be displayed Provided however that signal lamps of a type approved by the secretary shall not be considered a violation of this section

(b) Every permanent windshield on a motor vehicle shall be equipped with a device for cleaning rain snow or other moisture from the windshield which device shall be so constructed as to be controlled or operated by the operator of the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 81 Obscene or Vulgar Signs or Markings—It shall be unlawful for any vehicle to be operated upon any highway

having on any part of such vehicle or its legal attachments thereto any plates cards tags letterings or markings of an obscene or vulgar nature

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days.

Section 818 Flag or Light at End of Load—Whenever the load on any vehicle shall extend more than four (4) feet beyond the rear of the chasis bed or body thereof there shall be displayed at the end of such load in such position as to be clearly visible at all times from the rear a red flag not less than twelve (12) inches both in length and width except that between one (1) hour after sunset and one (1) hour before sunrise there shall be displayed at the end of any such load a red light plainly visible under normal atmospheric conditions at least two hundred (200) feet from the rear

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 819 Prevention of Noise—(a) No person shall operate a motor vehicle on a highway unless such motor vehicle is equipped with a muffler in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise

(b) It shall be unlawful to use a muffler cut-out on any motor vehicle upon a highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 820 Chains and Tires—(a) Every solid rubber tire on a vehicle moved on any highway shall have rubber on its entire traction surface at least one (1) inch thick above the edge of the flange of the entire periphery

(b) Every cushion rubber tire on a vehicle moved on any highway shall have rubber on its entire traction surface at least two and one-quarter (2¼) inches thick above the edge of the flange of the entire periphery

(c) No tire on a vehicle moved on a highway shall have on its periphery any block stud flange cleat or spike or any other protuberances of any material other than rubber which projects beyond the tread of the traction surface of the tire except that it shall be permissible to use tire chains consisting of not less than five (5) cross chains or which do not project more than one (1) inch upon the outside surface of the periphery of the wheel of any vehicle when required for safety because of snow ice or other conditions tending to cause a vehicle to slide or skid

(d) The width of rubber tires for the purpose of this act shall be ascertained by measuring the width of tire at the base of channel or between the flanges of the metal rim except pneumatic tires the width of which shall be determined by measuring the greatest width of tire casing The width of metal tires shall be determined by measuring the width of contact of tire with the road surface

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a megistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 821—Sifting or Leaking Loads—No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any highway unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent its contents from dropping sifting leaking or otherwise escaping therefrom

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 822 Transportation of Explosives—Vehicles when used for transporting explosives over the highways must be marked or placarded on both sides and the rear with the word "Explosives" in letters not less than three (3) inches high or conspicuously display on the rear of vehicle a red flag not less than twenty-four (24) inches square marked with the word "Danger" in white letters six inches high

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 823—Official Inspection Stations—(a) It shall be the duty of the secretary upon proclamation by the Governor to compel every resident owner of a motor vehicle being operated in this Commonwealth except motorcycles and bicycles with motor attached to submit the motor vehicle to such inspection of its mechanism and equipment as may be designated by the secretary

(b) If such inspections disclose the necessity for adjustments corrections or repairs in order to bring the motor vehicle in conformance with the provisions of this act it shall be compulsory upon the owner to have such adjustments corrections or repairs made within the period designated in the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation

(c) The secretary is hereby authorized to designate furnish instructions to and supervise Official Inspection Stations for the purpose of such inspections

(d) Such Official Inspection Stations when duly authorized shall issue Official Certificates of Inspection for every motor vehicle so inspected on a form furnished by the department but no such Certificates of Inspection shall be issued the duty of the Secretary upon proclamation by the Governor or displayed on any motor vehicle or by the owner or operator of any motor vehicle until and unless the motor vehicle for which it is issued has been brought into conformance with the requirements of the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation and this act

(e) It shall be the duty of such designated Official Inspection Stations to report all such inspections to the secretary on forms furnished by the department and in the event of refusal on the part of any owner or operator to have the necessary adjustments corrections and repairs made the secretary after investigation may invoke the provisions of section four hundred eleven sub-section (a) of this act

(f) If the secretary finds that the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation or the driections of the secretary are not being complied with or that the business of such stations in connection with such inspections is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of any such stations

(g) During the period designated in the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority may stop any motor vehicle and require the owner or operator to display an Official Certificate of Inspection for the motor vehicle being operated It shall be unlawful for any such certificate to be displayed on a motor vehicle or by the owner or operator unless an Official Inspection of its mechanism or equipment shall have been made and the motor vehicle conforms to the provisions of this act

(h) For a further period of thirty (30) days after the expiration of the inspection period it shall be unlawful to operate any motor vehicle on a highway unless the motor vehicle has been inspected and a certificate furnished and displayed or other satisfactory proof of inspection furnished

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (g) or (h) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE IX

SIZE WEIGHT AND CONSTRUCTION

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to cause or knowingly permit to be driven or moved on any highway any vehicle or vehicles of a size or weight exceeding the limitations provided in this act or any vehicle or vehicles which are not so constructed or equipped as required in this act or the rules and regulations of the secretary adopted pursuant thereto and the maximum size and weight of vehicles herein specified shall be lawful throughout this Commonwealth and the secretary and local authorities shall have no power or authority to alter said limitations except as express authority may be granted in this act

Section 902 Size of Vehicles and Loads—(a) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum width including any load thereon of ninety-six (96) inches except that the limitations as to size of vehicles stated in this act shall not apply to vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk

(b) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum height including any load thereon of one hundred and seventy-four inches but nothing herein contained shall be construed to require the public authorities to provide vertical clearance to permit the operation of such vehicles

(c) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum length including any load thereon of three hundred ninety-six (396) inches and no combination of vehicles coupled together shall exceed a total maximum length of eighty-five (85) feet

1 No motor vehicle shall be operated upon a highway drawing or having attached thereto more than one other vehicle except that a truck tractor with semi-trailer attached may draw in addition thereto one (1) other vehicle

2 The distance between any two vehicles one of which is towing or drawing the other shall not exceed fifteen (15) feet from one vehicle to the other except when the load on the towed vehicle is coupled directly to and is not more than five (5) feet from the towing vehicle Whenever the connection consists of a chain rope bar or cable there shall be displayed upon such connection a flag not less than twelve (12) inches in length and width

(d) No vehicle except a trailer or semi-trailer shall carry any load or part thereof extending more than five (5) feet beyond the front extremity

(e) No vehicle except as herein provided shall carry any load extending beyond the line of the fenders on the left side of such vehicle nor extending more than six (6) inches beyond the line of the fender on the right side thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 903 Weight of Vehicles and Loads—(a) Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors other than those electrically operated shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
R	Less than 2000	5000
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	7000
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	11000
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	13000
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	18000
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	22000
X	7500 and over but less than 9000	25000
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	32000
ZZ	12000 and over	36000

(b) Electrically operated commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes as follows

Class	Gross Weight in Pounds
R	5000
S	7000
T	11000
U	15000
V	18000
W	22000
X	25000
Z	26000

(c) Trailers shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	3000
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	6000
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	10000
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	12000
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	16000
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	24000
G	6000 and over	32000

(d) Semi-trailers shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	3000
B	1000 and over but less than 1000	6000
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	10000
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	12000
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	15000
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	18000
G	6000 and over	10500

(e) No four-wheeled vehicle except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highways with a gross weight in excess of twenty-six thousand (23,000) pounds or in excess of nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) pound on any axle or in excess of eight hundred (800)pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel

(f) No six or more wheeled vehicle except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highway with a gross weight in excess of thirty-six thousand (36000) pounds or in excess of eight thousand (8000) pounds on the front axle and in excess of fourteen thousand (14000) pounds on each of the rear axles or in excess of eight (800) pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel and the two rear axles shall be parallel and shall not be less than thirty-six (36) inches apart

(g) No truck tractor and semi-trailer combined except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highway with a gross weight in excess of thirty-nine thousand (39,000) pounds or in excess of nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) pounds on any axle or in excess of eight hundred (800) pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel axle or axles of semi-trailer shall not be less than ninety-six (96) inches from the axle of the truck tractor

(h) Maximum gross weights provided in this section are permissible only under conditions where no other restrictions are provided in this act or in any other laws regulating the gross maximum weight of vehicles

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 904 Officers May Weigh Vehicles and Require Removal of Excess Load—Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority having reason to believe that the weight of a vehicle and load is unlawful is authorized to weigh the same either by means of portable or stationary scales or may require that such vehicle be driven to the nearest stationary scales in the event such scales are within a distance of two (2) miles The peace officer may then require the operator to unload immediately such portion of the load as may be necessary to decrease the gross weight of such vehicle to the maximum gross weight specified in this act except as herein provided for special permits And further provided That no arrests shall be made in cases where the maximum gross weights provided in this act are not exceeded by more than ten (10) per centum thereof

Penalty—Any person refusing to unload excess weight when so ordered shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 935 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities in their respective jurisdictions may in their discretion upon application in writing accompanied by the fee provided in this act and good cause being shown therefor issue a special permit in writing authorizing the applicant to operate or move a vehicle of a size and weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the authorities granting the permit are responsible Every such permit shall be issued for a single trip and shall designate the route to be traversed and contain any other restrictions or conditions deemed necessary by the authority granting such permit Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any peace officer or employe of the Department of Highways of this Commonwealth or person having collision with vehicle

(b) In the event of a catastrophe or accident affecting the public safety or convenience it shall be lawful to operate or move a vehicle of a size or weight in excess of that permitted by this act if a report thereof is immedaitely made in writing to the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities In such cases a permit shall issue subsequent to the movement

Penalty—Any person operating or moving a vehicle or load of a size or weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act without first having obtained a permit or permits so to do shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 936 Special Limitations—(a) No vehicle shall be operated upon any highway where such operation has been prohibited or restricted by the Secretary of Highways or local authorities as set forth in section one thousand one hundred and one (1101) of this act when appropraite signs are erected and maintained

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any bridge causeway or viaduct any vehicle which together with its load exceeds the maximum weight permitted and mentioned in the posted signs erected and maintained in accordance with the requirements as set forth in section one thousand one hundred and two (1102) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE X

TRAFFIC

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Section 1001—Reckless Driving—Reckless driving is unlawful and for the purpose of this act is construed to include the following

(a) Any person who drives any vehicle upon a highway carelessly and wilfully or wantonly disregarding the rights or safety of others or in a manner so as to endanger any person or property

(b) If investigation into an accident arising from the use and operation of a motor vehicle discloses that the accident occurred due to the front seat of the motor vehicle having been occupied by more than three (3) persons Provided that this provision shall not apply to a motor vehicle the front seat of which has been constructed to accommodate more than three (3) persons and further provided that there is sixteen (16) inches of seating capacity for each passenger or occupant so accommodated on said front seat

(c) Any person who shall participate in any physical endurance test or any race or speed contest with a motor vehicle on any highway

Penalty—Any person charged with reckless driving shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten ($10) dollars nor more than twenty-five ($25.00) and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1002—Restrictions as to Speed—(a) Any person driving a vehicle on a highway shall drive the same at a careful and prudent speed not greater than nor less than is reasonable and proper having due regard to the traffic surface and width of the highway and of any other restrictions or conditions then and there existing and no person shall drive any vehicle upon a highway at such a speed as to endanger the life limb or property of any person nor at a speed greater than will permit him to bring the vehicle to a stop within the assured clear distance ahead

(b) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section speeds in excess of the maximum limits hereinafter provided shall be unlawful

1 Ten (10) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles when passing any interurban or street car taking on or discharging passengers at an intersection where a safety zone has been established or where traffic is controlled by a peace officer or a traffic signal

2 Fifteen (15) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when passing a school building during school recess or while children are going to or leaving school during opening or closing hours

3 Twenty (20) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds within business or residence districts where signs erected by the proper authorities on the right hand side of the highway facing the traffic to be controlled are displayed bearing the words "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height This limit shall be observed for a distance beyond said sign for not more than one-eighth (⅛) of a mile An additional sign shall be placed at intervals not greater than one-eighth of a mile and any extension of such limited zone shall be marked by additional signs in like manner At the end of

such limited zone there shall be a sign similarly placed as to traffic bearing the words "END OF TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when approaching within two hundred (200) feet of a railway grade crossing where sign erected by the proper authorities is displayed bearing the words "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height

All vehicles except those being operated on Through Highways and those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when approaching within fifty (50) feet and in traversing an intersection of highways within a business or residence district when the driver's view is obstructed except on highways controlled at intersections by peace officer or traffic signal A driver's view shall be deemed to be obstructed if during the last fifty (50) feet of his approach to such intersection he does not have a clear and uninterrupted view of such intersection and of the traffic upon all of the highways entering such intersection for a distance of two hundred (200) feet from such intersection

4 Forty (40) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those otherwise restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds

(c) Subject to the provisions of sub-sections (a) and (b) of this section it shall be unlawful for the following kinds types and classes of vehicles to exceed the maximum speed limits hereinafter provided

1 Ten (10) miles an hour speed limit

Tractors

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class Z and ZZ

2 Twelve (12) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class Y

3 Fifteen (15) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class V and W

4 Eighteen (18) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires Class U

5 Twenty (20) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires Class S and T

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class W Y Z and ZZ

6 Twenty-four (24) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class R

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class Y Z and ZZ

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class U and V

7 Thirty (30) miles an hour speed limit

Motor busses and omnibusses with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires—Class B C D and E

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class V and W

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class R S and T

8 Thirty-five (35) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class R S T and U

Motor busses and omnibusses with pneumatic tires—Class C and D

(d) When the rate of speed of any vehicle is timed on a measured stretch of any highway within a business or residence district where "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" signs are erected as provided in this section for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the operator of such vehicle is violating a speed provision of this act such time shall be taken by not less than two (2) peace officers one of whom shall have been stationed at each end of such measured stretch and no conviction shall be had upon the unsupported evidence of one (1) peace officer except as hereinafter provided and no such measured stretch shall be less than one-eighth (⅛) of a mile in length Under all other conditions the rate of speed may be timed for a distance of not less than one quarter (¼) mile by a peace officer using a motor vehicle equipped with a speedometer tested for accuracy within a period of thirty (30) days prior to the alleged violation

(e) In every information charging violation of this section reference shall be made to this section and sub-section alleged to have been violated specifying the speed at which the defendant is alleged to have driven

(f) The speed limitations set forth in this section shall not apply to vehicles when operated with due regard for safety under the directions of the police in the chase or apprehension of violators of the law or of persons charged with or suspected of any such violation nor to fire department or fire patrol vehicles when traveling in response to a fire alarm nor to ambulances when traveling in emergencies The exemption shall not however protect the driver of any such vehicle from the consequences of a reckless disregard of the safety of others

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1003—Railroad Warning Signals Must Be Obeyed—Whenever any person driving a vehicle approaches an interurban or steam railway grade crossing and a clearly visible and positive signal gives warning of the immediate approach of a railway train or car it shall be unlawful for the driver of the vehicle to fail to bring the vehicle to a complete stop before traversing such grade crossing

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1004—Drive on Right Side of Highway—Upon all highways of sufficient width except upon one way streets the driver of a vehicle shall drive the same upon the right half of the highway and shall drive a slow moving vehicle as closely as possible to the right-hand edge or curb of such highway unless it is impracticable to travel on such side of the highway and except when overtaking and passing another vehicle subject to the limitations applicable in overtaking and passing set forth in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1005 Keep to the Right in Crossing Intersections or Railway Grade Crossings—In crossing an intersection of highways or in crossing a railway grade crossing the driver of a vehicle shall at all times cause such vehicle to travel on the right half of the highway unless such right half is obstructed or impassable

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1006 Meeting of Vehicles—Drivers of vehicles proceeding in opposite directions shall pass each other to the right of each giving to the other at least one-half (½) of the main traveled portion of the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1007—Overtaking a Vehicle—(a) The driver of any vehicle overtaking another vehicle proceeding in the same direction shall pass at a safe distance to the left thereof and shall not again drive to the right side of the highway until safely clear of such overtaken vehicle except when such overtaken vehicle is stopped in the lane for traffic to the right of and nearest to the centre line of the highway for the purpose of making a left hand turn then the overtaking vehicle may pass such stopped vehicle to the right

(b) The driver of an overtaking motor vehicle not within a business or residence district as herein defined shall give audible warning with his horn or other warning device before

passing or attempting to pass a vehicle proceeding in the same direction

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1008—Limitations on Privilege of Overtaking and Passing—(a) The driver of a vehicle shall not drive to the left side of the center line of a highway in overtaknig and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction unless such left side is clearly visible and is free of oncoming traffic for a sufficient distance ahead to permit such overtaking and passing to be made in safety

(b) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass another vehicle proceeding in the same direction when approaching the crest of a grade nor upon a curve in the highway where the driver's view along the highway is obstructed within a distance of three hundred (300) feet ahead

(c) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass any other vehicle proceeding in the same direction at any railway grade crossing nor at any intersection of highways unless such intersection or crossing is controlled by traffic signal or unless permitted so to do by a watchman or peace officer

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1009—Driver to Give Way to Overtaking Vehicle—The driver of a vehicle about to be overtaken and passed by another vehicle approaching from the rear shall give way to the right in favor of the overtaking vehicle on suitable and audible signal being given by the driver of the overtaking vehicle and shall not increase the speed of his vehicle until completely passed by the overtaking vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1010—Following Too Closely—(a) The operator of a motor vehicle shall not follow another vehicle more closey than is reasonable and prudent having due regard to the speed of such vehicle and the traffic upon and condition of the highway

(b) The operator of any commercial motor vehicle truck tractor or tractor when traveling upon a highway outside of a business or residence district shall not follow another such vehicle within one hundred (100) feet but this shall not be construed to prevent one such vehicle overtaking and passing such vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1011—Turning at Intersections—(a) The driver of a vehicle intending to turn to the right at an intersection shall approach such intersection in the lane for traffic nearest to the right-hand side of the highway and in turning shall keep as closely as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the highway

(b) The driver of a vehicle intending to turn to the left shall approach such intersection in the lane for traffic to the right of and nearest to the centre line of the highway and in turning shall pass to the left of the center of the intersection keeping as close as shall be practicable to the center of the intersection except that upon streets laned for traffic and upon one-way streets a left turn shall be made from the left lane of traffic in the direction in which the vehicle is proceeding

(c) For the purpose of this section the center of the intersection shall mean the meeting point of the medial lines of the highways intersecting one another

(d) Local Authorities when proper signs are erected may prohibit turning at intersections

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1012—Signals on Starting Stopping or Turning—(a) The driver of any vehicle upon a highway before starting stopping or turning from a direct line shall first see that such movement can be made in safety and if any pedestrian may be affected by such movement shall give a clearly audible signal by sounding the horn and whenever the operation of any other vehicle following may be affected by such movement shall give a signal as required in this section plainly visible to the driver of such other vehicle of the intention to make such movement

(b) The signal herein required shall be given either by means of the hand and arm in the manner herein specified or by an approved mechanical or electrical signal device except that when a vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent the hand and arm signal from being visible to the rear the signal shall be given by a device of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

1 Whenever the signal is given by means of the hand and arm the driver shall indicate his intention to start stop or turn by extending the hand and arm horizontally from and beyond the left side of the vehicle or if he is driving a closed vehicle by his hand and arm in such a way as to be visible through the window in the rear of the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1013—Right of Way—(a) When two vehicles approach or enter an intersection at approximately the same time the driver of the vehicle on the left shall yield the right of way to the vehicle on the right except as otherwise provided in this act The driver of any vehicle traveling at an unlawful speed shall forfeit any right of way which he might otherwise have hereunder

(b) The driver of a vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus approaching but not having entered an intersection shall yield the right of way to a vehicle within such intersection and turning therein to the left across the line of travel of such first mentioned vehicle provided the driver of the vehicle turning left has given a plainly visible signal of intention to turn as required in this act

(c) The driver of any vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus upon a highway within a business or residence district shall yield the right of way to a pedestrian crossing such highway within a crosswalk except at intersections where the movement of traffic is being regulated by a peace officer or traffic signal Every pedestrain crossing a highway within a business or residence district at any point other than a crosswalk shall yield the right of way to vehicles upon the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1014—Exceptions to the Right of Way Rule—(a) The driver of a vehicle entering a highway from a private road or drive shall yield the irght of way to all vehicles approaching on such highway

(b) The driver of a vehicle upon a highway shall yield the right of way to police and fire department vehicles and ambulances when such vehicles are operated upon official business and the drivers thereof sound audible signal This provision shall not operate to relieve the driver of a police or fire department vehicle or ambulance from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of all persons using the highway nor shall it protect the driver of any such vehicle from the consequence of an arbitrary exercise of such right of way

(c) The driver of a vehicle entering a Through Highway which has been established as such under section one thousand one hundred and twelve (1112) of this act shall yield the right of way to all vehicles approaching in either direction on such Through Highway This provision shall not operate to relieve the driver of any vehicle being operated on a Through Highway from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of vehicles entering such Through Highway nor shall it protect the driver of any vehicle on a Through Highway from the consequence of an arbitrary exercise of such right of way

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1015—What to do on Approach of Police or Fire Department Vehicle—(a) Upon the approach of any police or fire department vehicle or ambulance giving audible signal the driver of every other vehicle shall immediately drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right-hand edge or curb of the highway celar of any intersection of highways and shall stop and remain in such position unless otherwise directed by a peace officer until the police or fire department vehicle or ambulance shall have passed

(b) It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle other than one on official busines to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a firm alarm closer than five hundred (500) feet or to drive into or park such vehicle within the block where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1016—Vehicles Must Stop at Certain Through Highways It shall be unlawful for the driver or operator of any vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus before entering a Through Highway to fail to come to a full stop within a reasonable distance before entering the intersection on such Through Highway when "THRU TRAFFIC STOP" sign has been erected in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand one hundred and twelve (1112) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1017 Passing Street Cars—(a) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass upon the left any interurban or street car proceeding in the same direction whether actually in motion or temporarily at rest when a travelable portion of the highway exists to the right of such street car even though such portion of the highway is occupied or obstructed Provided however this provision shall not apply to one way streets

(b) No operator of a vehicle who meets or overtakes a street passenger car that has stopped for the purpose of taking on or discharging passengers shall pass said car on the side on which the passengers get on or off until the car has started and until any passengers who may have alighted have reached the side of the highway except that where a safety zone has been established or at an intersection where traffic is controlled by a peace officer or a traffic signal a vehicle need not be brought to a full stop before passing any such railway interurban or street car but may proceed past such car at a speed not greater than is reasonable or proper and in no event greater than ten (10) miles an hour and with due caution for the safety of pedestrians

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1018 Driving Through Safety Zone Prohibited— (a) No person shall drive a vehicle through or over a safety zone as defined in this act

(b) No person shall drive a vehicle to the left of a safety zone where appropriate sign has been erected as provided in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1019 Stopping on Highway—(a) No person shall park or leave standing any vehicle whether attended or unattended upon the paved or improved or main traveled portion of any highway outside of a business or residence district when it is practicable to park or leave such vehicle standing off the paved or improved or main traveled portion of such highway Provided in no event shall any person park or leave standing any vehicle whether attended or unattended upon any highway unless a clear and unobstructed width of not less than fifteen (15) feet upon the main traveled portion of said highway opposite such standing vehicle shall be left for free passage of other vehicles thereon nor unless a clear view of such vehicle may be obtained from a distance of two hundred (200) feet in each direction upon such highway and further provided no person shall park or stand any vehicle whether attended or unattended in any no parking area where "No Parking" signs have been erected in accordance with the provisions of section one housand one hundred and thirteen (113) of this act

(b) Whenever any peace officer shall find a vehicle standing upon a highway in violation of the provisions of this section he is hereby authorized to move such vehicle or require the driver or person in charge of such vehicle to move such vehicle to a position permitted under this section

(c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the driver of any vehicle which is disabled while on the paved or improved or main traveled portion of a highway in such manner and to such extent that it is impossible to avoid stopping and temporarily leaving such vehicle in such position

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1020 Parking in Front of Fire Hydrant Fire Station or Private Driveway—No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended upon a highway in front of a private driveway or within fifteen (15) feet in either direction of a fire hydrant or the entrance to a fire station nor within twenty-five (25) feet from the intersection of curb lines or if none then within fifteen (15) feet of the intersection of property lines at an intersection of highways

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1021 Motor Vehicle Left Unattended Brakes to be Set and Engine Stopped—No person having control or charge of a motor vehicle shall allow such vehicle to stand on any highway unattended without first effectively setting the brakes thereon and stopping the motor of said vehicle and when standing upon any grade without turning the front wheels of such vehicle to the curb or side of the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1022 Driving on Mountain Highways—The operator of a motor vehicle traversing mountain highways shall hold such motor vehicle under control and as near the right-hand side of the highway as reasonably possible

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1023 Persons Tampering with Vehicles—(a) No unauthorized person shall sound the horn handle the levers or set in motion or in any way tamper with or damage or deface any motor vehicle standing upon any public highway

(b) No person shall hang on to or ride on the outside or the rear end of any vehicle and no perso non a bicycle roller skates or any similar device shall hold fast to or hitch on to any moving vehicle

(c) No person shall throw any missile circular or pamphlet at the occupants of any vehicle or throw or place any substance upon any public highway injurious or damaging to a vehicle or the tires thereof

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (a) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in

default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1024 Coasting Prohibited—The operator of a motor vehicle when traveling upon a down grade upon any highway shall not coast with the gears of such vehicle in neutral or clutch disengaged

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1025 Duty to Stop in Event of Accident—(a) The driver of any vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property shall immediately stop such vehicle at the scene of such accident

(b) The driver and owner if present of any vehicle involved in any accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property shall upon request give his name and address and the registration number of his vehicle and exhibit his operator's license to the person struck or the driver or occupants of any vehicle collided with and shall render to any person injured in such accident reasonable assistance including the carrying of such person to a physician or surgeon for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that such treatment is necessary or is requested by the injured person

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1026 Traffic Signal Interpretations—(a) It shall be unlawful for the driver or operator of any vehicle or street to disobey the directions of vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus to disobey the directions of any traffic signal placed in accordance with the provisions of section eleven hundred and ten (1110) of this act unless otherwise directed by a peace officer

(b) Whenever traffic at an intersection is alternately directed to stop and go by the use of traffic signals the words or colored lights or combinations thereof shall indicate as follows except as otherwise provided in this section

1 Green or "Go"—Traffic facing the signal may proceed straight ahead and make right or left turns except where no such turns are permitted when so indicated by proper signs Vehicular traffic shall yield the right of way to pedestrians and vehicles lawfully within a crosswalk or the intersection at the time such signal was exhibited

2 Yellow or "Caution"—when shown alone—Traffic facing the signal shall stop before entering the intersection and no movement of traffic shall be made except that then within the intersection and a "U" turn on a two-way street back of the intersection when so indicated by proper signs but local authorities may provide for left turns on yellow or "Caution" when so indicated by proper signs in which case there shall be no left turns on green or "Go" as above provided

3 Red or "Stop"—Traffic facing the signal shall stop before entering the intersection and remain standing until green or "Go" is shown alone No movement or turns shall be lawful on red or "Stop" except that "U" turns may be made on a two-way street back of the intersection when so indicated by proper signs

(c) Where signs indicate turns as above provided they shall be attached to the traffic signals or immediately adjacent thereto and the letters shall be at least two (2) inches in height and they shall be clearly illuminated at night

(d) The traffic signal interpretations set forth in this section shall not apply to vehicles when operated with due regard for safety under the direction of the police in the chase or apprehension of violators of the law or of persons charged with or suspected of any such violation nor to fire department or fire patrol vehicles when traveling in response to a fire alarm nor to ambulances when traveling in emergencies This exemption shall not however protect the operator of any such vehicle from the consequences of a reckless disregard of the safety of others

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1027 Certain Vehicles to Stop at Railway Grade Crossing—All motor omnibuses engaged in the transportation of passengers for compensation and all motor vehicles used in the transportation of school children either on contract with the school district authorities or owned by school districts and vehicles transporting explosives shall come to a complete stop immediately before crossing a railway grade crossing

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1028 Driving over Fire Hose—No vehicle or street car shall be driven over any unprotected fire hose when same is laid down on any highway or street car track to be used at any fire or alarm of fire without the consent of the fire department or peace officers in command

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten ($10.00) dollars nor more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1029 Regulating Speed on Bridges—No person shall drive any vehicle upon any public bridge causeway or viaduct other than interstate bridges as now provided by law at a speed which is greater than the maximum speed which can with safety to such structure be maintained thereon when such structure is sign-posted as provided in section one thousand one hundred and eleven (1111) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1030 Soliciting Sale of Goods Merchandise Tickets and Contributions No person or persons shall stand on a highway to stop impede hinder or delay the progress of any vehicle for the purpose of soliciting the purchase of goods merchandise or tickets or for the purpose of soliciting contributions for any cause whatsoever and the only question of law and fact in determining guilt under this section shall be whether goods merchandise or tickets were tendered or offered for sale or whether a contribution was solicited

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE XI

HIGHWAYS AND POWER TO REGULATE USE

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Section 1101 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities may by ordinance or resolution or ruling prohibit the operation of vehicles upon any highway or impose

restrictions as to the weight of vehicles and their loads for a total period not to exceed ninety (90) days in any one (1) calendar year when operated upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities are responsible whenever any said highway by reason of deterioration rain snow or other climatic conditions will be seriously damaged or destroyed unless the use of vehicles thereon is prohibited or the permissible weights thereof reduced the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities enacting or making any such ordinance or resolution or rule shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained signs designating the provisions of the ordinance or resolution or rule at each end of that portion of any highway affected thereby and at intersections thereof and the ordinance or resolution or rule shall not be effective until or unless such signs are erected and maintained The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities may also by ordinance or resolution or rule prohibit the operation of motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers on designated highways as to the weights and loads thereon which prohibitions and limitations shall be designated by appropriate signs placed on such highways and their intersections

Section 1102 Regulating Weight of Vehicles on Bridges—Where any bridge causeway or viaduct owned or maintained whether owned in whole or in part by this Commonwealth or local authorites other than interstate bridges as now provided by law shall have a sign properly posted in a conspicuous place at the entrance thereto stating the gross maximum weight permitted thereon it shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any such bridge causeway or viaduct any vehicle which together with its load shall be of greater gross maximum weight than is mentioned in such sign Provided however that the restrictions as to the maximum weight mentioned in such signs shall not apply for a period exceeding one (1) year from the date of posting of such signs unless a further extension of time is authorized by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

Section 1103 Powers of Local Authorities—Local Authorities except as expressly authorized by this act shall have no power or authority to alter any speed limitations declared in this act or to enact or enforce any ordinance rule or regulation contrary to the provisions of this act except that local authorities shall have power to provide by ordinance for the regulation of traffic by means of peace officers or traffic signals on any portion of the highway where traffic is heavy or continuous and may regulate or prohibit parking stopping or loading of vehicles or prohibit other than one-way traffic upon certain highways and may regulate the use of the highways by processions or assemblages and may regulate the kinds and classes of traffic and its turning on certain highways at all or certain hours and may regulate the thansportation by motor vehicles of passengers for compensation within the limits of a city or from points in the city to points beyond the city limits and make and enforce regulations for the operation of such vehicles not inconsistent with this act and designate certain streets upon which such vehicles may be operated

Section 1104 Right of Operators on Highways Operators of motor vehicles shall have the same right upon the highways as the drivers of other vehicles and no highway open to other vehicles shall be closed to motor vehicles except as othrewise provided in this act

Section 1105 Uniform Marking of and Erection of Signs on Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized to classify and mark state highways and to provide a uniform system of marking and sign posting such highways and such system of marking and sign posting shall correlate with and so far as possible conform to the system adopted in other states

Section 1106 Local Traffic Signs Local authorities in their respective jurisdiction may cause signs to be erected and maintained as may be appropriate to give notice of legal parking and other local ordiances rules and regulations shall not be enforceable against an alleged violator if at the time and place of the alleged violation an appropriate sign giving notice thereof is not posted conspicuously by the municipalities making the same at points where any highway affected thereby joins other highways

Section 1107 Other than Official Signs Prohibited No unauthorized person shall erect or maintain upon or along any highway any warning or direction sign marker signal or light in imitation of or similar to any official sign marker signal or light erected under the provisions of this act and no person shall erect or maintain upon any highway any traffic or highway sign or signal bearing thereon any commercial advertising provided nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the erection or maintenance of signs markers or signals bearing thereon the name of an organization authorized to erect the same by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or any proper local official

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1108 Defacing Signs It shall be unlawful for any person to deface damage knock down or remove any sign posted as provided in this act

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1109 Establishment of Safety Zones—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdiction are hereby authorized to establish safety zones The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities when establishing a safety zone shall erect and maintain signs bearing the words "SAFETY ZONE" illuminated at night or so designed to reflect light from head lamps

Section 1110 Erection of Traffic Signals—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdiction are hereby authorized to erect and maintain traffic signals Before local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class shall erect or cause to be erected traffic signals on a state highway they must first obtain the approval of the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

(b) Traffic signals electrically operated shall conform to the following

1 Where a three color system is used the yellow light following the red light shall not exceed three (3) seconds in length The timing of all lights shall be determined by the volume of traffic and other conditions

2 Where three colored lights are used the yellow shall be in the center

3 The light shall be of such power as to cause the signal to be visible for at least three-hundred (300) feet

4 Traffic signals of the pedestal type shall be placed at a height of not less than eight (8) feet above the pavement to the bottom of the signal if on a mast arm or if suspended the bottom of the signal shall clear the pavement by at least fifteen (15) feet Provided that the requirements as to height of traffic signals shall not apply to such signals installed and in operation prior to January the first nineteen hundred thirty except that replacement of present signals made in the interim shall conform to these provisions

(c) Traffic signals manually operated or commonly known as semaphores shall conform to the following

1 There may be four vanes or sides the stop vanes having a red field with the word "STOP" plainly visible thereon and the go vanes a green field with the word "GO" plainly visible thereon

2 When used at night they shall be equipped with red and green lights corresponding with the vanes or sides and with the same visibility as electrically operated signals

(d) All traffic signal shall be so located as to be plainly visible to all traffic to be regulated

Penalty—Any official of any city borough incorporated town or township of the first class who shall erect or cause to be erected and operated a traffic signal in violation of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of

the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1111 Regulating Speed on Bridges—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or other proper State body or any local authority shall upon request or upon their own initiative may conduct an investigation of any public bridge causeway or viaduct under their respective jurisdictions and if it or they shall thereupon find that such structure cannot with safety to itself withstand vehicles traveling at the speed otherwise permissible under this act the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or other State body or local authorities shall determine and declare the maximum speed of vehicles which such structure can withstand and shall cause or permit suitable signs stating such maximum speed to be erected and and maintained thereon at each end of such structure facing approaching traffic The provisions of this section shall not apply to interstate bridges as now provided by law

Section 1112 Establishment of Thru Highways—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdictions are hereby authorized to designate Through Highways by erecting at the entrance thereto from intersecting highways signs bearing the words "THRU TRAFFIC STOP" the word "STOP" to be in letters at least six (6) inches in height and the letters of the words "THRU" and "TRAFFIC" shall be of the form and size approved by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth notifying operators of vehicles and street cars to come to full stop before entering or crossing such designated highway Provided however that vehicles street cars and trackless trolley omnibuses shall not be subject to the provisions of this section at an intersection during the hours when a traffic signal is actually in operation or where a peace office is actually on duty directing troffic

(b) Before local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class shall designate any highway as a Through Highway which will intersect a state highway approval of such designation must first be obtained from the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

(c) All signs shall be of the size form design and coloring as the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth shall direct and shall be illuminated at night or so placed as to be illuminated by the head lamps of an approaching vehicle or by street lights or the ford "STOP" may be illuminated at night or may be luminous

Section 1113 Parking Restriction on State Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized to designate certain sections of State highway routes under his jurisdiction as "No Parking Areas" and to erect and maintain the necessary signs to carry out this provision

ARTICLE XII

ENFORCEMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

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Section 1201 Information and Prosecutions—(a) Informations charging violations of any of the provisions of this act except in cases where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor shall be brought before the nearest available magistrate within fifteen (15) days after the commission of the alleged offense and not thereafter except that where an information is filed against a person prima facia guilty of an offense and it subsequently appears that a person other than the person named in the information was the offender an information may be led against such other person within fifteen (15) days after his or her identity shall have been discovered

(b) Prosecutions for offenses defined in this act except as otherwise herein provided shall be brought under this act and not under any local ordinance rule or regulation

(c) Prosecutions brought under any local ordinance rule or regulation which are based on a violation for which there is a specific penalty provided in this act shall be deemed and considered as having been brought under this act

Section 1202 Proceedings by Information and Warrant

(a) Summary proceedings under this act or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereinafter provided shall be commenced by the filing of information which information must be filed in the name of the Commonwealth and within the period of seven (7) days after information has been lodged the magistrate shall send by registered mail to the person charged at the address shown by the records of the department a notice in writing of the filing of the information together with a copy thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice

1 If the person named in the information shall not voluntarily appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice a warrant shall then issue and may be served by a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county in which the alleged violation has been committed

If the person charged cannot be served within such county then the magistrate shall deputize a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county wherein the person charged resides or may be found to serve such warrant

2 The peace officer serving such warrant shall take the defendant before the nearest available magistrate of the county in which the defendant is found who shall take bail either for the defendants appearance before the magistrate who issued the warrant or for his appearance for trial in the proper court if a summary hearing is waived

Section 1203 Arrests on View or With Warrant

(a) Peace officers when in uniform and displaying a badge or other sign of authortiy may arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person and such peace officers shall forthwith make and file with the magistrate before whom the arrested person is taken an information setting forth in detail the offense and at once furnish a copy thereof to the person arrested When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law

(b) If the defendant is unable to give bail as provided in this act for a hearing or for his appearance at court the magistrate shall accept as bail any article of sufficient value or if the defendant is the owner thereof shall hold in custody the vehicle found in his possession and the court or magistrate after the trial of the defendant or when bail according to law has been given shall make such order as to the disposition of such vehicle or other articles accepted as bail as shall seem just and proper

Section 1204 Appeals Waiving Hearings

(a) Any person convicted in any summary proceeding under this act shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction

(b) Any person charged with violating any of the provisions of this act other than felonies and misdemeanors may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the fine and costs that might be imposed for ap-

arance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter ses-ns or in the county court or in the municipal court in unties wherein such court exists and thereupon the magis-ate shall within fifteen (15) days return the information to e said court

(c) If any person so accused having waived a hearing shall convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be ntenced to pay the fine and costs of prosecution or suffer prisonment provided in this act for the offense committed on a waived hearing or the hearing of an appeal from summary conviction under this act before a judge of such urt the defendant is found nit guilty and the defendant has aid a fine or fine and costs following the sentence on which e appealed such court upon acquitting the defendant shall ecree a restitution of the said fine or fine and costs to the efendant and upon presentation of a certified copy of said ecree it shall be the duty of the magistrate or other officer whom such fine or fine and costs has been paid to refund me to the defendant provided however if the fine shall have en returned by such magistrate according to this act to the reasurer of any city or borough or incorporated town or town-ip such treasurer shall refund to the defendant such fine pon presentation of claim and further provided that if the ne shall have been returned by such magistrate according this act to the department refund shall be made as pro-ided in Article XIII of this act In no case where the de-endant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be mposed upon him in a summary proceeding under this act hether heard by a magistrate or court of record

Section 1205 Record of Magistrates

(a) Every magistrate shall in every case arising under this ct make and preserve for the period of three (3) years an xact record of the proceedings showing the sub-section section nd article violated and the fine and costs paid bail forfeited if ny or commitment to prison which shall be subject to in-pection on demand of any person

(b) The magistrate shall deliver without charge to the de-endant a receipt showing in detail the sub-section section and rticle violated and the amount of fine and costs imposed pon and paid by him

(c) The magistrate shall not divide fees of his office with ny peace officer or with any person who may assist in making n arrest or furnish evidence in any case arising under this ct

Penalty Any magistrate violating any of the provisions f this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor n office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter essions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred $500.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or under imprison-nent for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such ine and imprisonment

Section 1206 Report of Conviction (a) Every magistrate n this Commonwealth shall keep a full report of every case n which a person is charged with a violation of any provision f this act and in the event that such person is convicted or hat his bail is forfeited an abstract of such report shall be ent upon request of the secretary to the department but this equirement shall not be deemed to make such court of record Abstracts required by this section shall be made upon forms repared by the department and shall include all necessary nformaton as to the parties to the case the nature of the of-ense the date of hearing the plea of judgment the amount of he fine or forfeiture and other information deemed necessary nd every such abstract shall be certified by the magistrate s a true abstract of the record of the court

(b) The clerk of any court of record of this Commonwealth hall within ten (10) days after final judgment of conviction f any of the provisions of this act send to the department a ertified copy of such judgment of conviction Certified copies f the judgment shall also be forwarded to the department pon conviction of any person of manslaughter or other felony misdemeanor in the commission of which a motor vehicle as used

(c) The department may keep such records in its offices or at least five (5) years and they shall be open to the in-pection of any person during reasonable business hours

Penalty Failure refusal or neglect to comply with any of e provisions of this section shall constiute misconduct in of-ce and shall be ground for removal therefrom

Section 1207 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures (a) All fines and penalties collected under the provisions of this act for violations of the same and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the department and transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund" except those collected for violations of the provisions of section nine hundred and three (903) nine hundred and five (905) one thousand and two (1002) one thousand and eleven (1011) one thousand and fifteen (1015) one thousand and eighteen (1018) one thousand and twenty (1020) one thousand and twenty-six (1026) one thousand and twenty-eight(1028) of this act committed within cities borough incorporated towns and townships of the first class which fines and penalties and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the treasurer of the city borough incorporated town or township wherein the violation occurred to be used by such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

(b) Sworn statements of all fines and penalties so collected and all bail forfeited shall also be made by the magistrate or other officer imposing or receiving the same to the secretary upon forms furnished by the department such reports shall be made monthly not later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month

Penalty Any magistrate or other officer who shall fail to make such monthly reports and returns or either of them shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1208 Civil Actions for Damages All civil actions for damages arising from the use and operation of any vehicle may at the discretion of the plaintiff be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace in the county wherein the alleged damages were sustained if the plaintiff has said damages repaired and shall produce a receipted bill for the same properly sworn to by the party making such repairs or his agent or said action may be brought in the court of common pleas of said county and service of process in either case may be made by the sheriff of the county where the suit is brought deputizing the sheriff of the county wherein the defendant or his registered agent resides or where services may be had upon him under the existing laws of this Commonwealth in like manner as process may now be served in the proper county. No action involving more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars shall be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace

Section 1209 Registration Number Prima Facie Evidence In any proceeding for a violation of the provisions of this act the registration plate displayed on such motor vehicle shall be prima facie evidence that the owner of such motor vehicle was then operating the same If at any hearing or proceeding the owner shall testify under oath or affirmation that he was not operating the said motor vehicle at the time of the alleged violation of this act and shall submit himself to an examination as to who at that time was operating such motor vehicle and reveal the name of the person if known to him or if the information is made in a county other than that of his own resident shall forward to the magistrate an affidavit setting forth these facts then the prima facie evidence arising from the registration plate shall be overcome and removed and the burden of proof shifted

Section 1210 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendants Whenever any peace officer whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this act shall in good faith bring suit for any violation of such provisions and for any reason shall fail to recover the costs of record such costs shall be a charge upon the proper county as shall such costs in the event defendant is imprisoned for failure to pay fine or costs or both and shall be audited and paid as are costs of like character in said county

Section 1211 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen Such employes of the Commonwealth as are designated as "State Highway Patrolmen" are hereby declared to be peace officers and are hereby given police power and authority throughout the Commonwealth to arrest on view when

in uniform without writ rule order or process any person violating any of the provisions of this act

Section 1212 Enforcement of Local Ordinances Any city borough incorporated town township or county which enforces an ordinance rule or regulation on a matter concerning this act for traffic matters not covered by this act may impose a fine of not more than fifty ($50.00) dollars to be collected by summary conviction before any magistrate as fines and penalties are now by law collected In the event of non-payment of fines and costs of prosecution the magistrate may sentence any person convicted of violating an ordinance rule or regulation to undergo imprisonment for a period of not exceeding ten (10) days Provided That any person so convicted shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction and further provided That any person accused of violating a local ordinance rule or regulation enforced under the authority of this act may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the maximum fine and costs that might be imposed for appearance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter sessions or in the county court or in the municipal court in counties wherein such courts exist and thereupon the magistrate shall within fifteen (15) days return the information to the said court and if any person so accused shall be convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be fined as prescribed by said ordinance rule or regulation or in event of non-payment of such fine and costs of prosecution to suffer imprisonment for a period not to exceed ten (10) days All fine and bail forfeited as provided for in this section shall be paid to the treasurer of such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

Section 1213 Penalty for Resisting Arrest Any person who by force menace threat or in any manner resists arrest for violation of any of the provisions of this act or refuses to go with a peace officer after an arrest has been made or interferes with any peace officer in the performance of his duty under the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall be imprisoned for not more than thirty (30) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1214 Duty to Report Accidents (a) The operator of any motor vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injuries or death to any person or total property damage to an apparent extent of fifty ($50.00) dollars or more shall within twenty-four (24) hours forward a report of such accident to the department upon forms furnished by the department If the operator is physically incapable as a result of the accident of making a report it shall be the duty of any other participant in the accident who is not incapacitated as the result of the accident to forward such report

The department may require operators involved in accidents or police departments to file supplemental reports of accidents upon forms furnished by the department whenever the original report is insufficient in the opinion of the secretary Such report shall be without prejudice shall be for the information of the department and shall not be open to public inspection The fact that such reports have been made shall be admissable in evidence solely to prove a compliance with this act but no such report or any part thereof or statement contained therein shall be admissable in evidence for any other purpose in any trial civil or criminal arising out of such accidents

(b) Local authorities may require the reporting of motor vehicle accidents in such form as they deem advisable occurring within their jurisdictions but such local reports shall not conflict with the necessity for reporting such accidents to the department

(c) Provided however that nothing herein contained shall affect the duty or filing accident reports required by any other act or act of assembly or regulations made thereunder

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1215 Garage Keeper to Report Damaged Motor Vehicles The person in charge of any garage or repair shop to which is brought any motor vehicle which shows evidence of having been struck by any bullet shall report to the nearest police station or sheriff's office within twenty-four (24) hours after such motor vehicle is received giving the name engine number manufacturer's serial number registration plate number and the name and address of the owner or operator of such vehicle

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1216 Drivers of Commonwealth County and City Vehicles Subject to Provisions of the Act The provisions of this act applicable to the drivers of vehicles upon the highways shall apply to the drivers of all vehicles owned or operated by this Commonwealth or any county city incorporated town borough or any other political sub-division of the Commonwealth subject to such specific exceptions as are set forth in this act The provisions of Article X of this act shall not apply to persons teams motor vehicles and other equipment while actually engaged in work upon the surface of a highway but shall apply to such persons and vehicles when traveling to or from such work

Section 1217 This Act Not to Interfere With Rights of Owners of Real Property With Reference Thereto Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the owner of real property used by the public for purposes of vehicular travel by permission of the owner and not as matter of right from prohibiting such use nor from requiring other or different or additional conditions than those specified in this act or otherwise regulating such use as may seem best to such owner

Section 1218 Signals and Investigations By Officers (a) The operator of any vehicle shall stop upon request or signal of any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority and shall upon request exhibit his registration card or operator's license card or learner's permit and shall write his name in the presence of such peace officer if so required for the purpose of establishing his identity

(b) Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority shall have the right to stop any vehicle upon request or signal for the purpose of inspecting the said vehicle as to its equipment and operation or manufacturer's serial number or engine number and securing of such other information as may be necessary

(c) Any peace officer or department employe who shall be in uniform or shall exhibit a badge or other sign of authority shall have the right to inspect any motor vehicle in any public garage or repair shop for the purpose of locating stolen motor vehicles and investigating the title and registration of motor vehicles and for such purpose the owner of any such garage or repair shop shall permit any such peace officer or department employe without let or hindrance to make investigation as herein authorized

Penalty Any person failing to comply with the signals or requests of peace officers or department employes as provided in this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1219 Abandoned or Wrecked Motor Vehicles Peace officers shall have authority to remove or direct removal of abandoned or wrecked motor vehicles from any highway to the nearest point where such vehicle will not interfere with or obstruct traffic thereon

Section 1220 Garage Keeper to Report Abandoned Motor Vehicles—(a) The person in charge of any garage or repair shop in which has been left a motor vehicle of unknown ownership for a period of fifteen (15) consecutive days without being removed by its owner or any other person duly authorized to remove same shall report to the department within twenty-four (24) hours of the elapse of such fifteen (15) day period giving the name engine number manufacturer's serial number registration plate number and the name and address of the person abandoning same if known

(b) Upon receipt of such report in the department it shall be the duty of the secretary to make a distinctive record thereof

and file the same in the manner provided in section two hundred and nine (209) of this act

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment there of shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1221 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence—Any certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any records books papers documents and rulings of the secretary when certified by the secretary under the seal of the department shall be acceptable as evidence in the courts of this Commonwealth with the same force and effect as the originals in all cases where such original records books papers documents and rulings would be admitted in evidence

ARTICLE XIII

REFUNDS

Section 1301 Refunds

Refunds of monies erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunde dby the Board of License and Revenue as provided by law

ARTICLE XIV

REPEALS

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Section 1401 Acts of Assembly Repealed

(a) The act approved May eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "For the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registrations and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and making forfeitures and making an appropriation"

(b) and the act approved April twenty-seventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "To amend section twenty-six of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the use and operation of motor vehicles and vehicles propelled by or trailing after motor vehicles requiring the registration of the same and the licensing of all operators thereof providing the fees therefor and the disposition of such fees prohibiting the unauthorized use of and tampering with motor vehicles limiting and defining the powers of cities boroughs incorporated towns townships and counties as to the regulation of the use and equipment of motor vehicles and the taxing registration or licensing thereof imposing certain duties on the State Highway Commissioner and on proprietors of public garages providing procedure and penalties for violations thereof and the disposition of fines collected and regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions for damages arising from the use of any motor vehicle" is amended prohibiting the stopping of any motor vehicle by an officer of other person for the purspose of selling tickets or other form of solicitation"

(c) and the act approved March twenty-fourth one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "To amend section twelve of an act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the use and operation of motor vehicles and vehicles propelled by or trailing after motor vehicles requiring the registration of the same and the licensing of all operators thereof providing the fees therefor and the disposition of such fees prohibiting the unauthorized use of and tampering with motor vehicles limiting and defining the powers of cities boroughs incorporated towns townships and counties as to the regulation of the use and equipment of motor vehicles and the taxing registration or licensing thereof imposing certain duties on the State Highway Commissioner and on proprietors of public garages providing procedure and penalties for violation thereof and the disposition of fines collected and regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions for damages arising from the use of any motor vehicle" as amended appropriating moneys in the motor license fund for the maintenance and repair of interstate bridges over the Delaware River"

And all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed

Section 1402 Documents—All books papers records and other documents or equipment relating to the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act which are now in the posession of the Department of Highways shall be delivered to the Department of Revenue on the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All questions arising under this section shall be referred to and determined by the Governor

Section 1403 Pending Proceedings—All applications petitions hearings and other proceedings pending before the Department of Highways and all prosecutions and other legal proceedings of every kind and description and investigations begun by the said department and not completed when this act becomes effective shall continue and remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the passage of this act and may be completed before or by the Department of Revenue

Section 1404 Rules and Regulations—All orders rules and regulations made by the Department of Highways in connection with the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act shall remain in full force and effect until revoked or modified by the Department of Revenue

Section 1405 Current Registrations and Licenses to Remain Effective—All registrations operators' licenses and learners' permits issued by the Department of Highways for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall remain in full force and effect for the period for which issued unless and until revoked or suspended by the Department of Revenue for any reason for which the Department of Revenue is by this act given the power to revoke or suspend and for the purpose of revoking or suspending registrations operators' licenses or learners' permits heretofore issued by th Department of Highways the Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the same power which it has under this act to revoke or suspend

Section 1406 Outstanding Certificates of Title to Remain Effective All certificates of title heretofore issued by the Department of Highways shall be valid and shall remain in full force and effect and assignments transfers and duplicates thereof shall be recognized recorded or issued to the same extent under the same conditions and upon the same terms as if the certificates of title had been originally issued by the Department of Revenue under the provisions of this act

Section 1407 Time of Taking Effect The provisions of this act except as hereinafter provided shall be in force on and after July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine provided however That Sections Seven hundred three seven hundred four seven hundred six seven hundred seven seven hundred eight seven hundred thirteen of Article VII Section eight hundred thirteen of Article VIII and sub-sections (c) and (d) of Section nine hundred three of Article IX shall be in full force and effect from and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and further excepted that the commercial motor vehicle and truck tractor classification ZZ in sections seven hundred three and seven hundred four of Article VII and in section nine hundred three of Article IX shall be in full force and effect on and after July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 181, line 12, by striking out after the word "after" and before the word "first" the word [July] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June"; also page 181, line 24, by striking out after the word "after" and before the word "first" the word [July] and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "June".

The PRESIDENT. Is there oobjection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1120, (House Bill No. 1536), on third reading, entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation, providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of tractors and trailers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers; imposing penalties, imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1120, (House Bill No. 1536), as follows:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailors and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

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ARTICLE I

SHORT TITLE AND PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

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Section 101 Short Title—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The Tractor Code"

Section 102 Definitions—The following words and phrases when used in this act shall for the purpose of this act have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this section except in those instances where the context clearly indicates a different meaning

"Cleat"—Any projection block stud flange or any other protuberance of any material other than rubber which projects beyond the outside surface of the periphery of the wheels of a tractor

"Dealer"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the business of manufacturing or in the purchase and sale of tractors or trailers and who has an established place of business

"Department"—The Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Guide Band"—Any flange affixed to the center line of the outside surface of the periphery of the front or guiding wheels of a tractor

"Highway"—Every way or place of whatever nature open to the use of the public as a matter of right for purposes of vehicular travel The term "highway" shall not be deemed to include a roadway or driveway upon grounds owned by private persons colleges universities or other institutions

"Magistrate"—A mayor burgess magistrate alderman justice of the peace or other officer having the powers of a committing magistrate

"Operator"—Every person who is in actual physical control of a tractor

"Operator's License"—The license issued to any person to operate a tractor

"Owner"—A person who is the legal owner of a tractor or trailer or in the event the tractor or trailer is subject to an agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof or other like agreement with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested by the conditional vendee or lessee shall be deemed the owner for the purpose of this act

"Peace Officer"—A sheriff deputy sheriff constable member of the Pennsylvania State Police State Highway Patrolman or other police officer vested with authority of arrest

"Person"—Every natural person firm co-partnership association or corporation

"Secretary"—The Secretary of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"State"—A state territory organized or unorganized or district of the United States of America

"Trailer"—Every vehicle wagon or truck drawn by a tractor for hauling material or freight of any kind excepting water and fuel tanks road-graders stone-crushers saw-mills concrete mixers and agricultural equipment not self-propelled

"Tractor"—Every vehicle which is self-propelled equipped with metal-tired wheels or crawlers operated or propelled by any form of engine motor or mechanical power excepting power shovels road rollers self-propelled engines which move or ar guided by an immovable track tractors abricultural implements such as grass mowers binders manure spreader hay loaders hay rakes grain drills or potato planters to be used exclusively by any person upon the farm or farms he owns or operates or upon highways connecting by the most direct route any farms or portions of farms under the single ownership or operation of such person

Section 103 Printed Matter—The secretary is authorized to order through the Department of Property and Supplies as

purchasing agent the printing of necessary forms bulletins and other printed matter required for carrying out the provisions of this act and for the dissemination of information to the public Provided however That all bulletins or other publications for the dissemination of information to the public shall be distributed only by or with the consent of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 104 Construction of Act Generally—The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any act of Assembly or part thereof shall not revive any act or part thereof heretofore repealed or superseded The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested or affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

Section 105 Constitutional Construction—The provisions of this act shall be severable and if any of the provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining provisions of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

ARTICLE II

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Section 201 Registration of Tractors and Trailers Required—Except as hereinafter provided no tractor or trailer shall be operated or driven upon any highway in this Commonwealth until the said tractor or trailer shall have been registered with the department as hereinafter provided and the registration plate that has been issued for the vehicle for the current year is received and displayed as required by this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 202 Registrations Duplicates and Renewals—(a) Application for registration of a tractor or trailer shall be made upon a form furnished by the department and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall contain the actual or bona fide address and name of the owner together with a brief description of the tractor the name manufacturer's number character of the motive power and the gross maximum weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of a trailer the gross weight of the chassis and body and also such other description of the tractor or trailer as the secretary may require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the case where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation copartnership or association to sign the same and shall be accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(b) Upon receipt of the application and the fee provided in this act the secretary shall register the tractor or trailer therein described and the owner thereof in suitable books or in index cards maintaining suitable records of all registrations issued

(c) The secretary upon registering a tractor or trailer shall issue to the owner a registration card which shall bear thereon the registration number assigned to the owner and to the tractor or trailer the name and address of the owner also a description of the vehicle and such other statement of facts as may be determined by the secretary The owner upon receiving the registration card shall sign the usual signature or name of such owner with pen and ink in the space provided

(d) In the event of a lost destroyed or illegible registration card application shall be made to the department within forty-eight (43) hours of the discovery of the loss of such registration card for a duplicate registration card upon a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act Thereupon the department shall issue a duplicate registration card to the owner

(e) No owner or operator of a tractor or trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that registration card is missing if the owner or operator makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new registration card was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required in this section

(f) The registration card issued for a tractor or trailer required to be registered shall at all times while the vehicle is being operated upon a highway be in the possession of the operator thereof or carried in the tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (c) (d) or (f) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 203 Classification—Tractors for the purpose of this act shall be divided into two classes

(a) First Class—Tractors used exclusively for agricultural purposes road grading and transporting machinery and appliances which when at rest operate with their own power and shall exclude tractors used for hauling of freight of any kind

(b) Second Class—Tractors used for freighting which shall include all hauling upon the public highway excepting such as is specified in sub-section (a) of this section

Section 204 Registration of Dealers—(a) Tractors or trailers owned or kept by dealers shall be exempt from individual registration if said dealer registers with the department in the "Dealer's Class"

(b) Application for such registration shall be made to the department upon a form furnished by the department The application shall contain the full name and business address of the applicant and such other information as the department shall require Upon receipt of the application accompanied by the fee provided in this act for each registration card and registration plate desired the department shall issue to the applicant as many registration cards and registration plates as may have been applied for

(c) No tractor or trailer shall under any circumstances be operated under the dealer's registration unless the registration card for the registration plate displayed is carried by the operator and bears the signature of the dealer to whom issued

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 205 Registration by Non-Residents—Non-Residents of this Commonwealth except as otherwise provided in this act will be exempt from the provisions of this act as to the registration of tractors and trailers for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under the laws of the foreign country or state of their residence relative to the registration of tractors and trailers and shall conspicuously display the registration plates as required thereby and have in their possession the registration card issued for such tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 206 Registration Shall Be Refused—The department shall not accept an application for the registration of a tractor or trailer in any of the following events

1 When the applicant therefor is not entitled thereto under the provisions of this act

2 When the applicant has neglected or refused to furnish the department with the information required in the appropriate official form or reasonable additional information required by the department

3 When the fees required therefor by law have not been paid

4 When the vehicle is not constructed or equipped as required by this act

Section 207 Registration Suspended—(a) The secretary may suspend any registration with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative in any of the following cases

1 When tractor or trailer is unsafe or unfit for operation or is not equipped as required by this act

2 When the owner shall make or permit to be made any unlawful use of a tractor or trailer or registration plate or permit the use thereof by a person not entitled thereto

3 When the owner has been convicted of using a false or fictitious name or giving false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

4 Upon certification or request or order of any court duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certifications requests or orders

5 When check submitted in payment of any registration is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) The secretary upon suspending any registration shall require the registration plate and registration card to be surrendered immediately to the department and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to seize such registration plate and registration card

(c) Any person whose registration has been suspended shall not be entitled to apply for or receive new or duplicate registration until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

(d) No tractor or trailer the registration of which has been suspended shall be operated on the highway during the period of suspension

(e) Whenever the secretary suspends any registration the secretary shall immediately notify the owner and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not been already held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the registration for a further period

(f) Any person whose registration has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act

Section 208 Transfer of Registration—(a) Upon transfer of ownership or the destruction of any tractor or trailer the registration shall expire

(b) Upon transfer of registration from one tractor or trailer to another tractor or trailer application shall be made immediately to the department upon a form furnished by the department upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act when the tractor or trailer is of equal or lower classication than that originally registered or upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the tractor or trailer be properly registered in a higher classification

(c) The application shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number in the case of tractors the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer in the case of trailers the gross weight of the chassis and body as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the tractor or trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same

(d) When a transfer of registration is made the owner shall be given a transfer registration card and new registration number if transfer is made to another classification

(e) When a transfer of registration is made after a vehicle has been registered for the succeeding year and the transfer application has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year the transfer fee provided in this act shall not be required

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 209 Expiration of Registration—All registrations shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but registration cards for the succeeding year may at the option of their holders be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

ARTICLE III

REGISTRATION PLATES

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Section 301 Registration Plates to be Furnished by Department

(a) The department shall furnish to every owner whose tractor or trailor has been registered and for each registration issued to a dealer one (1) registration plate

(b) Every registration plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number assigned to the vehicle and to the owner thereof also the name of the Commonwealth which may be abbreviated and the year number for which it is issued and any other identification the department may deem necessary The required letters and numerals on such plates shall not be more than five (5) inches in height

(c) The registration plate shall be kept reasonably clean and shall not be defaced in any manner and shall be displayed conspiciously on the front or rear of the tractor and on the rear of the trailer in such a way that they may be easily read

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 302 Use of Dealer's Registration Plates—Registration plate issued under dealer's registration may be used on any tractor or trailer owned by such dealer and operated by such dealer or the employe of such dealer when such tractor or trailer is used (a) in the tractor or trailer business of such dealer (b) for testing tractors or trailers in the possession of such dealer (c) for demonstrating tractors or trailers in the possession of such dealer and such tractors and trailers may be operated by a prospective purchaser when licensed as an operator and when accompanied by the dealer or an employe of such dealer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 303 Use of Registration Plates Restricted—(a) No person shall operate a tractor of trailor under any other registration plates than that of its own registration

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs

of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 304 Lost or Defaced Registration Plates—(a) In the event of the loss of registration plate or if a plate becomes so defaced that the numbers thereon are illegible it shall be the duty of the owner of the tractor or trailor for which the same were issued to apply to the department for new registration plate within forty-eight (48) hours of his discovery of the loss or defacement of such plate

(b) Applications for such replacements shall be made upon a form furnished by the department on which shall be set forth the loss defacement or destruction of such plate and be accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths. Thereupon the department shall cancel the original registration and shall replace the original plate with plate of number other than that originally issued also a correct registration card

(c) Upon the receipt of new registration plate it shall be the duty of the owner to immediately return to the department for cancellation the old registration plate unless lost or destroyed

(d) No owner or operator of a tractor or trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that registration plate is missing if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new plate was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 305 Transfer of Registration Plate—(a) Upon the transfer of ownership or destruction of any tractor or trailer the owner shall remove the registration plate therefrom

(b) In the event of the transfer of registration plate to a tractor or trailer of the same classification as that originally registered the owner shall be assigned the registration plate previously issued to him unless such registration plate has been lost or destroyed

(c) If transfer of registration plate is from one tractor or trailer classification to another tractor or trailer classification the owner shall be issued a new registration plate Upon receipt of new registration plate the original registration plate shall be returned to the department immediately for cancellation unless such registration plate has been destroyed or lost

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) or (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 306 Temporary Use of Registration Plate Pending Transfer of Registration—After the transfer of registration plate from a tractor or trailer to another tractor or trailer owned by the same owner the owner or operator shall not for a period of twenty (20) days be subject to a fine for the operation of the latter tractor or trailer without the proper transfer registration card provided he shall have made application to the department as required in this act for transfer of the registration and provided he shall upon prosecution make an affidavit or testify under oath to that effect

Section 307 Illegal Transfer of Registration Plate—No person shall give or lend tractor or trailer or dealer's registration plate to another

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 308 Return of Dealer's Registration Plate—Registration plate or plates and registration card or cards issued in the dealer's class shall be returned to the department for cancellation when the dealer discontinues tractor or trailer business

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 309 Expiration of Registration Plates—(a) All registration plates shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but the registration plate for the succeeding year may at the option of the owner be used on and after December fifteen of the current year

(b) No tractor or trailer shall be operated on any highway after December thirty-first with registration plates for the previous year nor without registration plate on claim by the owner or operator that registration plate for the current year has been applied for but not received

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE IV

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Section 401 Operators Must be Licensed—No person except those expressly exempted under this act shall operate any tractor upon a highway in this Commonwealth unless such person upon application has been licensed or authorized to operate tractors under the laws of this Commonwealth or is licensed as an operator under the provisions of this Act

Penalties—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 402 Persons Exempt from License—(a) Every person in the service of the Federal Government when furnished with a driver's permit and when operating an official tractor in such service shall be exempt from operator's license under this act

(b) Every person operating a tractor not required to have registration under this act shall be exempt from operator's license under this act

Section 403 Persons Not to be Licensed—The secretary may in his discretion refuse to issue an operator's license to any applicant because of lack of physical or mental ability or of prior improper conduct in the operation of a motor same were issued to to apply to the department for new regis- vehicle or tractor or who is under the age of sixteen (16) years

Section 404 Application for Operator's License—(a) The department upon receiving from any person sixteen (16) years of age or over an application for an operator's license may in its discretion issue such license entitling the applicant while having such license in his possession to operate a tractor upon the highways

(b) Application for operator's license shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths on a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall state the name age sex actual or bona fide address of the applicant together with any other information the secretary may desire

Section 405 Examination of Operators—The secretary may at his discretion require any licensed operator or applicant for an operator's license under the provisions of this act to submit to an examination to determine the ability and fitness of such operator or applicant

Section 406 Register of Operators—(a) The department shall file each application for operator's licence and index same by name and number and maintain suitable records of all licenses issued also a record of all licenses which have been suspended

(b) The secretary may cause the applications for operators' licenses and records in connection therewith to be destroyed two (2) years after the year for which issued

Section 407 Operator's License Cards—(a) The department shall issue to every person licensed as an operator an operator's license card

(b) Every such operator's license card shall bear thereon the operator's license number the name residence address and such other such information as may be required also a space for the signature of the licensee

Section 408 Duplicate License Cards—(a) In the event that an operator's license card issued under the provisions of this act shall be lost or destroyed or become illegible the person to whom the same was issued shall obtain a duplicate thereof upon application to the department and upon payment of the fee provided in this act

(b) No operator of a tractor shall be subject to a fine for the reason that an operator's license card is lost if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within a period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for duplicate operator's license card was made within forty-eight (48) hours of discovery of same

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 409 License to be Signed and Carried—(a) Every person licensed as an operator shall write his usual signature with pen and ink in the space provided for that purpose on the operator's license card issued to the operator immediately upon receipt of such card

(b) The operator shall have such operator's license card in his immediate possession at all times when operating a tractor

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 410 Expiration of Operator's License—All operators' licenses shall expire on the last day of February of each year unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but operators' licenses for the succeeding year may at the option of their owners be used on and after February fifteenth of the current year

Section 411 Suspension of License—(a) The secretary may suspend the license of any operator with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative for (1) lack of physical or mental ability or improper conduct in operating a tractor or (2) when check submitted in payment of fees is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) No person whose license to operate a tractor has been suspended shall operate a tractor on the highways during the period of such suspension

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 412 Right to Appeal to Court from Suspension—Any person whose operator's license has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of operator's license under the provisions of this act

Section 413 New Operator's License after Suspension—Any person whose operator's license is suspended under the provisions of this act shall not be entitled to apply for or receive any new operator's license until suspension is lifted by the secretary

Section 414 Owner Liable for Negligence of Certain Minors—Every owner of a tractor causing or permitting a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to operate a tractor upon a highway and any person who knowingly gives or furnishes a tractor to a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years shall be jointly and severally liable with such minor for any damages caused by the negligence of such minor in operating such tractor

Section 415 Violation of License Provisions—It shall be unlawful for any person to commit any of the following acts

(a) To display or cause or permit to be displayed or to have in possession any operator's license knowing the same to be fictitious or to have been cancelled revoked suspended or altered

(b) To lend to or knowingly permit the use of by one not entitled thereto any operator's license issued to the person so lending or permitting the use thereof

(c) To display or to represent as one's own any operator's license not issued to the person so displaying the same

(d) To fail or refuse to surrender to the department upon demand any operator's license or registration card or registration plate which has been suspended or cancelled as provided in this act

(e) To make use of or operate any tractor without the knowledge or consent of the owner or custodian thereof

(f) To operate a tractor while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic drug or permit any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug to operate any tractor owned by him or in his custody or control

(g) To operate any tractor upon the highways of this Commonwealth after operator's license is suspended or revoked

(h) To operate any tractor upon the highways of this Commonwealth after its registration has been suspended by the secretary

(i) To use a false or fictitious name or give a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly make a false statement or knowingly conceal a material fact or otherwise commit a fraud in any application

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (a) (b) (c) or (d) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (e) (f) (g) (h) or (i) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 416 Unlawful to Permit Violations of Act—No person shall authorize or permit a tractor owned by him or under his control to be operated by any person who has no legal right to do so or in violation of any of the provisions of this act.

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 417 Counties and Municipalities Liable for Negligence of Their Employes—Every county city borough incorporated town or township within this Commonwealth employing any person shall be jointly and severally liable with such person for any damages caused by the negligence of such person while operating a tractor upon a highway in the course of their employment

Section 413 Rights of Operators on Highways—Operators of tractors shall have the same rights upon the highways as the drivers of other vehicles and no highway open to other vehicles shall be closed to tractors except as otherwise provided in this act

ARTICLE V.

FEES

Section 501 Tractors
Section 502 Trailers
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Section 514 Motor License Fund

Section 501 Tractors—The fee for the annual registration of a tractor of the first class shall be five ($5) dollars and for the annual registration of a tractor of the second class shall be fifty ($50) dollars

Section 502 Trailers—Trailers whether equipped with pneumatic cushion rubber or solid rubber tires shall be divided into seven (7) classes and the fee for annual registration of such trailers in each of the respective classes based on the gross weight of chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Weight of Trailer in Pounds	Fee
A	Less than 1000	$ 5.00
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	8.00
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	15.00
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	25.00
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	30.00
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	45.00
G	6000 and over	75.00

Section 503 Dealers—The fee shall be twenty-five ($25) dollars for the first annual registration and two ($2) dollars for each additional annual registration issued to persons registered as dealer in tractors or trailers

Section 504 Metal Tires—The fee for annual registration of any trailer equipped with metal tires shall be double the regular fee for a trailer

Section 505 Reduction of Registration Fees in Certain Cases—The fee for registration of a tractor or trailer when registration is issued on or after August first shall be one-half (½) of the fee for annual registration Provided That the fee for registration of any tractor or trailer when registration is issued on or after November first shall be one-fourth (¼) of the fee for annual registration herein specified

Section 506 Operator's Licenses Duplicate Registration of Operator's License Card—(a) The fee for issuing an operator's license shall be two ($2) dollars

(b) The fee for a duplicate operator's license card or duplicate registration card shall be fifty (50) cents

Section 507 Replacement of Registration Plates The fee for replaced tractor trailer or dealer's registration plate shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 508 Transferring Registration—The fee for transfer of registration shall be two ($2) dollars when tractor or trailer is of equal or less horse power or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of a fee of two ($2) dollars and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the tractor or trailer be properly registerable in a higher classification

Section 509 Certified Copies of Records—The fee for a certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 510 Uncollectible Checks—Whenever any check issued in payment of any fee or for any other purpose shall be returned to the department as uncollectible the secretary shall charge a fee of five ($5) dollars plus all protest fees to the person presenting such check to him to cover the cost of its collection

Section 511 Special Hauling Permits—The fee for a special hauling permit shall be five ($5) dollars payable to the authorities issuing such permit

Section 512 Exemptions From Fees—(a) No fee shall be charged for the registration of tractors and trailers owned and used by (a) The Federal Government (b) any state other than Pennsylvania which issue registrations to this Commonwealth without charge (c) the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (d) any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of the Commonwealth (e) hospital or any duly authorized volunteer fire force but all such vehicles except those owned and used by the Federal Government shall be registered and shall display registration plates as this act provides for privately owned tractors and trailers

(b) No fee shall be charged for operator's licenses issued to employes of this Commonwealth engaged in the operation of tractors owned by this commonwealth

(c) No fee shall be required for replacement or substitution of registration card registration plate or operator's license when satisfactory proof is furnished the secretary of loss of same in the mails

(d) No fee shall be charged for certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record furnished to Federal state county or municipal authorities

(e) No fee shall be charged for special hauling permits issued to this Commonwealth or any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth

(f) No fee shall be required for transfer of registration for the succeeding year when such transfer has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year

Section 513 No other Taxes or Fees to be Imposed—The fees herein set forth shall be in lieu of any other fees or taxes to be imposed by this Commonwealth or any sub-division thereof and no city borough incorporated town township or county shall require or collect any registration or operator's license fee or tax for any tractor trailer or license from any operator thereof

Section 514 Motor License Fund—The department shall collect all fees payable under this act and all other monies received in connection with the administration of this act and transmit them to the State Treasury where they shall be kept in the "Motor License Fund" separate and from all other monies in the State Treasury

ARTICLE VI.

EQUIPMENT SIZE AND WEIGHT

Section 601 Lights
Section 602 Cleats Guide Bands et cetera
Section 603 Spark Arresters and Fire Prevention
Section 604 Red Light Visible From in Front of Tractor or Trailer
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Section 609 Officers May Weigh Tractors and Trailers
Section 610 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight
Section 611 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways
Section 612 Regulating Weight of Tractors and Trailers on Bridges

Section 601 Lights—(a) Every tractor upon a highway within this Commonwealth during the period from one (1) hour after sunset to one (1) hour before sunrise and at any other time when there is not sufficient light to render clearly discernible any person on the highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead shall be equipped with two (2) headlamps and no less at the front of and on opposite sides of the tractor and shall also carry at the rear a lamp which exhibits a red light plainly visible to the rear except that tractors of the first class may display a white light in front and a white or red light in the rear

(b) Every trailer attached to a tractor shall during the time specified in sub-section (a) of this section exhibit a white or red light to the rear of said trailer

(c) Whenever a tractor or trailer is parked or stopped upon a highway whether attended or unattended during the time when lights are required by this act it shall display a white light in front and a white or red light in rear visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front and to the rear of such tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsecton (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of two ($2) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than one (1) day

Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 602 Wheels Cleats Guide Bands et cetra—(a) A steam tractor shall not be operated upon any highway equipped with cleats less than one (1) inch in width at the surface at the point of contact with the highway nor more than two (2) inches in height all other tractors shall not be operated upon highways equipped with cleats less than three-eighths (⅜) inch in width or more than one-half (½) inch in width at the surface at the point of contact with the highway or more than two (2) inches in height The front or guiding wheels shall be equipped with guide bands not less than two (2) inches in width nor more than one and one-half (1½) inches in height

(b) The drivers or driving wheels of all tractors of the second class may be smooth-faced or with flat cleats not less than two and one-half (2½) inches wide at point of contact with the highway and not over two (2) inches high When placed diagonally across the entire face of the driver or when placed in two (2) sections similar to the letter "V" the cleats shall not be spaced over nine (9) inches apart from the center to center measured at right angles to the cleats When the cleats are placed on the drivers in two (2) sections known as the standard type of cleat they shall not be spaced over fifteen (15) inches apart from center to center measured at right angles to the cleats

(c) No boltheads nuts or rivet heads shall be allowed to project either on the guide wheels or on the drivers and ice picks or spuds projecting beyond the cleats shall be prohibited except on roads which are not macadamized or paved

(d) The caterpillar or crawler type of tractors may be operated with such modifications as the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth may prescribe with cleats at right angles to the axis of the machine five (5) or more cleats to be in road contact at the same time The height of cleats must not be more than two (2) inches and the base width not less than two and one-half (2½) inches and the point of contact with the highway to have either a flat surface equal to the base with rounded edges or a rounded surface with a radius of not less than one-half (½) inch

The provisions of this act as to cleats and guide bands shall not apply to any tractor of the first class in use in this Commonwealth prior to January first one thousand nine hundred twenty

Provided however That if upon examination of any tractor requiring registration or exempt from registration under this act it is found that it is doing unusual damage in the opinion of the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth the secretary shall have power to compel such alterations as to him may seem expedient

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 603 Spark Arresters and Fire Prevention—(a) No steam tractor shall be operated within three hundred (300) feet of any building unless such tractor is equipped with an efficient spark arrester

(b) No steam tractor using wood for fuel shall be operated unless said tractor be equipped with a bonnet spark arrester having an oval top of number ten (10) mesh twenty-two (22) gauge wire and sides composed of number six (6) mesh sixteen (16) gauge wire

(c) Every steam tractor shall at all times carry and be equipped with proper fire extinguishers

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 604 Red Light Visible from in Front of Tractor or Trailer—No person shall operate or move any tractor or trailer upon a public highway with a red light displayed on the front thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 605 Brakes—Every tractor when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with brakes adequate to control the movement of and to stop and to hold such vehicle All such brakes shall be maintained in good working order

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 606 Limitations—The regulations prescribed by this act or made by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth in pursuance of its provisions shall not permit the owner or operator of any tractor to use the highway in an unusual or unreasonable manner and shall not exempt the owners or operators of such tractors from indictment for nuisance or prevent the granting of injunctions against unusual or unreasonable use of the highways of the Commonwealth Nor shall these regulations relieve the owner or operator of any tractor from liability for damages to the highways by reason of the careless negligent reckless or wanton operation of such tractor

Section 607 Size of Vehicles and Load—(a) No tractor shall exceed a total maximum width including any load thereon of one hundred and ten (110) inches

(b) No trailer except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum width including load thereon of ninety-six (96) inches except that the limitations as to size of trailer in this act shall not apply to such vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk

(c) No tractor or trailer except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum length including load thereon of three hundred and ninety-six (396) inches and no combination of vehicles coupled together shall exceed a total maximum length of eight-five (85) feet

1 No tractor of the second class shall be operated upon any highway drawing or having attached thereto more than one (1) other vehicle

2 The draw-bar or other connection between a tractor and trailer shall not exceed fifteen (15) feet in length from tractor to the trailer Whenever the connection consists of a chain rope bar or cable there shall be displayed upon such connection a flag not less than twelve (12) inches both in length and width

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 608 Weight of Tractor Trailer and Load—(a) Tractors shall not be operated or moved upon any highway with gross weight in excess of twenty-eight thousand (28,000) pounds

(b) The width of tires on the wheels of tractors or trailers shall be sufficient so that including the load on the tractor or trailer the weight shall not be in excess of eight hundred (800) pounds on any wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on each wheel

(c) Trailers shall not be operated or moved upon any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	

C.....2000 and over but less than 3000 10000
D.....3000 and over but less than 4000 16000
E.....4000 and over but less than 5000 20000
F.....5000 and over but less than 6000 24000
G.....6000 and over 26000

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 609 Officers May Weigh Tractors and Trailers—Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority having reason to believe that the weight of a tractor or trailer and it or its load is unlawful is authorized to weigh the same either by means of portable or stationery scales or may require that such vehicle be driven to the nearest stationery scales in the event that such scales are within a distance of two (2) miles The peace officer may then require the operator to unload immediately such portion of the load as may be necessary to decrease the gross weight of such vehicle to the maximum gross weight specified in this act except as herein provided for special hauling permits and further provided That no arrests shall be made in cases where the maximum gross weights provided in this act are not exceeded by more than ten (10) per centum thereof

Penalty—Any person refusing to unload excess weight when so ordered shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereto shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 610 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities in their respective jurisdictions may at their discretion upon application in writing accompanied by the fee provided in this act and good cause being shown therefor issue a special permit in writing authorizing the applicant to operate or move a tractor or trailer of a size and weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the authorities granting the permit are responsible Every such permit shall be issued for a single trip and shall designate the route to be traversed and contain any other conditions or restrictions deemed necessary by the authorities granting such permit Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any peace officer or person having collision with the tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person operating or moving a tractor or trailer and its load of a size or weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act without first having obtained a permit or permits so to do shall upon summary conviction before a magis- default of the pay- ten (10) days

Section 611 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities may by ordinance or resolution or ruling impose such reasonable restrictions as may be necessary to prevent extraordinary damage to the roads by reason of hauling when the roads are soft because of weather conditions

(b) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities enacting or making any such ordinance or resolution or rule shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained signs designating the provisions of the ordinance or resolution or rule and the ordinance resolution or rule shall not be effective or unless such signs are erected and maintained

Section 612 Regulating Weight of Tractors and Trailers on Bridges—Where any bridge causeway or viaduct owned or maintained whether owned in whole or in part by this Commonwealth or local authorities other than interstate bridges as now provided by law shall have a sign properly posted in a conspicious place at the entrance thereto stating the gross maximum weight permitted thereon it shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any such bridge causeway or viaduct any tractor or trailer which together with its load shall be of greater gross maximum weight than is mentioned in such sign Provided however That restriction as to maximum weight mentioned in such signs shall not apply for a period exceeding one (1) year from the date of posting of such signs unless a further extension of time is authorized by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE VII.

ENFORCEMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Section 701 Information for Arrest.
Section 702 Proceedings by Information and Warrant
Section 703 Arrests on View
Section 704 Appeals Waiving Hearings
Section 705 Record of Magistrates
Section 706 Report of Convictions
Section 707 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures
Section 708 Civil Actions for Damages
Section 709 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendant
Section 710 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen
Section 711 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence
Section 712 Powers of Local Authorities

Section 701 Information for Arrest — (a) Information charging violations of any of the provisions of this act except in cases where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor shall be brought within fifteen (15) days after the commission of the alleged offense and not thereafter except that where an information is filed against a person prima facie guilty of an offense and it subsequently appears that a person other than the person named in the information was the offender an information may be filed against such other person within fifteen (15) days after his or her identity shall be discovered

(b) Prosecutions for offenses defined in this act except as otherwise herein provided shall be brought under this act and not under any local ordinance rule or regulation

(c) Prosecutions brought under any local ordinance rule or regulation which are based on a violation for which there is a specific penalty provided in this act shall be deemed and considered as having been brought under this act

Section 702 Proceedings by Information and Warrant—(a) Summary proceedings under this act or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereinafter provided shall be commenced by the filing of information which information must be filed in the name of the Commonwealth and within the period of seven (7) days after information has been lodged the magistrate shall send by registered mail to the person charged at the address shown by the records of the department at a notice in writing of the filing of information together with a copy thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice

1 If the person named in the information shall not voluntarily appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice a warrant shall then issue and may be served by a peace officer having authority to serve warrants

If the person charged cannot be served within such county then the magistrate shall deputize a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county wherein the person charged resides or may be found to serve such warrant

2 The peace officer serving such warrant shall take the defendant before the nearest available magistrate of the county in which the defendant is found who shall take bail either for the defendant's appearance before the magistrate who issued the warrant or for his appearance for trial in the proper court if a summary hearing is waived

Section 703 Arrests on View or With Warrant—(a) Peace officers may arrest when in uniform and displaying a badge or other sign of authority upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person and such officers shall forthwith make and file with the magistrate before whom the arrested person is taken an affaidavit setting forth in detail the offense complained of and a tonce furnish a copy thereof to the person arrested When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person

violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law

(b) If the defendant is unable to give bail as provided in this act for a hearing or for his appearance at court the magistrate shall accept as bail any article of sufficient value or if the defendant is the owner thereof shall hold in custody the tractor or trailer found in his possession and the court or magistrate after the trial of the defendant or when bail according to law has been given shall make such order as to the disposition of such tractor or trailer or other articles accepted as bail as shall seem just and proper

Section 704 Appeals Waiving Hearings—(a) Any person convicted in any summary proceeding under this act shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction

(b) Any person accused of violating any of the provisions of this act other than felonies and misdemeanors may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the fine that might be imposed for appearance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter sessions or in the county court or in the municipal court in counties wherein such courts exist and thereupon the magistrate shall within fifteen (15) days return the complaint or information to the said court

(c) If any person so accused having waived a hearing shall be convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be sentenced to pay the fine and costs of prosecution or suffer imprisonment provided in this act for the offense committed If on a waived hearing or the hearing of an appeal from a summary conviction under this act before a judge of such court the defendant is found not guilty and the defendant has paid a fine or fine and costs following the sentence on which he appealed such court upon acquitting the defendant shall decree a restitution of the said fine or fine and cost to the defendant and upon presentation of a certified copy of said decree it shal lbe the duty of the magistrate or other officer to whom such fine or fine and costs has been paid to refund same to the defendant provided however if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the treasurer of any city or borough or incorporated town or township such treasurer shall refund to the defendant such fine upon presentation of claim and further provided That if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the department refund shall be made as provided in article VIII of this act In no case where the defendant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be imposed upon him in a summary proceeding under this act whether heard by a magistrate or a court of record

Section 705 Record of Magistrates—(a) Every magistrate shall in every case arising under this act make and preserve for the period of three (3) years an exact record of the proceedings showing the sub-section section and article violated and the fine and costs paid or bail forfeited if any which shall be subject to inspection on demand of any person

(b) The magistrate shall deliver without charge to the defendant a receipt showing in detail the sub-section section and article violated and the amount of fine and costs imposed upon and paid by him

(c) The magistrate shall not divide fees of his office with any peace officer or with any person who may assist in making an arrest or furnish evidence in any case arising under this act

Penalty—Any magistrate violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 706 Report of Convictions—(a) Every magistrate in this Commonwealth shall keep a full report of every case in which a person is charged with a violation of any provision of this act and in the event that such person is convicted or that his bail is forfeited an abstract of such report shall be sent upon request of the secretary by the magistrate to the department but this requirement shall not be deemed to make such court a court of record Abstracts required by this section shall be made upon forms prepared by the department and shall include all necessary information as to the parties to the case the nature of the offense the date of hearing the plea the judgment the amount of the fine or forfeiture and other information deemed necessary and every such abstract shall be certified by the magistrate as a trust abstract of the record of the court

(b) The clerk of any court of record of this Commonwealth shall within ten (10) days after final judgment of conviction of any of the provisions of this act send to the department a certified copy of such judgment of conviction Certified copies of the judgment shall also be forwarded to the department upon conviction of any person of manslaughter or other felony or misdemeanor in the commission of which a tractor was used

(c) The department may keep such records in its offices for at least five (5) years and they shall be open to the inspection of any person during reasonable business hours

Penalty—Failure refusal or neglect to comply with any of the provisions of this section shall constitute misconduct in office and shall be ground for removal therefrom

Section 707 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures—(a) All fines and penalties collected under the provisions of this act for violations of the same and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the department and transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund" except those collected for violations of the provisions as to weight which fines and penalties and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the treasurer of the city borough incorporated town or township wherein the violation occurred to be used by such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

(b) Sworn statements of all fines and penalties so collected and all bail forfeited shall also be made by the magistrate or other officer imposing or receiving the same to the secretary upon forms furnished by the department such reports shall be made monthly not later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month

Penalty—Any magistrate or other officer who shall fail to make such monthly reports and returns or either of them shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 708 Civil Actions for Damages—All civil actions for damages arising from the use and operation of any tractor or trailer may at the discretion of the plaintiff be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace in the county wherein the alleged damages were sustained if the plaintiff has had said damages repaired and shall produce a receipted bill for the same properly sworn to by the party making such repairs or his agent or said action may be brought in the court of common pleas of said county and service of process in either case may be made by the sheriff of the county where the suit is brought deputizing the sheriff of the county wherein the defendant or his registered agent resides or where services may be had upon him under the existing laws of this Commonwalth in like manner as process may now be served in the proper county No action involving more than one hundred ($100) dollars shall be brough before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace

Section 709 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendant—Whenever any peace officer whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this act shall in good faith bring suit for any violation for such provisions and for any reason shall fail to recover the costs of record such costs shall be a charge upon the proper county as shall such costs in the event the defendant is imprisoned for failure to pay fine or costs or both and shall be audited and paid as are costs of like character in said county

Section 710 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen—Such employes of the Commonwealth as are designated as "State Highway Patrolmen" are hereby declared to be peace officers and are hereby given police power and authority throughout the Commonwealth to arrest on view while in uniform without writ rule order or process any person violating any of the provisions of this act

Section 711 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence—Any certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any records books papers documents and rulings of the Secretary when certified by the Secretary under the seal of the department shall be acceptable as evidence in the courts

of this Commonwealth with the same force and effect as the originals in all cases where such original records books papers documents and rulings would be admitted in evidence

Section 712 Powers of Local Authorities—Local authorities except as expressly authorized by this act shall have no power or authority to enact enforce or maintain any ordinance rule or regulation contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of this act

ARTICLE VIII

REFUNDS

Section 801 Refunds

Section 801 Refunds All monies erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunded by the Board of Finance and Revenue as provided by law

ARTICLE IX

REPEALS

Section 901 Acts of Assembly Repealed
Section 902 Documents
Section 903 Pending Proceedings
Section 904 Rules and Regulations
Section 905 Current Registration and Licenses to Remain Effective
Section 906 Time of Taking Effect

Section 901 Acts of Assembly Repealed—The following act and parts of acts of Assembly are hereby repealed as particularly set forth

(a) The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-six) entitled "An act relating to and regulating self-propelled traction-engines or tractors equipped with metal-tired wheels and vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the State Highway Department prohibiting the operation of any traction-engine or tractor by any person when intoxicated forbidding the passage of any law laying a tax upon or requiring the registration of traction-engines or tractors by any county city borough or incorporated town or township establishing the rights of traction-engines or tractors upon the public highways with relation to other vehicles providing for their equipment and for the width of tires to be used upon vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions of damages arising therefrom providing for arrest and for service of process and proceedings for violation of this act prescribing the penalties therefor and provisions for the disposition of fees and fines imposed thereunder" absolutely

(b) The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen entitled 'An act relating to and regulating self-propelled traction-engines or tractors equipped with metal-tired wheels and vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the State Highway Department prohibiting the operation of any traction-engine or tractor by any person when intoxicated forbidding the passage of any law laying a tax upon or requiring the registration of traction-engines or tractors by any county city borough or incorporated town or township establishing the rights of traction-engines or tractors upon the public highways with relation to other vehicles providing for their equipmnet and for the width of tires to be used upon vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions of damages arising therefrom providing for arrest and for service of process and proceedings for violation of this act prescribing the penalties therefor and providing for the disposition of fees and fines imposed thereunder'" absolutely

(c) The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act making unlawful the operation in certain cases of steam traction and steam portable engines unless equipped with spark arresters and providing penalties for violation of its provisions" in so far as it relates to tractors

And all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed

Section 902 Documents—All books papers records and other documents or equipment relating to the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act which are now in the possession of the Department of Highways shall be delivered to the Department of Revenue on the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All questions arising under this section shall be referred to and determined by the Governor

Section 903 Pending Proceedings—All applications petitions hearings and other proceedings pending before the Department of Highways and all prosecutions and other legal proceedings of every kind and description and investigations begun by the said department and not completed when this act becomes effective shall continue and remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the passage of this act and may be completed before or by the Department of Revenue

Section 904 Rules and Regulations—All orders rules and regulations made by the Department of Highways in connection with the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act shall remain in full force and effect until revoked or modified by the Department of Revenue

Section 905 Current Registrations and Licenses to Remain Effective—All registrations and operators' licenses issued by the Department of Highways for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall remain in full force and effect for the period for which issued unless and until revoked or suspended by the Department of Revenue for any reason for which the Department of Revenue is by this act given the power to revoke or suspend and for the purpose of revoking or suspending registrations and operators' licenses heretofore issued by the Department of Highways the Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the same power which it has under this act to revoke or suspend

Section 906 Time of Taking Effect—The provisions of this act except as hereinafter provided shall be in force on July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine provided however that Section five hundred two of Article V shall be in full force and effect from and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and provided further That all operators' licenses for the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall be good and valid until the first day of March one thousand nine hundred thirty

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 59, line 5, by striking out after the word "on" and before the word "first" the word [July] and inserting in lieu thereof, the word June.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the Federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claim-

ants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), as follows:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the governor of the state is hereby directed to propound to and against the government of the United States of America and to prosecute to collection a claim by and in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 If the governor of the state finds that there is no federal statute or law now existing providing for the payment of such funds into the treasury of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania he is hereby directed to seek in such manner as to him shall appear necessary and proper legislation at the hands of the congress of the United States providing for the payment of such moneys into the treasury of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 3 All such moneys so collected and paid by the government of the United States shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue less the commission for the collection thereof and shall be held by the State Treasurer for a period of five years in trust for claimants of such funds

Section 4 The governor is hereby authorized to employ counsel and to enter into the necessary contracts and agreements with such counsel for the propounding and prosecution of such claim against the government of the United States of America and fixing the commission to be allowed said counsel for such work such commission to be contingent upon the collection of such moneys from the United States and to be payable out of same and to be not more than ten per centum thereof provided that the state shall incur no cost of expense in the propounding or prosecution of such claims other than such commissions

Section 5 Upon receipt of such funds from the United States by the State Treasurer it shall be his duty to give notice to all claimants thereof by publication once each week for a period of eight successive weeks in a newspaper published in each of the counties or cities and counties of the State of Pennsylvania and if there be no newspaper in any county or city and county by posting in the courthouses of such counties and cities and counties for such period of time which notices shall set forth that such moneys have been collected and shall notify all claimants of same to propound their claims in writing by filling same with the Board of Finance and Revenue and shall warn all claimants and persons interested therein that a failure so to file their claims within a period of two years from the date on which such moneys were paid into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania shall forever bar their right to such funds or any part thereof and that in default of the filing of such claims such funds shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

Section 6 All such claimants of such moneys shall file their claims in writing with the Board of Finance and Revenue on such forms as shall be provided and shall submit their proofs and evidence to said board If such claims are approved by said board the auditor general shall draw a warrant on the State Treasurer payable to the order of such claimant and the State Treasurer shall pay such warrants out of the funds so collected from the government of the United States and held in trust for such purpose Such claimants may appeal from the decisions of the Board of Finance and Revenue to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County

Section 7 At the end of a period of five years from the date on which said moneys so collected from the United States shall be paid into the State Treasury said funds to the extent to which no claims have been filed against same shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Said funds to the extent that any claims have been filed against same shall remain in the state treasury subject to the final determination of such claims and all such funds not finally determined to belong to the claimants thereof shall at that time escheat to and become the absolute property of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 4, lines 22 and 23, by striking out the words [treasury of the State of Pennsylvania].

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 1, line 8, by striking out the word "distributed" and insert in lieu thereof "apportioned".

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended.

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1623 (House Bill No. 1973), on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase, or gift, or lease, or condemnation, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata, in whole or in part; to provide for the control, management and supervision of the mission; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Comrules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title, page 1, line 9 by striking out the word "rgulations" and insert in lieu thereof "regulations"; also section 1, page 1, line 9 by striking out the word "Cocalico" and insert in lieu thereof "Ephrata".

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), on third reading, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine gun and providing penalties

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine gun and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title line 2 by striking out the word "and" after the word "guns"; also line 3 by inserting after the word "penalties" the following: "and providing for certain exemptions and the granting of permits by sheriffs to own and possess machine guns as relics"; also, page 2, line 23, by inserting after the word "departments" the following: "and nothing contained in this Act shall prohibit any organization, branch, camp, or post of veterans, or any veteran, of any war in which the United States was engaged, from owning and possessing a machine gun as a relic, if a permit for such ownership or possession has been obtained from the sheriff of the county, which permit is at all times attached to such machine gun. The sheriffs of the several counties are hereby authorized, upon application and the payment of a fee of one dollar, to issue permits for the ownership and possession of machine guns by veterans and organizations, branches, camps, or posts of veterans upon production to the sheriff of such evidence as he may require that the organization, branch, camp or post is a bona fide organization of veterans, or that any such veteran applicant is a veteran of good moral character and reputation, and that the ownership and possession of such machine gun is actually desired as a relic.

Section 5. This Act shall take effect on the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties

upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing a maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "Municipality" as used in this act shall mean any county except counties of the second class [city of the third class] borough town township school district of the second third and fourth class and poor district

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The [mayor of each city of the third class the] burgess of each borough or town the president of the board of county commissioners of each county except counties of the second class the president of the township commissioners of each first class township the chairman of the board of township supervisors of each second class township the president of each school board and the president or chairman of the board of poor directors or overseers of each poor district which shall have any proceedings for the incurring or increasing of indebtedness except notes issued in anticipation of revenue for not more than one year shall before any bonds or evidences of indebtedness are actually issued and sold certify to the Department of Internal Affairs a complete and accurate copy of the proceedings had for such incurring or increasing of indebtedness together with the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation within the respective municipality the total amount of the existing indebtedness and the several amounts claimed as permitted deductions in ascertaining the real indebtedness of such municipality

Any officer of any such municipality who shall fail or refuse to certify any such proceedings or other facts as required by this section or who shall wilfully certify any such proceedings or facts which are false or inaccurate shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or both

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend bill, page 2, line 21, by removing the strike out brackets before the word "city" and after the word "class"; also, line 22, by inserting a light-faced strike out bracket before the word "all" at the beginning of the line and after the word "borough" near the end of the line; also, line 27, by removing the strike out brackets before the word "mayor" and after the word "the"; also, page 3, line 9, by inserting after the word "year" the following: "or notes, bonds, or certificates issued by cities of the third class for public improvements, and secured or to be secured by assessment or liens against property assessed or benefited."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1387, (House Bill No. 176), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road Upper Darby Delaware County Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of sixteen thousand five hundred dollars ($16,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Delaware County Hospital Lansdowne Avenue and Garret Road Upper Darby Delaware County Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars (3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service. Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 516, (House Bill No. 125), entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 571), entitled "An act to amend an act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands: providing for their adjustment, and for the granting of patents."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 904, (House Bill No. 1140), as follows:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Board of Finance and Revenue is hereby authorized to refund moneys turned into the State Treasury of the Commonwealth for special deer licenses issued for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight whenever it shall appear that in the county for which said special licenses were issued the killing of doe deer was prohibited for the entire season by an injunction by the courts of such county refunds in all such cases shall be made upon the delivery or surrendered by mail or personally to the Board of the special deer license issued to the individual applying therefor or in case of the loss or destruction of such special deer license by the production of proof to the satisfaction of the Board from its records or otherwise that such license was actually issued to the applicant applying for a refund Any moneys in the game fund are hereby appropriated to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the purpose of making such refunds

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 948, (House Bill No. 939), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations' approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 930, (House Bill No. 317), entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 963, (House Bill No. 968), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend Article three of Chapter fourteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," by adding section one thousand one hundred fifty-nine (a) thereto, providing for the collection of assessments of cost of building and acquiring sewers by installments and the issue of bonds to provide for payment of cost of such improvement.

be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1005, (House Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth, who are to serve without compensation, and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company, transportation company, merchant or dealer having requested his appointment.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1031, (House Bill No. 313), entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1034, (House Bill No. 1237), as follows:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" which was last amended by section one of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act to amend sections seven eight and nineteen of an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven as amended by requiring answers to be filed in all civil actions except by municipalities by authorizing a demand for a jury trial and providing for the trial of cases by a judge without a

jury regulating the procedure and practice thereof and by providing for the fixing of fees and costs" is hereby further amended to read as follows

(a) The plaintiff may file with a clerk of the court at the county-seat or in the district nearest to the residence or place of business of either plaintiff or defendant or any of them if there be more than one plaintiff or defendant a written statement of his demand verified by affidavit or may make to the clerk his complaint orally whereupon the clerk shall reduce the same to writing which shall be signed and sworn to by plaintiff and said clerk shall thereupon issue a writ of summons or replevin under the seal of the court requiring the defendant to appear at a time and place designated in said writ to answer the plaintiff's complaint and a copy of the plaintiff's statement however prepared shall be served with the writ The time of said hearing shall be not less than twelve nor more than fifteen days from date of said writ except in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies in which cases the time of said hearing shall be [not less than thirty-three nor more than thirty-six] within thirty days from date of the service of said writ

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information the the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1055, (House Bill No. 911), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 442) entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations issuing for money consideration policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accidents to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles defining motor vehicles providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner and payment of examination expenses and filing fees providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1065, (House Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicke,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILLS RECOMMITTED.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1074, (House Bill No. 1479), on third reading, entitled:

An Act regulating the return of search warrants and the making of inventories of property taken by virtue of a search warrant by officers

be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1079, (House Bill No. 1632), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of an act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures; providing for their compensation and expenses; prescribing their duties; prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights; and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," by requiring all weights and measures to be inspected at least once in each year; and imposing other duties on inspectors.

be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1103, (House Bill No. 1054), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties."

be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were laid upon the table.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1117, (House Bill No. 1466), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abateable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure	Cordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis.			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1165, (House Bill No. 314), as follows:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Highways is hereby authorized to enter into agreements with cities of the second class second class A and third class providing for the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance in whole or in part of the existing width or of a lesser width of any streets and highways in any such city which are not on the plan of the State highway system but which are continuations of State highways entering such cities or running through such cities or which furnish the shortest or most convenient route through such cities for the traveling public and such agreements may provide that the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance shall be done by the Department of Highways or the city or by contract let by the Department of Highways or by the city or by both and that the Commonwealth shall in either event pay the whole or any portion of the cost of such improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance the city to pay the remaining portion of such cost Any city of the second class second class A or third class is hereby authorized to enter into any contract as hereinbefore provided for with the Department of Highways and to expend the moneys of the city for such purposes Any such agreement may also provide for the improvement construction or reconstruction of a greater width of any such street or highway than that agreed to be paid for wholly or partly by the Commonwealth and for the payment by the city or by the assessment of benefits as hereinafter provided or both of the whole cost of any such additional width

Section 2 Said cities may with or without petition of abutting property owners in the manner provided by law for the paving and improvement of their streets and highways provide for the payment of their share of the cost of any original paving construction or improvement of any portion thereof and the entire cost or any portion thereof of any additional width not thus paid for by the Commonwealth by an equal assessment on the foot front rule including the expenses of the necessary drainage against the owners of property abutting on the line of the improvement or the city may pay the entire cost of any such improvement construction or reconstruction not thus paid by the Commonwealth

Section 3 Any such city is hereby authorized to incur or to increase its indebtedness by the issue and sale of obligations of the city in the manner and subject to the limitations provided by law for the purpose of improving constructing or reconstructing any of its streets and highways in accordance with the provisions of this act

Section 4 The sum of two million dollars ($2,000,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Highways out of moneys in the Motor License Fund for the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of city streets and highways in the manner provided by this act for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five The moneys so appropriated shall be allocated by the Department of Highways for expenditure in the various cities in the ment of Highways for expenditure in the several cities to

which this act applies upon the ratio that the mileage of streets in any city which are continuations of State highways entering such cities and which are continuations of State highways running through such cities and which furnish the shortest and most convenient route for State highways through such cities bears to the total mileage of such streets in the cities of this Commonwealth to which this act applies

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1170, (House Bill No. 1133), entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affimative.

Ordered, That the Clerk retrun said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1172, (House Bill No. 1283), entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having: voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1174, (House Bill No. 1432), entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1176, (House Bill No. 1434), entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation; providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space; imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft; fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft, and repealing inconsistent legislation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus.
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1177, (House Bill No. 1482), entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State Highways of the Commonwealth [and city streets connecting such highways] [suspending] [in part State-aid highways construction] [providing for State-aid to certain cities and for assessment of estate in such cities] authorizing counties [cities] boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and [making an appropriation out] requiring certain moneys of the Motor License Fund to be expended as herein provided.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Woodward,

NAYS—1.

Lamb,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1178, (House Bill No. 1511), entitled:

[An Act] a supplement to the act [a supplement] approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 566), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homshel,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1179, (House Bill No. 1543), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and the amendment made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I would like to interrogate the Senator from Lawrence.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I should like to ask the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, what he wants to amend.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I desire to amend the bill which permits the department to increase the amounts that will be expended on these roads.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I object.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair hears objection.

MOTION TO GO INTO COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. WEINGARTNER, Mr. President, I move that the Senate go into committee of the whole for the purpose of amending this bill.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, for special amendment or general amendment?

The PRESIDENT. Special amendment.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Then, Mr. President, we want to know what the amendments are.

The amendments were twice read as follows:

Amend page 3, line 16 and 17 strike out "township commissioner" and insert "Secretary"

Amend page 5, line 8 and 9, eliminate (d) for macademizing a road or for constructiong a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth mile in length

Amend page 5, line 10 and 11 eliminate (e) for a bituminous surface-treated macadam road (f) for constructing a concrete brick or bituminous surface road and substitute (d) for a bituminous surface treated macadam, Telford macadam or traffic bound road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (e) for constructing a bituminous surface road of not less than one-fourth mile in length

Amend page 5, line 12 eliminate (g) substitute (f)

Amend page 5, line 17 eliminate (h) and substitute (g)

Amend page 6, line 23 eliminate all of this line also the balance of this page and all of page 7, 8, 9 and 10 to line 27 and substitute the following: "roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand and six hundred dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty (50) per centu mof the cost of making such improvement not to exceed (one) three thousand (five) two hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed (three) four thousand eight hundred dollars per mile (Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not exceed four thousand dollars per mile) (Five) Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed (four) seven thousand (five) two hundred dollars per mile (Six) Five—For roads of the character set fotrh in subdivision (f) (e) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed (six) nine thousand six hundred dollars per mile (seven) Six—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) (f) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors (Eight) Seven—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) (g) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provision for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payment are made under clause one

In townships whose road fund on a ten mill tax levy is one hundred and fifty ($150) dollars or less per mile, seventy-five (75%) per cent of the actual cost of making the improvements under the above classifications shall be paid provided said seventy-five (75%) per cent does not exceed the amounts specified to be paid in dollars and cents for each classification

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I rise to a point of order. Has the Senate voted to go into Committee of the Whole?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair informs the Senator from Lehigh, Mr. Schantz, that it is a requirement of the rule, that while the motion is designating what the amendments are, the Senate has not yet voted on going into Committee of the Whole.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, if a few words on this motion are in order at this time, I should like to speak on it.

The PRESIDENT. The Senator from Bucks, Mr. Buckman, may proceed.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, this motion to go into Committee of the Whole for the purpose of special amendment, if agreed to, will carry with it these amendments as offered by the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner.

If they are carried, I do not know the effect of these amendments, particularly the last one striking out about three pages of the bill. I am in very serious doubt as to whether this bill will be of much value if these amendments are put in, or, in other words, if these pages are stricken out.

I, therefore, hope the Senate, after careful consideration, will not vote for these amendments before they are submitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways. I do not know what they mean. I know this is a very important bill in relation to the road program of this session, and I hope the Senate will not vote for these amendments without careful consideration.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I should like to further interrogate the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, permit himself to be further interrogated?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I should like to ask the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, if these amendments will not make this bill practically the same as the Weingartner Bill which was passed by the Senate some time ago?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, they will.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, in other words, they would destroy this bill?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I do not so understand.

Mr. GELDER. But, Mr. President, they would make this bill the same as the Weingartner Bill?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, they would make this bill practically the same as the Weingartner Bill, which the Senate passed some days ago.

I might suggest, further, that this bill be allowed to go over in its order, so that I may have an opportunity of examining these amendments more carefully and of determining their effect.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I should be very glad to let this bill go over until sometime tomorrow, in order to let the Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways go over this matter with me.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Then, Mr. President, if the Senator from Lawrence, Mr. Weingartner, will withdraw his motion to go into the Committee of the Whole, I will ask that this bill go over in its order

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I withdraw my motion that the Senate go into Committee of the Whole.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I withdraw my second.

The PRESIDENT. The motion to go into Committee of the Whole is withdrawn.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask that the Senate Bill No. 1179, (House Bill 1548), the bill just read, go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1181, (House Bill No. 1755), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns, and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1182, (House Bill No. 1782), entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriations from the Motor License Fund therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1183, (House Bill No. 757), entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1191, (House Bill No. 95), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1192, (House Bill No. 295), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1194, (House Bill No. 520), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1195, (House Bill No. 521), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand

nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed h same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1197, (House Bill No. 842), entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county and prescribing its organization jurisdiction and powers therein and otherwise" by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1201, (House Bill No. 1174), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1204, (House Bill No. 1416), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 276), entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments, mercantile industries, laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same, and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1205, (House Bill No. 1418), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1212, (House Bill No. 1651), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 43), entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts," as amended, by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service, stationery, telephone, telegraph, clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, this is not a liquor bill; this is a bill authorizing the proper authorities, after having confiscated cars and things of that kind, to sell them. It is a very simple bill, and it is not necessary to have any opposition to the bill.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I did not intend to say anything on this bill, but it is a bill to authorize the sheriff of a county to disregard the order of the Court and sell property in violation of that order. It may not be a liquor bill but it has the earmarks of a bill which will permit the sheriff to sell confiscated property, which he says will prevent it from getting into illegal uses, to sell, in violation of the order of the Court, certain property by having a temporary obstruction put to it, and sold and turned into improper, illegal uses. I think it is a dangerous bill.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the Senator from Somerset, Mr. Ealy.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Somerset, Mr. Ealy, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I should like to ask the Senator from Somerset, Mr. Ealy, what part of the bill he is reading from when he says this bill will interfere with the order of the Court.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, from page 3, line 14.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, will the Senator from Somerset, Mr. Ealy, read it, so we all may know what it is?

Mr. EALY. "In any case in which any property seized under the provisions of this act is condemned and ordered to be destroyed the Sheriff may sell any valuable scrap or remains of such property, when rendered unsuitable for further use in violating any of said provisions, at public sale in manner aforesaid for the benefit of the county without being considered in default in compliance with the order to destroy the same."

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, if it is what I think it is, it means that the Sheriff must comply with the order of the Court and comply with the law.

This bill was gotten up by the Sheriffs' Association of Pennsylvania, and the purpose of it is simply this, as I understand

it: The purpose is that when goods are condemned or seized in this illegal liquor traffic the particular county shall, through its Sheriff, have a proper sale of these goods, he to return to the county the full value of the goods so sold.

As it is now, take our situation in the City of Philadelphia,—take the automobiles that are contrabrand, and that are taken down to the police van stables: Some that go down there have their engines taken out, the tires are taken off, and the machine is torn down to such an extent that when it is offered at public sale, a machine that may be worth $300 or $400 will be sold for $10; and the man that is on the inside, after he buys the machine for $10, finds the parts reappear, and he has a good machine.

There is nothing in this bill except to place the sale of these articles under a legitimate, lawful head, wherein and whereby each particular county shall get the full financial reward from the sale of these goods. There is no snake in it. There is no trick in it. And I think the Senator from Somerset, Mr. Ealy, who spoke against it will find out his county will be a little richer at the end of the year. It does not include the sale of liquor.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, it does not include the sale of liquor, no,—I am not talking about that; nor does it include only the sale of automobiles. It does permit the Sheriff, however, to disregard the order of the Court.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—13.

Aron,	Davis,	Homsher,	McCrossin,
Baldwin,	Freeman,	Hunsicker,	Schantz,
Buckman,	Heaton,	Leslie,	Woodward.
Daix,			

NAYS—32.

Apple	Earnest,	Kunkle,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Lamb,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lanius,	Salus,
Bowers,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Scott,
Boyd,	Harris,	Norton,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harvey,	Painter,	Sordoni,
Coyne,	Kitts,	Parkinson,	Weingartner,
Ealy,	Krause,	Prince,	Williamson,

Less than a majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the negative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1221, (House Bill No. 1208), entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1224, (House Bill No. 1559), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane in whole or in part maintained by State aid to acquire land for hospital purposes and to take waters streams lands property and materials for purposes of supplying said hospital with pure water for hospital purposes prescribing the manner in which said lands streams property and materials may be taken and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking" extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1230, (House Bill No. 1696), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requ

ing all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1231, (House Bill No. 1697), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1273, (House Bill No. 1596), entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1285, (House Bill No. 1867), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1309, (House Bill No. 131), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—40.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Parkinson,	Woodward,

NAYS—5.

Baldwin,	Kunkle,	Lamb,	Quigley,
Fay,			

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1672, (House Bill No. 229), entitled

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1773, (House Bill No. 1155), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1311, (House Bill No. 758), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1316, (House Bill No. 1086), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five, of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to and the amendment made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1312, (House Bill No. 1540), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" further defining game and protected birds.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1321, (House Bill No. 1635), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Senate Bill No. 1323, (House Bill No. 1741), on third reading entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1325, (House Bill No. 1857), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters; prescribing its powers and duties; and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1346, (House Bill No. 1328), entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1343, (House Bill No. 1404), entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1350, (House Bill No. 1593), entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1351, (House Bill No. 1653), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1352, (House Bill No. 1654), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1356, (House Bill No. 1746), entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	[illegible]y,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	[illegible]rnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1357, (House Bill No. 1756), entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs;" designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1358, (House Bill No. 1757), entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton, Pennsylvania and Philipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,

Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1360, (House Bill No. 1833), entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier.	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott.
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1364, (House Bill No. 1851), entitled:

An Act authorizing directors of the poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1444, (House Bill No. 897), as follows:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contract are not affected by provisions of this act" providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act

providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as last amended by the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred ninety-two) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 16 Before the Secretary of Highways shall undertake the construction reconstruction or improvement of any State highway on the plan of the State highways wherein a change of width or of existing lines and location is necessary and damage is likely to result to abutting property he shall notify the county commissioners of the proper county in writing of the contemplated change in such existing width lines and location whereupon the county commissioners when possible shall enter into an agreement with the owner or owners of said property as to amount of damage to be paid to the said owner or owners which damage if agreed upon shall be paid by the county or in case an agreement satisfactory to the county commissioners and said owner or owners cannot be made the Secretary of Highways may proceed with the work of construction reconstruction or improvement and the owner or owners of said property damaged thereby or the county commissioners may present their petition to the court of quarter sessions for the appointment of viewers to ascertain and assess such damages The proceedings upon said petition and by the viewers shall be governed by existing laws relating to the ascertainment and assessment of damages for opening public highways The county commissioners or any other party to such proceedings may appeal from the award of the viewers to the court of common pleas and shall be entitled to a trial by jury From the judgment of the court of common pleas an appeal may be had to the Supreme or Superior Court as in other cases Such damages when ascertained shall be paid by the county in which the State highway is located [The county shall also provide for the removal of all structures within the lines of the highway as thus established unless otherwise provided by agreement between said county and the Secretary of Highways]

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Parkinson,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—1.

Lanius,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1473, (House Bill No. 1625), entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the Act; and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1485, (House Bill No. 789), as follows:

An Act creating in Cities of the First Class a Bureau of Building Inspection Regulating the Erection Enlargement Alteration Repair Moving Removal Demolition and Inspection of Buildings and other Structures and the Erection Encroachment Extension Repair Inspection and Use of Party Walls Defining Certain Words and Terms Used Repealing Conflicting Legislation and Providing Penalties for Violations of this Act

Section 1 Enactment Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That there shall be in cities of the First class a Bureau of Building Inspection attached to the Department of Public Safety and under the supervision and control of the Director of Public Safety

CHAPTER 1 Title Purpose and Scope

Section 100 Title This act shall be known as "The Building Code for Cities of the First Class" may be cited as such and will be referred to in this act as "this code"

Section 101 Purpose and Scope The purpose of this act is to supplant the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled "An Act to Create a Bureau of Building Insection and to Regulate the Construction Maintenance and Inspection of Buildings and Party walls in Cities of the First Class" and its supplements as set forth in Chapter forty-nine and to provide regulations for safe and stable design methods of construction and uses of materials in buildings and structures hereafter erected enlarged altered repaired moved converted to other uses or demolished

Part 1 ADMINISTRATION

CHAPTER 2 Organization of the Bureau

Section 200 Officers of the Bureau The chief officer of said Bureau shall be called the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection The other officers shall consist of a deputy Chief a Chief Clerk or Secretary a Chief Engineer six or more Engineers and not less than thirty Inspectors There shall be in addition such number of clerks stenographers and messengers as the City Council may from time to time by ordinance determine None of the aforesaid officers clerks stenographers or messengers shall be employed or engaged in any other business or be interested in any contract for building or furnishing materials to be used for building in said cities

Section 201 Qualifications The Chief of the Bureau shall be either a practical builder civil engineer or architect at least thirty-five (35) years of age who shall have had at least ten (10) years practical experience All of the inspectors shall be either practical builders civil engineers architects carpenters welders or bricklayers at least thirty (30) years of age and who shall have had at least eight (8) years practical experience but shall not all be of the same occupation These qualifications shall apply to all new appointments

Section 202 Appointment All of said officers shall be appointed by the Directro of the Department of Public Safety and City Council shall from time to time fix their salaries

Section 203 Oath of office The Chief every engineer and inspector before he enters upon the duties of his office shall be required to make and subscribe before some person authorized by law to administer the same the ordinary oath supporting the Constitutions of the United States and of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the following oath or affirmation "I do solemnly and sincerely swear or affirm (as the case may be) that I am duly qualified by law to act as an inspector of buildings and that I will faithfully impartially and truly execute and perform the duties of an inspector of buildings and see that the buildings inspected by me are built as required by the laws of this Commonwealth according to the best of my judgment and abilities" Which said oath or affirmation shall be reduced to writing and filed in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas and shall be entered on the record in said office

Section 204 Bond Every such officer shall moreover before entering on the duties of his office be required to execute and thereafter maintain at the expense of the said City a bond to the Commonwealth in the sum of five thousand dollars with one or more sureties to be approved by the said court or by one of the judges thereof in vacation conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties imposed upon him by law which bond shall be for the use of the said cities and of any and all persons who may be aggrieved by the act or neglect of such officer Whenever the connection of any such officer with the Bureau is severed the bond herein provided for shall be after the expiration of ninety (90) days cancelled and marked satisfied of record by the City Solicitor upon the request of the Director of Public Safety who shall first certify that the accounts of such officer are correct and that there is no dereliction and that no claim has come to his knowledge from or on belief of any person or persons alleged to have been aggrieved by the acts or neglect of such officer

Section 205 Duties of officers (a) The Chief shall under the direction of the Director of Public Safety have the management and control of all matters pertaining to the Bureau

(b) In case of the temporary absence or disability of the Chief the Deputy Chief shall during the absence or disability of the Chief exercise all the powers of the Chief

(c) The inspectors of buildings shall under the direction of the Chief examine all buildings in the course of erection or alteration as often as necessary and shall make written reports to the said Chief of all violations of this code together with the street and number where such violations are found the name or names of the owner architect contractor or agent and other matters relative thereto They shall moreover examine all buildings damaged by fire or accident or such as may be reported in writing by any qualified citizen as being in an unsound condition structurally or erected in violation of this code A record shall be made of all walls and buildings found unsafe or dangerous with the name of the owner or agent and the street and number where such dangerous walls or building exist and when immediate action shall be deemed to be necessary it shall be taken in accordance with the method prescribed in Section 403

CHAPTER 3 General Provisions

Section 300 Application for Permits It shall be unlawful to proceed with the erection enlargement alteration repair removal or demolition of any building or any part or appurtenance thereof or of any platform or staging to be used for standing or seating purposes or of any structure within the meaning of any of the provisions of this code unless a permit shall first be obtained from the Bureau Application for permits shall be made in writing by the owner or his agent and shall be made on forms to be issued for that purpose Each application in addition to giving required information shall contain the name and address of the owner the applicant for the permit and the name and address of any architect engineer or contractor who may be employed and in the case of firms corporations or other legal entities the name and address of the principal executive officer of such firm corporation or other legal entity Such application shall contain moreover an affidavit executed by the owner or his agent or some other responsible person satisfactory to the Bureau deposing to the truth of the statements made in such application and the accompanying drawings and that the work for which permit is asked will be done in compliance with this code The Chief may require such additional affidavits as he may deem necessary The said application shall remain on file in the Bureau

Section 301 Notice to Persons Affected The Chief may require any applicant for a permit to give notice of the application to all persons occupying any adjacent ground and to any persons whose interests may be affected by the proposed work and to submit evidence of compliance with such requirement

Section 302 Permit Fees Cities of the First Class may by ordinance regulate and determine the license fees for the permits as required by the provisions of this code the said fees to be paid into the city treasury in the manner and form as provided by law

Section 303 Drawings There shall be furnished with the application for any permit such drawings as shall sufficiently set forth the character of the work in all its structural parts together with such supporting data as may be required Drawings for buildings of the first intermediate and second classes of construction shall be marked with the dead loads live loads

and soil values for which the building has been designed All drawings shall consist of two complete sets of prints (or more if required by the Bureau) one set to be printed in black or colored line on white paper and the other set or sets to be ordinary blue-prints Each white paper print shall be signed in ink by the person who signs the affidavit on the application certifying and deposing that the information in such application is in conformity with this code

All drawings shall clearly set forth the following information

Class and type of building

Exact location the Ward the name of streets or streets and number on street if the property have a number

The location of all street and party lines and the lines of the building in relation to such street and party lines

General over-all dimensions

Meridian line

Names of owner and architect or engineer and in the case of firms corporations or other legal entities the name and address of the principal executive officer and where contracts have been awarded the name of the contractor or contractors

Gross area of the building

The elevations at grade of building

All fire walls and fire doors

All stairs and fire towers

All elevator shafts

The lay-out of sprinkler and standpipe equipment

Section 304 Corrections to Drawings Presented No alterations or corrections of drawings presented shall be made in the office of the Bureau Where such drawings do not conform to this code corrections may be indicated but the applicant shall and will be required to prepare and file prints of new drawings in corrected form

Section 305 Issue of permits No permit shall be granted until the application together with the drawings accompanying and illustrating the same have been approved by the Bureau but no such drawings shall be approved unless they conform to the provisions of this code Permits shall be granted or refused within fifteen days after the filing of the application and drawings unless a greater time is required to properly check the drawings After a permit is issued such permit together with a duplicate set of the approved drawings shall be kept at the building or structure during its erection or alteration and be accessible to the inspector at all times Every permit shall be considered cancelled if active work is not commenced within six months from the date of its issue In case the contract passes to another before commencement or completion of the work the permit may be transferred upon payment of a fee of three (3) dollars

No permit shall be granted for the erection of any building designed for human occupancy for which water supply and drainage of an acceptable and legal character are not available or will not be made available prior to the completion of said building

Section 306 Special Permits Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to prevent the Chief from (1) granting a permit for the erection of a building or other structure where preliminary drawings and detailed statements have been submitted such permit being conditioned upon the approval of the final drawings or (2) for the erection of temporary structures or (3) from requiring permits to be taken out for signs billboards party line fences fence walls retaining walls tank towers wireless towers coal pockets trestles and similar structures fireplaces heating systems and flues furnaces ranges foundations for engines and power boilers the installation of motors roof tanks and supports underground tanks fire-escapes spires roof signs marquise and projecting sign anchorage and other miscellaneous appurtenances to buildings or (4) for checking safe floor load computations

Section 307 Revocation of permit It shall be unlawful to do any work in connection with any building or structure for which permit has been granted except such work be in conformity with the provisions of this code and the approved application and drawings on file in the Bureau Wherever on inspection it is found that construction work is in progress in violation of this code or of the terms of the approved permit or drawings or is being done in an unsafe or dangerous manner or where a permit was issued as the result of misrepresentation or misapprehension of the facts in the case any inspector may order work stopped by notice in writing served on any person or persons engaged in the doing or causing such work to be done and any such person or persons shall forthwith stop such work until authorized by the Bureau to proceed with the work and the Chief shall have the right to revoke the permit for such construction and to issue such other orders as he may deem necessary

Section 308 Invalidity of one section not to affect any other In the event that any provision of this code should be judiciarry declared unconstitutional and invalid such invalidity shall be restricted to the sentence paragraph or section containing such provision and shall in no way affect the validity of the remainder of this code

CHAPTER 4 Enforcement

Section 400 Powers of Chief The Chief shall have authority to enforce the provisions of this code in the form and manner herein provided

Section 401 Right of entry The Chief or any inspector attached to the Bureau on producing the necessary credentials or proofs of identity shall have the right of entry upon any premises for the purpose of making any inspection during daylight hours and at such other times only as might be required in an emergency as provided in Section 403

Section 402 Approval of materials and construction The Chief shall have the right at any time to require tests of any materials used in building construction for the purpose of determining their suitability and to make regulations for the testing of all new building materials or types of construction as hereinafter provided in Chapter Six (6)

Section 403 Protection or demolition of dangerous structures In any case where a wall or building is found to be in such a dangerous condition as to constitute an immediate menace requiring instant action and where because of such emergency the mode of procedure prescribed in Section 404 of this code is ineffective the Bureau shall have the right to order the premises vacated and if necessary to secure the cooperation of the police authorities in the execution of such vacating order and to temporarily shore up any dangerous wall or walls or tear same down the costs to be collected as hereinafter provided

Section 404 Violations In the event of failure to obtain a permit or in any case where final decision of an inspector or of the Chief or of an examining commission is rendered such decision or order or certificate indicating that no permit has been issued or that violations have occurred after issuance of permit may be at once certified to any court of Common Pleas The court shall upon application of such bill of complaint duly verified by affidavit of the Director of Public Safety the Chief any inspector or any member of an examining commission issue a mandatory injunction requiring compliance with such order or decision within five days or within a shorter time if the relief sought is the removal of a dangerous wall ceiling chimney or other structure or unsafe portion thereof Should the court deem proper to fix a shorter time then all petitions bills or complaints to compel compliance with the provisions of this code shall be given priority over other business or cases by any Court of Common Pleas to which the final decision of an inspector the Chief or an examining commission appointed by the Director of Public Safety shall be certified If said injunction is not complied with within the time specified by the court or if it cannot for any reason be served the court shall have power to enforce its order by attachments or to issue an order to any sheriff commanding him to remove the wall building or structure condemned by the building inspectors (either as contrary to the provisions of this code or as dangerous) under the supervision of the Bureau or such inspector as the Chief may designate The sheriff shall have power to employ such competent builders riggers and workmen as shall be necessary to carry out the order of the court He shall certify to the court when he has performed the work required to be done and the costs incurred and such bill being approved by the court and not being paid by the owner of the premises the court shall have the power by mandamus execution to compel the City to pay such costs The court shall upon the issuing of such mandamus execution direct the Prothonotary of the court to enter the amount thereof as a lien against the premises on which the order was enforced and the costs were incurred and the City paying such costs may thereafter proceed in the case wherein the order was made to collect such bill of costs and the proper docketed costs thereon by the same process and proceedings and under the same restrictions as are provided for or required by law for the collection of

claims for the removal of nuisances in said cities and said lien shall not be discharged by any judicial sale until paid and the said City paying such costs may also by action of assumpsit recover the same from the owner or owners of the said premises

Section 405 Penalties Any person or persons firm corporation or other legal entity whether owner architect builder contractor or workman who shall make or cause to be made any alteration construction or removal of any building or structure whatsoever without permit therefor first issued or in violation of any of the provisions of this code or who shall have become the owner thereof after the same has been so done and who shall omit neglect or refuse to remove the same if dangerous or in violation of this code or to make the same safe and secure and in all respects conform to the requirements of this code within one week after notice to that effect shall forfeit and pay for each offence the sum of one hundred ($100) dollars and the further sum of fifty ($50) dollars for every period of one week for which the said person or persons shall omit neglect or refuse to remove the same or make it comply with this code after the expiration of the notice aforesaid and any person or persons firm corporation or other legal entity who shall contract for the erection or construction of any building addition alteration or other thing in violation of any of the provisions of this code shall be subject to the same penalties as aforesaid All of the aforesaid penalties to be recovered as penalties of equal amount are or shall be recoverable in the name and for the use of the city and when collected shall be paid into the treasury thereof

Section 406 Board of Appeals The Chief the engineers and all the inspectors shall constitute the Board of Appeals The decision of a majority of the members shall constitute the decision of the board The board shall hear all appeals as hereinafter provided for and after hearing shall render such decision or issue such orders as to them may seem proper

Section 407 Appeals (a) Any applicant for a permit from the Bureau whose application has been refused or any person who has been ordered by an inspector to incur any expense may appeal by giving notice in writing of such appeal If the appeal shall be from an order refusing a permit it shall be taken within fifteen days from the refusal of such permit If the appeal is from an order to take down and remove a dangerous building or structure or a dangerous wall or walls it shall be taken within three days from the issuing of such order

(b) Any person the value of whose property may be affected by work done or to be done under any permit granted by the Bureau may within three days after the commencement of the work appeal by giving notice in writing that he does so appeal

(c) In computing the time within which an appeal may be taken if the last day fall on Sunday or on a legal holiday the appeal shall be taken on the succeeding day Notice of appeal may be given either by leaving such notice in writing with the Chief or the Chief Clerk at the office of the Bureau or it may be mailed addressed to the Bureau If mailed the date of the postmark shall be taken as the date of the appeal

Section 408 Further Appeal to Examining Commission Should any party aggrieved object to the decision of the Board of Appeals he may further appeal in writing to the Director of the Department of Public Safety within three days of the decision of the Board of Appeals specifying in such appeal the reasons and ground therefor and accompanying the same by the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) The Director of the Department of Public Safety shall thereupon appoint an examining commission to consist of three experts who shall be either practical builders engineers or architects one of whom shall be named by the Chief one by the party taking the appeal and the third by the first two who shall within such time as the director shall specify carefully consider the said appeal and make decision thereon The decision of any two shall be the decision of the commission They shall be paid for their services fifty dollars ($50) each out of the aforesaid sum of one hundred and fifty (150) dollars

Section 409 Finality of Decisions (a) The decision of a building inspector or of the Board of Appeals unappealed from shall be final and conclusive in any subsequent proceeding on the matter in question in court or otherwise

(b) The decision of an examining commission in case of appeal to such commission shall be final and conclusive when certified to the building inspectors provided however that no commission named in accordance with this code shall have any power or authority to set aside or nullify or alter any of the provisions herein or order or require any permit to be issued for a building to be constructed otherwise than as is herein required

PART II DEFINITIONS

CHAPTER 5 Definitions

Section 500 Unless otherwise stated the following words or terms when used in this code shall be construed to have the meaning herein given Words used in the singular include the plural words used in the present tense include the future words used in the masculine gender include the feminine and/or the neuter gender and vice-versa the word "person" includes a corporation as well as an individual "writing" includes printing and printed or typewritten matter "oath" includes affirmation "signature" or "subscription" includes "mark" when a person who cannot write his nme makes his mark near his name at the time it is written by another person

Section 501 Adjoining Owner The owner authorized agent or trustee of any premises adjoining those under consideration

Section 502 Addition Any change to a structure which increases any of its exterior dimensions

Section 503 Alteration Any change to a structure which does not increase any of its exterior dimensions

Section 504 Apartment A room or suite of two or more rooms which is or are occupied as a home for one or more persons

Section 505 Apartment house Any building or portion thereof containing three or more apartments For the purpose of this code an apartment house is a tenement

Section 506 Approval The acceptance and sanction by the Bureau expressed in writing of any plan permit application device building material or type of construction

Section 507 Approval in part (a) The acceptance and sanction by the Bureau expressed in writing of any plan or permit application for a portion of a proposed alteration addition or new building pending approval of plans for the complete project

(b) The acceptance by the Bureau expressed in writing of new materials or types of construction but restricting or limiting their use

Section 508 Areaway Any sub-surface space adjacent to a building for lighting or ventilating cellars or basements or for other purposes

Section 509 Attic That part of a building wholly or partly within the roof framing unfinished not inhabited nor used for sleeping purposes

Section 510 Basement A story or portion thereof partly but not more than one-half below the average grade of the ground surrounding the building as shown on the drawings upon which the permit was granted and counted as a story in determining the height of the building

Section 511 Bay That space within a building between two adjacent rows of columns or between a row of columns and a bearing wall

Section 512 Bay window Any window extending beyond the wall of a building

Section 513 Building Anything erected by art and fixed upon or in the soil composed of different pieces connected together and designed for use in the position in which so fixed

Section 514 Building line A line beyond which property owners or others have no legal or vested right to extend a building or any part thereof without provision therefor in this code or without special permission and approval of the proper authorities ordinarily a line of demarcation between public and private property

Section 515 Building owner The owner authorized agent or trustee of the building or premises under consideration

Section 516 Bureau The Bureau of Building Inspection

Section 517 Cellar A story or portion thereof more than one-half below the average grade of the ground surrounding the building as shown on the drawings upon which the permit was granted and not counted as a story in determining the height of the building

Section 513 Chief The Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection

Section 519 Court An open unoccupied space other than a yard on the same lot with a building

Section 520 Dimensional figures Nominal sizes or dimensions obtainable as acceptable commercial standards

Section 521 Dwelling Any house or building not a lodging house tenement rooming-house or inn all or any part of which is occupied as the home or residence of a family or of two families living independently of each other

Section 522 Fire door A door designed and constructed to successfully resist a fire in accordance with test specifications as prescribed by the Chief

Section 523 Fire Window A window frame with sash and glazing in which no single pane shall exceed seven hundred twenty square inches and which will successfully resist a fire for one hour in accordance with test specification as prescribed by the Chief

Section 524 Floor area The number of square feet of floor space enclosed within the exterior walls of a building exclusive of elevator shafts ducts stairways fire towers columns or such other parts of a building as cannot be used by the occupancy for which the building is intended

Section 525 Floor system A system of construction which carries the load for which it has been designed to the bearing walls or the beams girders and/or columns in skeleton construction used also to mean a similar type of construction in a roof

Section 526 Footing The spreading course at the base or bottom of a foundation wall pier or column

Section 527 Garage A public garage shall mean any place where space is rented for the storage of more than two automobiles or motor-driven vehicles

A private garage shall mean any place other than a public garage where motor-driven vehicles are stored

Section 528 Grade The surface of the ground court lawn or sidewalks adjoining a building

The "established grade" is the level of the street curb as fixed by the municipality

Section 529 Height of building (a) The vertical distance of the highest point of the roof in the case of flat roofs and for high-pitched roofs the average of the height of the gable about the mean grade of the curbs of all the streets or the mean grade of the natural ground adjoining the building if the said grade or ground is not below the grade of the curb

(b) The number of stories in a building including the basement but not including the cellar

Section 530 Length of building The greatest horizontal dimension

Section 531 Living room A living room is any room not a water closet bathroom or a room used solely for storage or closet purposes and which is used in whole or in part for any household purpose

Section 532 Load (a) Dead load The weight of the walls permanent partitions framing floors roofs and all other permanent stationary construction forming a part of the building

(b) Live load The load or loads other than the dead load but including the weight of movable partitions for which a building is designed

Section 533 Mezzanine An intermediate floor placed in any story or room and which does not exceed one-third of the total floor area in said story or room

Section 534 Occupancy The purpose for which a building is used or intended to be used

Section 535 Pent house Any structure erected on the roof of a building for the purpose of enclosing stairways to the roof elevator machinery water tanks ventilating apparatus exhaust chambers or other building equipment machinery

Section 536 Repair The renewal or reconstruction of any part of an existing building for the purpose of its maintenance or restoration

Section 537 Rigid connection A connection not depending on friction nor built up without additional material and of sufficient strength to hold the members without unsafe distortion while the member is tested to twice its rated carrying capacity

Section 538 Shall A mandatory word

Section 539 Sprinkler system An installation for the purpose of extinguishing fires by means of water or other acceptable extinguishing agent expelled through automatically operated spray heads

Section 540 Story (a) That portion of any building included between the upper surface of any floor and the upper surface of the floor next above

(b) A "half story" is that part of any building wholly or partly within the roof framing finished and inhabited

Section 541 Tenement Any house or building which or a portion of which is occupied as a residence by three or more families living independently of each other and doing their cooking on the premises and having a common right in the halls stairways yard cellar or water-closets thereof or some of them

Section 542 Tower fire escape A stair tower enclosed in walls of solid masonry having fire doors and fire windows and reached by means of an outside balcony or vestibule facing on a street alley or court leading to a street or alley

Section 543 Walls (a) Bearing A wall which supports any vertical load other than its own weight

(b) Curtain A non-bearing wall between columns and/or piers and which is not supported by girders or beams

(c) Exterior Any outside wall which serves as a vertical enclosure of a building including a party wall when not used in common

(d) Faced A wall in which the masonry facing and backing are so bonded as to exert common action under load

(e) Fire A wall of solid masonry or reinforced concrete which sub-divides a building to restrict the spread of fire and which starts at the foundations and extends continuously through all stories to and above the roof

(f) Fire Division A wall of solid masonry or reinforced concrete which sub-divides a building to restrict the spread of fire but is not necessarily continuous through all stories nor extended through the roof

(g) Interior A wall entirely within the space enclosed by the exterior walls of a building

(h) Non-bearing A wall which supports no load other than its own weight

(i) Parapet A masonry wall extending above the roof line

(j) Partition An interior non-bearing wall wholly supported at each story

(k) Party A wall which or portion of which encroaches upon ground of an adjoining owner and is used jointly or adapted to joint use

(l) Proscenium A fire-division wall between a stage and an auditorium

(m) Retaining A wall used to resist the lateral thrust of any material

(n) Spandrel An exterior non-bearing wall in skeleton construction built between columns or piers and wholly supported at each story

(o) Veneered A wall having a masonry facing which is not attached and bonded to the backing so as to form an integral part of the wall for purposes of load bearing and stability

Section 544 Width (a) The width of a building shall be considered as the distance between the outside faces of the exterior columns in the direction of the shortest axis

(b) In wall bearing construction the width shall be determined by the centers of the party walls or the outside of exterior walls

Section 545 Yard An open unoccupied space on the same lot with a tenement rooming-house or dwelling and which space extends in its full width or depth between opposite lot line

PART III ENGINEERING STANDARDS

CHAPTER 6 General Requirements

Section 600 Methods of design The unit stresses specified in this code shall not be exceeded The dimensions of each piece or combination of pieces of materials required in a building or structure shall be ascertained by computation according to the rules prescribed by modern standard authorities on the strength of materials applied mechanics and engineering practice

Materials Any materials to be acceptable under this code together with their test requirements if the above are not specifically given in the code shall conform to standards promulgated by the Chief which standards shall be in accordance with generally accepted standards established by authorities of national repute Such standards when promulgated by the Chief shall be public records

Unit stresses for materials which are not given in this code shall be ascertained by the means hereinafter called for

Section 601 Filing of computations Plans for all buildings of the first second and intermediate classes of construction shall be accompanied by computations which shall set forth in detail the design of all typical structural features and details all columns loadings and complete wind calculations

Section 602 Soil conditions This information may be derived from a record of the soil conditions existing at other operations which in the opinion of the Chief are near enough to warrant such records being used When such information is not available test borings will be made as directed by the Chief Each boring shall be carried down at least six (6) feet below the deepest foundation or footing bottom

Section 603 Use of old materials Nothing in this code shall prevent the use of old materials provided they meet the requirements of this code

Section 604 Temporary construction Every temporary support or construction used during the erection or alteration of any building shall be of sufficient strength to carry safely the load to be placed thereon in conformity with this code When the Chief shall require it plans and computations covering such construction shall be filed in the manner specified for original plans

Section 605 Injury during construction No cutting for piping or any other purpose shall be done which reduces the strength of any part of the structure below that which is required by this code

Section 606 Revision of floor loading Should tests or inspections of the materials or systems of construction entering into a building reveal that such materials or systems of construction are incapable of sustaining the loads for which they were designed but are otherwise safe for lesser loads the Chief in the event that such materials or systems of construction are not removed shall reduce the allowable live load capacity of all floors so affected

Section 607 General test requirements Tests shall be made only by a testing laboratory fully equipped for the purpose or other recognized authority acceptable to the Chief All tests shall be made under conditions similar to those under which it is proposed to use the material or system of construction

Section 608 Tests by recognized authority Materials or systems of construction may be approved by the Chief upon the presentation of certified records accompanied by affidavits as to their authenticity of tests of such materials or systems of construction when made by laboratories or recognized authorities

Section 609 Approval of new materials The approval or disapproval of new materials or new systems of construction shall be in writing Approvals shall give in detail such requirements for the use of the said new material or new system of construction as the Chief shall make

Section 610 Additional tests The Chief is authorized to call at his discretion for tests of any material or system of construction in use. The procedure in such cases shall be as provided for in Sections 607 and 608

Section 611 Failure of existing materials In the event that an approved material or system of construction shall be tested and found no longer to meet the requirements of this code notice to the effect that the material or system of construction is no longer acceptable shall be served on the interested parties The procedure shall be the same as required for new materials or new systems of construction

Section 612 Field tests Every material or system of construction shall be capable of sustaining without injury or permanent deformation a load of not less than twice the live load for which the material or system of construction has been designed plus the dead weight of the material or system of construction and provided that test requirements in other parts of this code are complied with

CHAPTER 7 Loading

Section 700 Dead loads There shall be included under dead loads the entire weight of the floor or roof surfacing fills floor construction ceilings fixed partitions walls columns footings or such other items of permanent construction not included under the heading of live loads Should the nature of the building be such that there is a possibility of the partitions' being shifted their weight shall be treated as uniformally distributed load and all parts of the structure shall be designed to carry them

Section 701 Live loads for floors The loads given in Sections 702 and 703 are to be considered as uniformly distributed in pounds per square foot In the event that the building is called upon to sustain loads greater than those specified such loads shall be estimated from actual conditions and a report submitted to the Chief for his approval

When a building is of an occupancy not hereinafter mentioned the Chief shall place it in an appropriate classification

Section 702 Human Occupancy (a) Residential Dwellings Guest Rooms of Hotels Apartments Lodgings and Tenements Dormitories Monastries Convents Orphanages Asylums Homes Reformatories Houses of Correction Jails and Prison Rooms and Wards of Hospitals and Sanitoriums.....40

(b) Educational Class Rooms with fixed seats 50

(c) Assembly Offices Churches with fixed seats Reading Rooms 60

(d) Public Assembly Lodge Rooms Dance Halls Auditoriums Theatres Motion Picture Houses Amusement Park Structures Stadiums Gymnasiums Grand Stands Rooms for Athletic Activities Galleries and Museums Armories Exhibition and Convention Halls Restaurants Banquet Rooms Public Buildings Public Baths and Swimming Pools Police and Fire Stations Libraries Railway Passenger Stations Lobbies Halls Aisles Corridors Stairways and Fire Escapes or Any Room of any structure of Human Occupancy of 2500 square feet or more used for dancing 100

Section 703 Commercial and Industrial Occupancy

(a) Private Passenger Car Garages and Stables.....100

(b) General Purposes Garages 100

(Minimum concentrated load at any point 2000 pounds)

(c) (Commercial Uses) Wholesale and Retail Stores Storage of Household Goods only.....110

(d) (Light Manufacturing) Where the work is done by hand on benches and tables or with light machines like sewing machines or ordinary looms Machine shops without overhead power cranes 120

(e) (Industrial Occupancy) Machine Shops other than above Light Printing Plants Factories with heavy machinery Warehouses for Ordinary Merchandise 150

(f) (Heavy Manufacturing) Manufacturing Presses Storage of overhead power cranes Heavy Printing Presses Storage of Heavy Materials.....200

(g) Interior Courts Sidewalks Gratings and Vault Lights not accessible to a driveway

First Class Construction only.....120

Section 704 Roof loads Roofs of a pitch of forty-five (45) degrees or less shall be designed for a vertical load of thirty (30) pounds per square foot in horizontal projection and roofs of a greater pitch than forty-five (45) degrees shall be designed for a horizontal load of thirty (30) pounds per square foot in vertical projection

Section 705 Safes No safe shall be placed on a stair landing or in a stair hall

Section 706 Minimum concentrated live loads Every floor beam in any building hereafter erected or altered and used for commercial or industrial occupancy shall be capable of sustaining a live load at any point of at least four thousand (4000) pounds except as required by Section 703 (b)

Section 707 Moving loads The dynamic effect of all moving loads shall be taken into consideration in the design of a building wherein such loads occur In the case of traveling cranes this shall not be less than an increase of twenty-five (25) percent above the static loads and in the case of elevators one hundred (100) percent increase in the static load on beams girders and first tier columns immediately below the place of application of the elevator loads

Section 708 Wind pressure For purposes of design the wind pressure upon the vertical plane surface of all buildings and

structures except as noted below shall be taken at not less than twenty (20) pounds per square foot over the entire surface

The wind pressure upon tanks signs or similarly exposed structures and their supports shall be taken at not less than thirty (30) pounds per square foot of plane surface acting on tanks or chimneys this pressure shall be assumed to act on six-tenths of the projected area Tension to resist wind may be taken at twenty-six (26) pounds per square inch in radial brick chimneys laid in cement mortar A reduction in the area of signs may be made where openings exist but this reduction must not be more than fifty (50) percent

Where it shall appear that an isolated building or structure may be exposed to the full force of the wind throughout its entire height and width the pressure upon all vertical surfaces thus exposed shall be taken at not less than twenty-five (25) pounds per square foot

Where a building is of the skeleton frame type the skeleton frame shall carry the full wind load Each bay of the skeleton frame shall be designed independently of all others unless the horizontal floor slabs or systems are rigidly attached to the skeleton frame and braced laterally to transmit the horizontal loads proportionally among all columns or unless the floor slabs and fireproofing of the steel beams and girders are of concrete in intimate contact with the steel in which case the floor system may be considered as transmitting the horizontal forces proportionally to all the columns Monolithic reinforced concrete structures may be considered as transmitting the forces proportionally among all columns

Section 709 Anchorage Every member must be designed to have a dead weight equal to at least one-half more than the tendency toward uplift

Section 710 Reduction of live load Except in buildings used or to be used for storage purposes the following reductions in assumed total floor live loads are permissible in designing trusses girders columns piers walls or foundations

Reduction of live load per increment	Per Centum
Carrying one floor	0
Carrying two floors	10
Carrying three floors	20
Carrying four floors	30
Carrying five floors	40
Carrying six floors (or more)	50

For determining the area of footings the full dead loads plus the live loads with reductions figured as permitted above shall be taken except that in buildings for human occupancy a further reduction of one-half the live load is permitted

Section 711 Eccentricity Unless the reaction of any load is concentric with the axis of the supporting member or column the member or column shall be increased in strength to take care of the effects of the resultant eccentricity

Section 712 Allowable deflections The maximum permissible deflections caused by the live load for beams and girders are as follows

1/300 unplastered 1/360 plastered

The fraction gives the ratio of the deflection to the span length

Section 713 Posting of live loads In every building of a commercial or industrial occupancy hereafter erected and in every existing commercial or industrial building where heavy materials are kept or stored or machinery introduced there shall be posted on the walls of each floor in a conspicuous place a card in a permanent frame stating the following the weight in pounds per square foot the floor will safely support the date of examination the signature of the architect or engineer making examination the stamp of the Bureau with the date the calculation was accepted the signature of the examining engineer of the Bureau and such other notations as the Chief may require in any particular case

It shall be the duty of the owner to see that these cards are kept in position and in good condition

If drawings are not on file in the Bureau for the building the architect or engineer shall prepare diagrammatic drawings and data and submit them with his computations as directed by the Chief

Section 714 Overloading of floors It shall be the duty of the owner and tenant of a building to see that the safe loading of a floor is not exceeded

Should the strength of a floor of a building erected prior to the passage of this act be such that the live load resulting is less than one-half that required in the code for the occupancy in question the owner shall reinforce the floor or building in such manner that the required safe loading is obtained Proper reduction shall be made for old or damaged materials

Section 715 Lost drawings When it is necessary to post cards for floor loads in buildings where no plans are available and where the internal structure cannot be determined without demolition of the various parts the Chief may permit a series of tests to be made

CHAPTER 8 Excavations and Bearing Values

Section 800 Excavations sheeting bracing shoring underpinning When in the opinion of the Chief an excavation will endanger an adjoining property structure building or street such property structure building or street shall be protected by properly braced sheeting or underpinning or by shoring or by any combination of these which shall be properly maintained Construction drawings for such sheeting bracing underpinning and shoring shall be submitted to the Chief for approval

When the Chief finds that a condition is hazardous the drawings shall be so stamped and he may require that extraordinary methods be used for safe-guarding the work

Section 801 Depth of foundations The foundation loads of all permanent structures shall be carried down to satisfactory bearing material by means of walls piers caissons or piling which shall be so designed that the entire loads which they transmit will be distributed over the bearing area at a unit intensity not exceeding the allowable bearing value hereinafter prescribed in this chapter

Every footing shall be carried down at least three feet below any adjoining surface exposed to freezing except in dwelling houses two stories in height as to which footings shall be at least two feet below any adjoining surface exposed to freezing weather provided the said exposed surface is covered with a cement pavement properly drained that extends three feet beyond said footings so as to protect said footings against frost action

Section 802 Satisfactory bearing material Satisfactory bearing material shall mean only rock in its natural bed natural deposits of sand gravel or clay or any combination of the foregoing materials neither containing nor overlying an appreciable amount of organic matter

In the absence of satisfactory load tests the allowable bearing values of the above materials shall be limited by the following unit pressures in tons per square foot

Confined dry soft clay	1
Confined wet fine-grained sand with mica or a little soft clay	2
Dry fine-grained sand with or without hard clay but without mica or medium clay dry or wet coarse or medium grained sand with mica or hard clay hard clay	4
Dry or wet coarse or medium-grained sand without mica or clay gravel with mica or clay	5
Coarse gravel without mica or clay	6
Boulder gravel shale and hard pan	8
Cemented conglomerate	10
Soft firm rock	12
Medium rock	24
Hard rock	48

The classification of any bearing material shall be approved by the Chief Upon his order the allowable bearing value on such material shall be determined by test

All cesspool wells or other open holes of similar character existing in the site of a building shall be cleaned out and filled with concrete to the satisfaction of the Chief

Section 803 Pier or column footings All foundations under piers or columns shall be concentrically loaded and where necessary shall have a slip joint connection with other masonry Where beams are placed under piers or columns to distribute the loads such beams shall be proportioned as girders carrying uniform loads within the limits of the stresses prescribed hereinafter If stones are used for pier or column footings the stones shall be at least ten inches in thickness Otherwise footings for piers or columns shall be subject to the same regulations as for walls

CHAPTER 9 Caissons

Section 900 Excavation lining When caissons are used the excavation during construction shall be protected by a shell of sufficient strength to prevent slipping of the soil and to withstand any pressure caused by adjacent structures The Chief may call for such tests as he deems necessary to ascertain the quality and extent of the bottom upon which a caisson is intended to rest

The center line of the excavation shall not deviate more than two and one-half (2½) per cent of the height from the vertical The length of no caisson shall be more than fifteen (15) times its least diameter unless properly reinforced

Section 901 Concreting The excavation shall be filled with concrete as specified in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete If the shell is withdrawn concrete must be placed at the same time and in such manner as to prevent caving in of the excavation

Section 902 Design If the shaft of the caisson passes through material equal to that specified as in Section 802 capable of withstanding a pressure of two tons or more per square foot it need not be reinforced The stresses on reinforcement and on concrete with or without reinforcement shall be as called for in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

CHAPTER 10 Piles

Section 1000 General All piles intended to support any structure or part thereof shall be driven to the resistance hereinafter specified by such methods as will not impair their strength and as will insure the retention of that resistance

No pile shall be driven through material which is to be subsequently excavated unless it is afterward cut off and capped below the bottom of such excavation

Any type of pile construction not provided for in this section shall meet such standard requirements as may be prescribed therefor by the Chief

No pile or group of piles shall be designed so as to be loaded eccentrically

Any detached column or pier footing supported on piles shall rest upon at least three piles unless such column or pier footing be supported laterally by proper masonry or steel construction Any continuous wall footing supported on piles shall rest upon at least two rows of piles which shall be not less than one foot between centers of the rows unless such wall footing be supported laterally by proper masonry or steel construction

The allowable load on any pile not driven to rock shall be determined by the following formulae except that in no case shall the maximum allowable load hereinafter prescribed in this section for each particular type of pile be exceeded

For Drop Hammers .....$P = \frac{2 W H}{S + 1}$

For Single Acting Steam or Air Hammers.....$P = \frac{2 W H}{S + \frac{1}{10}}$

In which P equals the allowable load on the pile in pounds
W equals the weight of the striking part of the hammer in pounds
H equals the fall in feet of the striking part of the hammer
S equals the average penetration in inches under the last five blows after pile has driven to a point where successive blows produce equal penetration

When any doubt exists as to the safe sustaining power of piles not driven to rock the Chief may order such piles to be driven until the safe load indicated by the proper above-named formula is fifty (50) per cent greater than the load it is proposed to carry on the pile or he may order a load test to be made under his supervision

Except in the case of timber capping of wood piles when permitted all capping of piles shall be of reinforced concrete mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland cement to not more than six (6) parts of aggregate conforming to the provisions prescribed therefor in the section on Reinforced Concrete The stresses in such concrete capping shall not exceed those prescribed therefor in the section on Reinforced Concrete

The distance from the top of any pile to the bottom of its concrete capping shall not be less than three (3) inches for concrete piles and six (6) inches for wood piles and the distance from the edge of its capping to the outside of any pile in any horizontal direction shall not be less than three (3) inches for concrete piles and six (6) inches for wood piles The thickness of the capping above the top of any pile shall be determined by the distribution of the load that the piles must carry but shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in any case

Section 1001 Wood piles Timber for wood piles shall be cut off above the ground swell from live trees of sound and approved timber A straight line joining the center of the point with the center of the butt of any wood pile shall fall wholly within the pile

The diameter of a wood pile at its point shall be not less than five (5) inches The diameter of such a pile measured two (2) feet from its butt shall be not less than ten (10) inches when the pile is twenty (20) feet or less in length and shall be not less than twelve (12) inches when the pile is of greater length All diameter shall be measured under the bark No wood pile shall be loaded in excess of fifteen (15) tons

Wood piles shall be spaced not less than twenty-seven (27) inches between centers of piles The tops of all wood piles shall be cut off at permanent water level except under frame dwellings built over water where they may project above the water a sufficient height to raise the building above high tide Permanent water level shall be mean low tide unless special conditions exist in which case the Chief may determine such other level as in his opinion represents the permanent water level

When ranging and capping timbers are placed on wood piles for foundations they shall be of heart wood not less than six (6) inches thick They shall be properly joined together and the tops shall be laid below the permanent water level

Section 1002 Concrete piles Concrete piles may be either precast or cast-in-place or may be concrete-filled steel tubes

The concrete in concrete piles shall be mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland Cement to not more than six (6) parts of aggregate conforming to the provisions prescribed therefore in the section on Reinforced Concrete

(a) Precast piles Precast concrete piles shall be properly designed and reinforced in accordance with the provisions prescribed in the section on Reinforced Concrete to permit of handling and driving them without injury The Reinforcing Steel shall be so located in the piles that it will be covered by at least one and one-half (1½) inches of concrete The diameter of lateral dimension of such piles shall be not less than eight (8) inches at the point and shall average not less than twelve (12) inches throughout the length of the pile The length of any such pile shall not exceed twenty (20) times the average diameter of the pile When driven to rock their points shall be protected by a metal shoe of approved design and their tops shall be protected during driving by cushions of approved design No precast pile shall be loaded in excess of thirty (30) tons

(b) Cast-in-place piles Concrete piles cast-in-place shall be so made and placed as to insure the exclusion of any foreign matter and secure the full cross section contemplated by such means as have been established by standard as promulgated by the Chief

When such piles penetrate material which may distort freshly placed concrete in adjacent piles the piles shall be driven in such orde rand with such increased spacing as to insure against such distortion or additonail piles shall not be driven until the freshly placed concrete has attained its initial set

The average diameter of any cast-in-place concrete pile when driven to final resistance shall be not less than eleven (11) inches and the diameter at its point shall be not less than eight (8) inches The length of such pile shall not exceed thirty (30) times its average diameter unless the lateral support of the earth warrants a greater length No cast-in-place concrete pile shall be loaded in excess of thirty (30) tons

(c) Composite piles When it is determined that a pile must be driven partly above and partly below the permanent

water level a composite pile may be used the lower part wood and the upper concrete Each section of the composite pile shall meet the requirements stated above for its class The joint between the two sections shall be sufficiently strong to provide for vertical and lateral support The load on composite piles shall not exceed twenty (20) tons

(d) Concrete-filled steel tubes For piles consisting of steel tubes filled with concrete the tubes shall have a diameter of nine (9) inches or more and a thickness of not less than five-sixteenths (5/16) of an inch The ends of each tube shall be faced perpendicular to its axis Splices shall be of an approved design Each pile shall be driven to a full bearing on rock The allowable load on any such pile shall not exceed one thousand (1,000) pounds per square inch on the net concrete section

MASONRY IN GENERAL

CHAPTER 11 Mortars and Mass-Concrete

Section 1100 General No mortar or mass-concrete shall be used the ingredients of which are not fresh and clean and in accordance with the provisions of this code and are not thoroughly mixed and free from lumps or unmixed portions of any of the ingredients No mortar or concrete shall be remixed or retempered after it has reached its initial set

Section 1101 Cements limes and aggregates Cement wherever referred to throughout this chapter or code shall be taken to mean Portland Cement or other hydraulic cement of an approved standard brand masons cement quick lime and hydrated lime shall be of approved standard brands All aggregates for mortars concrete concrete brick and block and other material shall conform to the specifications for them in the chapters of this code relating to Reinforced Concrete and Fireproofing unless otherwise herein provided

Section 1102 Mortars (a) Cement mortar Shall be made of cement and sand in the proportions of one (1) part cement and not more than three (3) parts sand by volume Hydrated lime not to exceed 15 per cent of the cement by volume may be added but shall not be considered as reducing the cement content

(b) Cement-lime mortar Shall be made of one (1) part cement one (1) part hydrated lime and not more than six (6) parts sand by volume Lime-paste when thoroughly slaked may be used in the same proportion as hydrated lime and in place thereof if the two mortars are first mixed separately and then together

(c) Masons cement motar Shall be made of one (1) part masons cement and three (3) parts sand by volume and may be used in place of cement-lime mortar

(d) Lime mortar shall be made of one (1) part thoroughly slaked lime or dry hydrated lime and not more than four (4) parts sand by volume

Section 1103 Mass concrete Mass concrete shall consist of one (1) part Portland Cement to not more than seven (7) parts fine and coarse aggregates by volume mixed in conformity with the requirements specified in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

Section 1104 Rubble concrete Rubble concrete shall consist of a mixture of concrete as specified in Section 1103 to which is added stones which shall not be larger than one man size There shall not be less than six (6) inches of concrete between any two (2) stones or any stone and the forms Rubble concrete shall not be used for a projecting footing

CHAPTER 12 Footings and Foundation Walls

Section 1200 Depth and bearing The footings or foundation walls of all buildings excepting those that are erected on wharves or wharf piers on a water front shal extend below the level of frost action and in no case less than three (3) feet below the exposed surface of the earth and be laid on solid ground or level surface of rock in accordance with soil bearing values prescribed in Chapter 8 Footings of all buildings other than dwellings shall start at least twelve (12) inches below the levels of excavations for cellar or basement floors Where solid earth or rock is not attainable the said walls may be supported by a foundation of piles or caissons filled with concrete or such other foundation as the Bureau shall direct No footing or foundation shall be laid on any soil containing organic matter nor shall footings or foundations be laid on frozen soil and when such footings and foundations are laid in freezing weather adequate precautions shall be taken against frost action

Section 1201 Wall footings Footings for foundation walls other than is provided for in the section on Dwellings shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in vertical thickness and not less than six (6) inches wider than the horizontal thickness of the wall above with such increase in size as may be required by soil conditions in accordance with Chapter 8 to safely bear the weight to be imposed thereon Such footings or base courses shall be of stone concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau

Section 1202 Pier or column footings Shall be in accordance with Section 803

Section 1203 Mortar for footings and foundations Cement mortar only shall be used in footings and foundations of all buildings other than as provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings and Buildings Similarly Light in character Provided that this Section shall not prohibit the use of cement-lime mortar when in the judgment of the Chief the nature of the construction may permit of its use

Section 1204 Footing limitations and extensions Footings of all buildings having exterior curtain walls must be set back six and one half (6½) inches from the party line The Bureau of Highways in cities of the First class shall be privileged to allow the projection of footings of walls piers or columns three (3) feet beyond the building line Provided that on streets used or proposed to be used for subways the use of the bed of the street such footing shall be constructed within the building line Provided further that in the event of any future public improvements necessitating the reclaiming of the bed of any street by said cities of the First class any such projections which may have been constructed shall be removed by the owner of the property affected at his expense

Section 1205 Foundations of minor buildings Foundation walls of dwellings garages stables and of buildings of similar light construction shall be in accordance with the chapter on "Dwellings" unless otherwise provided for

Section 1206 Exterior foundation walls Foundation walls of all other buildings shall be built of stone concrete reinforced concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau If such walls be constructed of stone they shall be at least six (6) inches thicker than the wall next above to a depth of twelve (12) feet below said wall and shall be increased six (6) inches in thickness for every additional ten (10) feet in depth below the said twelve (12) feet If foundation walls be built of concrete or solid masonry other than stone they shall be at least four (4) inches thicker than the wall next above to a depth of twelve (12) feet below the said wall and shall be increased four (4) inches in thickness for every ten (10) feet below said twelve (12) feet All exterior foundation walls shall be sufficiently strong to resist lateral pressure

Section 1207 Foundation walls above grade In buildings built to the street grade the foundations shall not be built above the curb level unless the Bureau exempt such a building from this requirement when it appears to the Bureau that such building is located on a street which is not likely to be used for business purposes in which case the Bureau shall make necessary rules and regulations for such exceptions Foundation walls for buildings of the Fourth class shall be built up to the underside of the floor supports but not less than twelve (12) inches above grade

Section 1208 Underpinning of walls Walls used for underpinning shall be built solid of large flat stones concrete or other solid masonry acceptable to the Bureau laid up in cement mortar as the Bureau may direct Underpinning of party walls shall conform to the requirements of Section 1207

Section 1209 Footings foundation and piers not permitted hollow No hollow units or hollow construction shall be permitted for footings or foundations or piers below ground story levels of any buildings including dwellings

Section 1210 Retaining walls All walls including foundations walls which support earthwork or any kind of fill coal cinders ashes et cetera shall be designed as retaining walls

CHAPTER 13 Wall and Pier Requirements in General

Section 1300 General All buildings hereafter erected or altered except such as are otherwise provided for shall have all outside or division walls (exclusive of party walls which

shall be as required in Chapter eighteen constructed of solid masonry iron or other hard non-combustible material properly bonded and solidly put together all the said walls shall be built to a line and carried up plumb and straight and the several component parts of each building shall be constructed in accordance with the various provisions of this code

Section 1301 Story heights governing thickness of walls The height of stories for all given thicknesses of walls must not exceed eleven (11) feet in the clear for basement eighteen (18) feet in the clear for the first story fifteen (15) feet in the clear for the second story fourteen (14) feet in the clear average height for any upper story and if any story exceeds these heights respectively the walls of such story and all the walls below the same shall be increased four (4) inches in thickness additional to the thickness thereafter required The Chief may increase the thickness of any of the walls hereinafter specified if in his judgment the nature of the construction requires it

Section 1302 Thickness of walls and piers In one-story buildings with solid division walls the division walls shall be of legal thickness for party walls and be provided with a legal battlement

Where concentrated loads occur on spans of twenty-six (26) feet or less walls shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches thick with pilasters projecting not less than four (4) inches For spans over twenty-six (26) feet four (4) inches shall be added to the projection or thickness of pilasters for each additional thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof

Pilasters shall have a width of not less than eight (8) inches plus one tenth of the distance center to center of pilasters

No thirteen (13) inch wall shall be over twenty-two (22) feet in height between pilasters or thirty (30) feet in height between steel or concrete columns designed to take bending from wind

The maximum distance between pilasters shall be eighteen (18) feet for thirteen (13) inch walls twenty-four (24) feet for eighteen (18) inch walls and thirty-two (32) feet for twenty-two (22) inch walls Provided that thirteen (13) inch walls with four (4) inch pilasters are not over eighteen (18) feet high

All walls having thirteen (13) inch pilasters or over shall be considered as having the proper piers or buttresses for lengths of buildings over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet

Where openings in walls exceed fifty (50 percent of the length of the wall center to center of piers in Second and Third class construction the piers or sections of walls between openings shall have a width of at least thirty (30) percent of the distance center to center of piers with a thickness of at least eighteen (18) inches for the upper story and shall be increased four (4) inches for every two stories in height Provided that piers or sections of walls may be of a lesser width if the same number of square inches are provided in the cross section of the pier or wall but in no case to be less than eighteen (18) inches in thickness The unsupported height of piers shall not exceed ten times their least dimension For spans exceeding twenty-six (26) feet in width four (4) inches shall be added for every thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof in excess of twenty-six (26) feet except that non-bearing wall piers may be eighteen (18) inches in thickness in the two uppermost stories increasing four (4) inches in thickness for every two additional stories

These requirements shall apply to all walls irrespective of length Provided that in no case shall the masonry be stressed to a greater limit than the allowable loads prescribed in this code for the kind of material used in a wall

Section 1303 Door and window openings Openings for doors and windows in all buildings except as provided for in the chapter on Dwellings or otherwise shall have good and sufficient arches of solid or hollow masonry or terra-cotta well built and keyed with abutments or shall have lintels of stone with bearings not less than four (4) inches or of masonry on shelf angle which need not be fireproofed On the inside of all openings six (6) feet or less in width in buildings other than First class or Intermediate construction in which the lintels shall be less than the thickness of the wall to be supported there may be a proper size timber lintel which shall rest at each end not less than four and one-half (4½) inches on the wall and shall be beveled on each end and shall have a double counter or dead arch turned over the same Openings over six (6) feet and less than eight (8) feet in width shall have the inside lintel of iron steel or reinforced concrete All lintels eight (8) feet and over in width shall be iron or steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders All exterior window sills shall be of stone or other hard incombustible material

Section 1304 Spanning of other openings All masonry arches spanning other openings shall be solid through the thickness of the wall with a rise of at least one (1) inch per foot of span and properly buttressed or anchored All iron steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders used as lintels to span openings eight (8) feet or over in width and not exceeding twelve (12) feet upon which a wall rests when not supported by iron or steel jamb boxes shall have a bearing of at least eight (8) inches at each end by the thickness of the wall supported For openings over twelve (12) inches In all cases the bearing shall be sufficient to support so by plates or the filling of masonry if hollow All iron or steel or reinforced concrete beams or girders used in any building shall be throughout not less in width than the thickness of the wall to be supported

Section 1305 Chases and recesses Except as provided in chapter forty-three on Dwellings no chases or recesses shall be permitted in party walls or in fire walls or fire division walls or in nine (9) inch walls or within the required area of piers No horizontal chase shall exceed four (4) feet in length nor shall the horizontal projection of any diagonal chase exceed four (4) feet Recesses for stairways or elevators may be left in walls but in no case shall the walls at such points be less than the required thickness of walls of the fourth story above the ground floor unless reinforced by additional piers by steel or reinforced concrete girders or steel or reinforced concrete columns and girders securely anchored to the walls on each side of such recesses and in no case shall any recess be made in any wall more than one-third of its required thickness Recesses for alcoves shall be not more than eight (8) feet in width and shall be arched over or spanned with lintels and not carried up higher than eighteen (18) inches below the floor next above The aggregate area of recesses in any wall shall not exceed one-fourth the whole area of the face of the wall in any story nor shall any such recess be made within a distance of six (6) feet of any other one in the same wall

Section 1306 Carrying up and bonding or anchoring of walls In no case shall any wall or walls of any building be carried up more than two stories in advance of any other wall without the permission of the Bureau The front rear side and party walls shall either be properly bonded together or anchored to each other every six (6) feet in their height by wrought-iron tie anchors not less than one and one-half (1½) inches by three-eighths (⅜) of an inch in size When walls are not bonded together the said anchors shall be built into the side or party walls not less than sixteen (16) inches and into the front and rear walls in such manner as to secure the front and rear walls to the side or party walls

Section 1307 Protection against freezing No masonry shall be built when the temperature is below 28 degrees F on a rising temperature or 32 degrees on a falling temperature at the point where the work is in progress unless provision be made to protect against freezing No frozen materials shall be built upon

Section 1308 Use of existing walls An existing masonry wall may be used in the renewal or extension of a building or may be increased in height beyond that allowed by this code for walls of its existing thickness and materials of construction provided that such wall is structurally sound or can be made so by reasonable repairs In no case shall linings be less than eight (8) inches thick and laid in cement mortar The foundations and lateral support shall be equivalent to those elsewhere required for newly constructed walls under similar conditions All linings shall be thoroughly bonded into existing masonry No existing wall shall be increased in height or be used for renewal or extension of a building without permission of the Bureau

Section 1309 Removal of walls No existing walls in any building shall be removed so as to leave an undivided floor area in excess of that permitted in this code

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CHAPTER 14 Stone Walls

Section 1400 Quality of materials Stones shall be hard and durable free from seams and flaws that would affect their serviceability or strength as large as practicable for the intended work and of approved quality and shape In rubble work no stone shall have less bed than face

Section 1401 Mortar Except as provided in chapter forty-three on "Dwellings" stone walls above ground story levels shall be laid in cement mortar or in cement lime mortar

Section 1402 Bond and workmanship All stone walls shall be laid to a line plumb and straight and shall be faced on both sides No stone shall be laid in a rubble wall other than a dwelling in any other position than on its natural bed Walls twenty-four (24) inches or less in thickness shall have at least one header extending through the walls every three (3) feet in height from the bottom of the wall and every four (4) feet in length and if over twenty-four (24) inches in thickness shall have one header for every six (6) superficial feet on both sides of the wall All headers shall consist of good flat stones Each stone shall be thoroughly bedded in mortar under the entire area in such manner that it will not rock All interstices between individual stones must be thoroughly filled with mortar and if the spaces should be large pieces of stone must be driven into the mortar

Section 1403 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses in rubble stonework due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed one hundreed and forty (140) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar one hundred (100) pounds per square inch in cement-lime mortar and seventy (70) pounds per square inch in lime mortar

Section 1404 Thickness The thickness of stone walls shall be the same as provided for in section 1502 except that rubble stone walls shall be four (4) inches thicker than is required for solid brick walls but in no part less than sixteen (16) inches The minimum thickness for walls or piers of ashlar masonry properly bonded shall be the same as required for solid brick walls and piers under similar conditions

CHAPTER 15 Brick Walls

Section 1500 Quality of materials Brick sand-lime brick concrete brick and other units of similar size and shape used for bearing or non-bearing walls piers party walls fire walls and fire division walls when delivered on the site shall have a compressive strength of not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds per square inch of gross cross-sectional area tested in the position as laid in the wall This figure shall represent the average of five tests with a minimum for any sample of two thousand (2000) pounds per square inch except that one only may have a compressive strength of not less than eighteen hundred (1800) pounds per square inch All brick shall be well burned well shaped and free from such cracks warpage stones pebbles or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength except as provided in Section 4305 All sand-lime bricks shall be of compact pasture reasonably uniform in shape and free from such cracks warpage large pebbles balls of clay or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength All concrete brick shall be free from such cracks or irregularities as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used as aggregate they shall conform to the requirements stipulated in the Chapter on Fireproofing The Chief may require a brand or other mark of identification to be pressed into any material covered by this section

Section 1501 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses in brick sand lime brick and concrete brick masonry due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed the following Where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than four thousand five hundred (4500) pounds per square inch when tested as defined in section 1500 three hundred (300) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar two hundred and twenty-five (225) pounds per square inch when laid in cement-lime mortar and one hundred (100) pounds per square inch when laid in lime mortar Where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than three thousand (3000) pounds per square inch two hundred and fifty (250) two hundred (200) and ninety-five (95) respectively and where these units are used the average compressive strength of which is not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds per square inch two hundred (200) one hundred and seventy (170) and ninety (90) pounds respectively Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the Chief from permitting stresses on masonry not to exceed four hundred (400) pounds per square inch where the units used have an ultimate compressive strength in excess of four thousand five hundred (4500) pounds per square inch when such bricks are laid in cement mortar with all vertical joints filled and all bed joints are filled and not grooved and where the workmanship is supervised in a manner satisfactory to the Chief

Section 1502 Thickness of exterior and interior walls party walls and piers other than in skeleton construction The thickness of walls for business manufacturing and public buildings seventy-five (75) to one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet long by twenty-six (26) feet or less clear span shall not be less than the number of inches in the following table for story heights as stipulated in Section 1301 and as further governed by openings and other provisions set forth in Chapter 13

STORIES

	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth	Eleventh	Twelfth
One-story	13											
Two-Story	13	13										
Three-story	13	13	13									
Four-story	13	18	13	13								
Five-story	22	18	18	13	13							
Six-story	22	22	18	18	13	13						
Seven-story	26	22	22	18	18	13	13					
Eight-story	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13				
Nine-story	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13			
Ten-story	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13		
Eleven-story	34	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13	
Twelve-story	34	34	30	30	26	26	22	22	18	18	13	13

For buildings of the same character less than seventy-five (75) feet long also hotels apartment and tenement houses the thickness of the walls may be reduced by making the three upper stories thirteen (13) inches thick and following from that down to the lowest story in the same sequence as in the above table Non-bearing walls of buildings hereinbefore in this section specified may be four (4) inches less in thickness Provided however that none are less than thirteen (13) inches thick except as hereinafter specified If there is to be a clear span of over twenty-six (26) feet between walls the bearing walls shall be four (4) inches more in thickness than is in this section specified for every thirteen (13) feet or fraction thereof the said walls are more than twenty-six (26) feet apart all building over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet in length or depth without a cross wall or proper piers or buttresses shall have the side or bearing walls increased in thickness four (4) inches more than is specified for every seventy-five (75) feet or fraction thereof that said walls are over one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet in length The amount of materials elsewhere herein specified may be used in either piers or buttresses but no curtain wall between such pier or buttress shall be less than thirteen (13) inches thick Walls surrounding stairs elevator shafts fire escapes and light wells if of solid masonry shall not be less than eight (8) inches thick but they shall be increased in thickness with the increase in height of a sufficient extent to keep the load on the masonry within the maximum load elsewhere herein specified Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prevent the erection of light wells constructed of a framework of iron or steel filled in with glass Stores warehouses and factories over twenty-six (26) feet clear span shall have the floors carried on solid masonry partition walls or girders supported by columns of wood iron steel or reinforced concrete or piers of masonry Iron or steel trusses or girders or reinforced concrete girders may be used Provided the supporting walls are increased in thickness by the

addition of piers or buttresses to a sufficient extent to keep the load on the masonry within the maximum load elsewhere herein specified

Section 1503 Bond mortar and workmanship In brick walls at least every seventh course of brick shall be a heading course except where walls are faced with face brick in which case at least every seventh course shall be bonded with Flemish headers or by cutting the corners of the face brick and putting diagonal headers behind the same or iron ties

All walls of brick shall be thoroughly bonded and solidly put together and shall be built to a line plumb level and straight all bricks to be laid and bedded with well-filled joints Every course when laid shall have the joints well flushed up all bed joints not covered are to be struck The brick walls below the curb level of all buildings other than as provided for in Chapter forty-three on Dwellings shall be laid in cement mortar Piers built for the support of any column post or wall shall be laid in cement mortar Provided that this section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of cement-lime mortar when in the judgment of the Chief the nature of the construction may permit its use

CHAPTER 16 Plain Concrete Walls

Section 1600 Working stresses The maximum allowable stresses in masonry of plain concrete of the materials and proportions specified in Section 1103 for a 2000 pound concrete due to combined dead and live loads shall not exceed four hundred (400) pounds per square inch in compression thirty-five (35) pounds per square inch in tension or diagonal tension or ninety (90) pounds per square inch in punching shear When plain concrete of greater strength is used the foregoing stresses may be increased to twenty (20) percent of the ultimate compressive strength for concrete in compression two (2) percent in tension or diagonal tension and four and one-half (4½) per cent in punching shear

Section 1601 Thickness Except as otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings the minimum thickness of plain concrete bearing walls shall be not less than eighty (80) percent of the thickness of solid brick walls as regulated by Section 1502 and in no case less than one-eighteenth of the clear story height for the top story and one-twentieth of the clear story height for lower stories Hollow monolithic walls of plain concrete shall have the same net cross section area of material irrespective of the space within the wall as required for solid walls The inner and outer parts of such walls shall be securely braced and tied together with noncorrodible ties or other means to bring them into common action Where floor and roof systems are carried by such walls provision shall be made for the distribution of these loads to the full cross section of the wall All plain concrete walls shall otherwise be in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 13 on Wall and Pier Requirements in General

CHAPTER 17 Solid Concrete Block Walls

Section 1700 Quality of materials When delivered on the site the average ultimate compressive strength of solid concrete block used for bearing walls except as hereinafter excepted shall be not less than two thousand (2000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area This figure shall represent the average of five tests when tested in the position as laid in the walls with a minimum for any individual sample of sixteen hundred (1600) pounds per square inch All solid concrete block shall be sound of compact structure reasonably uniform in shape free from such cracks warpage or foreign substance as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from Portland cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used they shall conform to the requirements in Section 2702

Section 1701 Working stresses and thickness The maximum allowable compressive stresses in masonry of solid concrete block shall be not more than two hundred (200) pounds per square inch when laid in cement mortar and one hundred and seventy (170) pounds per square inch when laid in cement-lime mortar and ninety (90) pounds per square inch when lime mortar is used Wall thickness shall be the same as called for in Section 1502 for solid brick walls

Section 1702 Bond mortar and workmanship Solid concrete blocks shall be bonded at each course by lapping each block one-half over the unit below Mortar shall be carefully placed to insure a full bed and contact and all vertical joints shall be fully mortared and all walls shall be plumb level and straight

Section 1703 Marking All concrete block complying with the provisions of this Chapter shall be clearly marked by the manufacturer with a means of identification All unmarked solid concrete block shall be rated in accordance with Section 1900

CHAPTER 18 Party Walls Fire Walls and Fire Division Walls

Section 1800 Party walls All new party walls of buildings hereafter erected shall be built solidly from the bottom up and extended as a parapet or battlement at least three (3) feet above or beyond the roof covering except in dwellings and buildings of similar light construction when they shall extend at least ten (10) inches above or beyond the roof covering Such walls above roofs shall be at least as thick as the wall of the story beneath except that they need not in any case be more than thirteen (13) inches thick provided that the height does not exceed four times the thickness without being latterally supported Such walls shall be of solid masonry in cement mortar and shall be coped with salt glazed tile stone metal or other hard incombustible material Where the roof is mansard unless the same is constructed of fireproof material throughout the lower slope of said wall shall extend at least six (6) inches distant and parallel with the roof covering and be corbeled to the outer edge of all projections and coped with incombustible material Provided that with the approval and under the supervision of the Bureau openings may be made in party walls of contiguous buildings All parapets or battlements of exterior walls shall be governed by the same structural requirements as for party walls

Section 1801 Construction and thickness of party walls Except as may be otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings all party walls shall be built of solid masonry which shall meet the requirements of the Sections relating to such materials and of the thickness required in Chapters 14 and 15

Section 1802 Wall encroachments and party lines Any lot of the width of sixteen (16) feet or less shall not be encumbered with more than nine (9) inches of any stone foundation basement or cellar wall or more than four and one-half (4½) inches of the wall above any lot of greater width than sixteen (16) feet shall not be encumbered with more than ten (10) inches for the stone wall nor more than six and one-half (6½) inches for the wall above nor in any case shall any lot be encumbered with more than one-half the thickness of the party wall Footings of all buildings of the skeleton frame type having exterior curtain walls shall be kept back six and one-half (6½) inches from the party line

Section 1803 Insertions in party walls Wooden joists rafters or other timbers in the party walls of any buildings hereafter erected shall be separated from the joists or timbers entering into the opposite side of the wall by at least four (4) inches of solid masonry except that in dwellings not over three stories in height the separation may be two (2) inches of solid incombustible material Other than such separated structural timbers no studs stringers or other woodwork shall be inserted in a party wall except light nailing strips or plugs Battlement walls of dwellings may have roofing paper or other flashing material entered two (2) inches on either side

Section 1804 Chases and Recesses No recesses chases or other depressions or cuttings of any kind shall be permitted in any party wall that would decrease its required thickness except as provided for in Chapter forty-three on Dwellings

Section 1805 Examination of existing party walls Inspectors of buildings shall upon the application of any owner or owners of any buildings or their authorized agents or upon the application of any person or persons about to erect any new building or buildings examine any or all existing party or division walls and if they are deemed by the inspector to be defective out of repair or insufficient and unfit for the purpose of the old building existing upon the adjoining premises or of the new buildings about to be erected such party or division wall or walls shall be repaired or made good or taken down by the parties building as the inspector's decision may be In every case where such wall or walls are defective out of repair or insufficient for the purpose of the buildings there existing upon the adjoining premises and using the same the cost or expense of such repair or removal together with the expens-

of the new wall or walls to be erected in lieu thereof shall be borne and paid by the owner of said buildings upon the adjoining premises and the party erecting the new buildings in proportion to the amount of such wall or walls which is or shall be respectively used by their said buildings and in every case where such wall or walls are defective out of repair or insufficient only for the purpose of the new buildings the cost and expense of such repair or removal together with the expense of the new wall or walls to be erected in lieu thereof shall then be borne and paid exclusively by the parties erecting the new buildings and they shall also in such case make good all damages occasioned thereby to the adjoining premises

Section 1806 Use of existing party walls Walls heretofore built for or used as party walls whose thickness at the time of their erection was in accordance with the requirements of the then existing laws but which are not in accordance with the requirements of this code may be used if in good condition for the ordinary use of party walls Provided the height of the same be not increased In case it is desired to increase the height of existing party or independent walls which walls are thickness with the old walls of not less than four (4) inches more than the thickness required for a new wall corresponding with the total height of the wall when so increased in height The said lining shall be supported on proper foundations and carried up to such height as the Bureau may require No lining shall be less than nine (9) inches in thickness and all lining shall be laid up in cement mortar and thoroughly anchored to the old brick walls with suitable wrought-iron anchors placed two (2) feet apart and properly fastened or driven into the old walls in rows alternating vertically and horizontally with each other the old walls being first cleaned of plaster and other coatings where any lining is to be built against the same In all cases where there is such increase of walls a new foundation shall be built in such manner as to carry jointly both the new and old walls and the soil under such foundation shall not be loaded beyond the limits specified in chapter eight of this code This section shall not be construed to prohibit the raising of the party walls in dwellings an additional story if upon inspection the walls are found good and the load on the solid masonry is within the maximum specified in the chapter on Dwellings

Section 1807 Underpinning of existing party walls Whenever the owner or owners of property wish to excavate to a depth below the bottom of any existing party or other walls wholly or partly upon adjoining land and standing upon or near the boundary line of said lot upon which the excavation is made the owner or owners of the ground to be excavated shall protect and underpin such existing party or other walls and the buildings of which they form a part which may be located wholly or partly upon adjoining land or in proximity to such excavation If the owner or owners of ground upon which an excavation is made refuse to underpin or protect any party or other walls or buildings wholly or partly upon adjoining land or in proximity to such excavation after having had notice of twenty-four hours from the Bureau so to do any inspector of the Bureau may enter upon the premises and employ such labor and take such steps as in his judgement may be necessary to make the same safe and secure or to prevent the same from becoming unsafe or dangerous at the expense of the person or persons owning the ground on which the excavation is made and any person or persons doing said work or any part thereof under and by the direction of said inspector may bring and maintain an action against the owner or owners or any one of them of the ground on which an excavation is made for any work done or materials furnished in and about the said or any adjoining premises in the same manner as if he had been employed to do the work by the owner or owners of the premises excavated

Section 1808 Fire walls Fire walls when not built upon party lines or within six and one-half (6½) inches of same may in addition to the materials prescribed in this chapter for Party Walls be constructed also of reinforced concrete or of plain concrete when conforming otherwise to the requirements of this chapter and to the chapters relating to walls of the materials of which constructed

Section 1809 Fire division walls Fire division walls shall be constructed the same as Fire Walls In buildings for storage and heavy manufacturing purposes such fire division walls shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches thick

Section 1810 Openings in fire walls fire division walls and enclosures Openings may be made in fire walls and fire division walls of the size number and character as determined by the Chief if protected by fire doors as provided herein Each opening shall be provided with two sets of approved fire doors separated by the thickness of the wall or division These doors shall be constructed and hung in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief Openings in enclosure walls of fire resistive construction other than herein provided for shall have metal frames or studs securely fastened to floor and ceiling Structural members and such metal frames or studs shall be approved by the Chief No wood for framing or fastening shall be used for such openings Provided that this section shall not apply to private dwellings nor to one-story buildings used only for working in non-combustible materials

CHAPTER 19 Hollow Masonry Walls

Section 1900 Quality of materials Hollow-burned clay tile shall have a compressive strength of not less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when tested with the cells vertical and seven hundred (700) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when tested with the cells horizontal. This figure shall represent the average of five tests with a minimum for any individual sample of twenty percent from the stated averages Tiles shall have outer shell or wall not less than seven-eighths inches thick in its least dimensions All interior webs shall be not less than three-fourths inches in thickness. Non-bearing walls of hollow tile in spandrel walls may have five-eighths of any inch thickness of outer shell and webs provided the unsupported length of the shell and web is not over six (6) inches shall be free from such cracks warpage pebbles or particles of lime as would affect their serviceability or strength

Hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile and solid unmarked concrete block When delivered on the site the average ultimate compressive strength of hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile or solid unmarked concrete block shall be not less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area for the average of five specimens tested with a minimum of not less than eight hundred (800) pounds per square inch for any one specimen All hollow concrete block and hollow concrete tile shall have at least fifty (50) per cent solid material Where exposed to the weather they shall have walls of sufficient thickness so that the exposed surface including any stucco or other facing shall be at least two (2) inches in thickness Blocks and tiles shall be sound of compact structure reasonably uniform in shape free from such cracks warpage or foreign substances as would affect their serviceability or strength and shall be made from cement and suitable aggregate Where cinders are used the same shall conform to the requirements for Cinders stipulated in Section 2702

Brick Brick and other units of similar size and shape made of clay shale or other material and used for hollow walls shall conform to the requirements of Section 1500

Section 1901 Working stresses For walls of burned clay tile and hollow walls of brick sand-lime brick or concrete brick hollow concrete block and hollow concrete tile and solid unmarked concrete block masonry the allowable compressive stresses due to dead and live load shall not exceed eighty (80) pounds per square inch of gross cross sectional area when laid in cement mortar and seventy (70) pounds per square inch of gross sectional area when laid in cement-lime or masons cement mortar

Section 1902. Thickness and Height other than in Party Walls and in Skeleton Construction Walls of hollow burned clay tile hollow concrete block or hollow concrete tile solid unmarked concrete block or hollow walls of brick in dwellings and third class buildings for human occupancy shall be constructed as called for in Section 1503 and shall not exceed four stories in height The thickness shall be governed by the upper four stories of wall thickness set forth in Section 1502 and in Chapter 13 One story buildings not over five thousand (5000) square feet in area for commercial occupancy other than highly hazardous may be constructed with the walls not less than nine (9) inches thick

Section 1903 Bond mortar and workmanship When two or more hollow units are used to make up the thickness of walls the inner and outer courses shall be bonded at vertical intervals not exceeding three courses by lapping at least one

cell completely over a cell of the unit below Suitable provision shall be made at each line of floor joists or beams in hollow walls or walls of hollow units to shut off the spaces above from those below and to insure good bearing for beams and uniform distribution of loads Where walls of hollow building units are decreased in thickness the top course of the thicker wall shall be made solid or other adequate means for supporting the full web section of the units above shall be provided All hollow units shall be placed with the cells in alignment and the mortar on all cells of hollow units set vertically shall be carefully placed to insure a full bed and contact All vertical joints shall be at least fully mortared at the inside and outside faces and all walls shall be plumb level and straight No lime mortar shall be used for walls of hollow unit construction or hollow walls of brick except as otherwise provided in Chapter 43 on Dwellings

Section 1904 Piers Hollow burned clay tile hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile or hollow walls of brick shall not be used for isolated piers unless solidly filled with concrete The unsupported height of such piers shall not exceed ten times their least horizontal dimension

Section 1905 Marking All hollow concrete block shall be marked in accordance with the provisions of Section 1703 for solid concrete block

CHAPTER 20 Veneered Walls

Section 2000 Quality and kind of materials Materials used in the backing and veneering of veneered walls shall conform in all respects to the requirements prescribed for such materials in the chapters on Masonry in this code Stone or architectural terra-cotta ashlar or other approved masonry material used for structural veneering shall be not less than three (3) inches thick and for applied veneering not less than seven-eighths inches

Section 2001 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses on the backing of veneered walls due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed those elsewhere In no case shall the veneering be considered a part of the wall in computing the strength of bearing walls nor shall it prescribed for masonry of the type which forms such backing be considered a part of the required thickness of the wall

Section 2002 Attachment of veneering When walls are veneered with brick terra-cotta stone or concrete trim the veneering shall be tied into the backing either by a header for every three hundred (300) square inches of wall surface or by substantial non-corrodible metal anchors or clamps spaced not farther apart than sixteen (16) inches vertically and two (2) feet horizontally

Section 2003 Height and thickness Except in skeleton construction veneered walls shall not exceed forty (40) feet in height above foundations and the thickness of such walls exclusive of the veneer shall be regulated by the requirements for the uppermost stories in Section 1502

CHAPTER 21 Faced Walls

Section 2100 Quality and kind of materials Materials used in the backing and facing of faced walls shall conform in all respects to the requirements prescribed for such materials in the chapters on Masonry in this code

Section 2101 Working stresses The maximum allowable compressive stresses on faced walls due to combined live and dead loads shall not exceed those elsewhere prescribed for masonry of the type which forms the backing Where bonded to the backing as provided hereinafter the full cross section of the facing may be considered in computing bearing strength

Section 2102 Height and thickness Faced walls may be of the same height but shall be not less in thickness than is required for masonry walls of the type which forms the backing Where bonded to the backing as provided herein the facing may be considered a part of the wall thickness

Section 2103 Bond Brick facing shall be bonded to walls of brick or of hollow burned clay tile or of solid or hollow concrete block or hollow concrete tile with at least one header course in every seven courses or there shall be at least one full length header in every seventy-two (72) square inches of wall surface Stone ashlar facing shall have at least 20 per cent of the superficial area not less than three and three-quarter (3¾) inches thicker than the remainder of the facing to form bond stones which shall be uniformly distributed throughout the wall When some stones in every alternate course are at least seven and one-half (7½) inches thick bonded into the backing at least three and three-quarter (3¾) inches and at least 20 per cent of the superficial area of the wall is constituted of such bond stone uniformly distributed the ashlar facing may be counted as part of the wall thickness. Every stone not a bond stone and every projecting stone not a bond stone shall be securely anchored to the backing with substantial non-corrodible metal anchors

CHAPTER 22 Spandrel Walls Curtain Walls and Similar Non-Load-Bearing Walls

Section 2200 Such walls shall be not less than nominal nine (9) inch walls in thickness and shall be constructed of the classes of materials heretofore designated as masonry Such materials other than brick sand lime brick concrete brick and other units made of clay or shale of similar sizes and shape shall have an average ultimate compressive strength of not less than seventy-five (75) per cent of that specified in Chapters 14 16 and 19 Thickness of web area etc may be reduced proportionately

CHAPTER 23 Interior Partitions

Section 2300 Bearing partitions All interior bearing walls except party walls fire walls and fire division walls shall be considered as bearing partitions and shall be constructed of materials meeting the standards required by the various classifications in this code Where not utilized as party fire or fire division walls partitions exclusive of plaster shall be not less than one-eighteenth of the height between floors or floor beams and shall otherwise meet the provisions of Section 1502 and Chapter 13 on Wall Requirements in General

Section 2301 Non-bearing partitions Such partitions when of masonry shall be as follows Non-bearing partitions of solid or hollow masonry materials or of gypsum block or other similar materials shall be built solidly against floor and ceiling construction below and above and for all classes of construction shall not exceed the following unsupported heights

Thickness exclusive of plaster Inches	Maximum unsupported height Feet
2	9
3	12
4	16
6	20
8	25

Section 2302 Plaster Partitions Solid plaster partitions reinforced with steel may be used in any class of construction and shall be not less than 2" thick for heights not exceeding twelve (12) feet nor less than 3" thick for heights not exceeding twenty (20) feet Hollow plaster partitions reinforced with steel shall not exceed twenty (20) feet for their unsupported height

CHAPTER 24 Timber and Woodwork

Section 2400 Quality of Lumber and Timber All lumber and timber shall be equivalent to the commercial association grades conforming to the basic grading provisions prescribed by American Lumber Standards in conformity with Section 600

Section 2401 Sizes of timber When sizes are called for in this chapter or elsewhere in this code they shall be considered as the nominal or commercial sizes of rough lumber but for calculation purposes to determine the required size of lumber and timber members the net cross-sectional area or actual size shall be used and not the nominal size Where nominal sizes are given the actual dressed dimensions conforming to American Lumber Standards shall be accepted In no case shall the corresponding rough sizes be less than permits surfacing to such dressed dimensions

Section 2402 Allowable stresses in timber The Following stresses in pounds per square inch shall not be exceeded

Species	Bending Extreme [Fibre] Fiber	Horizontal Shear	Compression Perpendicular to Grain	Parallel to Grain	Elasticity [Modulous] Mondulus
Southern Long Leaf Yellow Pine	1300	110	345	1175	1600000
Short Leaf Pine.....	1200	88	325	880	1600000
Douglas Fir Structural Grade	1600	90	345	1175	1600000
Douglas Fir	1200	72	325	880	1600000
Red and White Oak ..	1400	125	500	1000	1500000
West Coast Hemlock...	1300	75	300	900	1400000
Spruce	1100	85	250	800	1200000
Eastern Hemlock	1100	70	300	700	1100000

Douglas Fir and West Coast Hemlock shall be identified by a registered species mark or grade mark or other authentication acceptable to the Chief The Compression in columns and posts equals C minus 20 L/D wherein C is the compression parallel to grain in the above table L is the length in inches and D is the least dimension of the cross section in inches The ratio L/D shall not exceed 40

The permissible stresses other than the minimum on each species specified above shall be determined by tests as required in Chapter Six

Section 2403 Beams and girders The ends of all wooden floor or roof timbers in second class buildings shall enter the wall to a depth of at least four inches and the end of all such beams shall be furnished with plates providing anchorage and shall be so shaped or arranged that in case of fire they may fall without injury to the wall

Roof rafters and floor joist in third class construction shall be properly braced with bridging not less than eight feet apart

All wood beams shall be trimmed away from flues and chimneys Header and trimmer beams shall not be less than four (4) inches from the outside face of the chimney Any header beam supporting a trimmer arch in front of a fireplace shall be not less than sixteen (16) inches from the face of the chimney breast

A wooden beam in a party or fire wall shall be separated from any other beam in the wall by at least four (4) inches of solid masonry except as required in Chapter 43 "Dwellings"

Section 2404 Bolting All bolts in wood construction shall be provided with washers of such porportions that the compression on the wood at the face of the washer will not exceed the working stresses prescribed in this chapter

Section 2405 Stud partitions Stud bearing partitions which rest directly over each other and are not parallel with wood floor beams shall run down between the wood floor beams and rest on the top plate of the partition below and shall have the studding filled in solid between the uprights to the depth of the floor beams with suitable incombustible materials Stud partitions shall not be used for bearing purposes except in dwellings and buildings for human occupancy with a floor load not greater than forty (40) pounds per square foot

CHAPTER 25 Iron and Steel

Section 2500 Skeleton frame The skeleton frame of all structures shall be considered as the columns and all girders beams trusses or spandrels and wind bracing having rigid connections to the columns the members of floor or roof panels which have no connection to the columns shall be considered secondary members

The skeleton frame and secondary members shall be designed and constructed to carry all dead live and other loads to which they may be subjected both during erection and after completion of the structure All members shall be such that the stresses which they may carry can be satisfactorily determined by the analytical methods of engineering practice

The skeleton frame shall provide all the necessary rigidity for the structure except that in the case of building wherein the secondary systems are rigidly attached to the skeleton frame and braced laterally the secondary system may be considered as providing stiffening to aid in transferring the horizontal forces to the foundations

Section 2501 Design The requirements of Section 600 shall govern the designing detailing fabrication and erection of all structural steel

All girders and beams shall be considered as not continuous unless rigid connections to the webs and top and bottom flanges are sufficient to develop the required stresses from beam to beam so that true continuity results

The design must take into full account all dead loads live loads wind or other horizontal forces eccentricity and the effect of any moving loads Allowance shall be made for any undue loading during erection including wind

The stresses produced by the loading and its distribution shall not exceed those hereinafter stated

Section 2502 Material Structural or carbon steel for buildings made by the open hearth or Bessemer process shall conform to standards promulgated by the Chief in order that the stresses specified in section 2504 may be employed for design the ultimate tensile strength shall be between 55,000 and 65,000 pounds per square inch and the minimum elongation of the specimen tested shall not be less than 1,400,000 divided by the ultimate tensile strength

Section 2503 Minimum thickness No steel used in the skeleton frame shall be less than thirty one-hundredths (30/100) inches thick when used for exterior construction nor less than "twenty-three one-hundredths (23/100) inches" for interior construction

These provisions do not apply to rolled steel beams used as secondary members of floor and roof panels linings filler or light structures such as stairways skylights marquises fire-escapes light one-story buildings or light miscellaneous steel work

Section 2504 Allowable stresses All parts of the structure shall be so proportioned that the sum of the maximum static stresses in pounds per square inch shall not exceed the following

(a) Tension rolled steel on net section 18,000

(b) Compression rolled steel on short lengths or where lateral deflection is prevented 18,000

Compression in columns

$$= \frac{18000}{1 + \frac{L^2}{18000\ r^2}}$$

With a maximum of 15,000

In which L is the unsupported length of the column and r is the corresponding least radius of gyration of the section both in inches

When a structural steel column is encased in stone concrete it may be designed in conformity with Section 2622

For main compression members the ratio L/r shall not exceed 120 and for bracing and other secondary members 200

(c) Bending On extreme fibres of rolled shapes and built up sections net sections if lateral deflection is prevented 18,000

Modulus of Elasticity 30,000,000

When the unsupported length L exceeds fifteen times b the width of the compression flange stress in pounds per square inch in the latter shall not exceed

$$= \frac{20000}{1 + \frac{L^2}{2000\ b^2}}$$

The laterally unsupported length of beams and girders shall not exceed forty times b the width of the compression flange

On extreme fibres of pins when the forces are assumed as acting at the centre of gravity of the pieces 27,000

(d) Shearing On pins 13,500

On turned bolts in reamed holes with a clearance of not more than 1/50" 13,500

On power-driven rivets 13,500

On hand-driven rivets 10,000

On unfinished bolts 10,000

On the gross area of the webs of beams and girders where H the height between flanges in inches is not more than 30 times to the thickness of the web in inches 12,000

On the gross area of the webs of beam and girders if the web is not stiffened where H the height between flanges in

inches is more than 60 times t the thickness of the web the maximum shear per inch S/A shall not exceed

$$= \frac{18000}{1 + \frac{H^2}{7200\ t^2}}$$

in which S is the total shear and A is gross area of web in square inches

	Double Shear	Single Shear
(e) Bearing On pins	30,000	24,000
On power-driven rivets	30,000	24,000
On turned bolts in reamed holes	30,000	24,000
On hand-driven rivets	20,000	16,000
On unfinished bolts	20,000	16,000

On expansion rollers per lineal inch 600 times the diameter of the roller in inches

(f) Combined stresses For combined stresses due to wind with other loads the permissible working stress may be increased by one-third provided the resulting section is not less than that required by the dead and live loads alone

(g) Members carrying wind only For members carrying wind stresses only the permissible working stresses may be increased by one-third

Section 2505 Combined stresses (a) Members subject to both direct and bending stresses shall be so proportioned that the greatest combined stresses shall not exceed the allowed limits

(b) All members and their connections which are subject to stresses in both tension and compression due to the action of live loads shall be designed to sustain the stress giving the largest section with fifty (50) per cent of the smaller stress added to it If the reversal of stress is due to the action of wind the member shall be designed for the stress giving the largest section and the connections proportioned for the largest stress

(c) Full provision shall be made for stresses caused by eccentric loads

Section 2506 Workmanship All workmanship shall be equal to the best practice in modern structural shops The use of a burning torch is permissible if the burned metal is not carrying stresses during the burning Stresses shall not be transmitted into the metal through a burned surface

Section 2507 Painting (a) Parts not in contact but inaccessible after assembling shall be properly protected by paint

(b) All steel work shall be thoroughly cleaned and except where encased in stone or slag concrete in intimate contact shall be given one coat of acceptable metal protection well worked into the joints and open spaces before leaving the shop and one coat in the field of a paint acceptable to the Chief

(c) Machine finished surfaces shall be protected against corrosion

Section 2508 Erection (a) The frame of all steel skeleton buildings shall be carried up true and plumb and temporary bracing shall be introduced wherever necessary to take care of all loads to which the structure may be subjected including erection equipment and the operation of same Such bracing shall be left in place as long as may be required for safety

(b) As erection progresses the work shall be securely bolted up to take care of all dead loads wind and erection stresses

(c) Wherever piles of material erection equipment or other loads are carried during the erection proper provision shall be made to take care of stresses resulting from the same

(d) No riveting shall be done until the structure has been properly aligned

(e) Rivets driven in the field shall be heated and driven with the same care as those driven in the shop

(f) The skeleton frame must be riveted but secondary members twelve (12) inches or less in depth may be bolted except as provided for in Section 3202

(g) The Chief may approved the use of turned or machined bolts in reamed holes in lieu of rivets provided that he is satisfied that riveting is either impractical or inadvisable

Section 2509 Welded connections Nothing in this code shall prevent the Chief from establishing rules and regulations under which welding may be permitted which rules and regulations shall conform to generally accepted practice

Section 2510 Cast iron Compresssive stresses in hollow cast iron columns shall not exceed values determined by the formula

$$P = 9000 - 40\ L/r$$

in which P equals compression in pounds per square inch
L equals length of column in inches
r equals minimum radius of gyration of the column in inches

(b) The maximum allowable ratio L/r shall not exceed 70 except that when allowable working stresses computed by the above formula are reduced one-third the ratio of L to r may be increased but shall not exceed 120

(c) Cast iron columns shall not be used in any case where the load is so eccentric as to cause tension in the cast iron nor shall they be used for parts of the structural frame of buildings which are required to resist stress due to wind Tensile stresses in the extreme fibre of cast iron lintels or elsewhere except in columns shall not exceed 3000 pounds per square inch

(d) All columns resting on or supporting other columns shall have their ends machine faced to a plane surface perpendicular to the axis

(e) Cast iron shall not be used structurally except for columns column bases and post caps It shall not be used in First class construction

Section 2511 Pipe and concrete columns Except in First and Intermediate class construction circular hollow steel or wrought iron columns filled with concrete may carry a load equal to the capacity of the metal casing plus the capacity of the concrete filling The average unit stress in the casing shall be that specified elsewhere in this section for columns and that in the concrete filling shall be in the same ratio to the unit stress in the casing as the modulus of elasticity of the concrete bears to that of the casing

Section 2512 Special steels Steels containing ingredients other than carbon or manufactued by special processes may be used for structural purposes in conformity with regulations promulgated by the Chief which regulations shall conform to generally accepted practice

CHAPTER 26 Reinforced Concrete

Section 2600 Definition The term Reinforced Concrete in these regulations shall mean an approved concrete mixture in which steel is embedded in such a manner as to resist the tensile stresses and to add rigidity and strength to concrete in compression

Section 2601 Application Reinforced concrete will be approved for all types of building construction provided the design conforms with good engineering practice and the working stresses do not exceed those herein specified

Section 2602 Cement All cement used in reinforced concrete work shall be Portland or other hydraulic cement meeting the standards promulgated by the Chief

Section 2603 Fine aggregate Fine aggregate shall be clean and well graded sand crushed stone or gravel screenings air cooled blast furnace slag or other generally accepted materials which when used for concrete mixes will produce a concrete of the required strength and fire resistance when tested in conformity with Chapter Six (6) The largest particles shall pass when dry a screen having holes not larger than one-quarter inch in diameter Not more than six (6) percent shall pass a screen of 100 meshes per lineal inch

Section 2604 Coarse aggregate Coarse aggregate shall consist of clean well-graded crushed stone gravel air cooled blast furnace slag or other generally accepted materials which when used for concrete mixes will produce a concrete of the required strength and fire resistance when tested in conformity with Chapter Six (6) The largest particles shall pass when dry through a one and one-quarter inch diameter ring and all particles must be retained on a screen having holes one-quarter inch in diameter Sizes passing a 2¼ inch ring may be used in foundations walls 12 inches or more in thickness and slabs over 6 inches thick

Section 2605 Reinforcement Steel used in reinforced concrete shall meet the standard requirements for plain or deformed bars as promulgated by the Chief and shall be of new billet or standard rail steel grade All requirements for quality shall conform to those nationally recognized as standard practice

Section 2606 Defects in reinforcement Steel for reinforcement shall be free from excessive rust scale grease paint or any coating which would tend to reduce or destroy the bond between the steel and the concrete Bars shall also be free from injuries seams slivers flaws and other mill defects The weight of any lot of bars shall not vary more than five per cent from the standard weight of the lot as given by manufacturers' handbooks

Section 2607 Design of concrete Concrete shall consist of a mixture of a plastic or viscuous consistency in the proportions hereinafter specified for the various classes of stresses

Section 2608 Inspection All structural concrete work shall be inspected and tested by an inspector possessing the requisite technical knowledge to proportion the mixing and to make the tests set forth elsewhere in the code Written reports of the results of such inspections and tests shall be filed with the Bureau Field tests shall be made on all reinforced concrete work in conformity with requirements promulgated by the Chief

Section 2609 Mixing of concrete The measuring and mixing of the cement the fine aggregate the coarse aggregate and the water shall be done by mechanical means in conformity with standard requirements promulgated by the Chief

Ready mixed concrete delivered from central mixing plants may be used after demonstrations conducted in co-operation with the Chief have shown that the strength of the concrete so delivered meets with the requirements of this Code

The concrete shall be proportioned by the inspector to give the necessary workability without exceeding the following ratios by volume of water to cement the ratio of cement to the sum of separated volumes of dry and rodded fine and coarse aggregates shall be as indicated in the following table The strengths indicated below represent the minimum strength in compression which must show in the tests at the end of twenty-eight days as specified hereinafter

Approximate Volume of Portland cement to sum of separate volumes of dry and rodded fine and coarse aggregate	Water-cement ratio United States gallons per ninety-four pounds sack of cement	Assumed ultimate strength at twenty-eight days
1—8—½	8—¼	1500
1—6—½	7—½	2000
1—5—½	6—¾	2500
1—5	6	3000

Water or moisture contained in the aggregate and ascertained by daily tests must be included in determining the ratio of water to cement

Section 2610 Thickness of concrete fireproofing Where structural steel is used as column cores the thickness of concrete fire proofing shall be not less than four (4) inches

Around reinforcing bars in columns	2	inches
At bottom of girders	2	"
At sides of girders	1½	"
At bottom and sides of beams	1½	"
At bottom of joists	1	"
At sides of joists	1	"
Of slabs	1	"

The fireproofing of other structural steel shall conform to the requirements of Section 2701

Section 2611 Modulus of elasticity of concrete The following shall be taken as the ratio of the modulus of elasticity of the reinforcing steel to that of the concrete of the grades indicated

1 Uultimate stresses up to and including 2000 lbs ratior..15
2 " " over 2000 lbs and up to and including 2500 lbs ratio 12
3 Ultimate stresses over 2500 lbs ratio 10

Section 2612 Working stresses in concrete The following indicates the percentage of the ultimate strength which may be used for design

Direct compression 25%
Columns
1 With the spirals as defined in Section 2620
2 Longitudinal reinforcement and lateral ties on gross area of concrete 25%

Piers and pedestals 25%
Compression in extreme fiber
1 Extreme fiber stress in compression 40%
2 Extreme fiber stress in compression adjacent to supports of continuous beams 45%
Tension in concrete members .....None

Shear
1 Beams without web reinforcement 2%
2 Beams with web reinforcement and longitudinal bars having special anchorage 9%

Bond
1 Deformed bars 5%
2 Plain bars 4%

Bearing on a reinforced concrete surface having a greater area than that of the loaded portion may be increased proportionally until 37½% of the ultimate strength of the concrete may be used when the said surface is three or more times the area of the loaded portion

Section 2613 Working stresses in reinforcing steel These shall be 18,000 per square inch in tension and steel in compression shall be figured at a stress equivalent to the compressive stress of the concrete times the ratio given in Section 2611

Section 2614 Assumptions for design The design of reinforced concrete structures shall be in conformity with Section 600 Slag concrete shall be considered in all respects as equal to stone concrete

Section 2615 Self-centering Self-centering shall not be considered as furnishing section to take tension in slabs of reinforced concrete

Section 2616 Thickness of slabs The minimum thickness of floor slabs shall be two and one-half (2½) inches and roof slabs two (2) inches Up to a span of 2 feet 6 inches

This need not apply in one-way or two-way composite floors containing filler blocks so designed as to permit of mechanical bond between the blocks and the concrete

Section 2617 Floor Finish The cement finish of a concrete floor shall not be considered in calculating the strength of floor members unless it is an integral part of the slab laid at the same time that the slab is poured

Section 2618 Composite floors Composite floors consisting of a combination of reinforced concrete and fillers are permitted provided that their design is based on rational theory in conformity with this code or on formulas developed from tests made in conformity with this code and that such design has been substantiated by tests as heretofore described and provided that all materials entering into the construction are fireproof

No filler block shall be considered as adding to the strength of the girders or beams supporting the floor systems nor shall they be considered as adding to the strength of the floor systems unless such fillers are so designed as to permit of mechanical bond between the blocks and the concrete between them The unit stresses in this code and in the fillers shall be proportioned in conformity with this code but no filler shall be considered as acting in this respect that has a compressive strength of less than sixty per cent of the concrete the effective width of a joist shall not be taken at more than the actual width of the concrete plus half the thickness of the adjacent shells

Section 2619 Length of columns The length of columns shall be taken as the maximum unsupported length

The unsupported length of column shall not exceed fifteen times the least side or diameter and in no case shall the least side or diameter be less than twelve (12) inches The length shall include any corbel or knee brace attached to the columns

Section 1620 Columns with spirals The axial load on columns reinforced with longitudinal bars and closely spaced spirals enclosing a circular core shall be not greater than that determined by the following formula

$V = Ac\ (1 + (n-1)\ p)\ (300 + (0.10+4p)\ f'c$

wherein P=Percentage of longitudinal reinforcement
f'c=28 day test strength
Ac=Area of concrete within the spiral

The longitudinal reinforcement shall consist of at least six bars of minimum diameter of one-half inch and the total effective cross-sectional area shall be not less than one per cent more than six per cent of that of the core

The spiral reinforcement shall be not less than one-fourth the volume of the longitudinal reinforcement It shall consist of evenly spaced continuous spirals held firmly in place and true to line by at least three vertical spacer bars The spacing of the spirals shall be not greater than one-sixth of the diameter of the core and in no case more than three inches

Section 2621 Columns without spirals Axial compression In reinforced concrete columns without hoops bands or spirals containing not less than one-half of one per cent nor more than three per cent of vertical reinforcement secured against lateral displacement by steel ties placed not farther apart than fifteen diameters of the vertical rods nor more than twelve inches shall not exceed the stresses given in Section two thousand six hundred twelve and two thousand six hundred thirteen Steel ties shall not be less than one-quarter inch in diameter or least dimension At least four vertical bars shall be used in every reinforced column and no bar shall have an area of less than one-half square inch

Section 2622 Structural steel and concrete columns Axial compression in structural steel columns thoroughly encased in concrete having a minimum thickness of four inches and reinforced with not less than one per cent of steel (that is a volume of concrete within hoops) equally divided between vertical reinforcement and hoops or spirals spaced not more than twelve inches apart may be taken at 18,000 pounds per square inch on the net section of the structural steel no allowance being made for the concrete casing The hoops or spirals shall be placed not nearer than one inch from the structural steel or nearer than one and one-half inches from the outer surface of the concrete The ratio of length to least radius of gyration of the structural steel section shall not exceed one hundred twenty When these columns are reinforced in conformity with Section 600 they may be designed as therein provided

Section 2623 Bearing on footings When a base plate or other bearing is of less area than the surface on which it bears the unit stresses may be increased until they are thirty-seven and one-half per cent of the ultimate 28 day strength of the concrete when the plate is not more than one-third the area of the supporting surface

Section 2624 Construction The construction of forms the placing wiring splicing and protection of reinforcement the deposition of concrete the joints protection against drying and freezing shall be done in a workmanlike manner according to the requirements as promulgated by the Chief

No pipes for steam or water shall be placed within any reinforced concrete slab beam girder column or fireproofing

Section 2625 Removal of forms All reinforced concrete shall be carefully inspected to insure its soundness and reliability before the main supports are removed but in no case shall the forms be removed for the usual 200 pound concrete in less time than given in the following schedule Bottom of slabs spans of 6 feet..... 4 days plus one day extra for each additional foot of span

Bottom of beams and girders of ordinary length	14 days
Beams of span of twenty feet	21 days
Sides of Lintels girders and beams	3 days
Columns	3 days
Thin walls	3 days

Due consideration shall be given to weather conditions loads on floors above and building materials stored thereon which may require all or some of the supports to remain for a longer period of time

When richer mixes or high early strength cements are used the forms may be removed when the concrete has attained a strength equal to the strength of the usual 2000 pound concrete according to the above schedule

Girders of twenty-five feet span or over shall be considered as special cases and shall be subject to the approval of the Chief before removal of the supports

The chief may permit a system of reshores to be used

Section 2626 Exceptions When the mechanical means for the proportioning of the aggregates and the water are not employed in the mixing of the concrete the following shall govern

The amount of water used including the moisture content of the aggregate shall not be more than seven and one-fourth gallons per bag of cement weighing ninety-four pounds In the absence of accurate information the following assumptions may be made

Moisture content of Fire Aggregate one-half gallon per cubic foot

Moisture content of Coarse Aggregate one-eighth gallon per cubic foot

Such concrete shall develop a crushing strength of at least two thousand pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days Test specimens shall be made in the field from the concrete as it is placed in the forms care being taken to obtain a sample representative of the entire batch Written reports of the results of such field tests shall be filed by the inspector with the Bureau in conformity with Section twenty-six hundred eight within forty-eight hours after the completion of tests

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to six part of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than two thousand pounds per square inch in twenty-eight days and the following working stresses shall be used

	Lbs. per sq. in.
Extreme fibre stress on concrete in compression	650
Concrete in direct compression	500
Shearing stress in concrete when diagonal tension is not resisted by steel	40
Shearing stress in concrete when web reinforcement is proportioned to resist two-thirds of the external shear	120
Bond stress between concrete and plain reinforcing bears	80
Bond stress between concrete and deformed bars	100
Tensile stress in steel reinforcement	18,000

Working stress in columns may be taken at five hundred pounds per square inch on the gross area of the column plus seventy-five hundred pounds per square inch on the longitudinal reinforcement No column shall be longer than fifteen times its least dimension The steel shall not be less than one-half of one per cent nor more than three per cent of the gross area and it shall be sufficiently tied horizontally

When the horizontal ties are continuous circular bands having a volume not less than one per cent of the enclosed concrete spaced not over three inches on centers and the longtiudinal bars not less than one per cent nor more than four per cent the stress on the enclosed concrete may be taken at seven hundred fifty pounds per square inch and on the longitudinal steel at fifteen times this amount

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to four and one-half parts of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than twenty-five hundred pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days and the working stress of such concrete may be increased twenty-five per cent over that permitted above

Concrete mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to three parts of aggregate shall develop a crushing strength of not less than three thousand pounds per square inch at twenty-eight days and the working stress of such concrete may be increased fifty per cent over that permitted above

In continuous beams the extreme fibre stress in concrete in compression may be increased fifteen per cent adjacent to the supports

The last paragraph of Section twenty-six hundred twelve may apply in this section

Section 2627 Tests of floor construction Whenever the Chief has doubt as to the quality of materials or workmanship in any building he may require the owner or contractor at his own expense to make such tests as will establish the safety of the construction before occupancy takes place Tests shall be made as called for in Section six hundred twelve

If the portion tested should fail to meet the requirements of this test the Chief may still approve the structure for use and if necessary additional tests may be made on different portions to determine the critical load The detail records of this test and the results of the tests upon the samples of concrete used in the construction shall be taken into con-

sideration by the Chief in determining the working load to be permitted However no substandard construction shall be accepted by the Chief if in his judgment the structure is unsafe for the purpose intended

CHAPTER 27 Fireproofing

Section 2700 Fireproofing A protection for steel of the thickness required in this code of plain or reinforced concrete cinder concrete gypsum solid or hollow masonry or other fireproofing material conforming with the requirements of this code.

Fire protection A protection of the materials acceptable for fireproofing but of thickness not less than one-half those required for fireproofing Cement or gypsum plaster properly held may be considered as fire protection providing that the construction so protected will pass the standard one hour fire test

Fireproofing material A material of the thickness specified in this code for fireproofing providing it is capable of passing the standard four-hour fire test in conformity with requirements as promulgated by the Chief

Section 2701 Minimum thickness of fireproofing The minimum thickness of fireproofing material shall not be less than the following

For structural and reinforcing steel in reinforced concrete construction as required in the chapter on Reinforced Concrete

For the outside faces of exterior steel columns and the webs of girders eight (8) inches of solid or hollow masonry four (4) inches of solid masonry plus two (2) inches of stone or slag concrete or four (4) inches of stone or slag concrete

For interior steel columns and interior facing of exterior steel columns three inches

For trusses beams and girders two inches on flat surfaces one and one-half inches on edges of flanges one inch for lugs or brackets on minor details

For the tops of all steel in floors and roofs one inch if one additional inch of fire proof material is provided in the floor finish

For the protection of structural steel in foundations adjacent to the earth not less than four inches

Steel supporting a roof only and not fireproofed or fire protected on the inside may be used in buildings of all classes except for buildings of the Highly Dangerous and Hazardous Commercial Occupancy provided that such steel is at least fourteen (14) feet above the finished surface of the top floor

The fireproofing of steel supporting masonry shall completely envelop each member and be in intimate contact with all parts of the member and the fireproofing of any member supporting another member or members of the skeleton frame shall be at least equal to that of the member or members supported

Section 2702 Cinders Cinders shall be only from high-pressure boilers and composed of hard well-burned vitreous clinker reasonably free from sulphides fine ashes and foreign matter

Cinder concrete shall be mixed in the proportions of one part Portland cement two parts fine aggregate and five parts of crushed cinders It shall develop a unit stress in crushing of not less than eight hundred (800) pounds per square inch in 28 days

Gypsum used for fireproofing of structural steel and in the construction of roofs and ceilings of all occupancies and of floors in buildings of human occupancies and where acceptable to the Chief of floors in buildings of commercial occupancies up to and including one hundred ten pounds per square foot provided they are designed to resist and od resist the test requirements of this code shall be of calcined natural gypsum or equal

Gypsum when used neat shall develop when the resulting slab has been dried to constant weight an ultimate compressive strength of not less than twelve hundred (1200) pounds per square inch

Gypsum containing intimately mixed not more than 15 per cent by weight of wood chips excelsior or vegetable fibre shall develop when the resulting slab has been dried to constant weight an ultimate compressive strength of not less than five hundred (500) pounds per square inch

All reinforcement less than three-sixteenths inch in diameter for all Gypsum construction shall be classed as wire and shall be galvanized

Section 2703 Thickness of span of slabs The maximum span between the flanges of steel beams supporting all but stone or slag concrete shall be eight feet

The following shall be the maximum distances between the flanges of steel beams as determined by slab thickness

	Roofs	Floors
2 inches thick	2′-0″	None
2½ inches thick	2′-6″	2′-6″
3 inches thick	5′-0″	None
3½ inches thick	7′-0″	
4 inches thick	8′-0″	7′-0″
4½ inches thick	None	8′-0″

Nothing in this section shall prevent the use of ribbed floor slabs or composite slabs no slabs on ribbed or reinforced fabric with a suspended fireproofing for building of the First class or a suspended fire protection for buildings of the Intermediate class Approved self centering may be considered as furnishing section to take tension in spans up to 2 feet 6 inches

Section 2704 Brick arches When brick is used as floor filling it shall consist of segmental arches having a thickness of not less than four inches Such arches shall be built of good hard common or hollow brick laid to a line and solidly bonded Each longitudinal line of brick shall break joints with the adjoining lines The arches shall spring from suitable skewbacks and shall be properly keyed The rise shall not be less than one inch for each foot of span

Clay tile arches When clay tile is used as floor filling it shall consist of hollow blocks either hard burned or semi-porous of uniform density and hardness The thickness of shells and webs of each block shall be not less than five-eighths of an inch Interior vertical and horizontal webs of arch blocks shall not be spaced more than four inches apart The skewbacks shall be of such form and section as to accurately fit the beams and properly receive the thrust of the arches The arch blocks shall be laid in cement mortar and be properly keyed

Segmental arches These blocks shall be not less than six inches in depth with at least two cellular spaces in such depth The rise shall be not less than one inch for each foot of span

Flat arches The depth of these blocks unless reinforced with steel shall be not less than one inch for each foot of span between the steel beams exclusive of the portion of the block projecting below the underside of the beams

Strength of clay tile arches Clay Tile filling shall be so designed that it will safely sustain the superimposed loads by increasing so far as may be necessary the depth and the thickness of shell and webs of the blocks For such filling reinforced by wire fabric steel rods or other steel shapes thoroughly embedded cement mortar and bonded to the tile the strength of the construction may be determined by accepted engineering formulae For the purpose of this section the working stresses in pounds per square inch shall be taken at 500 for the tile in compression 18,000 for steel in tension and 100 for bond between steel and mortar and between the tile and mortar

The stiffness of the flanges of the steel beams shall not be depended on to resist the arch action of the filling unless steel tie rods are placed to reinforce the beams

Segmental arches shall be leveled up with cinder concrete or other acceptable filling

Section 2705 Cinder concrete Cinder concrete may be used structurally as fireproofing for floors and roofs between steel beams and for interior non-bearing walls or partitions

When reinforcement is required it shall consist of steel rods or other suitable shapes or steel fabric The tensional reinforcement in any case shall be not less than twelve hundredths per centum in the case of cold drawn steel fabric nor less than twenty-five hundredths per centum in the case of other forms the percentage being based on the sectional area of slab above the center of the reinforcement The center of the reinforcement shall be at least one inch above the bottom of the slab but in no case shall any part of the reinforcement come within five-eighths of an inch from the bottom of the slab

Segmental Forms When the concrete floor filling is used in the form of segmental arches the thickness shall be at least four inches at the crown Such arches shall have a rise of not less than one inch for each foot of span

Flat Construction When the concrete floor filling is in the form of slabs the thickness shall be not less than the thickness called for in Section 2703

Flat concrete arches When a floor or roof slab of stone or cinder concrete is cast monolithic with the fireproofing of the supporting steel beams and the reinforcement consists of cold drawn steel bars or fabric of a ratio of not more than .0035 the area of the reinforcement may be determined by assuming the effective depth of 7/8 for stone concrete and 3/4 for cinder concrete of the depth from the top of the slab to the center of gravity of the steel at the center of the slab and a bending moment coefficient of 1/8 for non-continuous slabs of 1/12 when the steel is hooked over the top flanges of the supporting beams and of 1/20 when continuous over the top flange of the supporting beams The unit stress in the steel as described above may be assumed at 20,000 pounds per square inch When the steel bars or other tension reinforcement are as described in Section 2705 the unit stresses therein described shall be used The area of steel in any case parallel to the steel beams shall be not less than 10 per cent of that across the beams The slab must conform in all other respects to the design requirements of other parts of the code

In determining the safe carrying capacities of concrete floor filling segmental in form the compressive stress in pounds per square inch in the concrete shall not exceed 300 for cinder concrete or 500 for stone concrete

Nothing in this chapter shall prevent the determination of the safe carrying capacity of any form of concrete floor filling as fireproofing under the provisions of this chapter by the usual methods of calculation provided the stresses used in pounds per square inch shall not exceed 300 for cinder concrete in compression 18,000 for steel in tension and 50 for bond between cinder concrete and steel with a ratio of the moduli of steel to cinder concrete equal to 30 or in the case of stone concrete the values fixed by chapter on Reinforced concrete

When all steel members of a skeleton frame are encased in concrete as defined by the requirements of the chapter on Reinforced concrete allowances may be made for the additional strength resulting in conformity with the principles defined in this code and provided further that the reinforcement is such as to insure united action between the two materials

Section 2706 Pre-cast gypsum Precast reinforced slabs of tile of gypsum having a wood floor or cement finish on top shall conform with the general requirements for gypsum specified in Section 2702

The steel reinforcement provided to take the tensile stresses shall be anchored within the gypsum by looping or shall be embedded within the gypsum in such manner and position that it will resist all tensile stresses and will assist in the resistance to shear so that the stresses in the combination can be ascertained by computation and verified by tests Continuity shall not be allowed in the design of these slabs unless the connections of the steel reinforcement are rigid as defined in Section 537

The steel reinforcement shall be shown either by indentation at the proper points exposure of the steel at the ends or by stamping the slab or tile with the words "this side up"

Reinforced gypsum shall be so proportioned that the maximum stresses in pounds per square inch shall not exceed the following

Tensile stress in steel	18,000
Compression in extreme fibre twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength	
Shear in gypsum two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength	
Bearing on looped reinforcement anchor plates or cross welded wires twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength	
Modulus of Elasticity of gypsum	1,000,000
Modulus of Elasticity of gypsum composition..	200,000

Section 2707 Gypsum suspension systems Gypsum suspension systems poured-in-place shall conform with the general requirements for gypsum specified in Section 2702 and shall be designed to safely carry the total loads in such manner that the stress in the suspension wires or cables shall be determined by standard formula

In this type of construction the gypsum must not be calculated to resist any of the direct stresses

The cables consisting of at least two (2) strands shall be of cold drawn steel of at least 80,000 pounds per square inch ultimate strength and in which the allowable working stress shall not exceed 20,000 pounds per square inch Cables shall be held uniformly to the required deflection and must be kept firmly tied to the form work until the gypsum has become set All cables shall be completely encased in the gypsum composition and the ends shall be securely anchored to the supporting construction independently of the gypsum or to anchorage supports which shall be properly braced to resist the tension without distortion of the structural steel

Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the issue of a permit for the construction of suspension systems of precast gypsum which conform in design construction and test to the requirements of this Code

Section 2708 Gypsum fireproofing Fireproofing two inches thick of reinforced calcined gypsum (containing no sand and not more than fifteen per cent of wood chips excelsior or vegetable fibre) may be used under the flanges of beams in fireproof buildings provided that there is not less than one inch of gypsum under the reinforcement It shall be supported structurally from the floor in such manner that the hangars shall be protected from below by not less than one inch of gypsum

Section 2709 Filling of Grillages Grillages shall be filled solid between the beams with stone concrete Where wood sleepers are used the spaces between shall be filled solid or fire stops provided not less than twelve inches nor more than ten feet apart of cinder concrete fill

Section 2710 Miscellaneous floor and roof systems Nothing in this code shall prevent the Chief from approving for use as secondary systems in floors and roofs metal joists manufactured from previously rolled steel

Joists made of strip steel bent and/or welded to form a beam section shall be designed in conformity with standard design methods for plate girders

Joists made from rolled steel sections expanded to form a truss and joists made of bars rolled sections or a combination welded to form a truss shall be a true truss and designed in conformity with standard design methods for trusses

These joists shall not be used in any building wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width The provision shall not apply to rolled steel sections nor to assembled joists wherein the connections between the separate parts are all of the rigid type as prescribed in Section 537

Bridging shall be placed at the time the joists are installed Such bridging shall be of sufficient strength to provide lateral support The minimum concentrated load required under Section 703 shall apply to commercial occupancies and offices and each joist shall be designed to sustain the same except that each joist may be designed for half this amount provided the bridging is designed to transmit the remainder to the joist or joists adjacent

Joists shall be held at their bearings by some means other than the load they are intended to carry

Rolled steel beams permitted in other parts of this code shall conform to the above requirements

Section 2711 Nothing in this code shall be construed to prohibit the use of pre-cast or porous slabs made of Portland or other hydraulic cement of thickness less than called for elsewhere in this code provided that the stresses conform to those required in this chapter on Reinforced concrete and that the slabs are in conformity with requirements promulgated by the Chief

Section 2712 No pipe for steam or water shall be placed within the fireproofing of any structural member or floor system

CHAPTER 28 Chimneys Flues Fireplaces and Incinerators

Section 2800 The provisions herein shall apply to all ordinary chimneys flues and vents within a building or which form a part of a building and not to chimneys flues stacks or

vents for high pressure boilers furnaces used in the manufacturing ranges in restaurants hotels etc or for other heating or cooking appliances where high temperatures occur all of which shall be designed constructed and maintained in accordance with best engineering and fire prevention practice acceptable to the Chief and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

Section 2801 Chimney construction The walls of all chimneys shall be built of solid masonry or of radial brick but this shall not preclude the use of a metal smokestack when located inside of a shaft properly enclosed with noncombustible materials having an air space between the walls and stack on all sides Flues in party walls shall not extend closer than four inches from the center of the walls The walls of all unlined chimneys shall be built of good sound hard-burned brick or other suitable hard brick The walls of lined chimneys shall be not less than four (4) inches thick All concrete chimneys cast in place shall be suitably reinforced vertically and horizontally The walls of lined concrete chimneys shall be not less than four (4) inches thick and of lined solid concrete block chimneys not less than eight (8) inches thick Chimney walls of rubble stone shall be at least ten (10) inches thick properly bonded and shall have flue linings

Section 2802 Flue linings All flue linings shall be of fire clay or other suitable refractory clays either natural or compounded adapted to withstand reasonably high temperatures and flue gases Flue linings shall be of standard commercial thickness but not less than five-eighth inch They shall be carefully bedded one upon another in mortar and with all joints left smooth on the inside Linings shall start from a point not less than egiht (8) inches below the center line of smokepipe intakes or in the case of fireplaces from the apex of the smoke chamber and shall be continuous to the required height of the chimney The masonry walls around flues shall not be built hollow and the lining dropped inside but shall be laid up together with the lining with mortar around each successive length of lining as it is set All joints and spaces between the masonry and lining shall be thoroughly slushed full as each course of masonry is laid No flue lining already set in place shall be cut away or broken to receive a smokepipe intake

Section 2803 Chimneys without lining Lining may be omitted in brick chimneys provided the walls of the chimneys be not less than eight (8) inches thick and the inner course be of hard-burned brick and that all joints on the flue side be struck smooth No mortar lining or parging shall be permitted Linings may likewise be omitted in reinforced concrete chimneys provided the walls of such chimneys be not less than six (6) inches thick

Section 2804 Mortar for chimneys All mortar used in the construction of independent chimneys except as otherwise provided herein shall be cement or cement-lime mortar When a masonry wall of a building forms part of a chimney with flue linings the mortar for chimney walls may be the same as that employed in the building wall Mortar used between the joints of flue linings and in the portions of a chimney above a roof or otherwise wholly exposed to the weather shall be cement mortar

Section 2805 Foundations of chimneys Chimneys or breasts shall be built upon solid masonry foundations properly proportioned or may start from floors or walls in buildings of the First class The footing for an exterior chimney shall start below the frost line but not less than three (3) feet below the finished grade Chimneys shall not rest upon or be carried by wooden floor beams or brackets nor be hung or supported by metal stirrups from wood or metal construction

Section 2806 Corbeling of chimneys The total offset overhang or corbel of an independent chimney in other than First class construction shall not exceed three-eighths the width of the chimney in the direction of the offset Corbeled chimneys shall not be supported by hollow walls or walls of hollow units and corbeling shall not project more than one inch per course and not more than twelve (12) inches in any case

Section 2807 Chimneys through and above roofs No increase of chimney wall thickness nor any projecting masonry or setback shall be permitted within a distance of six (6) inches above or below rafters or roof joists Chimneys shall be built at least three (3) feet above flat roofs and not less than two (2) feet above the ridge of gable and hip roofs or the high point of mansards

Section 2808 Fireplaces Fireplace walls shall be not less than eight (8) inches thick and if built of stone or hollow units not less than twelve (12) inches thick The faces of all such minimum thickness walls exposed to fire shall be lined with firebrick hard-burned brick soapstone cast iron or other suitable fire resistive material When lined with four (4) inches of firebrick or hard-burned brick such lining may be included in the required minimum thickness All fireplaces and all chimney breasts with openings shall have trimmer arches or other approved fire-resistive construction supporting hearths The arches and hearths shall be not less than twelve (12) inches wide measured from the face of the chimney breast and not less than twelve (12) inches wider than the opening on either side The arches shall be of brick stone or hollow tile not less than four (4) inches thick A flat slab or slate or similar stone or a reinforced concrete slab may be used to carry the hearth instead of an arch if it be properly supported and a suitable fill be provided between it and the hearth Hearths shall be of brick stone tile or other incombustible material Wood centering under a trimmer arch shall be removed after the masonry has thoroughly set No heater burning solid liquid or gaseous fuel shall be placed in a fireplace which does not conform to the foregoing requirements

Section 2809 Flues Flues shall be built as nearly vertical as possible but in no case at an angle greater than forty-five (45) degrees from the vertical other than in First class construction Where flues change direction the abutting linings at the angle joints shall be built to fit closely Not more than two lined flues shall be permitted in the same flue space and the joints of any such adjoining flue linings shall be staggered at least seven (7) inches When there are more than two flues in a chimney at least each third flue shall be separated from the others by a smoke-tight withe or division wall of masonry or concrete not less than four (4) inches thick and bonded into the chimney walls Each flue intended for a heating furnace or boiler connection or for a fireplace shall be separated from other flues by such a withe When any single flue has an effective area exceeding two hundred (200) square inches the walls shall be not less than eight (8) inches thick and shall have flue lining as previously specified but when flues become so large as to render it impracticable to obtain fire clay lining such flues shall be lined with fire brick for a distance of at least twenty-five (25) feet from the point of intake The effective area of any flue shall be considered as the full area if a round flue and as the largest circle or oval which could be inscribed in a square or oblong flue Ordinary and low pressure heating devices burning solid fuels shall have a minimum effective flue area not less than the following

Small special stoves and heaters .....28 square inches
Stoves ranges and room heaters .....40 square inches
Fireplaces (at least 1/12 the fireplace opening) .....
.....50 square inches
Warm air furnaces steam and hot water boilers in buildings over two stories in height .....70 square inches

The construction and size of flues to be used for oil and gas fired furnaces boilers and automatic water heaters shall be the same as required for corresponding appliances burning solid fuel except that in the case of a vent for a domestic water heater the same may be connected into a similar flue from a heating apparatus when in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief Vent flues for non-automatic water heaters stoves ranges and other domestic gas appliances having relatively small gas consumption (excepting gas plates and portable gas heating appliances) shall have a flue area of not less than ten (10) square inches Such flues unless enclosed in solid masonry walls shall be of incombustible material not less than three-fourths of an inch thick with air tight joints and shall vent to the outside air

Section 2810 Thimbles and intakes A thimble or flueing of fire clay metal or masonry shall be suitable installed on the side of any chimney where smokepipe enters or is intended to enter a flue The top of such intakes shall be set not less than eighteen (18) inches below any ceiling of sheet metal wood lath and plaster or exposed wooden beams No thimble shall enter a chimney within six (6) inches of any wood-work When a smokepipe enters a chimney breast through a studded-off

combustible partition the thimble of such smokepipe shall be kept six (6) inches clear of all woodwork and if plastered shall be surrounded by metal lath

Section 2811 Incinerators A flue serving a non-fuel fired incinerator combustion chamber having grate-area of nine (9) square feet or less shall have enclosing walls of hard-burned brick four (4) inches thick and shall be lined with standard fire-clay flue lining or shall be constructed to conform to the following requirements A flue serving a no-fuel fired incinerator combustion chamber having a grate-area exceeding nine (9) square feet shall be enclosed by hard-burned brick four (4) inches thick with a lining of four (4) inches of fire brick for a distance of not less than thirty (30) feet above the roof of the combustion chamber beyond this point flue enclosing walls shall consist of hard-burned brick not less than eight (8) inches thick Flues or stacks for fuel fired incinerators shall be lined with four (4) inches of fire brick for a distance of forty (40) feet above incinerator breeching Flues or stacks of rubbish and waste material incinerators shall be enclosed by eight (8) inches of hard-burned brick and a lining of four (4) inches of fire brick laid in fire clay Such fire brick linings shall extend to the top of the flue or stack An incinerator of this type or the fuel fired type may connect to a boiler or similar stack if the area of the stack is at least four times the area of the incinerator breeching All flues or stacks shall terminate in a substantially constructed spark arrester When an incinerator flue is used as a garbage depositing chute it shall have approved doors in each opening and access to such flue shall not be within the building The vestibules of firetowers may be adapted to this purpose When such chutes occur in First class buildings the access doors may be within the building The area and heights of incinerator flues and the construction of enclosing walls of combusiton chambers which must be of masonry shall be in accordance with rules promulgated by the Chief

Section 2812 Testing and tightness of flues If after completion there be any doubt as to the tightness or safety of any flues to which large ranges heating furnaces boilers automatic gas water heaters fireplaces or incinerators are to be connected they shall be subjected to a smoke test but the test shall not be made until the mortar has thoroughly seasoned The test shall be made by the masonry contractor in the presence of the building inspector or other person designated by the Chief and any flue proved to be leaky shall be abated as a nuisance and rebuilt tight All chimneys in any building already erected which shall be dangerous in any manner whatever shall be repaired and made safe or taken down

Section 2813 Woodwork around chimneys and fireplaces All such woodwork shall be placed in conformity with the requirements governing same in Chapter 24 of this code

CHAPTER 29 Heating and Cooking Apparatus Pipes and Appliances

Section 2900 No boiler to be used for steam or motive power no furnace and no hotel or restaurant type of range oven or similar apparatus where high temperatures occur shall be placed on any floor above the cellar unless the same is set on non-combustible beams and arches or an incombustible platform extending not less than fifteen (15) inches beyond the base in all directions and in no case without a permit from the Bureau No permanent or stationary heating apparatus of any kind whatever shall be introduced in any building now erected without a permit from the Bureau

Section 2901 Location of heating apparatus All boilers furnaces or other similar heating apparatus shall be so located as to provide a distance of not less than three (3) feet from any unprotected woodwork or wood lath and plaster Where combustible ceilings walls or partitions occur closer than three feet to such heating apparatus such ceilings walls or partitions shal be properly protected with incombustible material to an extent not less than twelve (12) inches beyond the outline of such apparatus Where the distance is less than one foot all such heating apparatus shall be shielded as herein provided for stoves and ranges using solid fuel The tops of all boilers or furnaces set in brick shall be covered with brick slate or metal supported by metal bars and so constructed as to be perfectly tight said covering to be in addition to and at least six (6) inches from the ordinary covering to the hot air chamber

Section 2902 Location of stoves and ranges (Solid fuel) Stoves an dranges using solid fuel and having an enclosed base shall be set upon solid masonry foundations or hollow or porous masonry arches or hearths not less than fur (4) inches thick and extending not less than six (6 inches beyond the base on all sides and twelve (12) inches on the front If such hearths are built upon wooden floors the latter shall first be covered with sheet metal or ⅛-inch asbestos board Such stoves and ranges supported by rigid legs and which have at least a four inch clearance under ash pans may be set upon wood floors when such floors are protected by heavy sheet metal extending not less than twelve (12) inches beyond the front and not less than six (6) inches beyond the sides and back of the same Where any such stoves or ranges are set less than eighteen (18) inches from any wood lath and plaster or less than twelve (12) inches from any incombustible lath and plaster the studding shall be cut away and framed to a height of not less than three (3 feet above the top and one foot from the side of the stove or range and the space from floor to header filled in with brick an dother incombustible material laid in cement mortar or the same shall be protected in such manner as may be set forth in regulations promulgated by the Chief

Section 2903 Furnaces stoves and ranges (Liquid fuels) All heating and cooking apparatus using liquid fuel shall be located as provided for apparatus using solid fuel and together with its piping and fuel storage shall be otherwise installed and maintained in accordance with regulations promulgated by the Chief and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

Section 2904 Smokepipes All smokepipes shall enter chimneys on a vertical face connecting to the flue through a thimble or intake in the chimney wall as elsewhere provided Smokepipes shall be located not less than eighteen (18) inches from any unprotected woodwork or any wood lath and plaster unless protected as hereinafter provided when the minimum clearance shall be six (6) inches Such protection shall consist of a sheet metal shield or its equivalent set out at least one inch from the surface to be protected extending the full length of the stovepipe and not less than twelve (12) inches beyond its edges Smokepipes shall not pass through any floor nor through a combustible roof A smokepipe shall not pass through a combustible partition or wall construction unless a section of the construction is removed and the smokepipe is insulated from the construction by a galvanized iron double-walled ventilated thimble having a diameter of not less than twelve (12) inches larger than the pipe or by not less than four inches of incombustible construction Smokepipes shall not be permitted in closets nor in concealed air spaces and shall not be permitted to connect with the chimney in an attic All smokepipes shall be firmly connected at the inlet and outlet and shall be securely anchored in position throughout

Section 2905 Warm-air pipes and registers Horizontal warm-air furnace pipes shall be placed not less than six (6) inches below wooden floor joists or wood lath and plaster ceilings if the floor joists or ceiling are protected by metal lath and plaster or the pipe is covered with not less than one-half inch of corrugated asbestos or equal insulation the distance from the woodwork or wood lath and plaster may be reduced to not less than three (3) inches Cold-air ducts for warm-air furnaces shall be made of incombustible material for a distance of at least three (3) feet from the furnace Warm-air ducts or pipes passing through combustible partitions or floor shall be protected by ventilated thimbles providing for not less than three (3) inches of air space Warm-air ducts or pipes contained within combustible partition or ceiling construction shall be doubled metal with not less than ⅝-inch space between or shall be single metal ducts or pipes securely covered with asbestos or equal insulation No such pipe or covering shall be closer than one inch to any wood studding joist or floor unless the same be protected by metal or asbestos and metal lath or wire lath shall be used to cover that portion of the partitions or ceilings in which the warm-air ducts or pipes are located Warm-air registers in floors or partitions shall be set in metal slate or other incombustible frames which will provide not less than three inch air space between the register opening and any combustible construction to which the frame is attached The register boxes shall be of sheet metal and be

kept not less than one inch from any unprotected woodwork

Section 2906 Openings through floors and partitions Pipe holes or other small openings through floors or partitions shall be protected by continuous metal sleeves properly flanged at each end

Section 2907 Installation of wall heaters When a gas or electric heater is installed in a wood stud wall or partition all wooden surfaces adjacent to the heater and the space between the studs behind above and below the heater shall be protected in accordance with standard practice as promulgated by the Chief

PART IV CLASSIFICATION

CHAPTER 30 Classification of Buildings Based on Types of Construction

Section 3000 All buildings shall be classified according to types of construction occupancies floor areas heights and districts where located in conformity with this Part of the code

Section 3001 All buildings shall be divided into the following classes of construction and First Class Type A shall be deemed to be the most fire-resistive type of construction and Fourth Class Type B the least fire-resistive type of construction

The terms "fireproofed" and "fire-protected" shall be understood to have the specific meanings given to them in chapter twenty-seven

First Class Type A)
First Class Type B) Fireproofed construction
First Class Type C)
Intermediate Class Fireprotected construction
Second Class Type A)
Second Class Type B) Slow-burning construction
Third Class Ordinary construction
Fourth Class Type A) Metal Frame construction
Fourth Class Type B) Wood Frame construction

CHAPTER 31 Walls and Partitions

Section 3100 Exterior and inner court walls Exterior or inner court walls for all classes of construction except as specifically permitted elsewhere shall be divided into the following

Wall Bearing Type in which the wall carries loads other than its own weight This type of wall shall be of masonry or reinforced concrete as permitted in the Chapter on Masonry It may be used in all classes of construction provided that proper means are taken to give it lateral support and provided that wind and other horizontal forces are resisted by the floors columns or other structural parts of the building

Self Supporting Type in which the wall carries its own weight but no other load This type of wall shall conform to the requirements for and be used as permitted in the Chapter on Masonry

Spandrel Type in which the wall is supported at each floor and carries no load other than its own weight This type of wall may be either solid masonry or reinforced concrete hollow masonry or a combination of any of these It may be used in all classes of construction provided that it is carried on and braced laterally by fireproofed construction

Section 3101 Partitions In buildings of the First and Intermediate classes of construction partitions shall be of incombustible materials as prescribed in Chapter 23 and in buildings of Second class construction partitions may be of two or more layers of plank of a total thickness of not less than three inches spiked together so that the joists are not parallel except as elsewhere required

Section 3102 Office partitions In buildings or sections thereof used for office purposes where fireproofed partitions are called for wood rails or partitions may be ussd provided that they do not extend to within eighteen inches of the ceiling or wood office partitions may be used up to the ceiling provided that not less than one third of their area is of glass In all cases where wood is used the building or section thereof shall be occupied by one tenant only

Section 3103 Floor openings The enclosure of all elevators stairs and fire towers shall be as called for in chapter forty

All other openings in floors not designed for the passage of people through them but used for pipe ducts dumb waiters etc shall be enclosed in fireproofed shafts

CHAPTER 32 First Class Buildings Fireproofed Construction

Section 3200 "First Class Type A" defined First Class Type A Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame and the floor systems is in intimate contact with all parts of the steel and the floor systems are rigidly connected to the skeleton frame

Section 3201 "First Class Type B" defined First Class Type A Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame is in intimate contact with all parts of the steel and the floor systems are of steel rigidly connected to the skeleton frame and fireproofed on the top and bottom flanges but need not be in contact

Section 3202 "First Class Type C" defined First Class Type C Buildings shall be those having frames of reinforced concrete or structural steel wherein the fireproofing of the skeleton frame entirely envelops each member but need not be in intimate contact with the steel and the floor systems are of steel which need not be rigidly connected to the skeleton frame and which is fireproofed on the top and bottom flanges but need not be in contact

CHAPTER 33—Intermediate Class Buildings Fire-protected Construction

Section 3300 "Intermediate Class" defined Intermediate Class Buildings shall be constructed in accordance with the requirements or First Class Type C buildings as specified in Section 3202 except that the structural frames and floor systems may be fire-protected instead of fire-proofed and each individual member of the skeleton frame need not be entirely enveloped

CHAPTER 34 Second Class Buildings—Slow-burning Construction

Section 3400 "Second Class Type A" defined Second Class Type A Guildings shall have floors and roofs of heavy timber of the following minimum sizes columns or posts 8 inches beams and girders 6 inches floor planking 3 inches roof planking 2 inches

Section 3401 "Second Class Type B" defined Second Class Type B Buildings shall conform to the requirements of Second Class Type A buildings except that columns beams and girders may be fireprotected steel or of reinforced concrete

CHAPTER 35 Third Class Buildings Ordinary Construction

Section 3500 "Third Class Buildings" defined Third Class Buildings shall have floors and roofs of timber in which the floor joists shall not be less than three inches thick in occupancies for which the live load prescribed in Chapter seven exceed one hundred pounds per square foot and in no case less than two inches thick and in all cases the roof rafters shall not be less than two inches thick and the floor and roof planking not less than one inch thick Structural steel may be used without fire-proofing or fire-protection unless such steel supports bearing walls or fire partitions

Section 3501 Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the Bureau from issuing permits for buildings of third class construction having incombustible walls other than masonry if the walls are fireprotected where buildings of the fourth class are permitted

CHAPTER 36 Fourth Class Buildings Metal Frame and Wood Frame Construction

Section 3600 "Fourth Class Type A" defined Fourth Class Type A buildings shall be those having frames of unprotected structural steel wherein the walls are of sheet meeal or other incombustible materials supported on steel masonry or concrete

Section 3601 "Fourth Class Type B" defined Fourth Class Type B Buildings may be of timber the studding joists or rafters of which are not less than 2 inches thick and the sheathing and siding not less than one inch thick or the studding may be covered with stucco not less than one inch thick reinforced with metal furred out three-eighths of an inch and shall have foundations of masonry or concrete

Section 3602 Councils of cities of the First Class may by general ordinance define the limits within which frame buildings may be erected regulate the erection of frame buildings and permit and regulate the erection of frame sheds on wharves or elevators for the storage of grain coal and lumber

CHAPTER 37 Classification of Buildings Based on Occupancy

Section 3700 For the purposes of this code all buildings shall be divided into the following groups In the event that a building should not fall within one of these groups its grouping shall be determined by the Chief

Section 3701 Human occupancy

Special hazards

A Theatres and motion picture parlors

Ordinary hazards

B Dance Halls Amusement Park Structures Convention Halls Stadiums Exhibition Halls Restaurants School Churches any room of 2500 sq ft or over in a school or church possible to be used for dancing any room with fixed seats of 2500 sq ft in a school or church rooms for athletic activities armories gymnasiums libraries railroad passenger stations museums

Institutional

C Hospitals Sanitariums Orphanages Asylums for the feeble-minded Nurseries Old Folk's Homes accommodating six or more Jails and Prisons Reformatories and Houses of Correction Monasteries and Convents accommodating ten or more Municipal Fire and Police Stations

Residential

D Hotels Apartment Houses Lodging Houses Dormitories Fraternity Houses and Clubs

E Dwellings

Office Buildings etc

F Office Buildings Public Baths and Swimming Pools

Section 3702 Commercial occupancy

Highly hazardous

M Buildings for the manufacture of highly inflammable or explosive materials etc

Hazardous

N Buildings for the storage of highly inflammable or explosive materials etc paint or oil storage buildings dry cleaning establishments paint shops planing mills box factories wood-working shops mattress factories filling stations gas stations

Semi-hazardous

O Public Garages

P Private Garage

Ordinary usage

Q Wholesale or Retail Stores or Salesrooms Factories or Shops not using highly combustible or inflammable materials etc Buildings or Shops for the storage or sale of ordinary combustible goods Printing Plants Creameries and Cold storage Plants

Non-hazardous

R Power Plants Ice Plants Pumping Plants Factories or Shops for Incombustible or Non-explosive materials etc Buildings for the storage of incombustible or non-explosive materials etc

Accessories and appurtenances

S Signs Water Tanks and Towers Sheds Fences etc

Section 3703 Mixed occupancy When a building is used for two or more occupancies which are not of the same group it shall conform in all respects to the most stringent requirements of any of the groups to which the occupancies pertain unless the building is divided into sections containing the different occupancies by horizontal and vertical fire divisions

Section 3704 Exception No building of a Highly Hazardous Commercial occupancy (Group M) shall be used for any other purpose than for accessories and appurtenances (Group S) in connection only with its own use

Section 3705 Exits When a building is used by occupancies coming under different groups firetowers and stairs may be used in common provided that each occupancy has its own separate entrance to each firetower or stairs independent of the other occupancy or occupancies A firetower required by one occupancy may be used as a stairs by an occupancy not requiring a firetower

Section 3706 Change of occupancy When the use or the character of the occupancy of any building is changed from one group to another group such building if not conforming to the requirements for the proposed use or occupancy shall be remodeled to comply with the requirements of this code for the proposed use or occupancy

Section 3707 Group R buildings classified under Group R with structural steel columns and floor and roof systems not fireproofed or fireprotected from the inside shall be considered First Class Buildings Steel roof decking properly insulated and weatherproofed may be used in group R buildings or in one story buildings of commercial occupancy except groups M and N without fireproofing or fireprotection on the outside in conformity otherwise with this Section provided the building is separated on all sides from other structures by not less than 25 feet

Section 3708 Group S construction Accessories and Appurtenances of steel not fireproofed or fire-protected in connection with the exterior of a building may be considered as not lowering the class of the building

CHAPTER 38 Requirements based on Floor Area

Section 3800 Should the area of any floor of a building exceed in any case the maximum areas hereinafter given the said floor shall be subdivided by fire walls or fire division walls

Maximum Undivided Floor Areas

Commercial and Industrial Occupancies	One Street Frontage		Two Street Frontage		Three Street Frontage	
	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled	Sprinkled	Unsprinkled
First Class A..	Unlimited	25,000	Unlimited	30,000	Unlimited	Unlimited
First Class B ..	27,500	20,000	30,000	25,000	Unlimited	30,000
First Class C ..	25,000	17,500	27,500	22,500	30,000	25,000
Inter. Class	22,500	15,000	25,000	20,000	27,500	22,500
Second Class ..	20,000	10,000	22,500	15,000	25,000	17,500
Third Class ...	10,000	5,000	15,000	7,500	20,000	10,000

Section 3801 A paved driveway 25 feet wide may be classed as a street For human occupancies the above areas may be increased by 20 per cent

Section 3802 No building of a highly hazardous commercial occupancy Group M as specified in Section 3702 shall have an undivided floor area greater than one-half of those hereinbefore given and in any case the said building shall be sprinkled and the undivided floor area shall not exceed twenty-five thousand square feet

Section 3803 This chapter shall not apply to private dwellings nor to one story buildings used only for the storage of or the working in non-combustible materials

Section 3804 No building used as a garage or automobile service station or for any similar purposes which is not of first class construction shall be erected to a greater height

than two stories nor have an undivided floor area exceeding five thousand square feet provided that one-story buildings of second class construction used for the purpose set forth in this section may have an undivided floor area of ten thousand square feet

Section 3805 Third Class Buildings with floor and roof plank of 1¾ inches or more may have a maximum floor area of 7,500 square feet and Second Class Buildings one story high sprinkled may have a maximum floor area of 50,000 sq. ft.

Section 2806 All one story buildings not over five thousand square feet in area of commercial occupancy with non-combustible contents may be of Fourth Class Type A construction

CHAPTER 39 Requirements based on Height

Section 3900 All buildings of commercial occupancy over 85 feet high wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width shall be of First Class Type A construction

Section 3901 All buildings of human occupancy over 85 feet high wherein the height is more than two and one-half times the width and all unsprinkled buildings of commercial occupancy over 85 feet high shall be of a grade not lower than First Class Type B construction

Section 3902 All buildings other than defined in Section 3900 and 3901 over 85 feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than First Class Type C construction provided that for commercial occupancies the floor systems are rigidly connected

Section 3903 All buildings not more than eight stories and not over 85 feet in height and all buildings of any height used for forcible detention such as jails prisons and asylums and all buildings over two stories in height used as schools hospitals or for similar occupancies shall be of a grade not lower than Intermediate Class construction except as provided in Section 3904

Section 3904 All buildings not more than six stories and not over 75 feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than Second Class construction except as provided in Section 3905

Section 3905 All buildings not more than three stories and a basement and not over fifty feet in height shall be of a grade not lower than Third Class construction provided that all ceilings all vertical enclosures all bearing partitions and store enclosures and all divisions between tenants are fireprotected except as provided in Section 3906

Section 3906 All buildings not more than three stories and not over forty feet in height except dwellings shall be of a grade not lower than third class construction provided that the ceilings and other separations of cellars and basements and all store enclosures in buildings containing sleeping quarters shall be fireprotected

Section 3907 All buildings not more than three stories and not over forty feet in height may be of Fourth Class Type B construction within certain districts defined by the Councils of Cities of the First Class provided that all interior fireprotective requirements of Section 3906 are complied with

PART V EGRESS

CHAPTER 40 Means of Egress

Section 4000 Scope The provisions of this part of the Code shall apply to all buildings over two stories in height except Theatres Motion Picture Houses and Dwellings all of which are specified in the separate sections thereon

Section 4001 Stairs All stairs in buildings of the First and Intermediate Classes for human occupancy shall be entirely closed in walls of hard incombustible materials not less than six inches thick except that the main stairs from the first to second floors and first floor mezzanine stories may be unenclosed

All stairs in buildings of the First and Intermediate Classes for Commercial Occupancy any floor area of which above the first floor exceeds 5000 square feet shall be entirely enclosed in walls of hard incombustible materials not less than six inches thick The main stairs from the first to a messanine in the first story may be unenclosed All stairs in buildings of other than First and Intermediate Classes any floor area of which above the first floor is 3500 square feet or over shall be enclosed in not less than nine inches of solid masonry

All stairs in buildings of other than the First and Intermediate classes any floor of which other than the first floor is less than 3500 square feet and exceeds 2000 square feet shall be enclosed in not less than three inches of solid plank or two inches of solid plaster on metal lath or other fireprotected construction supported by incombustible studding

All stairs in buildings of lesser area per floor than provided above in this section but not more than three stories in height may be unenclosed unless used for sleeping purposes

Enclosure walls in buildings other than of the First and Intermediate Classes shall extend not less than three feet above the roof

All doors in enclosures of six inches or more shall be of metal or wood doors covered with metal acceptable to the Chief

Windows shall have metal frames and sash All glass shall be wire glass no pane of which shal exceed two hundred and fifty square inches

The stairs in buidings of the First and Intermediate Classes shall be of incombustible construction

No riser shall exceed eight inches and no tread shall be less than nine inches exclusive of any nosing

A metal skylight with wire glass or windows having an area of one fourth that of the shaft shall be provided above the top landing A stair which does not extend down to the ground shall be sealed off at the bottom by fireproof construction

Buildings for Human Occupancy other than the First Class may have stair enclosures of fire protected construction

Section 4002 Elevators The enclosure of elevators shall conform to the requirements for stairs except that they shall be enclosed throughout the entire shaft with incombustible material when more than one elevator is used the entire group may be contained within one enclosure

Section 4003 Shafts and Ducts All other vertical openings shall be enclosed as called for in Part IV on classifications

Section 4004 Fire Towers Tower fire escapes shall be provided in accordance with Section 4013 and shall be separated from the building by and completely enclosed with walls not less than 8 inches in thickness of brick or such other solid fireproof materials as shall be accepted by the Bureau The said walls in buildings other than of the First or Intermediate Classes shall be built solidly from the foundation to and at least thirty-six inches above the roof

The roof of said tower shall be built of hard incombustible materials

The stairs of said tower may be of wood but in all cases there must be provided stone or iron thresholds iron frames or wood frames covered with metal and iron doors or wood doors covered with tin The rise of said stairs shall not be more than eight (8) inches and the tread not less than nine (9) inches exclusive of any nosing

The entrance to said tower shall be by means of an outside balcony or an incombustible vestibule of which one side shall be entirely open and extend from the top of floor to under side of ceiling and the full width of the tower The said open side to face a street or such space as provides for exit of said tower There shall be a brick wall or other wall of hard incombustible material separating the tower from the vestibule The opening into tower from said vestibule shall be not over seven (7) feet in height The floor ceiling and sides of said vestibule shall be of hard incombustible material

The rails inclosing the side facing the open space or street shall be not over four (4) feet high and not less than three (3) feet and may be open or inclosed

The entrance to the tower from the building shall be through the vestibule

Towers that have not the fireproof vestibule shall have outside balconies the floors of which shall be built of solid hard incombustible material and be of sufficient strength to carry the imposed loads

The rails around the balconies shall be not over four (4) feet in height nor less than three (3) feet and may be inclosed or open

Not more than one half the fire towers may be stopped at the second floor and metal fire escapes with drop ladders acceptable to the Chief provided from the second floor to the grounds No fire tower shall extend below the street level and in no case to a cellar or basement

If locks are placed on any door of a fire tower they shall be of the type known as panic bolts

Section 4005 Horizontal Exits A horizontal exit shall be considered as a protected opening through a fire wall to another area provided with legal exits or a bridge to another building provided with legal exits When two buildings or two areas of one building are connected by means of horizontal exits then the other exit facilitation called for for each or both may be reduced by one third

Section 4006 Cellars and Basements The exits from a cellar or a basement or other story below shall in no case be less than two

Section 4007 Roofs One half the fire towers and not less than one shall serve the roof of a building unless the roof is occupied in which case it shall count as a floor

Section 4008 Area The word area used in this part of the Code shall be defined as Floor Area in the chapter on Definitions

Section 4009 Office Buildings and Schools Buildings of the First Class or intermediate Classes used for office purpose occupancies above the first floor and school buildings of First Class construction need not require a fire tower Enclosed stairs shall be provided one when the area of any floor above the second is five thousand square feet or less and two for areas greater than five thousand square feet Partitions between corridors and stairs may be metal with glazed windows

Section 4010 Public Assembly For any building or portion therof coming under Group B there shall be provided one fire tower for every seventy-five hundred (7500) square feet of area so used

Section 4011 Ramp Fire Towers Ramp fire towers may be substituted for the stair type of fire towers in buildings under Group C The width of the ramp and its grade shall be acceptable to the Chief

Section 4012 Special Fire Towers The Chief is permitted to approve the use of double fire towers of the scissors type or stairs of greater width than four feet These may be considered as reducing the requirements hereinafter stated in such manner as the Chief shall direct provided the doors balconies and other details are in his opinion sufficient

Section 4013 Fire Tower Requirements All buildings other than as noted above shall have fire towers as required below in addition to the main stairs or other exits

First and Intermediate Class of Construction

One Fire Tower

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	25,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	20,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	15,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	12,000
Stories	7	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	10,000
Stories	8	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	9,000
Stories	9	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	8,000
Stories	10	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	7,500
Stories	11	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	7,000
Stories	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	6,500
over	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet	65,000

Two Fire Towers

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	50,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	40,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	30,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	25,000
Stories	7	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	22,000
Stories	8	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	20,000
Stories	9	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	18,000
Stories	10	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	17,000
Stories	11	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	16,000
Stories	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000
Over	12	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000

Second and Third Class Buildings

One Fire Tower

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	10,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	6,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	4,500
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	3,500

Two Fire Towers

Stories	3	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	15,000
Stories	4	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	12,000
Stories	5	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	10,000
Stories	6	maximum	area	per	floor	in square feet....	8,000

Section 4014 Chief to approve The Chief shall determine what additional fire towers are needed for areas greater than the above

The location of fire towers shall be as required by the Chief

Section 4015 Sprinkler For buildings of Human Occupancy which are sprinkled in areas given in Section may be increased ten percent

Section 4016 Enclosed Passages An enclosed passage with walls similar to the fire tower and with floors and ceilings fireproofed may connect a fire tower to the outside but there shall be no opening into it other than at the fire tower and the street and it shall not be longer than fifty feet

Section 4017 Exit Doors The exit doors from all places of public assembly and from all buildings covered by this part of the Code shall open outwardly

PART VI PLACES OF AMUSEMENT

CHAPTER 41 Theatres and other Places of Amusement

Section 4100 Application of chapter Every building hereafter erected or altered and designed to be used as a public theatre opera house or other building intended for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainment of any kind where stage scenery and apparatus are employed shall be built to comply with the requirements of this chapter but all theatres or places of amusement now existing may be altered providing such alteration does not amount to a virtual reconstruction thereof so as to make it a new building No building which is not in actual use January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty for theatrical or operatic purposes and no building hereafter erected not in conformity with the requirements of this chapter shall be used for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainments of any kind where stage scenery and apparatus are employed until the same shall have been made to conform to the requirements of this chapter

Section 4101 Exceptions None of the provisions of this chapter shall apply to any hall club place of worship or other place not devoted to the business of such public entertainments so as to prohibit the giving of a single or occasional theatrical vaudeville or operatic performance therein if a permit for each such entertainment shall first be obtained from the proper licensing authorities of such cities

Section 4102 Drawings Before proceeding with the erection or aleration of any building to be used for theatrical or operatic purposes the owner or his agent shall submit for approval to the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection detailed drawings showing the size of the auditorium balconies galleries foyers lobbies boxes loges courts passages corridors and stairs the size location and number of exits the number width and length of all aisles the number and width of all seats with the distance between rows back to back and their arrangement and complete details of the curtain and its lifting mechanism Such owner or his agent shall also submit to both the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief of the Bureau of Fire for their approval detailed drawings showing the location of the standpipes and the size and number thereof the number and character of hose outlets the location size and arrangement of piping the location and spacing of sprinklers valves alarms and Fire Department couplings and the character of interior water supply from tank or city mains

Section 4103 Approval No building described in Section 4100 of this chapter shall be opened to the public for theatrical or operatic purposes or for public entertainments of any kind where stage scenery or apparatus are employed until the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively shall have approved the same in writing as conforming to the requirements of this chapter and the mayors of the said cities shall refuse to issue any license for any such building and shall close the same and prevent its opening until a certificate in writing of such approval shall have been given by the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively

Section 4104 Type of construction Every such building hereafter erected shall be of First Class Type A Construction

Means of Egress

Section 4105 Frontage and street exits Every theatre accommodating three hundred (300) persons shall have at least

two exits When accommodating five hundred (500) persons at least three exits shall be provided these exits not referring to or including the exits to the open court at the sides of the theatre

Every such building shall have at least one front on the street which shall be as wide as the widest part of the auditorium or assembly hall and in such front there shall be suitable means of entrance and exit for the audience unless there shall also be a way or passage leading directly from the auditorium to another street in which case the means of entrance and exit by such way or passage shall be taken into consideration and to such extent as they shall furnish entrances and exits and if they shall be of sufficient width to meet the requirements of this chapter there need be no means of entrance or exit in front saving by the side courts hereafter stipulated for Any building located on a street having a width thereon as wide as the widest part of the auditorium or assembly hall shall be considered as having a front on said street within the meaning of this chapter if in addition thereto there shall be a way or passage leading from said theatre to another street which way or passage shall be of a width not less than twenty-five (25) feet in the clear

The entrance of the main front of the building shall not be on a higher or lower level from the sidewalk than four steps unless approved by the Bureau

Each exit shall be at least five (5) feet in width in the clear and provided with doors of incombustible material All of said doors shall open outwardly and must be fastened with panic bolts

Section 4106 Exits to courts In addition to the aforesaid entrances and exits on the street there shall be reserved for service in case of an emergency an open court or space on each side of the auditorium not bordering on a street

The unobstructed clear width of every such open court or space shall be not less than eight (8) feet where the total number of persons to be accommodated in the auditorium is not over seven hundred (700) increasing proportionatly in width above eight (8) feet in the ratio of one foot for every five hundred (500) persons above seven hundred (700) to be accommodated

Every such open court or space shall extend from each and every exit required to lead thereto to a street or open public space and opening thereon either directly or through a corridor or passageway of fireproof construction not less than ten (10) feet high in the clear having an unobstructed clear width equal to that required for the open court or space and seperated completely by solid walls floors and ceilings from the building or structure through which it passes provided that no such corridor or passageway shall pass under any portion of the auditorium or stage

Any open court or space may be used in common for two or more auditoriums provided the unobstructed clear width of such open court or space is equal to that required for the total number of persons to be accommodated in all the auditoriums opening on the same

If there be in addition to the front on a street a way or passage of the width aforesaid leading into another street then it will be sufficient if said open court or courts shall extend along the auditorium on each side thereof to said front on said street on which the theatre shall be located

Said courts or corridors shall have no projection in the same the outer openings to be provided with doors or gates opening toward the street

From the auditorium opening into the said open courts or on a street there shall not be less than two exits on each side in each tier from and including the parquet and each and every gallery

The said open courts and corridors shall not be used for storage purposes or for any purpose whatsoever except for exit and entrance from and to the auditorium and stage and must be kept free and clear during performances

Section 4107 Exit doorways Doorways of exit or entrance for use of the people shall not be less than five (5) feet in width and there shall be five (5) doorways for the first five hundred (500) persons and an additional five (5) foot doorway for each two hundred (200) persons or portion thereof thereafter

These doorways of exit and of entrance may be in the said front altogether or in the case of a theatre having also an exit and entrance directly to and from another street through a way or passage covered or otherwise of a width not less than twenty-five (25) feet in the clear some of the said doorways may be made therein to such extent as said entrance or passage will accommodate the same

All doors of exit or entrance shall open outwardly and be hung to swing in such manner as not to become an obstruction in a passage or corridor and no such doors shall be locked from the inside during any presentation or when the building is open to the public

Section 4108 Foyers lobbies and corridors The aggregate capacity of the foyers lobbies corridors passages and rooms for the use of the audience not including aisle space between seats shall on each floor or gallery be sufficient to contain the entire number to be accommodated on said floor or gallery in the ratio of one hundred and fifty (150) square feet of floor room for every one hundred (100) persons

The level of said corridors at the front entrance to the building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk where they being at the street entrance

Section 4109 Aisles All aisles on the respective floors in the auditorium having seats on both sides of same shall not be less than three (3) feet wide where they begin and shall be increased in width towards the exits in the ratio of one and one-half (1½) inches to five (5) running feet Aisles having seats on one side only shall not be less than two (2) feet wide at their beginning and increased in width the same as aisles having seats on both sides Theatres having three (3) exits to the side courts on each side shall have a cross-over aisle five (5) feet wide connecting the two (2) central exits

Section 4110 Gradients To overcome any slight difference of level in or between courts corridors lobbies passages and aisles gradients or inclined planes shall be employed instead of steps where possible Such gradients shall be not over one (1) foot in ten (10) feet with no perpendicular rise

Section 4111 Gallery exits Distinct and separate places of exit and entrance shall be provided for each gallery above the first A common place of exit and entrance may serve for the main floor of the auditorium and the first gallery provided its capacity be equal to the aggregate capacity of the outlets from the main floor and said gallery No passage leading to any stairway communicating with any entrance or exit shall be less than four (4) feet in width in any part thereof

From the auditorium opening into the said open courts or on the side street there shall be not less than two (2) exits on each side in each tier from and including the parquet and each and every gallery

Section 4112 Staircases in galleries Where the seating capacity is for more than one thousand (1000) people there shall be at least two (2) independent staircases with direct exterior outlets provided for each gallery in the auditorium where there are not more than two (2) galleries and the same shall be located on opposite sides of said galleries Where there are more than two (2) galleries one (1) or more additional staircases shall be provided the outlets from which shall communicate directly with the principal exit or other exterior outlets All said staircases shall be of width proportioned to the seating capacity as elsewhere herein described Where the seating capacity is for one thousand (1000) people or less two (2) direct lines of staircases only shall be required located on opposite sides of the galleries and in both cases shall extend from the sidewalk level to the upper gallery wth outlets for each gallery to each of said staircases Stairs leading to the galleries may be left open on one side in which case they shall be constructed as provided for similar stairs leading from the entrance hall to the main floor of the auditorium No door shall open immediately upon a flight of stairs but a landing at least the width of the door shall be provided between such stairs and door

Section 4113 Stage stairways At least two (2) independent staircases with direct exterior outlets shall also be provided for the service of the stage but they shall not both be located on the same side of the stage

Section 4114 Stairways All stairs within the building shall be constructed of incombustible material throughout and the openings to said staircases from each tier shall be of the full width of the stairs In the case of enclosed stairways from balconies or galleries such stairways shall not communicate

with the basement or cellar All stairs shall have treads of uniform width and risers of uniform height throughout in each flight Stairways serving for the exit of fifty (50) people shall be at least four (4) feet wide between railings or between walls and for every additional fifty (50) people to be accommodated six (6) inches must be added to their width The width of all stairs shall be measured in the clear between hand rails In no case shall the risers of any stairs exceed seven and one-half (7½) inches in height nor shall the treads exclusive of nosings be less than ten and one-half (10½) inches wide in straight stairs No circular or winding stairs for the use of the public shall be permitted When straight stairs return directly on themselves a landing of the full width of both flights without steps shall be provided Stairs turning at an angle shall have a proper landing without winders introduced at said turn

In stairs when two (2) side flights connect with one (1) main flight no winders shall be introduced and the width of the main flight shall be at least equal to the aggregate width of the side flights All stairs shall have proper landings introduced at convenient distances

Section 4115 Stairway handrails All inclosed staircases shall have on both sides strong handrails firmly secured to the wall about three (3) inches distant therefrom and about three (3) feet above the stairs but said handrails shall not run on level platforms and landings where the same is more in length than the width of the stairs All staircases eight (8) feet and over in width shall be provided with a centre handrail of hard wood or metal not less than two (2) inches in diameter placed at a height of about three (3) feet above the centre of the treads and supported on wrought-iron or brass standards of sufficient strength placed not farther than four (4) feet apart and securely bolted to the treads or risers of stairs or both

Section 4116 Fire-escapes In the said open court or courts there shall be balconies at each level or tier above the parquet on each side of the auditorium of sufficient length to embrace the two (2) exits and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over eight and one-half (8½) inches to a step and not less than nine (9) inches tread exclusive of the nosing

Said balconies shall be not less than four (4) feet in width where the seating capacity is not over one thousand (1000) five (5) feet in width where the seating capacity is more than one thousand (1000) and not over fifteen hundred (1500) and six (6) feet in width where the seating capacity is over fifteen hundred (1500)

If the said balconies be carried to and connect with an enclosed tower stairway having its exit directly to the street the open courts or corridors hereinbefore described may have deducted from their width the capacity of the staircases herein called for

Every staircase from the galleries and balconies to the court level shall be of the same width as the balcony directly above such staircase and as before mentioned in this section

All the before-mentioned balconies and staircases shall be constructed of iron throughout including the floors which shall be of solid safety tread and of ample strength to sustain the load to be carried by them and they shall be covered with a metal hood or awning to be constructed as shall be directed by the Bureau

Section 4117 Auditorium walls Interior walls built of fireproof materials shall separate the auditorium from the entrance vestibule and from any room or rooms of the same also from any lobbies corridors refreshment or other rooms

Section 4118 Roof and floors of auditorium The roof over the auditorium and the entire main floor of the auditorium and vestibule also the entire floor of the second story of the front superstructure over the entrance lobby and corridors and all galleries and supports for the same in the auditorium shall be constructed of iron or steel and fireproof materials not excluding the use of wooden floor boards and necessary sleepers to fasten the same to but such sleepers shall not mean timbers of support and by the spaces between sleepers excepting a portion under the stepping in the galleries which shall be properly fire stopped shall be solidly filled with incombustible material up to the under side of the floor boards

Section 4119 Partitions and Walls The partitions in that portion of the building which contains the auditorium the entrance and vestibule and every room and passage devoted to the use of the audience shall be constructed of fireproof materials prescribed in Chapter 23 including the furring of outside or other walls The walls separating the actors' dressing rooms together with the partitions dividing the dressing-rooms from the stage and the partitions dividing the dressing rooms together with the partitions of every passageway from the same to the stage and all other partitions on or about the stage shall be constructed of fireproof material prescribed in Chapter 23 All doors in any of said partitions shall be of iron or of wood constructed as hereinbefore described

Section 4120 Proscenium construction A fire wall of solid masonry exceptable to the bureau shall separate the auditorium from the stage and the same shall extend at least four (4) feet above the stage roof or the auditorium roof if the latter be higher and shall be coped If such wall is of the self-supporting bearing type it shall be not less than thirteen (13) inches in thickness if of the standard type supported on a steel frame it shall be not less than nine (9) inches thick Such wall shall not be recessed more than four (4) inches for the introduction of such fixtures as electric switches etc Above the proscenium opening there shall be an iron girder covered with fireproof materials to protect it from the heat The molded frame around the proscenium opening shall be formed entirely of fireproof materials if metal be used the metal shall be filled in solid with non-combustible material and securely anchored to the wall with iron

There shall be no opening through the proscenium wall except the curtain opening and not more than four others which shall be located at or below the level of the stage These latter openings shall not exceed twenty-one (21) superficial feet each and have iron or standard fire doors in each face of the wall securely hung to rabbeted iron frames or rabbets in the brick work or made to slide on track of heavy flat-rolled steel They shall be hung so as to be opened from either side at all times Direct access to these doors shall be provided on both sides and the doorways and approaches shall always be kept free from any incumbrance

Should there be constructed an orchestra over the stage above the proscenium opening the said orchestra shall be placed on the auditorium side of the proscenium fire wall and shall be entered only from the auditorium side of said wall

Section 4121 Fireproof curtain 1 General requirements The proscenium opening shall be provided with a curtain made of incombustible materials and installed to lap the masonry opening not less than eighteen (18) inches on each side and two (2) feet at the top and to intercept flame and smoke and prevent glow from a severe fire on the stage from showing on the auditorium side for a sufficient length of time to permit the safe exit of all persons from the auditorium The period of protection shall be taken as not less than fifteen minues The emergency closing of the curtain in case of fire shall be effected by gravity in less than one minute from the full open position but the last six (6) feet of travel shall require not less than five (5) seconds

2 General design of frame The curtain shall have a rigid framework of steel covered with asbestos cloth on both the auditorium and stage sides

The curtain shall in no case have a thickness of less than five (5) inches nor less than 1/120 of its span

The framework shall have interior members of tubes structural shapes bars or rods of steel The horizontal members to be spaced not more than eight (8) feet apart and the vertical members not more than ten (10) feet apart

The bottom of the curtain shall have a yielding pad of incombustible material not less than three (3) inches thick to form a seal against the floor

3 Covering Both the auditorium and stage sides of the framework shall be covered with a brass wire reinforced close-woven asbestos cloth The cloth shall have a content of ninety five (95) per cent asbestos and shall weigh not less than three (3) pounds per square yard All strips shall be in one continuous length the full height of the curtain the strips of cloth shall be lapped not less than one inch and sewed with two lines of stitching of asbestos thread which shall be of the same or greater strength than the yarns of the cloth

The asbestos cloth covering shall be secured by a clamping strip of 1¼x5/16 half oval iron bolted eight (8) inches on centers to the outside members of the frame

4 Painting The asbestos cloth on both sides of the curtain shall after erection be painted with a mineral paint composed of four (4) parts of casein to ten (10) parts of concentrated solution of sodium silicate to which may be added twenty

(20) parts of plaster. The paint shall be applied hot and be well brushed into the cloth

5 Curtain Guides The curtain shall be guided throughout its travel by rigid steel guides These guides shall be built integral with the smoke pockets and shall extend from the stage level to a height of twice the height of the proscenium opening plus five (5) feet The smoke pocket shall be not less than a nine (9) inch channel and a fourteen by a quarter 14 x ¼) inch steel plate or equivalent section Such guides and smoke pockets shall be securely bolted in place every four (4) feet to approved anchors built into wall or ¾ inch bolts through the wall and designed to form a stop between the curtain and the wall to prevent smoke and flame from passing around the edges of the curtain

6 Lifting Cables and Rigging The curtain shall be hung on steel lifting cables one at each end and one at intermediate points not over ten (10) feet apart These cables shall be ½ inch in diameter and shall be attached to drums twenty (20) inches in diameter which are keyed fast to a heavy rolled operating shaft

The operating shaft shall run in machined and self-lubricating journals one on each side of each drum and one at each end

The journals shall rest in substantial fireproof supports

The curtain shall be balanced by two counterweights only to such an extent that when released it shall descend by gravity Each counterweight shall be supported by two lifting cables of one-half inch diameter which shall be attached to drums keyed fast to operating shaft Counterweight frame to be made with top and bottom weights connected with one-inch tie rods to receive counterweight Counterweights to operate on 2½ x 2½ x ⅝ inch tee bar tracks secured to proscenium wall by 2½ x ⅜ inch "U" brackets Each bracket is to be double-bolted to wall Counterweight guides to be set on the stage floor and continue for the full travel of the counterweight frame plus five (5) feet The counterweight tracks at the stage floor shall be enclosed with a sheet metal guard of number 16 metal to a height of eight (8) feet above the stage floor

7 Operating Equipment The curtain shall be normally operated at least once during each performance

The normal operation of the curtain is to be the raising and lowering electrically from one station by ⅜ inch steel tiller cable controlling operating switch and shall be equipped with travel and over-travel limit stops The emergency lowering of the curtain shall be by gravity obtained by under balancing the curtain with reference to the counterweight

Emergency control stations shall be located at each side of the proscenium opening of the stage floor and there shall be at least three quick-acting heat-operated release devices for automatically closing the curtain

For checking the automatic lowering of the curtain an oil dash pot of five-inch diameter cylinder machine bored and fitted with plunger and rod with a sixteen-inch sheave on top of rod with necessary cable for checking the curtain six (6) feet above the floor and then allowing curtain to lower slowly and settle easily on the stage floor

8 Hoisting Machine The hoisting machine to be of simple design and positive in operation to be connected by roller chain and sprockets keyed fast to operating shaft Machine to have machine-cut gears with bronze worm and steel worm direct-connected to a three (3) horsepower electric motor All gears and worms to be enclosed in self-lubricating housings all mounted on a single base plate

9 Approval of Plans and Installations Complete details of a proposed curtain and lifting mechanism shall be submitted to the Bureau and approval obtained before the installation or erection of any proscenium curtain is begun The completed installation shall be similarly approved after operating tests before any theatre is opened for public performances

Section 4122 Stage 1 Construction All that portion of the stage not comprised in the working of scenery traps and other mechanical apparatus for the presentation of a scene usually equal to the width of the proscenium opening shall be built of iron or steel beams filled in between with fireproof materials and all girders for the support of said beams shall be wrought iron or rolled steel The fly galleries entire including pin-rails shall be constructed of iron or steel and the floors of said galleries shall be composed of iron or steel beams filled with fireproof materials and no wood boards or sleepers shall be used as a covering over beams but the said floors shall be entirely fireproof The rigging loft shall be fireproof except the floor covering the same

Iron ladders or stairs securely fixed to the wall on the stage side shall be provided to overcome any difference of level existing between the floor or galleries on the stage side of the fire wall and those on the other side in the auditorium

2 Skylights There shall be provided over the stage metal skylights of an area or a combined area of at least one-eighth of the area of the said stage fitted up with sliding sash and glazed with double thick sheet glass not exceeding one-eighth of an inch thick and each pane thereof measuring not less than three hundred square inches and the whole of which skylights shall be so constructed as to open instantly on the cutting or burning of a hempen cord which shall be arranged to hold said skylights closed or some other equally simple approved device for opening them may be provided There shall be provided immediately under the glass of said skylight a wire netting or the skylight may be glazed with wire-glass.

3 Scenery and fittings All stage scenery curtains and decorations made of combustible material and all wood-work on or about the stage shall be saturated with some non-combustible material or otherwise rendered safe against fire to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal and all such stage scenery shall be raised and lowered without the use of counterweights unless such counterweights are so situated that they operate against the wall and do not overhang the stage

Section 4123 Dressing rooms Dressing rooms may be placed in the fly galleries Provided that proper exits are secured therefrom to the fire-escapes in the open courts and that the partitions and other matters pertaining to dressing-rooms shall conform to the requirements herein contained but the stairs leading to the same shall be non-combustible

Dressing rooms shall not be placed under the stage or in or under the auditorium The walls separating the dressing rooms from the stage shall be of solid masonry not less than nine (9) inches in thickness and each opening therein shall be protected with approved automatic-closing fire-doors

Section 4124 Seats All seats in the auditorium excepting those contained in the boxes shall be not less than thirty (30) inches from back to back measured in a horizontal direction and firmly secured to the floor There shall be not more than fourteen (14) seats in any row extending from one aisle to another nor more than seven (7) seats in any row extending from one aisle to a wall No stool or seat shall be placed in any aisle All platforms in galleries formed to receive the seats shall not be more than twenty-one (21) inches in height of riser nor less than thirty (30) inches in width of platform

Section 4125 Heating The heating shall be by means of steam hot water or mechanical hot air Heating apparatus shall be in an approved fireproof room with walls and ceiling constructed of solid masonry not less than nine inches in thickness with entrances to same from the outside Steam or hot water pipes and hot air ducts are not to pierce ceiling Pipes when passing through side walls are to be filled in tight with non-combustible material Air ducts to be filled in tight with non-combustible material and be provided with automatic fire doors or approved automatic louvers of metal plate of not less than twelve U S gauge at wall line

Every steam boiler which may be required for heating or other purposes shall be located outside the building and the space allotted to the same shall be enclosed by walls of masonry on all sides and the ceiling of such space shall be constructed of fireproof materials All doorways in said walls shall have iron doors No coil or radiator shall be placed in any aisle or passageway used as an exit where it forms an obstruction but all said coils and radiators shall be placed in recesses formed in the wall or partition to receive the same All supply return or exhaust pipes shall be properly encased and protected where passing through floors or near woodwork

Section 4126 Lighting 1 Every building described in section 4100 of this chapter shall be lighted throughout by an approved system of incandescent electric lights In addition to the regular lighting system there shall be provided an approved system of emergency lighting to operate automatically on failure of the current

2 Adequacy Every portion of the building devoted to the use or accommodation of the public also all outlets leading to the streets and including the open courts

and corridors shall be well and properly lighted during every performance and the same shall remain lighted until the entire audience has left the premises.

3 Lights in stairs and corridors All lights in the hall corriders lobby or any other part of the said building used by the audience except the auditorimum must be controlled by a separate shut-off located in the lobby and controlled only in that particular place

4 Fireproofing No light shall be inserted in the walls woodwork ceilings or in any part of the building unless protected by incombustibile materials

5 Stage lights All stage lights shall be installed according to the best known methods and subject to the approval of the Bureau of Fire The trough containing the footlights shall be formed of and surrounded by incombustible materials

6 Border lights The vertical border lights at the proscenium opening shall be located inside the asbestos curtain and in substantial metal receptables and shall be permanently fixed in position Hinged or movable border lights will not be allowed under any circumstances and the receptacle for the border lights shall be absolutely clear in every way from any possible contact with the curtain

Section 4127 Fire extinguishing appliances In every building described in section 4100 of this chapter there shall be provided

1 Standpipes Standpipes of four-inch internal diameter or larger shall be provided with two and one-half (2½) inch hose valves and standard City Fire Department couplings on every floor and gallery as follows namely One or more on each side of the auditorium in each tier also one on each side of the stage in each tier and in the corridors or passageways leading to the dressing rooms property room music rooms storage rooms carpenter and paint shops basements used for mercantile purposes and such other sections as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire who at his discretion may permit a reduction in the pipe size of branch lines supplying single hose outlets in small rooms or passages All such standpipes shall be kept clear of obstructions

2 Hose A proper and sufficient quantity of one and one-half (1½) inch unlined linen hose fitted with a reducer having a two and one-half (2½) inch standard City Fire Department female coupling on one end and a one and one-half (1½) inch male screw coupling on the other and with hose-nozzles of one-half (½) inch diameter attached thereto and with hose spanners at each outlet shall be kept attached in readiness for immediate use at all times The length of hose shall be sufficient to furnish streams of water at all portions of the building but in no case shall it exceed fifty (50) feet in length

3 Hose cabinets Hose cabinets shall be provided with glass front doors so that the hose will be plainly visible at all times

4 Water supply The water supply shall be from a tank of five thousand (5,000) gallons net capacity or more as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire at an elevation of twenty (20) feet above the stage roof The tank and its pipe connections for filling heating and draining shall be constructed and fitted in accordance with the standard regulations of the Philadelphia Fire Underwriters' Association and Associated Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Companies

5 Tank A single tank may be used for supply to both hose and sprinkler system provided its capacity is sufficient to meet the specific requirements in each case and the pipe connections are so arranged that an ample reserve supply is maintained for the sprinkler system at all times

Where the city water supply is sufficient to furnish not less than twenty-five (25) pounds pressure at the upper hose outlets at all times a four (4) inch connection with city mains may be substituted for the elevated tank at the discretion of the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

6 Standpipe connection A Siamese Fire Department connection shall be provided on the front wall of building with female couplings of standard City Fire Department size and construction so that connections can be made to the standpipe systems with City Fire Department hose and water supply either from city fire engine or high pressure hydrant and to be clearly marked "Standpipe Connection"

7 Valves A gate valve of outside screw and yoke pattern shall be provided at an accessible location inside the building to control the water supply to standpipe system either from tank or city mains Horizontal swing check valves shall be provided in all tank and city connections and in the Siamese Fire Department connection

8 Fittings Fittings in the main water connections shall be of the long turn patterns and pipe hangers and supports shall be of substantial type well secured

9 Test At the time of installation standpipe systems shall be tested and proved tight at a hydrostatic pressure at least twenty-five per cent in excess of the highest normal working pressure to which they will be subjected Test to be for a two-hour period and pressure taken at the base of the system Concealed piping to be tested before being covered in

10 Automatic sprinklers A separate and distinct system of automatic sprinklers not connected in any manner with the hose standpipe system (Except that the water supply may be taken from an elevated tank of sufficient capacity for both systems provided it meets the specific requirements and the pipe connections are so arranged that an ample reserve supply is maintained for the sprinkler system at all times) shall be installed throughout all portions of the stage section of the building including the roof of stage under gridiron or rigging loft fly galleries under stage in dressing rooms property rooms music rooms storage rooms carpenter and paint shops store basements basements occupied for restaurant purposes and such other sections as may be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

11 Water supply for sprinklers The water supply shall be from a tank of five thousand (5,000) gallons net capacity or more as may be directed by the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire at an elevation of twenty (20) feet above the upper lines of sprinklers in the stage roof section

Where the city water supply is sufficient to furnish not less than fifteeen (15) pounds pressure at the upper lines of sprinklers at all times a connection of approved size with city mains may be substituted for the elevated tank at the discretion of the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

12 Sprinkler connection A Siamese Fire Department connection shall be provided on front walls of building with female couplings of standard city Fire Department size and construction so that connection can be made to the sprinkler system with city Fire Department hose and water supply either from city fire engine or high pressure hydrant and to be clearly marked "Automatic Sprinklers"

13 Valves A gate valve of the outside screw and yoke pattern shall be provided at an accessible location inside the building to control the water supply to sprinkler system either from tank or city mains Horizontal swing check valves shall be provided in all tank and city connections and in the Siamese Fire Department connection

14 Alarm Valve and Gong A water flow alarm valve and gong shall be provided on outside of building to give notice of fire

15 Approval The entire equipment including tank tank connections the size of distributing pipes the manner of erection spacing of sprinklers sprinkler heads sprinkler alarm valves sprinkler gongs gate and check valves shall be of types approved by the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer Bureau of Fire

16 Definition Sprinkler systems as mentioned in this chapter except as may be otherwise prescribed by the Bureau of Building Inspection must be systems of automatic sprinklers which conform to the standard regulations of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire

17 Test At the time of installation automatic sprinkler systems shall be tested and proved tight at a hydrostatic pressure of one hundred and fifty (150) pounds per square inch Duration of test to be for a two hour period and pressure taken at the base of system Concealed piping to be tested before being covered in

18 Miscellaneous There shall also be kept in readiness for immediate use on the stage at least four (4) chemical fuel fire extinguishers of two and one-half (2½) gallons capacity and at least four axes and two twenty-five (25) foot hooks two fifteen (15) foot hooks and two ten (10) foot hooks on each tier or floor of the stage

19 Control The entire lighting system and all apparatus for extinguishing of fire or guarding against same as in this chapter specified shall be in charge and under the control of the Bureau of Fire Department of Public Safety and said Department is hereby directed to see that the arrangements in respect thereto are carried out and enforced

and Council may by ordinance fix a reasonable compensation for such services

Section 4128 Miscellaneous Requirements 1 Ceilings The ceiling of the auditorium and under each gallery shall be formed of fireproof materials

2 Wall and Ceiling Coverings None of the walls or ceilings shall be covered with wood sheathing canvas or any other combustible material but this shall not exclude the use of wood wainscoting to a height not to exceed six (6) feet which shall be filled in solid between the wainscoting and the wall with fireproof materials

3 Fronts of Galleries The front of each gallery shall be formed of fireproof materials excepting the capping which may be made of wood

4 Lathing All lathing wherever used shall be of metal or other incombustible construction affording fire protection

5 Shelving and Cupboards All shelving and cupboards in each and every dressing room property room or storage room shall be constructed of metal slate or some other incombustible material

Section 4129 Offices Stores Etc Any portion or portions of the premises bordering on a main street may be used for offices stores or rooms for similar purposes Provided the walls ceilings and floors separating such portion or portions from the theatre proper are built or constructed of such fireproof material as shall be approved by the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Fire Marshal and that the portion or portions so used for offices stores or rooms for similar purposes with the theatre proper and also that a fireproof exit is provided from the theatre on each tier equal to the combined width of exits opening on opposite sides in each tier communicating with balconies and staircases leading to the street and in a manner provided elsewhere in this chapter

Said exit passages shall be entirely cut off by brick walls from said offices stores or apartments and the floors and ceilings in each tier shall be fireproof

Section 4130 Storage Rooms Workshops Etc No workshop storage or general property room shall be allowed above the auditorium or under the same or in any of the fly galleries

Section 4131 Use and Occupancy Restriction (a) No portion of any building hereafter erected or altered used or intended to be used for theatrical or other purposes as in this chapter specified shall be used or occupied as a factory workshop or manufactory or for storage purposes except as may be herein specifically provided for Said restriction as relates not only to that portion of the building which contains the auditorium and the stage but applies also to the entire structure in connection therewith

(b) No store or room contained in the building as aforesaid shall be let or used for carrying on any business dealings until such occupancy has been approved and so certified by the Fire Marshal of such city of the First class

(c) No lodging accommodations shall be allowed in any part of the building communicating with the theatre section

(d) When human occupancy is contemplated the theatre section shall be separated from the balance of the structure both horizontally and vertically by unpierced walls and ceiling and floor slabs of approved solid masonry or reinforced concrete not less than nine (9) inches in thickness and such portion used or intended to be used for human occupancy shall have sufficient means of entrance and exit entirely separate and distinct from those for the theatre portion

Section 4132 Diagram of exits A diagram or plan of each tier gallery or floor showing distinctly the exits therefrom each occupying a space not less than fifteen (15) square inches shall be printed in a legible manner on the program of the performance Every exit shall have over the same on the inside the word "EXIT" painted in legible letters not less than eight (8) inches high

Section 4133 Saving clause It shall be within the power of the Mayor after full report from the Department of Public Safety to cause the closing up of any theatre opera house or public hall where in the judgment of the Mayor and the Department of Public Safety the ingress and egress are not reasonably safe for the safe and speedy exit of the audience in case of fire or panic

CHAPTER 42 Motion Picture Buildings

Section 4200 Application of chapter Every building hereafter erected or altered and designed to be used for the public exhibition of motion pictures with or without synchronized reproduction of sound shall be built or altered to comply with the requirements of this chapter but any building which is in actual use at the time of the passage of this act for the exhibition of motion pictures may be altered provided such alteration does not amount to a virtual reconstruction thereof so as to make it a new building No building which at the time of the passage of this act is not in actual use for motion picture exhibitions and no building hereafter erected or altered shall be used for motion picture purposes unless it conforms to the requirements of this chapter

Section 4201 Exceptions None of the provisions of this chapter shall apply to any hall club place of worship or other place not devoted to the exhibition of motion pictures so as to prohibit the giving of a single or occasional motion picture exhibition therein if a permit for each such exhibition shall first be obtained from the proper licensing authorities of such cities

Section 4202 Approval No building described in section 4200 of this chapter not in actual use for such purposes at the time of the passage of this act shall be open to the public for the exhibition of motion pictures until the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Bureau of Fire respectively shall have approved the same in writing as conforming to the requirements of this chapter and the mayors of the said cities shall refuse to issue any license for any such building and shall close the same and prevent its opening until a certificate in writing of such approval shall have been given by the Bureau of Building Inspection the Bureau of Fire and the Fire Marshal respectively

Section 4203 Drawings Before proceeding with the erection or alteration of any building to be used for the exhibition of motion pictures the owner or his agent shall submit for approval to the Chief drawings as required in section 303 of this code Such drawing shall show in detail the size of the auditorium lobbies and courts the size location and number of exits the number width and length of all aisles and the number and width of all seats with the distance between rows back to back and their arrangement

Section 4204 General requirements 1 Auditorium The auditorium in every such building shall be located in the first story only except that the auditorium may be located in the first story and in the first gallery as respects any building of fire proof construction for the exhibition of motion pictures only Provided that the said first gallery shall have a seating capacity of not more than two hundred seats and furthermore provided there shall be two exit stairways not less than five feet in width each leading from the said first gallery of the theatre The number of exits from the main auditorium shall be equal to the requirements for the aggregate capacity of the main floor and shall have in addition two (2) five foot doors for the exits of the galleries and provided that the said building shall be approved by the Bureau of Fire Bureau of Building Inspection and Fire Marshal

2 Lobby There shall be provided in the rear of the seats abutting upon a street a lobby of sufficient size to provide at least one and one-half square feet of lobby room exclusive of the aisle space between seats for every person who may be seated in the building

3 Booth The booth for the moving picture machine shall be constructed of fireproof material with a ventilator extending through the front of the partition Such booth shall be constructed to conform to regulations of the Fire Marshal and shall not be used until approved by him

4 Heating The heating shall be as required in section 4125 of Chapter Forty-one of this code

5 Lighting The lighting shall be as required in section four thousand one hundred twenty-six chapter forty-one of this code All electrical installation throughout the building shall be approved by the Chief of the Electrical Bureau of said cities

Section 4205 Types of construction 1 Every such building covering an area in excess of five thousand (5,000) square feet and or having a seating capacity in excess of five hundred (500) shall be of First Class Type A construction as defined in section 3200 of this code and shall comply in every respect with all the provisions in Chapter forty-one governing the erection of theatres When so erected such building may contain any or all of the structural and equipment features such as stage and scenery dressing rooms balcony and galleries etc

permitted in Chapter forty-one and may contain stores and/or offices as provided in section 4129 and shall be subject to the use and occupancy restrictions prescribed in section 4131

2 Every such building covering an area of five thousand (5,000) square feet or less and or with a seating capacity of five hundred (500) or less need not be of First Class Type A construction but shall comply in its construction with the general requirements of section 4201 of this chapter and in addition with the following special minimum requirements

(a) Construction The building shall be enclosed with solid masonry exceptable to the bureau walls the rear wall to abut on a street or alley or other open space with proper exit therefrom Buildings located upon the corner of two streets may in lieu of one of the rear exits therein provided for have an exit upon the side street providing said street is at least ten feet in width The first floor of such building shall be constructed of iron steel or reinforced concrete filled in with masonry concrete or other fireproof material the said iron or steel to be thoroughly fireproofed and the basement columns to be of fireproof construction The ceiling shall be covered with metal lath plastered with cement or gypsum or shall be other incombustible construction affording fire protection Every such building shall not be over one story in height nor have a balcony between the first floor and the roof There shall be provided a solid masonry exceptable to the Bureau wall separating the auditorium from the platform said wall to continue to a height of at least four (4) feet above the highest point of the roof The platform shall be constructed of fireproof material except that portion equal to the width of the proscenium opening and the depth of the platform All partitions shall be constructed of fireproof material as prescribed in Chapter 23 and firmly secured to the floor and ceiling In the floor construction a wooden top floor may be used if attached to sleepers embedded in cinder concrete

(b) Frontage and Street Exits Every such building shall have at least one front abutting upon the street which front shall be not less than tweny-five (25) feet in width and shall be as wide as the widest part of the auditorium There shall be provided in the street front at least two five-foot exits where the seating capacity is two hundred and fifty (250) or less with two additional rear exits not less than five (5) feet in width and where the seating capacity is more than two hundred and fifty (250) and not more than five hundred (500) there shall be provided in the front at least three five-foot exits with two (2) additional exits in the rear each of which shall be six (6) feet in width Such rear exits shall lead directly to a street or alley not less than ten (10) feet in width The Chief may require additional exits in any case if in his judgment they may be deemed necessary or proper for the safety of the public

(c) Aisles All aisles shall be at least three (3) feet wide at the beginning and shall increase in width toward the exits in the ratio of one and one-half (1½) inches to five (5) running feet Aisles having seats on one side only shall be not less than two (2) feet wide at the beginning and shall increase in width in the above-mentioned ratio

(d) Gradients Gradients shall be used instead of steps wherever possible

(e) Seats All seats shall be placed not less than thirty (30) inches from back to back measured in a horizontal direction and firmly secured to the floor There shall be not more than fourteen (14) seats in any row extending from one aisle to another nor more than seven (7) seats in any row extending from one aisle to a wall No stool or seat shall be placed in any aisle

(f) Curtain The curtain shall be an approved asbestos curtain

(g) Decorations All decorations must be fireproofed and firmly fixed in position The flies or decorative fixtures upon the platform must be fireproofed and firmly fixed to the said platform

(h) Structural and Occupancy Restrictions No dressing room shall be allowed in such buildings The cellar shall not be used for manufacturing purposes or for the storage of materials No portion of any such buildings shall be occupied or used as a dwelling or tenement house apartment house hotel or department store Such restriction shall relate and be applicable not only to the portion containing the auditorium but also to the entire structure or building used for moving picture exhibitions or in connection therewith

Section 4206 Saving Clause It shall be within the power of the Mayor after full report from the Department of Public Safety to cause the closing up of any motion picture building where in the judgment of the Mayor and the Department of Public Safety the ingress and egress are not reasonably safe for the safe and speedy exit of the audience in case of fire or panic

PART VII DWELLINGS ETC

CHAPTER 43 Dwellings and Buildings Similarly Light in Character and Private Garages

Section 4300 Application of Chapter The provisions in this chapter shall be taken to govern the construction and alteration of one and two-family dwellings and other buildings similarly light in character where such structures do not exceed three stories or forty (40) feet in height and do not exceed one thousand five hundred (1500) feet in undivided area to govern the construction and alteration of private garages in connection with such dwellings or otherwise located when such garages do not exceed two (2) stories or twenty-five feet (25) in height and are not greater in area than three car capacity All other buildings and garages than those herein provided for shall conform to the other requirements of the code

Section 4301 Lot and Yard No dwelling house shall be erected on a lot of a less average width than fourteen (14) feet Provided that this limitation shall not apply to lots of less than fourteen (14) feet in width having buildings erected thereon Provided further that a dwelling house may be erected on a lot of less width than fourteen (14) feet and a lot of less width than forty-two (42) feet may be sub-divided into lots of equal width upon which dwelling houses may be erected but no such lot shall be decreased in width to a greater extent than five per centum of fourteen (14) feet This provision shall only apply when the aforesaid lots are bounded by ground having buildings erected thereon at the time of the approval of this act or when bounded on each side by ground belonging to other owners at the time of the approval of this act and every such dwelling shall have an open space attached to it in the rear or at the side equal to at least one hundred and forty-four (144) square feet of clear space unobstructed by any overhanging structure and no portion of any alley shall be counted as a part of such yard space and where a garage is part of a dwelling the one hundred and forty-four (144) square feet of open space may be in the rear of the garage

Section 4302 Building over dwelling yard Where a dwelling property is made vacant for the purpose of building over the required yard space for business purposes the building shall be so altered as to make it unavailable for dwelling purposes excepting that where dwellings are erected on corner lots at the intersection of two streets neither of which is less than twenty (20) feet in width the yard space required for dwellings may be encumbered in whole or in part by structures not exceeding one story or twelve (12) feet in height provided such structures do not diminish the light of any room in the dwelling below that required for tenement houses in Section 12 of Act of the General Assembly No four hundred twenty approved June eleventh one thousand nine hundred fifteen and further provided that every room in such structures also complies with the above provisions

Section 4303 Cellars and requirements in lieu of Cellars In all dwellings hereafter erected the cellars shall extend underneath the whole house and be ventilated from both ends or in lieu of such cellar it shall have a free air space of not less than eighteen (18) inches between the surface of the ground and the underside of the floor joists except that where the floor is of waterproofed masonry construction not less than four (4) inches thick such free air space may be omitted In case of a free air space is provided in lieu of a cellar it shall be drained and there shall be openings in the exterior walls for cross ventilation Such openings shall be screened by heavy galvanized wire mesh screen or closely fitted iron bars or other acceptable substitute so as to prevent the ingress of small animals When cellars are omitted dwellings may be set upon piers or foundation walls which shall extend below the frost line and to a depth required by law and shall have suitable footings to a depth required by law and shall have suitable foot-

ings to keep load distribution within carrying capacity of the soil In low damp or made ground the bottom of all cellars shall be covered with concrete or asphalt at least three (3) inches thick or such material as shall be approved by the Chief Additions of fourteen (14) feet or less to existing dwelling houses with cellars shall not be required to have a cellar provided there is an air space of eighteen (18) inches between the underside of the joists and the ground beneath such additions

Section 4304 Footings and foundation walls In all soils of less than one thousand (1000) pounds per square foot of bearing value suitable piles shall be driven to insure a bearing value sufficient to safely carry the load to be imposed thereon All footings and foundation walls of dwellings and buildings similarly light in character hereafter erected shall conform to the requirements of this code relating to stonework brickwork plain concrete reinforced concrete or solid concrete block and shall start six (6) inches below cellar bottoms All such footings and walls shall be built and all footings shall be laid in cement mortar Foundation walls may be laid in lime mortar machine mixed tempered with ten per cent of hydraulic cement and provided further that foundations supporting concentrated loads shall be laid in cement mortar Where mass concrete is used for footings and foundation walls it shall conform to the requirements for mass concrete given in Section 1103 Reinforced concrete foundation walls shall not be built as partly walls When built of concrete cast in place foundation walls shall be at least as thick as the walls supported but in no case less than ten (10) inches When built of solid concrete block foundation walls shall conform to the requirements for thickness of solid brick walls

Section 4305 Exterior walls above ground story levels All exterior walls of dwellings and other buildings covered by this Chapter otherwise than as may be provided for private garages shall be constructed in accordance with the requirements of the Chapters in this code relating to masonry except that such requirements may be modified as follows

(a) Stone walls Solid walls of stone masonry may be laid in lime mortar when not stressed beyond the limits provided in Section 1403

(b) Solid walls of brick sand-lime brick and concrete brick Such units having an average compressive strength of not less than two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) pounds to the square inch as prescribed in Section 1500 may be used in bearing and non bearing walls but this Section shall not be taken to exclude the use of sound salmon clay brick when such units are not exposed to the weather Solid bearing and non-bearing walls may be nine (9) inches thick when not more than twenty-six (26) feet in height measured from the first floor joist height at the front facing the highest grade When gable construction is used for such dwellings an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(c) Plain concrete walls Bearing and non-bearing walls of concrete may be nine (9) inches thick when not more than twenty-six (26) feet in height When gable construction is used an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(d) Solid unmarked concrete block walls Walls of such units shall conform as to thickness and height with the requirements for walls of solid brickwork

(e) Walls of hollow tile hollow concrete block hollow concrete tile hollow walls of brick Such walls shall be laid in cement mortar or cement-lime mortar except that lime mortar shall be permitted in hollow walls of brick sand-lime brick concrete brick or other units of similar size and shape made from clay or shale not exceeding two stories in height Bearing and non-bearing walls may be nine (9) inches thick for the uppermost twenty (20) feet When gable construction is used an additional five (5) feet is permitted to the peak of the gable

(f) Chases in thin walls Chases not exceeding one (1) inch in depth nor four (4) inches in width when intended for conduits or similar pipes may be cut in walls of solid construction nine (9) inches in thickness

Section 4306 Party walls Dwelling for one or two families not over twenty (20) feet in width and sixty (60) feet in length may have party walls of solid masonry nine (9) inches in thickness provided that the adjoining lot shall not be encumbered with more than nine (9) inches of stone wall and four and one-half (4½) inches of brick wall If over twenty (20) feet in width all the party walls shall be at least thirteen (13) inches thick the entire height Provided that no party wall shall encroach upon the adjoining lot more than the distance stipulated in the Chapter on Party Walls. In one-story buildings with solid division walls the said walls shall be built to conform with requirements of Party Walls All other sections of Chapter 13 on Party Walls Fire Walls and Fire Division Walls shall govern the construction of party walls in buildings of the character covered by this Chapter except as follows

(a) The requirements for construction of party walls may be met by complying with the requirements as to solid stonework solid brickwork and solid unmarked concrete block and chases in same as stipulated in Chapters 14 15 16 and 19 Sound salmon clay brick may be used in a manner provided in Section 4305

(b) Party walls shall not be required as a separation between open porches on the front or rear of dwellings nor as a separation between enclosed front porches with project beyond the wall above provided that between such an enclosed porch and the adjacent room there is a masonry wall with no opening or openings aggregating more than seven feet in height by six feet in width and provided further that where there are wood joisted floors to enclosed or open porches extending across the front or rear of dwellings the same shall be separated by a foundation wall to the underside of the floor

Section 4307 Openings in exterior masonry walls Dwellings having stores in part of the first story shall not be required to have the iron beams over bulk windows fireproofed Plank front frames of a width of five (5) feet or less may be exempted from the provisions of Section 1100 requiring masonry or metal lintels

Section 4308 Timbers and woodwork All such features of construction shall conform to the requirements elsewhere provided except that the minimum thickness of any wooden floor or in part over a garage opening unless the underside of such joists or rafters are not more than twelve (12) inches in depth and are spaced not more than sixteen (16) inches on centers and except that wood joists shall be spiked to stud-walls

Section 4309 Projections beyond walls All such projections shall conform to the requirements of Chapter 48 provided that no frame bathroom projecting from the upper story of any dwelling shall be erected within five (5) feet of any similar construction composed wholly or partly of wood unless the end of said bathroom facing such structure shall be covered with some approved fire-resistive material and in no case shall the distance dividing such structures be less than three (3) feet unless the ends shall have division walls of solid masonry not less than nine (9) inches thick built from the foundations of the buildings and carried up above the roof as hereinbefore provided for party walls It shall not be lawful to build a frame bathroom other than a projecting bathroom as provided for in this section and no such bathroom shall be greater in area than sixty (60) superficial feet It shall not be lawful to build such bathroom unless the plumbing fixtures for bath purposes be placed therein No frame projection shall be built wholly or in part over a garage opening

Section 4310 Frame sheds Frame sheds attached to dwellings shall not exceed twelve (12) feet in height nor have any floor or loft between the ground floor and the roof and shall not connect with a frame bay-window or bathroom projecting from any upper story said sheds shall not be erected within five (5) feet of any similar construction composed wholly or in part of wood unless the side of said shed facing such structure shall be covered with an approved fire-resistive material and in no case shall the distance dividing such structures be less than three (3) feet unless the ends shall have division walls of masonry not less than nine (9) inches thick built from the foundations of the building and carried up above the roof as hereinbefore provided for party walls or such other fireproof materials as shall be approved by the Chief The said shed may be open or enclosed but in no case shall it be lathed or plastered or lined with wood so as to constitute a room to be occupied as a habitation The roof of said shed must be covered with metal or other approved fire-resistive material No such shed shall extend to a greater distance than ten (10) feet in a direct line from the rear wall to which it is attached

Section 4311 Wooden dwellings and wooden buildings similarly light in character Outside the limits defined by Councils in Cities of the First Class wooden buildings may

be erected subject to the following restrictions and regulations

A wooden building to be used as a dwelling house shall not exceed the height permitted by Section 3907 and external walls of said building shall not be placed at a less distance than three (3) feet from the party line of the lot upon which the building is to be erected unless a masonry external wall is substituted for the wooden wall and of a thickness regulating the thickness of masonry external walls Where a wooden building is already erected for dwelling purposes upon an adjoining lot there shall be between the wall of the building erected and the one to be erected—if of wood—a clear open space of four and one-half (4½) feet between the said buildings In the erection of wooden buildings in blocks of two or more houses to be occupied for dwelling purposes the said buildings shall have intercepting solid masonry walls not less than nine (9) inches thick said walls to be constructed in accordance with the provisions for Party Walls

Section 4312 Private garages When garages are constructed within the basements or cellars of dwellings or attached thereto they shall have no opening into or direct connection with the remainder of the house basement or cellar and the walls and ceilings of such garages shall be of a fire-protected construction A garage may be erected one story in height and not exceeding sixteen (16) by twenty (20) feet interior dimension on the rear of any lot or any alley or driveway not less than ten (10) feet wide such garage to have masonry walls subject to the approval of the Bureau or such garage may be one story of stamped steel construction of a size not exceeding twelve (12) by twenty (20) feet and not exceeding twelve (12) feet in height provided it be properly anchored to the ground All other private garages within the meaning of this chapter shall conform to the requirements herein provided for the construction of dwellings

Section 4313 Fuel storage and piping The piping and installation of fuel tanks and storage of liquids in garages and other buildings shall be in accordance with ordinances of Councils in Cities of the First Class

CHAPTER 44 Frame Structures

Section 4400 Enlarging Removing and Repairing of Frame Buildings Within the brick limits defined by Councils in Cities of the First Class it shall not be lawful to enlarge a frame building or to remove any such building except on the same lot or an adjoining lot belonging to the same owner. It shall not be lawful to repair reconstruct or remove any frame building which has been injured more than fifty (50) per cent of its original value by wear and tear or by the effects of the elements or by fire said value to be determined by the Bureau

Section 4401 Frame Structures on Wharves Within the brick limits defined by said Councils and to the extent provided by ordinance thereof it shall be lawful to erect on wharves frame sheds not exceeding twenty-seven (27) feet in height and elevators for the storage of grain or sheds of wood for the storage of coal or lumber when all the external parts of such sheds and elevators (except sheds for the storage of lumber) shall be covered with slate tile metal or incombustible material and their mode of construction and location shall be subject to the approval of the Bureau

Section 4402 Wooden Buildings Other Than Dwellings Wooden buildings to be used for other purposes than that of a dwelling house shall not exceed three stories or thirty-five (35) feet in height above the grade of the street or place upon which the said building is to be erected and shall not be placed at a less distance than ten (10) feet from any wooden building which is twenty-five (25) feet or more in height or at a less distance than four (4) feet from any other wooden building which is less than twenty-five (25) feet in height All Wooden buildings shall be built upon secure foundations of solid masonry in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 17 and carried up to the joists of the first story above the ground In the construction of workshops or other buildings of a like character for temporary purposes built upon soft or marshy land the Chief may in his discretion permit the sills to be placed upon mudsills or blocking or upon piles cut to the height of grade All wooden buildings shall be constructed to safely carry such weights per superficial foot for the several purposes for which they may be constructed

Section 4403 Frame Sheds Open shelter sheds of wood may be erected upon permit but no such shed shall be enclosed with combustible materials on any of its four sides The location and construction of said sheds shall be subject to the inspection and approval of the Bureau All permits granted for the erection of frame sheds may be revoked and the shed shall be removed within thirty days after notice from the Director of Public Safety

Section 4404 Frame Bay Windows Dormers Porches Sun Porches Stoops Etc. All frame bay-windows dormers cornices porches stoops and other such frame parts of buildings hereafter erected or altered shall be in accordance with the chapters in this code relating to such features and when not otherwise provided for shall be as Councils in said Cities of the First Class may from time to time ordain

Section 4405 Chimneys flues fireplaces and heating apparatus in frame buildings In all wooden buildings hereafter erected or altered the framing around flues and the construction of chimneys flues hearths trimmer arches fireplaces and hot-air flues and heating apparatus steam boilers and ranges shall be in accordance with the provision of Chapters 28 and 29 of this code

CHAPTER 45 Roofs Cornices Pent Houses Dormers Etc

Section 4500 Roof construction dormers mansards and incombustible coverings The roof construction of all buildings of the First Class and the Intermediate Class shall be fireproofed or fire-protected as provided in the Chapter and Sections of this code relating to such buildings The Roof Planking of all buildings of the Second Class may be of wood not less than (2) inches thick and of all buildings of the Third and Fourth Class may be of sheathing not less than one (1) inch thick all supported and constructed in accordance with the chapters in this code on Classification of Buildings and on Timber and woodwork The roof covering of all combustible materials except that built-up roofing of saturated felt on which are embedded slag gravel slate tile or other approved incombustible materials may be used when so permitted by the Chief The planking and sheathing of the roof of every building of the Third or Fourth Class hereafter erected or altered and the tops and sides of every dormer window thereon shall be covered with slate metal or such other equally good incombustible material as the Bureau may authorize and the outside of every dormer window hereafter placed or any building as aforesaid shall be made of or covered with some incombustible material Mansard roofs shall slope at least one and one-half (1½) inches per foot backwards from the vertical and be covered with metal or other hard incombustible material Provided that this section shall not apply to roofs and dormers outside of brick districts as defined by Councils

Section 4501 Repairs to Wood Roofs Nothing in this Code shall be construed to prohibit the repairing of a shingle roof within the brick districts as defined by Councils provided the repairs do not exceed one-half of the value of the said roof

Section 4502 Pent houses The materials used in the sides and roofs of all pent houses shall be not less than in accordance with the requirements governing the construction of the story immediately below the roof of any building of the First Class or the Intermediate Class and the construction of same shall otherwise conform to the requirements of the chapters on Egress and Fire Prevention In buildings of all other classes except dwellings in rural districts pent houses shall be governed by the requirements for the story immediately below the roof except that any combustible material shall be covered by incombustile materials as hereinafter required

Section 4503 Roof gardens Buildings hereafter erected over four stories in height having roof gardens thereon shall be constructed entirely in accordance with the requirements for buildings of the First Class or Intermediate Class

Section 4504 Scuttles bulkheads etc All buildings of three or more stories hereafter to be built with portions of such buildings one or more stories less in height shall have scuttle frames and covers or bulkheads and doors and be covered with some incombustible material All scuttles shall have stationary ladders leading to the same and all such scuttles and ladders shall be kept so as to be ready for use at all times All scuttles shall be in size of opening at least eighteen (18) inches by thirty (30) inches and if a bulkhead is used in any building in place of a scuttle it shall have stairs with suf-

ficient guard or hand-rail leading to the roof and in case the building be a tenement house the doors or covers to the scuttle or bulkheads shall at no time be locked but may be bolted or secured by hooks on the inside No roof half-story or attic space shall be constructed in any building that is not accessible by at least a trap door

Section 4505 Cornices and gutters All exterior cornices and gutters hereafter erected other than in rural districts shall be of some incombustible material and in every case except when carried on a frame work of iron or steel the greater weight of the material of which the cornice be constructed shall be on the inside of the outer line of the wall allowance being made for the leverage produced by the projection of the cornice beyond the face of the wall and in all cases except as otherwise provided in the chapter on Dwellings the walls shall be carried up to the under side of the roof planking and where the cornice projects above the roof the wall shall be carried up to the top of the cornice All exterior wooden cornices that may be or shall hereafter become unsafe shall be taken down and if replaced shall be constructed of some incombustible material All exterior wood cornices or gutters that may hereafter be damaged by fire or by decay to the extent of one-half of the value thereof shall be taken down and if replaced shall be constructed of some incombustible material but if not damaged to this extent may be repaired with the same kind of material of which originally constructed Any cornice on any building which cornice or its interior construction is of wood shall be separated from the cornice or an adjoining building by having the party wall corbeled out at least two (2) inches beyond all projections or by such other fire stop as shall be approved by the Bureau This section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of a wooden cornice upon the buildings which have shingle roofs in such districts as Councils may by ordinance stipulate

Section 4506 Rain water conductors All buildings shall be kept provided with proper metallic leaders for conducting water from the roof to the ground or sewer in such manner as shall protect the walls and foundations from damage and in all buildings over fifty (50) feet in height such leaders shall be installed inside the walls or buildings provided that the Chief may in exceptional occupancies exempt in writing this requirement

PART VIII SAFETY MEASURES

CHAPTER 46 Fire Prevention

Section 4600 All buildings of eighty-five (85) feet or six (6) stories or more in height hereafter erected or altered shall be equipped with standpipes for protection against fire as herein prescribed and all buildings hereafter erected or altered exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) square feet in area in the first story used or to be used as a store factory or warehouse shall have all basements and sub-basements equipped with a sprinkler system as herein set forth except that buildings having a greater area than one thousand five hundred (1500) square feet in the first story but in which the basement area is less than one thousand five hundred (1500) square feet need not be sprinkled provided the floor over the basement is of first-class fireproof construction and the means of entrance to the basement be from the exterior of the building only

Section 4601 Standpipes Standpipes shall not connect with any tank or the City water main direct and are intended for the use of the Fire Department only and all standpipes shall

(a) be not less than four (4) inches in diameter and of such additional diameter as may be necessary to supply one outlet of the size and construction of the standard City Fire Department hose outlets with hose valve on each and every floor of the building the standpipe extending through roof with an approved base outlet or monitor nozzle attached

(b) be located at point in or near each main stairway or stairway tower of such building

(c) have attached at a point convenient above the sidewalk outside of the building suitable steamer connections with check valve of standard City Fire Department size and construction so that connections can be made to such standpipes with City Fire Department hose and City water supply either from City fire engine or high-pressure hydrant where available and to be clearly marked "Standpipe Connection"

When in the opinion of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire a wet pipe system is necessary the water supply shall be by direct connection to the public water system (where the pressure is sufficient) or from an elevated tank of not less than five thousand (5000) gallons capacity located at an elevation above the highest hose connection at a point to be determined by the Chief of the Bureau of Fire or by an approved fire pump of a rated capacity of not less than five hundred (500) gallons per minute In addition to the Fire Department hose outlet above specified one (1) one-and-one-half-inch hose outlet with suitable valve may be provided at each floor with a one-and-one-half-inch linen hose attached Plans or diagrams showing the location of standpipes the size thereof the number and character of hose outlets and valves and the character of interior water supply from tank or pump shall be submitted for approval of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Fire and such additional detailed plans and specifications as the chiefs of the bureaus of the above departments may require

Section 4602 Sprinkler systems and devices All wet pipe and dry pipe sprinkler systems except as may be otherwise prescribed by the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be of the automatic types in which all piping valves and devices shall conform to the standard regulations of the Bureau of Fire There shall also be installed as a part of such system a single or double steamer connection City Fire Department standard same to be clearly marked "Sprinkler Connection" If City water main is not available for a direct connection for the supply to the sprinkler system the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Chief of the Bureau of Fire in Cities of the First Class shall decide what other supply will be acceptable All approved systems of automatic sprinklers shall be kept and maintained in complete working order If such system shall not be maintained in complete working order it shall be the duty of the Bureau of Building Inspection to give written notice to the tenants and owners served upon the premises of said fact and within sixty (60) days thereafter the floor area shall be sub-divided by fire division walls so that no undivided floor area shall exceed that prescribed in this act and such walls shall be constructed and thereafter maintained in accordance with the provisions of Chapter eighteen Fire Division Walls Plans or diagrams showing the location and size of all pipes the location of all sprinkler heads and valves controlling supply and a detailed description of the method of supply to the sprinkler system shall be submitted for the approval of the Bureau of Building Inspection and such additional detailed plans and specifications as the Chief of the said Bureau may require

Section 4603 Fire-doors and fire-shutters The construction installation and operation of all fire-doors fire-shutters and other devices required for the protection of interior or exterior openings shall comply with the rules and regulations promulgated by the Chief

CHAPTER 47 Safety during Construction and Demolition and Material Storage

Section 4700 The sections in this chapter shall be construed to regulate the construction maintenance removal and inspection of sheds shelters scaffolding slings hangers blocks pulleys stays braces ladders supports irons ropes etc repairing painting cleaning or pointing of buildings within the limits of Cities of the First Class

Section 4701 Shelters and sheds etc and material storage All footway shelter platforms hereafter built in conjunction with and during the erection or repair of any building and the enclosures of excavations etc and the storage of materials shall be regulated by ordinances of Councils in said Cities

Section 4702 Coverings over floor construction It shall be the duty of the party or parties having charge of the construction of any new building hereafter erected in this Commonwealth to have the joists or girders of each floor above a height of thirty-five (35) feet covered with rough scaffold boards or other suitable material as the building progresses so as to sufficiently protect the workmen or others who may be under or below each floor from falling bricks tools mortar or other substances whereby accidents happen injuries occur and life and limb are endangered

Section 4703 Temporary stand-pipe service A building requiring a stand-pipe under the provisions of this act else-

where outlined when more than six (6) stories in height shall have this standpipe installed during building for the purpose of fire protection during construction

This stand-pipe shall be carried up with the building so that it is always serviceable to a height within two (2) stories of the point to which construction has proceeded It shall have Fire Department connection at base have a standard FD outlet in every other story and shall be capped at the end of each day's work and be ready for use at all times

Section 4704 Column fireproofing during construction The columns of a steel frame building under construction in basement first story and second story shall be fireproofed as elsewhere provided in this act when the fireproof floor systems have been installed to the level of the third floor or tier Before the columns described have been fireproofed the amount of combustible material in the basement first story and second story shall be reduced to a minimum

Section 4705 Lighting temporary stairways etc during construction During construction of buildings of a height greater than six (6) stories one (1) stairway or means of access shall be permanently lighted in each story from dark till dawn In case such stairway or names of access is enclosed lighting shall be maintained for the entire twenty-four (24) hours seven (7) days in the week

Section 4706 Scaffolding Ladders Railings etc All scaffolding ladders railings etc hereafter erected shall conform with the act of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in general assembly met approved the fifteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred seven being entitled "An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of scaffolding or slings hangers blocks pulleys stays braces ladders irons or ropes that are used in the construction alteration repairing painting cleaning or pointing of buildings within the limits of cities of the First Second and Third Class and providing punishment for violation of the provisions of this Act"

PART IX PROJECTIONS

CHAPTER 48 Projections beyond Building Line

Section 4800 No part of any building hereafter erected or of any enlargement of an existing building that is necessary for the structural safety of the building or an enlargement thereof shall project beyond the building line so as to encroach upon a public street or public space but this shall not be deemed to prohibit the projection beyond the building line to the extent of not more than six (6) inches of foundation walls abutting streets or twelve (12) inches of the footings of such street walls providing such projecting parts of walls are not less than six (6) inches and of footings are not less than six (6) feet below the sidewalk level and except that certain footings may project three (3) feet when conforming to the provisions of the chapter on Footings Except as hereinafter otherwise provided in this chapter and in the chapter on Roofs Cornices etc and in the chapter on Dwellings etc no part of any building hereafter erected or of any alteration to or enlargement of any existing building shall project beyond the building line so as to encroach upon a public street or public space

Section 4801 Bay windows store and bulk windows etc Within the limits defined by councils in Cities of the First Class it shall not be lawful to erect or construct upon the first story of any building any bay oriel store or bulk window projecting beyond the street line Outside of such limits all projecting windows upon the first stories shall be as regulated by said Councils Bay and oriel windows may hereafter be constructed upon buildings where projecting over the street line as follows The walls of all such bay or oriel windows if made of combustible material shall be covered with metal or other incombustible materials The limitation of the dimensions and positions of such bay oriel windows shall be as follows

First No such bay or oriel window shall be at a less distance than ten (10) feet from the sidewalk

Second No such bay or oriel window shall project more than three (3) feet over the street line of any building

Third No such bay or oriel window shall have a greater frontage than fifteen (15) feet nor shall it in any case be larger than the room or space in which it occurs

Fourth There shall not be more than one bay or oriel window for any twenty-five (25) feet of frontage two for thirty-eight (38) feet of frontage three for sixty-three (63) feet of frontage and four for eighty-eight (88) feet of frontage and no two bay or oriel windows upon the same story shall be built nearer to each other than five (5) feet To be classed as bay windows they must project at least twelve (12) inches

Fifth It shall not be lawful to erect any bay or oriel window except within lines drawn from the intersection of the party lines and the street line at an angle of twenty (20) degrees with the latter

Nothing herein contained shall however limit the size of bay or oriel windows which are built in such manner as not to project over the street line of the buildings of which they form a part but the size number construction and structural parts of such bay or oriel windows shall be subject to the approval of the Bureau Provided however that no bay or oriel window shall project more than four (4) feet from the wall line of the building of which it is a part

Section 4802 Ornamental Projections Any part of a building permitted to project beyond the building line under the provisions of this section shall be so constructed that its removal may be made at any time without causing the building or any part thereof to become structurally unsafe Nothing in this section shall be deemed to abridge the powers and duties of the Bureau of Highways The Bureau of Building Inspection and the commissioners of parks in Cities of the First Class within their respective jurisdiction to adopt additional rules as may be necessary with respect to the construction or disposition of parts of buildings projecting beyond the building line which authorities may when deemed necessary or desirable fix further restrictions as to the extent of projections beyond the building line but no projection greater than in this section specified shall be permitted

Section 4803 (a) Base courses may project beyond the building line not more than one and one-fourth per cent of the width of the street nor more than ten (10) inches in any case provided they do not extend more than five (5) feet above the highest point of the sidewalk

(b) Columns pilasters and ornamental projections including their moulding and bases erected purely for the enhancement of the building from an architectural standpoint may project beyond the building line not more than two and one-half per cent of the width of the street but not more than eighteen (18) inches in any case

(c) Mouldings belt courses lintels sills pediments and similar projections of a decorative character may project beyond the building line not more than one and one-fourth per cent of the width of the street nor more than ten (10) inches in any case Rustications and quoins may project beyond the building line not more than four (4) inches

(d) Balustrades of an ornamental character including the sills and brackets on which they rest may project beyond the building line not more than five per cent of the width of the street nor more than twenty-two (22) inches in any case provided that every part of such balustrade is not less than ten (10) feet above the sidewalk

(e) The main cornice meaning thereby a moulded projection at or near the top of the street wall may project beyond the building line not more than five per cent of the width of the street nor more than five feet (5) in any case provided such main cornice is not less than twelve (12) feet above the sidewalk at any point

Section (4804) Other Projections All other projections such as vaults areas areaways hoistways railings steps stoops porches verandas metal awnings marquises fire escapes balconies to fire towers hose connections for fire extinguishment fresh air inlets for plumbing systems et cetera shall conform to regulations of the authorities having jurisdiction in said Cities of the First Class or ordinances of Councils thereof

PART X REPEALER

CHAPTER 49 Repeal of Conflicting Legislation

Section 4900 The Following acts and Parts of acts of Assembly are hereby repealed as particularly set forth

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and inspection of buildings in the City of Philadelphia and for the better preservation of life and property"

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled "An act to create a Bureau of Building Inspection and to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class"

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one entitled "An act supplemental to an act entitled 'An act to further regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class'"

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three entitled "An act to further regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings and party walls in cities of the first class"

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled "An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings used for the exhibition of moving pictures in all cities of the first class providing for the enforcement thereof and fixing penalties for violation of the same"

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five entitled "An act to amend Section 6 of an act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to regulate the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings used for the exhibition of moving pictures in all cities of the first class providing for the enforcement thereof and fixing penalties for violation of the same by providing for the heating by means of mechanical warm air'"

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen entitled "An act authorizing the erection of garages fronting or opening on streets alleys or driveways ten feet or more in width

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen entitled "An act relating to building construction in cities of the first class by prescribing the minimum live loads to be considered in designing the walls floors roofs yards and courts of all buildings hereafter erected or altered in cities of the first class specifying the factors of safety to be applied in such designs regulating the thickness of brick walls in dwellings prescribing the minimum thickness of wooden floor joists and roof rafters defining the various classes of buildings and other terms used in the act regulating the loading of floors providing penalties for violations and repealing inconsistent laws"

The act dated the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three entitled "An act relating to building construction in cities of the first class by prescribing the maximum undivided floor areas permitted and permitting the use of non-fireproof steel roof trusses and purlins in certain cases prescribing limitations on garages automobile service stations and buildings for similar purposes and constructions permitted for curtain and spandrel walls permitting the use of wood furring and stud-partitions in certain cases and repealing inconsistent laws"

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three entitled "An act amending Section one of article three of an act entitled 'An act for the better government of cities of the first class in this Commonwealth' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five regulating the construction maintenance and inspection of buildings"

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are also hereby repealed

Section 4901 Section five of the act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred five) entitled "An act creating the office of Fire Marshal to be attached to the Department of Public Safety in cities of the first class prescribing his duties and powers and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of the act and providing for the method of appointment compensation and for the maintenance of his office" shall not be repealed but shall remain in full force and effect anything contained in the foregoing act notwithstanding

Section 4902 Nothing contained in this Code shall in any way whatever repeal any safety laws rules and regulations for the protection of the health limb and life of workmen engaged in the erection of buildings referred to in this Code

CHAPTER 50 Date Code Becomes Effective

Section 5000 This code shall become effective ninety (90) days after it is signed by the Governor provided that the Chief may in his discretion issue special permits in the interim under the terms and provisions of the new code

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I object.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair hears objection.

And the question recurring.

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

It was agreed to and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1408, (House Bill No. 1939), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1489, (House Bill No. 1941), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred and ninety-two), entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation," by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1491, (House Bill No. 1948), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1494, (House Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1516, (House Bill No. 1352), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1517, (House Bill No. 1399), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend Section ten hundred and thirty-nine of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and eighty-six) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycle

pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships; and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability, for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation" by providing that when local regulations are made applicable to the entire territory within the municipalities making the same such municipalities shall not be required to erect or place signs giving notice thereof.

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1536, (House Bill No. 1673), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1537, (House Bill No. 1701), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 366) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendment made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1538, (House Bill No. 1855), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," as amended, providing when bonds shall be due.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of

Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1540, (House Bill No. 1881), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population does not exceed ten thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the district attorneys in counties whose population is more than ten thousand and does not exceed twenty thousand inhabitants shall be five hundred dollars per year the salary of the dictrict attorney in counties whose population is more than twenty thousand and does not exceed thirty thousand inhabitants shall be [six] nine hundred [and twenty-five] dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than thirty thousand and does not exceed forty thousand inhabitants shall be one thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than forty thousand and does not exceed fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve hundred and fifty dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than fifty thousand and does not exceed sixty thousand inhabitants shall be fifteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than sixty thousand and does not exceed seventy thousand inhabitants shall be eighteen hundred and seventy-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than seventy thousand and does not exceed eighty thousand inhabitants shall be [twenty-five hundred] three thousand dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than eighty thousand and does not exceed ninety thousand inhabitants shall be thirty-one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than ninety thousand and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be five thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than two hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed three hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be six thousand dollars per year and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars per year

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions fo the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1541, (House Bill No. 1887), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to Adoption"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question?

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1543, (House Bill No. 1914), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, (P. L. 279), entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth,' approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and supplements thereto; providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1545, (House Bill No. 1935), entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	arnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1546, (House Bill No. 1936), entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirteen Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled, "An act defining and regulating public amusements, and places used therefor; requiring and regulating the licensing thereof; restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1547, (House Bill No. 1937), entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act, approved the first day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and twenty), entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation;' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1548, (House Bill No. 1938), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act, approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred eighty-four), entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax,' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on and after May first."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1549, (House Bill No. 1943), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modiflying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1550, (House Bill No. 1943), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1551, (House Bill No. 1944), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius	Scott,

Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1552, House Bill No. 1945), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes, and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1555, (House Bill No. 1956), entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen, as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions,

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1556, (House Bill No. 1957), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an Act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provision by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such erevnue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1557, (House Bill No. 1970), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (1) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeds to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1559, (House Bill No. 2024), entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gases or substances and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1560, (House Bill No. 1853), on third reading, entitled:

An Act relating to the compensation of officers and employes of the police and fire bureaus in cities of the first class and providing for an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minimum compensation of such employes

be recommitted to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I should like to interrogate the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Woodward.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Woodward, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I should like to know the reason for recommitting this bill to committee.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, this bill violates the fundamental principles of republican government. It is a bill to place before the electors in cities of the first-class the question of raising the salaries of firemen and policemen; and at the end of the bill it states, if the people vote "no" then the salaries shall be established by City Council.

Of course, it is the business of City Council to establish these salaries in the first place, and it is a foolish thing to put up to the people; they do not know anything about the salaries of firemen and policemen, in the first place.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1567, (House Bill No. 113), as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes

upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal 'providing for reciprocity with other states in the taxation of the transfer of property of nonresident decedents" and which was further amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear values of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provisions of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amounts to less than the following rates then in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendent to such child his wife or widow and passing from an illegitimate child to his mother and at the rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any other person or persons bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth In ascertaining the clear value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amounts the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to the care and preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monuments or gravestones grave and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such estates and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for an account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or Territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

In addition to the deductions above allowed a deduction shall be allowed in each estate where the two per centum tax is imposed in the amount of twenty-five hundred dollars and except where otherwise provided by the will of the testator if the property is transferred to two or more beneficiaries taxable at such rate then said deduction of twenty-five hundred dollars shall first be apportioned equally among the several beneficiaries and an equal part thereof shall be deducted from each such legacy and distributed share before the tax thereon is computed and in case the deduction allowed to a distributive share or legacy is greater than the share or legacy itself then the amount of the deduction in excess of such legacy or share shall be appropriated equally among the legacies and shares of such estate if any which are in excess of the deductions first allowed

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1569, (House Bill No. 299), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds

and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1575, (House Bill No. 1229), entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Ten

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1579, (House Bill No. 1834), entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate and drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones.
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1580, (House Bill 1946), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "a further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domino one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1582, (House Bill No. 2099), as follows:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

ARTICLE XX

State [Normal Schools] Teachers Colleges

Section 2001 There shall be thirteen [Normal School] State Teachers College Districts in this Commonwealth as now provided and one State [Normal School] Teachers College in each district

Delaware Chester Bucks and Montgomery Counties shall be the first [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College in West Chester shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lancaster York and Lebanon Counties shall be the Second [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Millersville shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Berks Schuylkill and Lehigh Counties shall be the Third [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Kutztown shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Northampton Carbon Monroe Pike Luzerne Lackawanna and Wayne Counties shall be the Fourth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at East Stroudsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Wyoming Sullivan Susquehanna Bradford Lycoming and Tioga Counties shall be the Fifth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Mansfield shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Dauphin Northumberland Columbia Montour Union Snyder Perry Juniata and Mifflin Counties shall be the Sixth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College of this district

Cumberland Adams Franklin Fulton Bedford Huntingdon and Blair Counties shall be the Seventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Shippensburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Centre Clinton Clearfield Elk Potter and Cameron Counties shall be the Eighth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Lock Haven shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Cambria Indiana Armstrong and Westmoreland Counties shall be the Ninth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Indiana shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Washington Fayette Greene and Somerset Counties shall be the Tenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at California shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Allegheny Butler and Beaver Counties shall be the Eleventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Slippery Rock shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lawrence Mercer Venango Crawford and Erie Counties shall be the twelfth State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Edinboro shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Jefferson Clarion Forest Warren and McKean Counties shall be the Thirteenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Clarion shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Section 2002 The [State Normal Schools] Colleges shall be a part of the public school system of the Commonwealth and their purpose the education and [training] preparation of teachers The colleges shall provide proper facilities for instruction in the art and science of teaching for the boarding and lodging of students in residence and other necessary facilities approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 2003 No religious test or qualification shall be required to entitle anyone to become a trustee professor teacher or student in any college

Section 2004 Each college shall provide practice teaching facilities so organized and administered that the students of the college shall acquire therein a practical knowledge of the art of teaching under the instruction and supervision of their proper teachers It shall be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district in this Commonwealth to enter into an agreement between such board of trustees and board of school directors by which all or part of the pupils of such school district may be instructed in the Training School in such college upon terms mutually agreeable to the board of trustees and the board of school directors concerned It shall also be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district or districts to enter into an agreement upon terms mutually satisfactory in accordance with which all or part of the classes of such district or districts may be available for practice teaching facilities for the students of such college Such actions of the said school district or school districts and the boards of trustees of such colleges shall be entered respectively upon the minutes of the said respective boards and must be approved by the Superintendent of Public Grounds The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the college to and from the place or places where such practice teaching facilities are available

Section 2005 The Board of Presidents of the State Teachers Colleges shall consist of the presidents of the several colleges The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be the chairman and the Secretary of the State Council of Education shall be the secretary ex-officio thereof The board shall formulate the educational policies of the Colleges It shall meet annually in the City of Harrisburg and may meet more frequently and at other places by resolution of the Board or on the call of the Superintendent of Public Instruction A majority of all members of the Board shall constitute a quorum and any action favored by a majority of the members shall when approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction be binding upon all of the colleges

Section 2006 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall prescribe and conduct such examinations of students in the several colleges as he may deem necessary to determine and fix the standards of instruction in and of graduation from any of the curriculums of said colleges Each graduate from a college shall receive such a Normal School Certificate or College Diploma as the State Council of Education shall prescribe A Normal School Certificate shall be accepted as ful

evidence of the qualifications of the holder thereof to teach two annual full school terms in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examinations such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a holder of the College Diploma a Provisional College Certificate entitling him to teach for three annual school terms in any public elementary or secondary school in this Commonwealth without further examination such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education

Section 2007 A holder of a State Normal School certificate who after graduation from college has taught for two school terms in the public elementary schools of this Commonwealth and who presents a certificate of good moral character and of successful teaching for two school terms from the board or boards of school directors in whose employment he has taught countersigned by the proper superintendent or superintendents shall be granted a State Normal School Diploma by the College from which he was graduated signed by the same officers who sign the State Normal School certificates from such college which diploma shall be received as full evidence of his qualifications to teach any of the subjects set forth in his State Normal School certificate or diploma in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examination

Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State Teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are resident of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursuing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there is sufficient room for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail

Section 2011 It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had this article number twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges not been included therein and that if said article twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges or any part thereof is declared unconstitutional the remainder of this act shall continue in full force and effect

Section 2012 Definitions The word "college" or "colleges" where used in this article shall apply to State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers now existing and such other State Teachers Colleges and State Teachers Training Schools as may hereafter be created or constituted by in and for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 2113 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affimative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1588, (House Bill No. 1529), entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred and forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1591, (House Bill No. 1892), entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1593, (House Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-one), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking associatin standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid, and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended, fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity, and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1608, (House Bill No. 1096), entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1609, (House Bill No. 1098), entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1613, (House Bill No. 1454), entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners operators and lesses of such mines and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1619, (House Bill No. 1893), entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken gareeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1620, (House Bill No. 1921), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1622, (House Bill No. 1951), on third reading, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1625, (House Bill No. 2038), entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth clas sfixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to he County Commissioners in such counties

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1626, (House Bill No. 2064), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1627, (House Bill No. 2132), entitled:

An Act provided for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1631, (House Bill No. 2026), entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method for such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1405, (House Bill No. 374), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson.
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1411, (House Bill No. 440), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1486, (House Bill No. 840), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park, Washington Crossing Park, and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1487, (House Bill No. 1500), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of (the) Norristown State Hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1493, (House Bill No. 174), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in (the) Delaware County (Eastern District of the Commonwealth of) Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1495, (House Bill No. 530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1497, (House Bill No. 837), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1498, (House Bill No. 838), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) elipileptics institutions under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1499, (House Bill No. 839), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running

on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1500, (House Bill No. 841), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State educational institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1501, (House Bill No. 900), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School located at Polk Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1502, (House Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1503, (House Bill No. 945), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1504, (House Bill No. 949), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1505, (House Bill No. 934), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—42.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1506, (House Bill No. 939), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1507, (House Bill No. 977), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1508, (House Bill No. 983), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurt Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1509, (House Bill No. 994), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1510, (House Bill No. 998), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1511, (House Bill No. 999), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1512, (House Bill No. 1000), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1513, (House Bill No. 1001), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1514, (House Bill No. 1002), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1521, (House Bill No. 1499), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 5122, (House Bill No. 1505), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of [the] Harrisburg State Hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1523, (House Bill No. 1516), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1524, (House Bill No. 1517), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin.	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1525, (House Bill No. 1524), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1526, (House Bill No. 1527), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1527, (House Bill No. 1528), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1528, (House Bill No. 1530), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1529, (House Bill No. 1533), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1500, (House Bill No. 1549), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1531, (House Bill No. 1603), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1534, (House Bill No. 1620), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceede to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1553, (House Bill No. 1953), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1554, (House Bill No. 1954), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1561, (House Bill No. 1952), entitled:

A Supplement to the act, approved the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-one), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation, "providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1571, (House Bill No. 763), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1572, (House Bill No. 783), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1573, (House Bill No. 1171), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1574, (House Bill No. 1193), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1584, (House Bill No. 934), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1586, (House Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1594, (House Bill No. 183), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1595, (House Bill No. 234), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1596, (House Bill No. 236), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1597, (House Bill No. 266), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed

the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1598, (House Bill No .267), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldier' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania (replacements improvements and new construction) and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1599, (House Bill No. 232), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1600, (House Bill No. 285), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

And said bill have been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1601, (House Bill No. 360), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1602, (House Bill No. 490), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1603, (House Bill No. 379), entitled:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Perry, and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmati

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1604, (House Bill No. 671), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of one million two hundred thousand ($1,200,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the general maintenance of the University of Pittsburgh and the purchase of such apparatus and equipmnt as the trustees may deem necessary for the best interests of the University including maintenance of teaching facilities in hospitals for students in the School of Medicine of the University including the Maternity Dispensary and other dispensaries

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1606, (House Bill No. 722), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1607, (House Bill No. 997), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions providing State aid for certain agricultural associations and regulating the payment thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1610, (House Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1611, (House Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1615, (House Bill No. 1534), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1617, (House Bill No. 1758), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1624, (House Bill No. 2034), entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 415.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 415 file folio 5263, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimuos consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE from the Committee on Appropriations reported as amended Senate Bill No. 1680, (House Bill No. 1504), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1677, (House Bill No. 1163), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1669, (House Bill No. 2084), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1763, (House Bill No. 2090), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARRIS, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1695, (House Bill No. 2056), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five, four hundred and ninety-eight, and five hundred, of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WILLIAMSON, from the Committee on Agriculture, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1756, (House Bill No. 1915), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. NORTON, from the Committee on Insurance, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1544, (House Bill No. 1934), entitled:

An Act to amend further an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty), entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto; for the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages, and others interested in real estate, from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances; and of companies entitled to the benefits of, and companies having any of the powers of, companies entitled to the benefits of an act, entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity, insurance, safety deposit, trust, and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and of the supplements thereto,' approved June twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, commonly known as title insurance of trust companies," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies.

Mr. PAINTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. PAINTER, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1667, (House Bill No. 2076), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1565, (House Bill No. 1531), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth.

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1566, (House Bill No. 1532), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Also, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1633, (House Bill No. 797), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties" as amended providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD, from the Committee on Education, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1310, (House Bill No. 180), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five and four hundred and three of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EALY, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1752, (House Bill No. 1161), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1581, (House Bill No. 1977), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 519, (House Bill No. 350), entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class where such applications were refused but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury and making an appropriation therefor.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HUFFMAN from the Committee on Game and Fisheries reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1315, (House Bill No. 1043), entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Also, from the Committee on New Counties and County Seats, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1576, (House Bill No. 1360), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, 774), entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association, for the purpose of holding annual meetings, to secure more uniformity and the payment of certain expenses in connection with such co-operation in the conduct of their offices and providing for meetings by the various counties."

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO COMMISSION TO REGULATE FLOW OF DELAWARE RIVER

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. KRAUSE offered the following resolution, which was twice read.

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, By the Senate, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the commissioners designated by the Governor under the act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, page four hundred and forty-eight), entitled "An act authorizing the creation of a commission to negotiate with the duly constituted agents of the States of New York and New Jersey for the regularization of the flow of the Delaware River, the conservation, apportionment, and utilization of the water resources thereof; providing the method of ratification of such compact by this Commonwealth; and prescribing the conditions of its being in full force and effect," or such other officers of the Commonwealth, not exceeding three in all, as the Governor may designate for that purpose, are hereby authorized to continue to negotiate with the duly authorized agents of the State of New York and New Jersey a compact, in accordance with the Constitution of the United States, for the regularization of the flow of the Delaware River, the conservation of the water resources of the Delaware Basin, the apportionment thereof among the said States for domestic and municipal supply and the utilization thereof for power and other beneficial uses.

Resolved, That the compact negotiated by said commissioners shall be submitted by the Governor to the General Assembly, and the Congress of the United States having consented thereto, shall be in full force and effect upon its ratification by a duly enacted law of this Commonwealth, and by the States of New York and New Jersey, as their laws may respectively prescribe.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the resolution be committed to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 262.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

with information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 454.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 454, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1343.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

with information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE BILL No. 926 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 926, enittled:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and the poor districts thereof and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the organization of the municipal court and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny County and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 2, line 6, by striking out the words "and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation"; also page 4, line 26 by striking out "inconsistent" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "inconsistent"; also line 27 by striking out the words "be and become a part of this"; also by striking out lines 28 and 29; also page 5, by striking out lines 1 and 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "remain in force in the same manner and with the same effect as the same may have been prior to the adoption of this charter and shall so remain until amended or repealed"; also line 19 by striking out "townshpis" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "townships"; also line 25 by striking out the word "districts"; also line 26 by striking out the word "hereof"; also page 9, line 1, by striking out the word "paving" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "paying"; also line 13 by striking out "betwen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "between"; also line 23 by inserting before the word "to" the words "one member"; also line 29 by striking out the word "and"; also page 11, line 5 by striking out "fro" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "from"; also line 11 by inserting before the word "sick" the word "poor"; also by striking out lines 22 to 28, inclusive; also page 12, line 13, by striking out "pathing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "bathing"; also line 17 by striking out "sair" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "said"; also by striking out playfigrounds" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "playgrounds"; also line 18 by striking out the word "concession" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "concessions"; also page 14, line 16, by striking out "commisisoners"; and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commissioners"; also line 27 by striking out the word "ordinances" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ordinance"; also page 16, line 9, by striking out the word "owner" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "owned"; also line 17 by inserting afterward "municipalities" the following "provided that powers conferred by this section shall be subject to the provisions of the Public Service Company Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania"; also page 17, lines 7 and 8 by striking out the following: "are subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission of the state"; also page 19, lines 25, 26 and 27 by striking out the following: "including works improvements or utilities which may be undertaken through the special districts provided for in section ten of this article"; also page 21, line 3, by striking out the word "manufacturers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "manufactures"; also page 22, line 28, by striking out the word "devices" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "devises"; also page 24, line 28, by striking out the word "officers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "offices"; also page 25, by striking out line 13; also line 26 by striking out the quotation before the word "The"; also page 26, line 5, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "The"; also page 27, line 3, by striking out the word "Meeting" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "meetings"; also page 28, line 23, by inserting after "nance" the following: "except that an ordinance granting renewing or amending a franchise or other special privilege for a public utility already possessing a franchise or consent to operate within the limits of the consolidated city may be passed as an emergency ordinance if the director of the department of public works shall first certify in writing to the board of commissioners that the immediate passage of said ordinance is essential to the public welfare"; also page 32, line 5, by striking out the word "is" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "it"; also page 33, line 27, by striking out the word "revenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "revenues"; also page 35, line 13, by striking out the words "notiecs of ordinances" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "notice of ordinance"; also line 14 by striking out the word "twelve" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven"; also page 35, line 13, by striking out the quotation mark before the word "The"; also page 39, line 6, by striking out "conuty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "county"; also page 40, line 20, by striking out "expcet" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "except"; also page 42, line 19, by striking out "sam" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "same"; also page 43, line 23, by striking out the word "Money" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "money"; also page 44, line 20, by striking out the word "inquire" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "require"; also page 45, line 15, by striking out the word "operations" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "operation"; also page 46, line 10, by striking out the word "encumbered" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "unencumbered"; also line 15 by striking out the word "revenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "revenues"; also page 49, line 1, by striking out "hereaftre" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hereafter"; also line 16 by striking out the word "officers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "offices"; also line 25 by striking out the word "providing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provided"; also lines 27 and 28 by striking out "representavtive" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "representative"; also page 50, line 8, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "be"; also line 12 by striking out the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall"; also page 64, lines 11 and 12, by striking out the words "THE EFFECTIVE" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the effective"; also page 102, line 10, by striking out the word "daie" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "dated"; also by striking out the word "agreement" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "agreements"; also page 104, line 29 by striking out the word "transmit" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "transit"; also page 105, line 7, by striking out the

word "and"; also line 8 by striking out the word "service" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "services"; also page 106, line 27, by striking out the word "powers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "power"; also page 108, line 6, by striking out before the word "interest" the word "the"; also line 17 by striking out the word "the"; also page 109, line 12, by striking out the word "field" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filed"; also page 110, line 9, by striking out the word "offices" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "officers"; also page 111, line 9, by striking out "pracel" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "parcel"; also line 16 by striking out "clasify the real etate" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "classify the real estate"; also page 112, line 8, by striking out the word "field" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filed"; also page 113, line 11, by striking out the word "from" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also page 114, line 1, by striking out the word "bodies" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "body"; also page 135, line 16, by striking out the word "chapter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "charter"; also line 27 by striking out the word "twenty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteen"; also page 136, line 19, by inserting before the word "boroughs" the word "the"; also line 20 by striking out "9valon" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Avalon"; also page 137, line 6 ,by striking out the word "provisions" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisions."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The years and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 261 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase installation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for the redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend page 6, line 26, by inserting after the word "township" the following: "In each election district in which voting machines are used the county commissioners may provide one voting machine for each six hundred registered voters or fraction thereof therein and shall provide one voting machine for each eight hundred registered voters or fraction thereof therein"; also page 10, by striking out lines 12, 13 and 14; also line 15 by striking out "(d)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(e)"; also line 21, by striking out "(e)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(d)"; also page 12, line 20, by inserting after the word "electors" the following: "and in one operation to vote for all the candidates of one party for every office to be voted for except those offices as to which he votes for individual candidates"; also page 14, line 26, by striking out "(h)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(n)"; also page 15, line 24, by inserting after the word "issued" the following: "in accordance with the provisions of law relating to the increase of indebtedness of counties"; also page 19, lines 16 and 17, by striking out the following: "All appointments to fill vacancies shall be made in like manner; also page 26, line 23, by striking out the word "papers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "certificates"; also page 3, line 46, by inserting after the word "locked" the following: "which certificate shall be returned by the judge of election to the county commissioners with the other certificates as herein provided"; also line 12, by striking out the word "outer"; also page 37, line 5, by inserting after the word "Act" the following: "If more than one voting machine is used in any election district the vote registered on each machine shall be ascertained in like manner and separately entered in appropriate spaces on the duplicate return sheets The total vote cast for each candidate and for and against each question shall then be computed and entered on the duplicate return sheets and such totals only shall be entered on the general return sheet and statement In the case of primary elections duplicate return sheets shall be prepared for each party"; also page 38, line 5, by striking out the word "said".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1156 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1156, entitled:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 12, by striking out parenthesis before the word "individuals" and inserting in lieu thereof bracket; also by striking out parenthesis after the word "corporations" and inserting in lieu thereof bracket; also line 20 by striking out parenthesis before the word "to" and inserting in lieu thereof bracket; also by striking out parenthesis after the word "places" and inserting in lieu thereof bracket; also page 3, line 6, by striking out the word "companies" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "company".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 455 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 455, entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. Prsident, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 43, page 17, line 13 by striking out the word "answeres" and insert in lieu thereof "answers"; also section 212, page 56, line 8 by striking out the word "bond" and insert in lieu thereof "recognizance"; also section 212, page 36 by inserting between lines 11 and 12 the follwonig paragraph: "Every such recognizance entered into by a sheriff and coroner shall be taken by the recorder of deeds of the proper county and recorded in his office; and when so recorded shall be by him transmitted to the Secretary of the Commonwealth with a certificate endorsed by such recorder of its having been duly recorded"; also amend bill page 57, line 4 by striking out the word "surities" and in insert in lieu thereof "sureties"; also section 275, page 70, line 27 by striking out all of said line; also section 279, page 73, line 8 by striking out "or detectives"; also section 295, page 76, line 13 by striking out the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof "Except as hereinafter provided, the"; also section 295, page 76, line 27 by adding at the end thereof the following: "In counties of the third class the clerk of the jury commissioners shall be appointed and his compensation filed by the court of common pleas"; also section 249, page 80, line 20 by striking out the word "amount" and insert in lieu thereof "amounts"; also page 126, line 29 by striking out all of lines 18 to 20 inclusive; also page 127 by striking out all of lines 1 to 29 inclusive; also page 123, by striking out all of lines 1 to 21 both inclusive; also section 512, page 133, line 23 by inserting after the word "graveyard" the word "or"; also section 725, page 203, line 3 by striking out the word "commissioner" and insert in lieu thereof "commissioners"; also section 733, page 206, line 18, by striking out "heretofore" and insert in lieu thereof "heretofore"; also section 823, page 226, line 18 by striking out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof "this"; also page 244, by striking out all of line 17.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1252 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1252, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws, twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict

the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein, and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures or land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. COYNE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. APPLE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 14, by striking out the underscoring.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 207 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 207, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." as amended.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 7, line 12, by striking out before the word "county" the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or"; also line 18 by striking out the words "In all cases the cost of the mainte-"; also by striking out lines 19, 20 and 21.

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 307 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Supervisor of Paroles and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title line 2 by striking out "Super-"; also line 3 by striking out "visor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof "Board of Pardons"; also section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof "Board of Pardons"; also page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "he" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "it"; also by striking out the word "issue" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "cause"; also line 11 by striking out the words "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Board of Pardons"; also line 14 by striking out the words "State Supervisor" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons or its duly authorized representative"; also section 2, page 2, line 20 by striking out the words "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons"; also line 22 by striking out the words "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 308 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 308, entitled:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such viol[illegible]

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 7, by striking out the words "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons"; also line 8, by striking out the word "issue" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "cause"; also line 13, by striking out the words "State Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons"; also, page 2, line 2, by striking out the words "State Supervisor" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons or its duly authorized representative"; also line 9 by striking out the words "Supervisor of Paroles" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Pardons".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis.			Pres. Pro Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 309 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 309, entitled:

An Act creating a State Board of Parole Commissioners within the Department of Justice; establishing the office of State Supervisor of Paroles and Secretary of the State Board of Parole Commissioners; and prescribing the powers and duties of each.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21 which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, b in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed t the consideration of the amendments made by the House o Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by th Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title by striking out lines 2 to 6, inclusive and inserting in lieu thereof the following: Conferring and imposin

certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole; also by striking out sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: the Board of Pardons of this Commonwealth shall have jurisdiction to supervise the conduct during the period of parole of all prisoners released on parole from the State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the Attorney General may appoint for the work of the Board hereunder a Supervisor of Paroles and such field agents as may be necessary whose compensation shall be fixed as provided by law in the case of other employes of the Department of Justice

Section 2 The Board of Pardons shall have the following powers and duties (a) It shall establish standards to govern the selection of field agents for the supervision of prisoners on parole and to govern the supervision of prisoners on parole (b) It shall prepare and furnish to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory forms upon which shall be recorded a detailed statement concerning every prisoner paroled from said institutions (c) It shall consider ways and means of co-ordaining the pardon and parole work of the State (d) It shall keep itself informed concerning methods used in preparing and selecting parolees in the penal institutions of the State and shall recommend to the Governor for presentation to the Legislature whatever changes it deems advisable for the improvement of the parole system as a whole (e) It shall cause to be furnished to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory such information as may be requested by them to determine the time that prisoners shall be continued on parole to determine the kind and character of employment offered to applicants for parole and the reliability of the intended employer

Section 3 All employes of the Department of Justice assigned to the Board of Pardons hereunder shall co-operate with the police officers of the State and of its several political subdivisions by supplying them with complete information concerning the character and business responsibility of any proposed employer of any paroled prisoner and concerning any such prisoner who has failed to observe the conditions of his parole At the request of the board of trustees of any of the penitentiaries or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory it shall direct the field parole agents under its supervision to secure detailed information concerning the personal family social and industrial history of any prisoner and his probable invironment during parole and shall submt such information to said board within a reasonable time

Section 4 The Board of Pardons shall invite a representative of each State Penitentiary and of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory to sit with it whenever it is considering any matters which this act requires it to consider

Section 5 Every prisoner of a State penitetniary or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory hereafter released on parole shall be committed to the custody of such person as shall be designated by the Board of Pardons and shall make such reports in writing and fulfill such conditions as the Board may direct; also page 5, line 18, by striking out the numeral "7" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "7"; also line 20 by striking out the numeral "8" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "7"; also page 6, line 14 by striking out the numeral "9" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "8".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bammer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Golder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 410 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 410, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties"; providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, Common Pleas, Orphans', Municipal and County Court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and, in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby; providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retored judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word "now"; also by inserting after the word "office" the words "on a named date"; also page 7, line 13, by striking out "December thirty-first" and inserting in lieu thereof "October first" ;also line 14 by striking out "twenty-eight" and inserting in lieu thereof "twenty-nine"; also line 15 by removing the bracket before the word "Any"; also line 28, by removing the bracket after the word "full"; also page 8, lines 2 and 3 by striking out the words "date when this act becomes effective" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty"; also lines 5 and 6 by striking out the words "when this act becomes effective"; also lines 14 and 15 by striking out the words "date when this act takes effect" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty"; also page 15, lines 3 and 4 by striking out the words "date when the

present act takes effect" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty"; also line 10 and 11 by striking out the words "date when the present act takes effect" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 450 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries, prescribing penalties, giving rights of subrogation against plaintiffs in judgments and repealing prior legislation.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, lines 3 and 4 by striking out the words "prescribing penalties giving rights of subrogation against plaintiffs in judgments"; also page 2 by striking out section 2; also line 18 by striking out the numeral "3" and inserting the numeral "2"; also line 22 by striking out the numeral "4" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "3".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 831 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 831, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 761), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EINSTEIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to,

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 12, by striking out the words "as many able bodied male" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the"; also lines 13 and 14 by striking out the words "as they may deem necessary and advisable" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as rapidly as feasible until all such convicts are so transferred and such convicts may be assigned."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 106 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 106, entitled:

A further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 1, by striking out the word "eleven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty-one"; also by striking out "($6,211,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($6,261,000)"; also line 17, by inserting after the word "practicable" the words "including any payments becoming due under a cooperative agreement between the Commonwealth and the Trustees for the joint use of the facilities of the Pennsylvania State Forest School at Mont Alto"; also line 18, by inserting after the word "hundred" the words "and fifty"; also by striking out "($2,300,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($2,350,000)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 242 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 242, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of the City of Williamsport Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to,

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out "($100,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($10,500)"

On the question.

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 413 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out "($22,[illegible]" and inserting in lieu thereof "($22,500)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1146 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1146, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 48), entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary; and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary, and their imprisonment in the Penitentiary to which transferred; imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted; directing that certain notice of such trasnfer of a convict be given; and making appropriations"; providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EINSTEIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 7 by striking out the word "notices" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "notice"; also line 21 by striking out the words "the Eastern and Western" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State"; also page 3 by adding after line 7, the following:

"Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 816 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes of which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency and exercising the right of eminent domain.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 13, by inserting after the word "purchase" the words "or condemn"; also line 14 by inserting after the word "land" the words "with or without buildings thereon"; also line 15 by inserting before the word "parks" the word "or"; also by inserting after the word "parks" the words "or for use as sites for or in connection with"; also by inserting after the word "armories" the words "military reservations intermediate landing fields"; also lone 16 by striking out the word "teachers'" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "teachers"; also line 18, by inserting after the word "purchase" the words "or condemnation"; also by striking out the words "for new institutions"; also section 3, page 3, line 21, by inserting after the word "purchase" the words "or condemnation."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1141 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1141, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended pro-

viding for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State Institutions.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 2, line 27 by striking out the numeral "3" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "2"; also page 3, line 4, by striking out the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of"; also line 9 by striking out the word "any" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the"; also line 16 by striking out the word "records" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "record"; also by adding afted line 18 the following:

"Section 3. This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 22 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "sixty-seven" and instreing in lieu thereof the word "seventy"; also line 5, by striking out "($97,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($70,000)"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 317 RETURNED With AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 14, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"; also line 15 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"; also section 2, page 2, line 10, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"; also by inserting after line 12, the following:

"Section 3. In computing the period of time between convictions as provided in sections one and two of this act any period of servitude by a person in a penal institution within or without this Commonwealth shall not be included in the computation of any of said five year periods. It is hereby declared that the intent of said sections is that said five year periods shall run only during the time any such person was at liberty"; also line 13 by striking out the numberal "3" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "4"; also page 3, line 16, by inserting after the word "thereof" the following: "and where any such defendant is indigent the costs of appeal together with reasonable counsel fee shall be paid by the Commonwealth"; also line 23 by striking out the numeral "4" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "5".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1131 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the City of Pittsburgh.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. COYNE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out "(55,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($50,000)"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 718 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second A classes; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 1, line 8, by striking out the word "directly"; also page 2, line 4, by inserting after the word "payable" the words "and any place of business to which the public access"; also line 5 by inserting after the word "elevator" the words "constructed and"; also line 6 by inserting after the word "of" the word "materials"; also by striking out the words "freight in which no person other than the"; also by striking out lines 7 and 8; also line 13 by striking out the words "or material"; also page 3 line 12 by striking out the word "therefore" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "therefor"; also line 13 by striking out the words "for the Department unless"; also line 19 by striking out the words "commission and credential card" and inserting in lieu thereof "certificate of competency and a commission"; also line 24 by inserting after the word "Secretary" the words "of Labor and Industry"; also page 4, line 2, by inserting after the word "collectible" the words "by the Commonwealth"; also by striking out before the word "inspector" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "an"; also by inserting after the word "inspector" the words "in employ of the Department"; also page 6, line 3, by striking out the words "and fees therefor"; also line 14 by adding after the word "given" the words "unless a temporary permit be granted by the Department".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 807 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commis-

sioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 5, line 27, by striking out the words "by the county" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one-half by the county and one-half by the Commonwealth"; also page 6, line 8, by inserting after word "commissioners" the words "the Commonwealth"; also line 14 by inserting after the word "paid" the word "one-half"; also line 15, by inserting after the word "located" the words "and the other half by the Commonwealth"; also line 19 by inserting after the word "Highways" the words "and the county shall pay one-half of the cost of such removal and the Commonwealth the other one-half"; also line 24 by inserting after the word "pay" the word "one-half"; also line 25 by inserting after the word "Highways" the words "and the Commonwealth shall pay the remaining one-half".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 992 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 3, line 11, by striking out the words "one million" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three hundred and fifty thousand"; also line 9 by inserting after the word "year" the words "and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1084 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1084, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 2, line 12, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to"; also line 20 by striking out "buliding" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "building".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 406 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 406, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 3, by inserting after the word "cities" the words "boroughs towns and townships."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 92 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 12, by striking out the word "For" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 128 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 128, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 2, by striking out the word "the"; also by striking out the word "Orphans'" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Orphan"; also section 1, page 1, line 7 by striking out the word "the".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 131 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one"; also by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "sixty"; also by striking out "($200,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($160,000)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 131 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 ,by striking out the word "forty-three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also line 5, by striking out "($43,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($50,000)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,

Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 186 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out "twoty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 200 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 200, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 12, by striking out the words "to be paid according to law" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "payment to be made on requisition approved by the Department of Public Instruction."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 471 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 471, entitled

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EINSTEIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also line 5 by striking out "($25,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($50,000)."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 656 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out "($73,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($73,500)"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 826 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 826, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. APPLE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10 by inserting after the word "maintenance" the words "gratuities clothing and parole expenses".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 827 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 827, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10 by striking out "maitenance" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "maintenance".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 828 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the words "gratuities clothing and parole expenses"; also line 12 by inserting after the ward "apparatus" the word "equipment".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 829 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 829, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, line 10, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the words "gratuities clothing and parole expenses"; also by striking out "alteratalons" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "alterations".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 855 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 855, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10 by inserting after the word "maintenance" the word "gratuities clothing and parole expenses".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 856 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 856, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. PARKINSON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10 by inserting after the word "maintenance" the words "gratuities clothing and parole expenses".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 858 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 858, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the words "gratuities clothing and parole expenses".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 931 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 4 by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two"; also by striking out the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven" also by striking out after the word "hundred" the word "ninety-seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also line 5 by striking out the words "five hundred twenty-two"; also by striking out "($3,497,522)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($2,750,000)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 835 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit an eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large; providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 2 by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Public Instruction through"; also section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Director of Public Instruction through"; also page 2, line 5 by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Public Instruction through"; also section 2, page 2, line 14, by striking out the words "Public Instruction" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Property and Supplies".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer	Fay,	Kunkle	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 837 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title line 2 by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof "Department of Public Instruction through"; also section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Public Instruction through"; also page 2, line 21 by striking out the words "Director of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Public Instruction through"; also line 22 by striking out the word "publish" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "cause to be published"; also section 2, line 3, by striking out the words "Public Instruction" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Property and Supplies"; also line 4, by striking out the word "and"; also line 5 by inserting after the word "publication" the words "and distribution".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1016 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1016 entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 887), entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes; designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties; and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 12, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight."

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1140 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentaries.

with the information that the House has passe dthe same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar ,be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title by striking out lines 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, also line 7 by stfiking out the words "as amended providing"; also line 8 by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State"; also section 1, page 1, by striking out after line 3 the balance of the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the expenses of keeping the convicted in the State penitentiaries shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted The said expenses shall be paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by the duly authorized agents of said Department at said penitentiaries on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agents of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for convicts confined in said penitentiaries during such calendar months accounts of the expense of keeping said convicts which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to by them and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the respective boards of trustees of the several penitentiaries And provided also That all salaries of the wardens or superintendents their deputies and assistants the guards and other officers engaged in managing the said penitentiaries or holding positions of authority over the inmates therein shall be paid by the State and shall not be included in computing the cost of keeping convicts in said penitentiaries

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1144 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand eight hundred fifty, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-eight), entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and the

neighborhood thereof, from damage from gunpowder, to incorporate an association for the establishment of a House of Refuge for Western Pennsylvania; and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital", as supplemented, providing for the monthly payments of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title by striking out lines 2 to 9, inclusive; also line 10 by striking out the words "Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing and inserting in lieu theerof the word "Providing;" also by inserting after the word payment the words "by the counties to the Department of Revenue;" also by striking out the word "maintenance"; and by striking out the words "by counties" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "for clothing maintaining and educating pupils at the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza," also by striking out line 11; also section 1, page 1, by striking out after line 3 the balance of the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the children received by the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza under the conviction of or commitment by any court shall be clothed maintained and instructed by the said Board at the public expense of the counties from which they came The said expenses shall be paid to the Department of Revenue by orders to be drawn by the duly authorized agent of said Department of said Training School on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay the same to the Department of Revenue Promptly after the last day of each calendar month the agent of the Department of Revenue shall transmit by mail to the commissioners of such of the counties as may have become indebted for children in said school during such calendar month accounts of the expense of clothing maintaining and educating said children which accounts shall be sworn or affirmed to and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners immediately on receipt of said accounts to give notice to the treasurers of their respective counties of the amount of said accounts with instructions to pay promptly to the Department of Revenue the amounts of said orders when presented and it shall be the duty of such county treasurers to make such payments as instructed by their respective county commissioners Provided That the aforesaid accounts and orders rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the said counties by the Board of Trustees of said School.

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine"

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered,That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1147 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1147, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 144) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 24 by striking out the words "Eastern and Western" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State"; also by adding after section 1, the following: "Section 2. This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1148 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1148, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for,

the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 3, by striking out the word "June" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July"; also line 12 by striking out the word "managers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "manager"; also line 22 by inserting after the first word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "operated by"; also line 23 by striking out the words "operating said vehicles."

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1149 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, lines 8 and 9 by striking out the words "thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and the"; also line 10 by striking out the word "thereafter"; also by adding after section 1, the following: "Section 2. This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 36 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 36, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital, of West Reading, Pennsylvania.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eighty" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred"; also line 5, by striking out "($80,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($100,000)".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apl	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aro	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckmar	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,

Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 197 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 6 by inserting after the word "filed" the words "by the collector of internal revenue"; also section 2, page 1, line 10 by striking out the words "recorder of deeds" and inserting in lieu therof the word "prothonotary"; also by inserting after the word "forthwith" the words "upon the payment to him of the requisite fees provided for such similar services"; also section 3, page 2, lines 10 and 11 by striking out the words "recorder of deed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prothonotary"; also lines 11 and 12 by strikout the words "recorder of deed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prothonotary"; also section 4, line 19, by striking out the words "recorder of deeds" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prothonotary".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 558 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or any department or division thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident policies for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title line 6 by striking out the word "policies" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "insurance"; also section 1, page 1, line 10, by striking out the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also page 2, line 3, by striking out the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "any of its".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 704 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 704, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand fifty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the release on probation of certain convicts instead of imposing sentences the appointment of probation and parole officers and the payment of their salaries and expenses regulaing he manner of sentencing convicts in certain cases and providing for their release on parole and their rearrest and reconviction for breach of parole and extending the powers and duties of boards of prison inspectors of penitentiaries" as amended

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. PAINTER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also page 3, by adding after section 2, the following:

Section 3 This act shall be enforced immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor and shall expire on the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 508 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 503, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs, of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. KUNKLE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, by inserting after line 20 the following: "claim filed to secure the lien or the failure of the"; also by striking out on page 3 line 4; also by inserting after line 14, the following: "the street or part thereof upon which the improvement has been made or is now being made to be assessed"; also by striking lines 19 and 20; also section 2, page 4, line 13 by inserting after the word "interest" the words "for not more than two years"; also section 3, page 5, line 1, by striking out the word "lien" and inserting in lieu thereof the word action".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 561 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 561, entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 1, section 1, line 4 by striking out the word "two years"; also page 2, line 16 by striking out the word "another" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a"; also line 29 by striking out the following: "by the limitation of the two years as aforesaid".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,

Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 745 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 745, entitled:

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 5, line 11 by striking out the word "superintendent" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "superintend"; also page 9, line 9, by striking out the word "titled" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "titles".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 796 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 796, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to and regulating the effect of contracts for work and labor to be done and labor or materials to be furnished to any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway tollroad conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipe-line aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works for supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of gas oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by including among the wells enumerated wells for the production of water.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 19, by striking out the word "contract" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "contracts"; also page 3, line 10, by striking out the word "an" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any"; also line 18, by striking out the word "contract" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "contractor"; also page 4, line 2 by striking out "terials" and inserting in lieu thereof "terial".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1238 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third readings

were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amndments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 5, by inserting after the word "county" the word "on".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 933 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 933, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 409), entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying, and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor," providing additional methods of postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 24, by striking out the word "therein" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "wherein."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1006 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 1006, entitled:

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amndments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 5, page 3, lines 26 and 27, by striking out the words "to be paid into the School Building Aid Fund"; also line 28 by adding after the word "act" the words "and upon approval of the State Council of Education."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk informs the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 421.

He also rteurned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 421, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 788.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act authorizing salary boards in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to provide for the appointment of Assistant District Attorneys and other employes in the office of the District Attorney on account of illness of

regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys and employes or on account of unusual conditions and circumstances and increased business in the office providing that the salaries shall not exceed the minimum salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of Assistant District Attorney shall not exceed the term and period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions or a law judge thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE No. 928.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 928, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 970.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 970, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1327.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1327, entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 73) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1622, (House Bill No. 1951), on third reading, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1622, (House Bill No. 1951), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 201, (Senate Bill No. 1774), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, borouhs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General

House Bill No. 1890, (Senate Bill No. 1775), entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to other than the defendant in the execution or process.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General

House Bill No. 2011, (Senate Bill No. 1776), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of phy-

sicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

House Bill No. 2133, (Senate Bill No. 1777), entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to construct dams of more than one hundred feet in height declaring such dams if built to be a nuisance and abatable as such and requiring applicants for permits to built certain dams to furnish proof of their financial responsibility.

Which was committed to the Committee on Corporations.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows:

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILLS Nos. 52, 187, 929, 188, 40, 276, 631, 806, 930, 563, 795, 919.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 52, file folio 1135, entitled, "An Act authorizing the register of wills in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary payable by the county."

Senate Bill No. 187, file folio 153, entitled, "An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class" approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera' by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they apply to cities of the second class A".

Senate Bill No. 929, file folio 2511, entitled, An Act relating to deductible assets in the calculation of the percentage of the assessed valuation of taxable property representing indebtedness in proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness by counties cities boroughs towns townships municipal districts and divisions

Senate Bill No. 188, file folio 177, entitled, "An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eleven) entitled 'A Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" approved the seventh day of March Anna Domini one thousand nine hundred and one creating a department of city planning providing for its organization and powers regulating the platting of ground prohibiting the recording of plans and sales of lots therein before their approval under penalties making it a misdemeanor for the recorder of deeds to record and unapproved plan restricting accepting laying out opening and improving private streets prohibiting the erection of buildings on land not abutting on public streets or streets not shown on the official master plan or an approved plat transferring to the department of city planning powers conferred by other statutes over plats or subdivisions of land the reservation of locations of mapped streets for future use and authorizing the assessment of damages for same the preparation and compilation of an official street map providing penalties for the violation of this act and repealing certain statutes' by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they appl. to cities of the second class A".

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 40, file folio 2143, entitled, "An Act to validate acts done by corporations before the recording of their charters."

Senate Bill No. 276, file folio 2413, entitled: "An Act to amend Section five of an act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act applying to third class counties only and regulating the selection drawing and summoning of all jurors and talesmen and defining their qualifications in such counties creating a jury board and defining its powers and procedure providing for the appointment of a clerk to the jury board and fixing his maximum salary providing for the custody of the jury wheel and the filing and custody of jury lists providing for the public drawing of jurors and the methods thereof giving the trial judge the right to excuse jurors prescribing the time of challenging jurors or the array and regulating the procedure if array is quashed repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by fixing the fees and mileage chargeable by the sheriff for summoning jurors."

Senate Bill No. 661, file folio 1193, entitled, "An Act authorizing the Department of Welfare to determine the legal residence of indigent insane, feeble-minded and epileptic persons returned to this Commonwealth by the authorities of another state, or transferred from one poor district to another by the Department, and requiring the proper district to pay the costs of the care and treatment of such persons in accordance with the laws relating to indigent insane persons."

Senate Bill No. 806, file folio 2095, entitled, "An Act to repeal section three of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 984) entitled "An act for the encouragement of unincorporated co-operative associations of agricultural and industrial workers providing that membership therein, and interest in the funds and property thereof, may be made nontransferable and imposing penalties upon persons making or accepting unlawful assignment, transfer, or pledge of such membership or interest."

Senate Bill No. 930, file folio 2377, entitled: "An Act to ratify, conform and validate as debts of the municipality bonds and obligations issued by municipal corporations for the payment of the cost of a public improvement which were to rest alone for their security and payment upon assessments for benefits."

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 563, file folio 2123, entitled, "An Act to amend section two hundred and five sections five hundred and six five hundred and eight five hundred and forty-three and one thousand four hundred and six as amended sections one

thousand four hundred and thirty-two one thousand six hundred and fourteen and one thousand eight hundred and one and sections two thousand six hundred and twenty-two and two thousand six hundred and twenty-six as amended of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith'."

Senate Bill No. 795, file folio 2087, entitled, "An Act requiring county commissioners to provide at the expense of the county telephone typewriter and stenographic services for the County Superintendent of Schools."

Senate Bill No. 919, file folio 2507, entitled, "An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred and two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled 'An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto' as amended by removing the exemption of the county of Clinton retaining the existing poor districts and the existing number of directors overseers and authorities in charge of said districts the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief thereby creating a county poor district administered by County Commissioners."

JOHN S. FISHER.

APPROVAL OF SENATE BILL No. 217, SENATE BILL No. 316, AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSION TO STUDY PRINTING LAWS AND PRINTING REQUIREMENTS.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

Senate Bill No. 217, file folio 3065, entitled, "An Act to amend the last two paragraphs of section thirteen of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-seven) entitled 'An act to provide for the personal registration of electors as a condition of their right to vote at elections and their enrollment as members of political parties as a further condition of their right to vote at primaries in cities of the first class of this Commonwealth by removing from office all existing registration commissioners and their appointees in said cities and authorizing the Governor to appoint registration commissions therein defining the jurisdiction of said commissions and the powers and duties of the commissioners constituting same and of their appointees including registrars inspectors of registration clerks and counsel fixing their qualifications terms of office and compensation granting them certain immunity from arrest on registration days and empowering such inspectors to arrest without warrant certain persons committing certain offenses in violation of this act in their presence as well as to enter and inspect buildings given as residences of electors to interrogate the inmates thereof to copy or demand a list of the lodgers therein and to supervise the conduct of registrars regulating the registration of electors at polling places by registrars and at the offices of commissions by commissioners and the right of parties or bodies of electors to have watchers thereat and the preparation and use of street lists and other records of those registered allowing the names of persons not entitled to vote to be struck from the registers in certain cases permitting all records regarding registrations to be inspected and copied by any elector under certain conditions directing how the registers shall be used at elections and primaries compelling the attendance of witnesses and payment of witness fees and providing penalties for refusal to obey subpoenas directing receivers of taxes to appoint chief clerks of commissions as deputies to collect poll taxes and to give receipts therefor authorizing such clerks to administer oaths sign subpoenas and vouchers and to collect and disburse witness fees prescribing a method for challenging persons applying for registration and the procedure for the correction of registers and for appealing from actions of registrars to said commissions and allowing for appeals for the decisions of the commissions in certain cases to courts of common pleas imposing certain duties upon election officers and upon the councils treasurers controllers receivers of taxes police officers and other officials of said cities and upon the courts judges prothonotaries sheriffs commissioners peace officers and other officials of the judicial districts and counties in which said cities are situated or with which they are coextensive legalizing certain acts required hereby if done on any Sunday or legal holiday requiring said cities to provide for the maintenance of said commissions and the compensation of their appointees and the payment of all expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of this act and to transfer the unexpended balances of all appropriations heretofore made for the personal registration of electors of said cities during the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen to and for the use of the said commissions punishing and fixing penalties for violations hereof and repealing all legislation inconsistent herewith'."

Senate Bill No. 316, file folio 1019, entitled, "An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of any city of the first class of this Commonwealth had and held for the purpose of increasing the indebtedness of such city of the first class or the refunding of the existing indebtedness providing for the redemption of the same and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance to such proceedings and elections".

A resolution of the Senate and House providing for the appointment of a commission to study and investigate the printing laws and the printing requirements of the several departments and of the General Assembly and for a report to the General Assembly in 1931.

JOHN S. FISHER.

VETO OF SENATE BILL No. 551.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 551, file folio 1023, entitled, "An Act providing for the payment of the cost of the care maintenance education and treatment of certain children committed to institutions from counties having more than one poor district by the poor district in which they resided".

This bill provides that in all counties having more than one poor district, the poor districts shall pay for the maintenance of dependent, delinquent, neglected or other children committed to institutions by the juvenile court.

In all other counties this expense is paid by the county under the provisions of the Act of April 23, 1903, P. L. 274.

In my judgment there is no good reason for destroying the uniformity which now exists in the method of meeting the expense of maintaining children committed to institutions by the juvenile courts. It seems to me to be entirely equitable that this expense should in all cases be a charge against the county as a whole.

In addition, the bill is of doubtful constitutionality, as it would in effect seem to be special legislation regulating the affairs of counties.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the question, together with the further consideration of the bill, be postponed for the present.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

VETO OF CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATES TO AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval Concurrent Resolution of April 3, 1929.

This resolution provides for the appointment of eight members of the General Assembly as delegates to the American Legislators' Association, whose meeting is held prior to the annual meeting of the American Bar Association.

I have no objection whatever to the appointment of a delegate or several delegates to attend this meeting, but in my opinion it is not necessary for the Commonwealth to incur the expense involved in having eight members of the Legislature appointed for this purpose.

The meetings of the American Legislators' Association are held in all parts of the United States, and I cannot approve establishing a precedent which would result in having a large representation from the General Assembly attend those meetings each year.

Every advantage which would accrue to the Commonwealth by having representatives at the meetings of the American Legislators' Association, can be secured by the attendance of one or two delegates with instructions to report to the General Assembly.

For these reasons the resolution is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move that the question, together with the further consideration of the bill, be postponed for the present.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

VETO OF SENATE RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION OF REPORT OF AUDITOR GENERAL SHOWING COMPENSATION AND CAR FARE PAID JUDGES.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval Senate Resolution of April 2, 1929.

This resolution provides for the publication of five hundred copies of the report of the Auditor General showing the compensation and car fare paid to each of the several judges in the State for services rendered by them outside of their own judicial districts for the years 1927 and 1928.

Pursuant to a resolution which I approved, the Auditor General furnished the information which the present resolution would require to be published.

I cannot see any good reason for the publication and circulation of this report. It was entirely proper for the General Assembly to request the information for its own use but to circulate it as a printed document is unnecessary.

For this reason the resolution is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass the objection of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. KUNKLE. Mr. President, I move that the question, together with the further consideration of the bill, be postponed for the present.

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

VETO OF SENATE BILL.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval Senate Bill No. 682, file folio 1237, entitled, "An Act to amend section sixteen of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled 'A act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer, chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways township or county roads and prescribing the contents of providing for per centage of cost of improvement or repairs township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorpor- State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of and State-aid highways; providing method of application for ated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; proving for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kinds of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' as amended".

This bill would require the Secretary of Highways to obtain the consent and approval of the county commissioners to construct reconstruct and improve State highways and would place upon the Motor License Fund the burden of paying one half of the damages to which affected property owners would be entitled. The bill would put the construction program of the Department of Highways at the mercy of local considerations. The dictates of sound engineering and safety, now an important concern of the Department of Highways, would have to give way to local conditions and expediency and the Department of Highways would be greatly hampered.

Moreover, the payment of land damages has always been, under the Sproul Act and its amendments and supplements,

a matter for the counties. The Motor License Fund has too many prospective burdens to justify further impositions upon it.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move that the question together with the further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate James Guy of Bristol, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in the Borough of Bristol, Bucks County, vice Frederick I. Kraft, Esq., deceased.

JOHN S. FISHER.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

BUCKS COUNTY.

E. S. Lovett, Morrisville.

LACKAWANNA COUNTY.

Miss M. E. McLaughlin, Scranton.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

David P. Noonan, Glenside.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Howard M. Cantrell, Phila., Commonwealth Tr. Bl.
Joseph L. McDermott, Phila., 16 W. Queen Lane.
Herbert B. Middleton, Phila., 5712 N. Broad St.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Miss Beulah Irene May, Glassport.
William B. McGrady, Pittsburgh, 412 Pearl St.
Geo. D. Rahn, Pittsburgh, Ellis Ave.

CENTRE COUNTY.

Russell F. Stein, State College.

CLINTON COUNTY.

Warren J. Bauman, Lock Haven.

DAUPHIN COUNTY.

Edwin M. Hershey, Hershey.
Fred T. Spear, Harrisburg.

LANCASTER COUNTY.

Harry H. Eshleman, Lancaster.

McKEAN COUNTY.

Miss Mary Hanlon, Port Allegheny.

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

D. H. Fegley, Sunbury.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Charles S. Bernard, Phila., 924 Pine St.
Miss Margaret M. Canning, Phila., 1600 Walnut St.
Samuel L. Sack, Phila., 607 Crozer Bldg.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

J. J. Weaver, Greensburg.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor to hereby nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following person for appointment as a Notary Public, for a term of four years to compute from the date set opposite her name:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Miss Anna R. Beatty, Pittsburgh, Frick Annex, April 20, 1929.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date set opposite their names:

BUTLER COUNTY.

Theodore C. Kearns, Lyndora, April 22, 1929.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY.

Miss Estelle DeViney, Clearfield, April 16, 1929.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Mollenkof, Phila., Mt. Airy, April 30, 1929.
H. H. Shinnamon, Phila., 2100 E. Cumberland, April 29, 1929.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That Rule 38 which requires nominations made by the Governor to be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into executive session, for the purpose of acting on the foregoing nominations,

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question wsa determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that the executive session do now rise.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 781.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 781, file folio 5583, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 781.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 753), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists, and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties;" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. GELDER. Mr President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 1, line 2 of the title, by striking out after the word 'of" and before the word "one" the word [June] and inserting in lieu thereof the word July; amend page 1, line 15 of the title, by striking out after the word "Revenue" and before the word "habitual" the words [the list of] and inserting in lieu thereof the words information concerning; amend page 2, line 5, by striking out at the beginning of the line the word [June] and inserting in lieu thereof the word July

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 415.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 415, file folio 5263, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 415.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I voted "aye"

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. WEINGARTNER Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WEINGARTNER Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 8, line 24, by striking out after the word "city" and before the word "in" the word [not] and inserting in lieu thereof the word nor.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 414.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 12, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 414, file folio 907, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 414.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WEINGARTNER offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 414, file folio, 907, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases

recalled from the Governor, be returned to the Governor.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 22.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EARNEST offered the following resolution, which was twice read as follows considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 130 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by adding thereto clause fifty authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 10, by striking out the word "fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 917 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 917, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred ninety-five, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight), as amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-four), entitled "An act to amend the second section, as amended of, and to supplement, an act, entitled 'A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act, entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, amending the twenty-fourth section, by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth,' approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five; amending the same to provide for the payment of the net proceeds of the entire two per centum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement, including townships among the distributees."

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments, the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 4, by striking out the word "as"; also by striking out lines 5 to 17, inclusive; also page 2 by striking out lines 1 to 7, inclusive; and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth"; also section 1, page 2, line 6, by inserting after the word "eight" the following: "entitled A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth as amended by the act approved; also page 3, line 2, by inserting after the word "thereby" the word "further"; also section 2, page 3, line 23, by striking out the word "purpose" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "purposes."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 930 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 3, page 2, line 21 by striking out "han"; also line 22 by inserting before "ling" "hand"; also section 4, page 3, line 10 by striking out the word "principle" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "principal"; also section 22m page 17 line 19 by striking out the words "if a stock with par value".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1037 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1037, entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the con-

sideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 2, section 3, line 20, by striking out the words "sickness, accident and"; also page 3, by adding after line 10, the following:

"Section 6 The provisions of this Act are severable and if any of the provisions hereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this Act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this Act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein"; also page 3, line 11, by striking out the figure "6" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "7".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 783 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bi

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 6, page 17, line 15, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 96 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 96, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home For Training in Speech of Deaf Children, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

with information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representative to the foregoing bill.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 2, by striking out the word "the"; also lines 2 and 3 by striking out the words "Before they are of school age"; also section 1, page 1, line 6, by striking out the words "Before they are of school age"; also lines 11 and 12 by striking out the words "additions extensions alterations"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward

Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 113 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the words "one hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty"; also by striking out "$100,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$60,000.00"; also line 10, by striking out the words "ninety-six" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six"; also line 11, by striking out "$96,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof "$56,000.00".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 272 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 272, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any State of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, lines 9 and 10 by striking out the words "or before any magistrate, alderman or justice of the peace"; also page 2, line 10, by striking out the words "before the magistrate or justice of the peace".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representative accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 958 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 958, entitled:

An Act to amend section one, three hundred and five, three hundred and six, and three hundred and seven as amended, of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 3, page 5, by striking out lines 28 and 29; also page 6 by striking out lines 1 to 16 inclusive; also page 11, line 15, by striking out the numeral "4" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "3".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1139.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1139, file folio 6063, entitled:

An act to amend sections twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273) entitled "An act for t ehregistration and regulation of certain individuals and entri esselling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1142.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1142, file folio 5987, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (P. L. 1311) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1143.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1143, file folio 5999, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization, maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations, partnerships, unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof, providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents," as amended.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 674, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 380, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act to amend Rule Twenty-five of Article Twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 477.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 477, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Com

sioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, proand state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 526.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 526, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 596.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 596, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 691.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 691, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 534), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films, reels, or stereopticon views or slides; providing a system of examination, approval, and regulation thereof, and of the banners, posters, and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith; creating the Board of Censors; and providing penalties for the violation of this act." excepting from examination under said act news reels and films or reels.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 717.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance operation and inspection of boilers granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 938.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 938, enttiled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men, furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 792.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 792, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 794.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Common-

wealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 974.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 974, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 979.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 979, entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1025.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1025, entitled:

An Act requiring all title insurance companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof, and regulating the same.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1088.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1088, entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1089.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1290.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1290, entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highways Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1303.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1303, entitled:

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1332.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No 1332, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1036.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1036, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1238.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional quali-

fications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

with information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 332, (Senate Bill No. 1778), entitled:

An Act relating to executions, providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof, preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

House Bill No. 1463, (Senate Bill No. 1779), entitled:

An act to amend clause four of section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1661, (House Bill No. 2029), entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise, and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. FREEMAN, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1776, (House Bill No. 2011), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties," as amended; defining drugs to include mari juana.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDNET. Is there objection? The Chairs hears none.

Mr. DAIX, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1774, (House Bill No. 201), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1775, (House Bill No. 1890), entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1778, (House Bill No. 332), entitled:

An Act relating to executions, providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any eexcution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof, preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

Also, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1779, (House Bill No. 1463), entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of Section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I move that all bill reported from committees at today's session be read the first time.

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 519, (House Bill No. 305), entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class where such applications were refused but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 759, (House Bill No. 340), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for the second reading .

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 953, (House Bill No. 1236), entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen

(Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 954, (House Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act to amend (part) paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 663), entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Sheriffs in this Commonwealth, and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same," by increasing the fees for serving writs and summonses.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1103, (House Bill No. 864), entitled:

An Act to amend section five, article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1112, (House Bill No. 1184), entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of nonresidents and to make uniform the laws of the State, with reference thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1113, (House Bill No. 1194), entitled:

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1167, (House Bill No. 814), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 268), entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill 1264, (House Bill No. 1071), entitled:

An Act to amend section three, as amended, of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1310, (House Bill No. 180), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1315, (House Bill No. 1049), entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended, and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended, of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1367, (House Bill No. 1870), entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1519, (House Bill No. 1464), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six, one thousand six hundred sixty-seven, one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction, opening, dedication and drainage of highways.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1544, (House Bill No. 1934), entitled:

An Act to amend further an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty), entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto; for the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages, and others interested in real estate, from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances; and of companies entitled to the benefits of, and companies having any of the powers of, companies entitled to the benefits of an act, entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance, safety deposit, trust, and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and of the supplements thereto,' approved June twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, commonly known as title insurance of trust companies," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1570, (House Bill No. 533), entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Court of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' Courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1576, (House Bill No. 1360), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 774) entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1578, (House Bill No. 1816), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1581, (House Bill No. 1977), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1590, (House Bill No. 1889), entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1616, (House Bill No. 1745), entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom; for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1618, (House Bill No. 1885), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1633, (House Bill No. 797), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July 17, 1919, (P. L. 1003), entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties," and its amendment of May 20, 1921, (P. L. 997), entitled "An act to amend section one of the act, approved and seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three), entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties,'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1634, (House Bill No. 2095), entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporatd towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1639, (House Bill No. 324), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

And said bill having beeen read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1646, (House Bill No. 1378), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1647, (House Bill No. 1379), entitled;

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1648, (House Bill No. 1380), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1649, (House Bill No. 1410), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To to be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill 1651, (House Bill No. 1598), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereon has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1655, (House Bill No. 1925), entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1656, (House Bill No. 1931), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1660, (House Bill No. 2002), entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1661, (House Bill No. 2029), entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1663, (House Bill No. 2058), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1664, (House Bill No. 2059), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1665, (House Bill No. 2061), entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1666, (House Bill No. 2072), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1668, (House Bill No. 2081), entitled:

An act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1667, (House Bill No. 2076), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading,

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1669, (House Bill No. 2084), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1672, (House Bill No. 229), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 101) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation".

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1673, (House Bill No. 301), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and conisderation of Senate Bill No. 1674, (House Bill No. 925), entitled :

An Act to further amend section one of an act, approved the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and providing penalties for the violation thereof," as amended, by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking, shall, pending their approval, be turned into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1676, (House Bill No. 1144), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1677, (House Bill No. 1163), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1678, (House Bill No. 1183), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1680, (House Bill No. 1504), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of additional State Buildings in Harrisburg and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1681, (House Bill No. 1583), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" increasing the compensation of directors.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1684, (House Bill No. 1813), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 843) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1687, (House Bill No. 1879), entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1683, (House Bill No. 1884), entitled:

An act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act,"

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1690, (House Bill No. 1897), entitled:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibuses having pneumatic tires.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1691, (House Bill No. 1905), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law, to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed; providing for notice to owners, if known, and to the Department of Revenue; providing for the payment of charges of such seizure, advertising and sale, and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges, and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1695, (House Bill No. 2056), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five, four hundred and ninety-eight, and five hundred, of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1698, (House Bill No. 2082), entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Seante Bill No. 1701, (House Bill No. 13), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1702, (House Bill No. 165), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1703, (House Bill No. 338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1705, (House Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1707, (House Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1708, (House Bill No. 464), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1709, (House Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1710, (House Bill No. 753), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1711, (House Bill No. 809), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1712, (House Bill No. 887), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infant's Home and Hospital of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1713, (House Bill No. 888), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1714, (House Bill No. 890), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1715, (House Bill No. 952), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1716, (House Bill No. 973), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1717, (House Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act making an appropiration to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1718, (House Bill No. 1070), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1719, (House Bill No. 1123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1720, (House Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1721, (House Bill No. 1149), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1722, (House Bill No. 1170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1723, (House Bill No. 1172), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1724, (House Bill No. 1214), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1725, (House Bill No. 1232), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1726, (House Bill No. 1353), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1727, (House Bill No. 1365), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1728, (House Bill No. 1429), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1729, (House Bill No. 1478), entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1730, (House Bill No. 1480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1731, (House Bill No. 1489), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1732, (House Bill No. 1507), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1733, (House Bill No. 1586), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1734, (House Bill No. 1591), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading .

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1735, (House Bill No. 1600), entitled:

An Act exempting from taxation for State purposes and for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties for State city and county purposes all bank accounts having interest.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1737, (House Bill No. 1661), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1740, (House Bill No. 1927), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1741, (House Bill No. 2060), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railways companies

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1742, (House Bill No. 2066), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children, Doylestown, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1743, (House Bill No. 2074), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1744, (House Bill No. 2077), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1745, (House Bill No. 2033), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the attorney general to the Department of Revenue

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1746, (House Bill No. 2035), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno

Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide fo rthe collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individual for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1747, (House Bill No. 2086), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1748, (House Bill No. 2087), entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1749. (House Bill No. 2088), entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1751, (House Bill No. 2100), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1752, (House Bill No. 1161), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1753, (House Bill No. 1473), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1754, (House Bill No. 2296), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1755, (House Bill No. 1768), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1756, (House Bill No. 1915), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 27) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating

thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1758, (House Bill No. 1972), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1759, (House Bill No. 2012), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1760, (House Bill No. 2013), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in cities boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1763, (House Bill No. 2090), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1764, (House Bill No. 993), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1766, (House Bill No. 57), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1767, (House Bill No. 497), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1768, (House Bill No. 987), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1769, (House Bill No. 1112), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1770, (House Bill No. 1551), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1771, (House Bill No. 2033), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1772, (House Bill No. 806), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1773, (House Bill No. 1155), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1774, (House Bill No. 201), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 716) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in case of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1775, (House Bill No. 1890), entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution of process.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1776, (House Bill No. 2011), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administoring prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug addict by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists vetreinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1778, (House Bill No. 332), entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1779, (House Bill No. 1463), entitled:

An Act to amend Clause four of Section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs".

And said bill having been read at length the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until 12 o'clock noon to-morrow.

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 11.59 p. m. until Tuesday, April 15, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MONDAY, April 15, 1929.

The House met at 8.00 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph.D. offered the following prayer.

Gracious Father, we thank Thee for the faith of our fathers living still. Especially, for the faith of David in the classic psalm: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want,

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, tho I walk thru the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; Thy rod and staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

Thte SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of Thursday, April 11, 1929.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of Thursday, April 11, 1929, when on motion of Mr. William Boud Smith, seconded by Mr. Linton, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. SPANGLER asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. STEIN on account of illness.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence, bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 9. (HOUSE BILL No. 2390).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act," fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease, and the rate of said tax.

Referred to the Committee on Repeal Bills.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bills numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 78. (HOUSE BILL No. 2391).

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a joint legislative committee to investigate and report upon the conduct, operation, management and administration of building and loan associations; defining the duties of said committee and making an appropriation to meet its expenses.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

SENATE BILL No. 1306. (HOUSE BILL No. 2392).

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions and Gratuities.

SENATE BILL No. 1256. (HOUSE BILL No. 2393).

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," as amended; more specifically outlining the power of the board with respect to licenses, and providing procedure relatives thereto, and providing for the disposition of moneys collected.

Referred to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

SENATE BILL No. 1583. (HOUSE BILL No. 2394).

A Joint Resolution directing the Public Service Commission to proclaim certain freight transportation rates on routes wholly within the State and imposing duties on the Governor and the Attorney General in connection therewith.

Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

SENATE BILL No. 1157. (HOUSE BILL No. 2395).

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 107. (HOUSE BILL No. 2396).

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 719), entitled "An act regulating certain political parties; providing for and regulating the nomination of candidates of such political parties for certain public offices, the election of delegates and alternate delegates to national party conventions ,and of certain party officers, including State committeemen; a method whereby electors of such political parties may express their choice of candidates for the office of President of the United States; and the payment by the several counties, and their reimbursement by the State, of the expenses of the same; authorizing the State committee of a political party to make, and to alter, amend and revoke, rules; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of certain offenses provided for herein; and repealing inconsistent legislation;" as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 108. (HOUSE BILL No. 2397).

An Act permitting any citizen to inspect certain election records and obtain certified copies thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 285. (HOUSE BILL No. 2398).

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 422. (HOUSE BILL No. 2399).

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Luzerne, and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

SENATE BILL No. 510. (HOUSE BILL No. 2400).

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and

agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 567. (HOUSE BILL No. 2401).

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

SENATE BILL No. 914. (HOUSE BILL No. 2402).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of of such lands for taxes," as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1085. (HOUSE BILL No. 2403).

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments, or other questions, are submitted to the vote of the people.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 1134. (HOUSE BILL No. 2404).

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other building devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1135. (HOUSE BILL No. 2405).

An Act fixing the salary of county controllers in counties of the fourth class.

Referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

SENATE BILL No. 1137. (HOUSE BILL No. 2406).

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1185. (HOUSE BILL No. 2407).

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1241. (HOUSE BILL No. 2408).

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1242. (HOUSE BILL No. 2409).

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1285. (HOUSE BILL No. 2410).

An Act to amend section nine of the act, approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania lines on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1287. (HOUSE BILL No. 2411).

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1296. (HOUSE BILL No. 2412.)

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities refined herein, including securities issued them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1304. (HOUSE BILL No. 2413).

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1333. (HOUSE BILL No. 2414).

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

SENATE BILL No. 1336. (HOUSE BILL No. 2415).

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three), entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment.

Referred to the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.

SENATE BILL No. 1337. (HOUSE BILL No. 2416).

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE BILL No. 1338. (HOUSE BILL No. 2417).

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1479. (HOUSE BILL No. 2418).

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1481. (HOUSE BILL No. 2419).

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 764) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board, also when the adjudication is within said period.

Referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

SENATE BILL No. 1563. (HOUSE BILL No. 2420).

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

Referred to the Committee on Aeronautics.

SENATE BILL No. 443. (HOUSE BILL No. 2421).

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 1012. (HOUSE BILL No. 2422).

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

RESOLUTION.

CONGRATULATING QUAY HEWITT, READING CLERK.

Mr. BALDRIGE offered a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Whereas, To-day, April fifteenth, marks another anniversary of the birth of the Reading Clerk of this House, that fifty thousand watt broadcasting station, Quay Hewitt, and

Whereas, By some stroke of fate, it is also the anniversary of the birth of the wife of the said Quay Hewitt, and

Whereas, For nineteen blissful years these two have been traveling the primrose path of happiness together, and this day marks also the anniversary of their union, with which event, however, fate had no hand, but

Whereas, That same fate moving in a most mysterious way its wonders to perform, made it also the birthday of John A. Hewitt, a son of the said Quay Hewitt, and

Whereas, Natural bashfulness and a retiring disposition have prevented him from making an announcement of the quadruple anniversary he has personally been celebrating throughout the day, and

Whereas, It is proper that the House should be informed and be allowed to participate in the celebration of four such epochal, momentous and important anniversaries, therefore be it

Resolved, That the House extend its felicitations to Mrs. Hewitt and her son, and to the Quay Hewitt upon this remarkable anniversary, and that as a further recognition of the occasion, and as a mark of its acknowledgment of the ability of its official broadcaster, the amplifiers in the House be disconnected during the second reading of this resolution. and be it further

Resolved, That the House extend to the said Quay Hewitt full permission to invite the Members thereof to participate in any further celebration of the event that he may feel is fully commensurate with its importance.

RESOLUTION.

APPOINTING COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Mr. TALBOT, at the request of Mr. Turner, offered a resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Chief Clerk of the House and five members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker, shall constitute a committee to devise ways and means to simplify the printing of House bills, calendars and histories and to reduce the amount thereof in order that that business of the House may be expedited, and to report to the House of Representatives at the session of 1931. In its report the committee shall suggest such changes in the rules of the House as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of its report.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1655 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. RICE offered a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate Concur), That House Bill No. 1655, Printer's No. 1029, White File Folio 0059, entitled: "An act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws' by adding thereto section four hundred (fifteen) twenty", be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence,

RESOLUTION.

Mr. DUNN offered a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Whereas, The numerous and efficient employes of the House including clerks, sergeants-at-arms, pages, will soon be deprived of the employment they have been enjoying, by reasons of the adjournment, sine die of the Legislature. and

Whereas, These employes have, during the past three months, demonstrated their reliability, capability, and efficiency, and are deserving of obtaining future employment, therefore be it

Resolved, That the House recommends to the employing public all these who have been employed during this session as being capable, reliable, conscientious and efficient, and worthy of employment in any position for which they are qualified

BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 891, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion for the purpose of assisting in defraying the expenses of the annual conventions of Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion during the years one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and one thousand nine hundred and thirty

The sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) shall be payable immediately after the holding of the annual convention in each of said years by warrant of the Auditor General on the State Treasurer upon requisition of the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion accompanied by a statement verified by affidavit showing that there was expended by the said Finance Committee for the purpose of defraying the expenses of such convention more than the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000) or that there remain unpaid obligations contracted for such purpose by said Committee which together with the money expended amounts to more than five thousand dollars ($5,000)

And said bill having been read at length second time and agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2198 (Senate Bill No. 103), as follows:

A Further Supplement to an act approved the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirteen) entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to carry into effect the act of Congress approved July second one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two granting public land to the several states for educational purposes and the act of the Legislature of Pennsyl-

vania approved April first one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three accepting the provisions and conditions of said act of Congress and pledging faith of the state to carry the same into effect the sum of six million two hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars ($6,261,000) is hereby specifically appropriated for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to the Trustees of The Pennsylvania State College for the following purposes

For the general maintenance of instruction in the School of Agriculture and of instruction research and extension in the School of Engineering the School of the Liberal Arts the School of Mines and Metallurgy the School of Chemistry and Physics the School of Education the Graduate School the Department of Physical Education the Department of Military Science and the Carnegie Library including repairs to grounds and buildings service of light heat power water and sewage disposal salaries and wages materials and supplies and equipment street paving insurance and interest and such other expenditures as the Trustees may deem necessary and practicable including any payment becoming due under a cooperative agreement between the Commonwealth and the Trustees for the joint use of the facilities of the Pennsylvania State Forest School at Mont Alto the sum of two million three hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($2,350,000)

For the maintenance and equipment for research and experimental investigation on problems related to the agricultural industry of the State including administration and operation maintenance and repair of physical plant the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000)

For meeting the provisions of the act of Congress approved May eighth one thousand nine hundred and fourteen providing for agricultural and home economics extension and for other forms of extension work in agriculture and home economics including administration and operation maintenance and repair of physical plant the sum of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($650,000)

For the payment of the accumulated debt of the Pennsylvania State College the sum of seven hundred and eleven thousand dollars ($711,000)

For the erection of new buildings and the enlargement or alteration of existing buildings including equipment furnishings and the necessary extension of electric water steam and sewage service lines as in the judgment of the Trustees may be required the sum of two million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($2,250.000)

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. D.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. GOEHRING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the Presbyterian Hospital has been under the management of the Presbyterian Church. It has been conducted, though, as a non-sectarian institution. There is a petition now pending in our courts to take it out of the sectarian channel. Mr. Boyer, a very reputable member of our bar, expects to get an order made this week. In the event that that order is not made, and in the event it is not taken out of the sectarian channel, I will give this House my word that I will notify the Governor in time that he can veto this bill. It is a wonderful institution. Up to this time it has never played a sectarian part as far as patients are concerned nor as far as the proceedings of the hospital is concerned, except it has been under the management of the Presbyterian Church. A telegram has come to me to that effect. I will read it to you. Mr. Michel is the sponsor of this bill and here is a telegram he has received: "At meeting all amendments to constitution and by-laws necessary to make Presbyterian Hospital at Pittsburgh absolutely non-sectarian were unanimously adopted. The work of the Hospital has always been non-sectarian." And I understand from Mr. Boyer that a petition is being presented or has been presented in our courts, and he expects an order this week. Now, as I said before, I give you my word that unless this order is made taking it out of the sectarian channel, I will notify the Governor in time that he may veto the bill, because I do believe that as long as it is we have no right to ask the Governor to sign such a bill but we have a right to vote on it. If you will take my word on it I will ask you to vote aye on the bill.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—143.

Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Muncy,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Katz,	Powell,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	King,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Evans,	Marcus,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Witkin,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.

NAYS—43.

Adams, E. C.,	Donnell,	Leidich,	Ronemus,
Barton,	Faches,	Loucks,	Schrock,
Bausher,	Ede,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Behm,	Harter,	McKay,	Sheely,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bickett,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stark,
Clark, M. S.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Walker,
Clovis,	Himes,	Pethick,	Way,
Davis,	Howe,	Post,	Wright,
Dengler,	Landis,		

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and sixty-one), entitled "An act authorizing the use for certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction and for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Education, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2321, (Senate Bill No. 1259), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh, and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2340, (Senate Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on Judicary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2351, (Senate Bill No. 425), entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Education, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 2051, (Senate Bill No. 1082), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER, from the Committee on Repeal Bills, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2390, (Senate Bill No. 9), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2305, (Senate Bill No. 465), entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

Mr. WHEELER, from the Committee on Military, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2349, (Senate Bill No. 1308), entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

Mr. EMHARDT, from the Committee on Judiciary Special, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 2354, (Senate Bill No. 506), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances, regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau, providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed ,House Bill No. 1692, (Senate Bill No. 805), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of fees and costs to the prothonotary in attachment proceedings.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and sixty-one), entitled "An act authorizing the use of certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2321, (Senate Bill No. 1259), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2340, (Senate Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2351, (Senate Bill No. 425), entitled:

An Act providing that when Cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessment for liens against abutting properties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2390, (Senate Bill No. 9), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-one) entitled an act "Imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2349, (Senate Bill No. 1308), entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as sand and eight, one thousand and twenty-eight, one thousand one hundred and ten, clauses five, eleven and fifty-three of General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1692, (Senate Bill No. 805), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of fees and costs to the prothonotary in attachment proceedings

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2033, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,

Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Staub,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg	Haws	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, that the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,

Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2337, (Senate Bill No. 1292), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2338, (Senate Bill No. 1329), entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,

Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2341, (Senate Bill No. 1339), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2342, (Senate Bill No. 1341), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 806, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State Property.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1173, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, of Allegheny County.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2355, (Senate Bill No. 48), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reafer,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2363, (Senate Bill No. 247), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission of the City of Williamsport Lycoming County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2364, (Senate Bill No. 242), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2365, (Senate Bill No. 273), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in tthe affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2366, (Senate Bill No. 371), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2367, (Senate Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,

Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zieglenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2368, (Senate Bill No. 373), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,

Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zieglenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2369 (Senate Bill No. 413), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,

Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2356, (Senate Bill No. 73), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2357, (Senate Bill No. 123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2358, (Senate Bill No. 202), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zieserheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2359, (Senate Bill No. 203), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Zieserheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2360, (Senate Bill No. 204), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,

Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2361, (Senate Bill No. 224), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2332, (Senate Bill No. 239), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,

Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2370, (Senate Bill No. 423), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler.
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2371, (Senate Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2372, (Senate Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2373, (Senate Bill No. 461), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2374, (Senate Bill No. 554), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2375, (Senate Bill No. 559), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2376, (Senate Bill No. 652), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged, located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,

Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2377, (Senate Bil No. 653), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constition, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2378, (Senate Bill No. 684), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged, at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin
Eaches,	Loucks	Ronemus,	Wolfe,

Ede	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2379, (Senate Bill No. 695), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer.
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2330, (Senate Bill No. 845), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the arfirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2381, (Senate Bill No. 1093), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler.	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2382, (Senate Bill No. 1136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House, Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler.	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2383, (Senate Bill No. 1289), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,

Daily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shertz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2384, (Senate Bill No. 1293), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. G.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2385, (Senate Bill No. 1301), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. G.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,

Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton.	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose.	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2386, (Senate Bill No. 1305), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Konr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton.	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose.	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2387, (Senate Bill No. 1331), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton.	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose.	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2388, (Senate Bill No. 1340), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2389, (Senate Bill No. 1342), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colerman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. BLUMBERG asked and obtained unanimous consent to call us out of order House Bill No. 1551, file folio 7019, on page 24 of today's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Blumberg,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

On the question recurring.

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, the bill before you now is House Bill No. 1561, known as the zoning bill for Philadelphia. There are two bills pertaining to this subject; one of them was introduced in the Senate and was passed by the Senate and is now in this House; the other is the bill which is before you and which is an exact duplicate of the Senate bill.

The bill reads beautiful; the title reads nice, but what it means is this: That it restricts the use of real estate. In Philadelphia we have at the present time thousands and thousands of dollars' worth of building contemplated and about ready to proceed. If this bill becomes a law it means that we must meet the regulations laid down by the zoning commission. In Philadelphia we have many sections in which no piece of property is worth anything to-day, or rather will not bring in a revenue commensurate with the valuation placed upon the land, unless it has buildings of forty stories built on it, so valuable is the land. This bill will put all of that property under the regulations of some zoning commission. Who that commission may be nobody knows. I would ask you to save that central real estate. The bill, the House Bill, in our committee, we will endeavor to amend so as to except the central part of Philadelphia, and except a number of wards in Philadelphia, but it will permit the zoning commission to control the residential sections. I think you will agree with me that that is sufficient. Why a commission should try to destroy a three million dollar valuation or a five million dollar valuation is more than I can see. I ask you to vote "no" on this bill and to vote "yes" on the bill that will come out of committee as amended.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I dislike very much taking issue with my colleague from Philadelphia, Mr. Sowers. All of you know that the zoning regulations are not in use in Philadelphia. Every municipality in the State has their ordinances and regulations in regard to building but the largest city of the State does not have zoning. This bill does not give the officials of Philadelphia a zoning law; it is merely an enabling act. It permits the city council of Philadelphia to pass zoning ordinances in the interest of real estate owners and of living conditions in Philadelphia. All of you know that they will not and cannot regulate building in a city without zoning. Without some such provision of law you might have a factory put up in a real residential section which would destroy the value of the other real estate in that section. This bill merely provides that the city council of Philadelphia may pass such zoning ordinances as are needed by the city. This bill comes to you, gentlemen, with the approval of the city council, the approval of the mayor and the approval of every civic organization in Philadelphia. It is opposed only by a few who may be selfishly interested. We ask you to give the city of Philadelphia the right to pass zoning ordinances and therefore I ask you to vote "aye" on this bill.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—157.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	McAlinn,	Schilling,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	McCallister,	Schreck,
Baily,	Flynn,	McCann,	Schrock,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fox,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Fuller,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Gelnett,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Behm,	Groeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Grimes,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Gross,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Washington,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Way,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Welty,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wike,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wright,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Yerg,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Root,	Ziesenheim,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Hess,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Speaker.
Erdley,	McAlee,		

NAYS—13.

Baker,	Gwynne,	Shortz,	Stevenson,
Bechtel,	Leidich,	Sowers,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Schwartz,	Staudenmeier,	White,
Davis,			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 247.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up at this time the report of the Committee on Conference on House Bill No. 247, file folio 6891.

The Clerk read the report as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 247, entitled: "An Act affecting marital relations; prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages,

and amending, reviving, and consolidating the law relating thereto," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

M. G LESLIE,
ALBERT DAVIS,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate

THOMAS B. WILSON,
JACOB MATHAY,
JOHN A. RHODES,
Committee on the Part of the House of Representatives

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending revising and consolidating the law relating thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the laws relating to and regulating divorce from the bonds of matrimony from bed and board and the annulment of bigamous marriages are hereby codified revised and consolidated as follows

GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE AND ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE

Section 10 GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE FROM BOND OF MATRIMONY 1 When a marriage has been heretofore or shall hereafter be contracted and celebrated between two persons it shall be lawful for the innocent and injured spouse to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony whenever it shall be judged in the manner hereinafter provided that the other spouse

(a) At the time of the contract was and still is naturally and incurably impotent or incapable of procreation or

(b) Has knowingly entered into a second marriage in violation of the previous vows he or she made to the former spouse whose marriage is still subsisting or

(c) Shall have committed adultery or

(d) Shall have committed wilful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation of the injured and innocent spouse without a reasonable cause for and during the term and space of two years or

(e) Shall have by cruel and barbarous treatment endangered the life of the injured and innocent spouse or

(f) Shall have offered such indignities to the person of the injured and innocent spouse as to render his or her condition intolerable and life burdensome or

(g) Shall have procured the marriage by fraud force or coercion and which has not been subsequently confirmed by the acts of the injured and innocent spouse or

(h) Shall have been convicted as principal or as accessory either before or after the fact within or without this Commonwealth of the crime of arson burglary embezzlement forgery kidnapping larceny murder either in the first or second degree assault with intent to kill voluntary manslaughter perjury rape robbery sodomy buggery treason or misprision of treason and be sentenced to imprisonment for any term of two years or more by a competent court having jurisdiction

2 When a marriage has been heretofore or shall hereafter be contracted and celebrated between two persons within the prohibited degrees of consanguinity or affinity according to the tables established by law it shall be lawful for either of said parties to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony in the manner hereinafter provided or

3 If any spouse upon any false rumor in appearance well founded of the death of the other when such other has been absent for the space of two whole years hath married or shall marry again the party who has not remarried may at his or her return have his or her own marriage dissolved by divorce on the ground of bigamy leaving the other party to remain with the second husband or wife Any such action shall be instituted within six months after such return

Section 11 GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE FROM BED AND BOARD Upon complaint and due proof thereof it shall be lawful for a wife to obtain a divorce from bed and board whenever it shall be judged in the manner hereinafter provided in cases of divorce that her husband has

(a) Maliciously abandoned his family or

(b) Maliciously turned her out of doors or

(c) By cruel and barbarous treatment endangered her life or

(d) Offered such indignities to her person as to render her condition intolerable and life burdensome or

(e) Committed adultery

Section 12 ANNULMENT OF BIGAMOUS MARRIAGES In all cases where a supposed or alleged marriage shall have been contracted which is absolutely void by reason of one of the parties thereto having a spouse living at the time the supposed or alleged marriage may upon the application of either party be declared null and void in accord with the principles and forms hereinafter prescribed for cases of divorce from the bond of matrimony

JURISDICTION

Section 15 JURISDICTION The several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth shall have original jurisdiction of cases of divorce from the bonds of matrimony from bed and board and in the annulment of marriages under the provisions of this act The said courts shall have power to grant divorces and to annul marriages notwithstanding the fact that the marriage of the parties and the cause for divorce occurred outside of this Commonwealth and that both parties were at the time of the occurrence of said cause domiciled without this Commonwealth and that the respondent has been served with the subpoena only by publication as provided by this act

All petitions or libels for divorce shall be exhibited to the court of the county where the libellant resides except where the husband and wife shall be resident in different counties of this Commonwealth and while so resident a cause of divorce shall arise in which cases the libellant may at his or her option institute and prosecute proceedings either in the county of his or her own residence or in the county wherein the respondent shall be resident and the cause for divorce shall have arisen

Petitions or libels for the annulment of bigamous marriages may be exhibited to the court of common pleas of the county where the marriage was contracted or in the county where either the libellant or respondent resides and in such cases residence of the libellant within the county or State for any period shall not be required

Section 16 RESIDENCE OF LIBELLANT No spouse shall be entitled to commence proceedings for divorce by virtue of this act who shall not have been a bona fide resident in this Commonwealth at least one whole year immediately previous to the filing of his or her petition or libel The libellant shall be a competent witness to prove his or her residence

Section 17 TIME WHEN LIBEL IN DESERTION CASES MAY BE EXHIBITED In cases of wilful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation without reasonable cause it shall be lawful for the injured and innocent spouse to exhibit his or her petition or libel to the court at any time not less than six months after such cause for divorce shall have taken place but the case shall not proceed to a hearing until after the expiration of two years from the time at which such desertion took place

Section 18 JURISDICTION WHERE RESPONDENT A LUNATIC In cases where a spouse is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the courts of common pleas shall have jurisdiction to receive a petition or libel for divorce in which such lunatic or person non compos mentis is made the respondent but only for a ground provided for in section ten of this act The proceedings except as otherwise expressly provided in this act shall in such cases be the same as in other proceedings for divorce

LIBEL SUBPOENAS SERVICE

Section 25 PRESENTATION OF LIBEL CONTENTS AFFIDAVIT Any spouse may have his or her petition or libel in divorce presented to the court of common pleas when in session or during vacation to a judge thereof at chambers The petition or libel shall set forth therein particularly and specifically the cause of his or her complaint and shall be accompanied with an affidavit on oath or affirmation taken before one of the said judges or the prothonotary or clerk of the court of common pleas or any person in any county of the Commonwealth legally authorized to take acknowledgments that the facts contained in said petition or libel are true to the best of his or her knowledge and belief and that the said

complaint is not made out of levity or by collusion between the said husband and wife and for the mere purpose of being freed and separated from each other but in sincerity and truth for the causes mentioned

In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the fact of lunacy of the respondent and such circumstances as may be sufficient to satisfy the mind of the court as to the truth of the allegation shall be set forth in the petition or libel and affidavit required by this section shall be taken by the petitioner

In cases where the libellant is a minor the libel shall be presented by a relative or next friend and the affidavit thereto shall be taken by such minor libellant

Section 26 AWARDING SUBPOENA WHEN RETURNABLE Upon the presentation of the petition or libel a subpoena may be awarded by the said court signed by the prothonotary and directed to the party so complained against commanding him or her to appear which subpoena shall be returnable not less than thirty days after the award thereof either to the next or subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return day as shall have been or may be established for such court of common pleas either by statute or rule of court or both

Section 27 SERVICE AND RETURN OF SUBPOENA Upon due proof at the return of said subpoena that the same shall have been served personally upon the respondent or in the case of a minor upon such minor and upon his or her guardian within the Commonwealth and that a copy had been given to him or her on or before the return day of the same the said court shall and may make such preparatory rules and orders in the cause that the same may be brought to a hearing and determined at which hearing the court may determine the same ex parte if necessary

Section 28 AWARDING SERVICE AND RETURN OF ALIAS SUBPOENA If upon the return of said subpoena proof shall be made that the said respondent could not be found an alias subpoena shall issue returnable not less than thirty days after the award thereof to the next or any subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return day as shall have been or may be established for such court either by statute or rule of the court or both which alias subpoena shall be served personally in the manner provided for the service of the subpoena and if so served the same proceedings shall be had as are directed after the personal service of a subpoena

Section 29 SERVICE BY PUBLICATION If on the return of the alias subpoena or any pluries subpoena proof shall be made that the respondent could not be found the sheriff of the county upon the filing of a praecipe in the office of the prothonotary shall cause notice to be published in one or more newspapers printed within or nearest to the said county and in the legal journal if any designated by the rules of court for the publication of legal notices once a week for three successive weeks requiring the said party to appear and to answer said complaint which publication shall be returnable not less than thirty days after the filing date of the praecipe to the next or subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return days as shall have been or may be established for such court either by statute or rule of court or both after which the same proceedings shall be had as directed after the personal service of a subpoena

Section 30 SERVICE WHERE RESPONDENT A LUNATIC In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the service of the subpoena in divorce shall be made as provided in this act but such service shall be made upon the committee of such lunatic or person non compos mentis

Section 31 APPEARANCE ANSWER The respondent may in any case brought under the provisions of this act cause an appearance to be entered and file an answer to the petition or libel and the entry of a general appearance shall be equivalent to personal service of the subpoena and libel

JURY TRIAL REFERENCE TO MASTER

Section 35 JURY TRIAL After service on the respondent in the manner aforesaid or entry of a general appearance for the respondent if either of the parties shall desire any matter of fact that is affirmed by one and denied by the other to be tried by a jury he or she may take a rule upon the opposite party to be allowed by a judge of the court to show cause why the issues of fact set forth in said rule shall not be tried by a jury which said rule shall be served upon the opposite party or his or her counsel

Upon the return of said rule after hearing the court may discharge it or make it absolute or frame issues itself and only the issues as ordered by the court shall be tried accordingly but such rule shall not be made absolute when in the opinion of the court a trial by jury cannot be had without prejudice to public morals

Section 36 APPOINTMENT OF MASTER POWERS When neither of the parties takes a rule for a jury trial or when after hearing the rule is discharged the court may proceed to hear the cause or may upon motion of either party appoint a master to take testimony and return the same to the court

Section 37 ORDERS TO TAKE TESTIMONY OUTSIDE JURISDICTION The court may upon the application of either party and upon such terms as it may order authorize and direct the master to take testimony of witnesses in any other county State or territory subject to the jurisdiction of the United States or in any foreign country

Section 38 NOTICE TO CO-RESPONDENT In any case for divorce on the ground adultery the libellant shall cause to be served personally or by registered mail a notice on any co-respondent named and identified in the libel and where such co-respondent is named and identified first in the testimony then such notice shall be given before the testimony is closed and an opportunity afforded such co-respondent to be heard Such notice shall set forth that such person was named in the proceedings as co-respondent and designate the time and place of hearing and shall be served at least ten days previous to the hearing Proof of the service of such notice shall be filed in the office of the prothonotary

BILL OF PARTICULARS

Section 40 BILL OF PARTICULARS In any suit or action in divorce it shall be lawful for the respondent at any time after the return of the subpoena to enter a rule upon the libellant to furnish a bill of particulars of the cause of action as set forth in the libellant's petition filed and if the same be not furnished by the libellant within thirty days after service of notice of the rule entered unless the court shall upon cause shown extend the time the court shall enter a judgment of non pros

ALIMONY

Section 45 PERMANENT ALIMONY WHERE RESPONDENT INSANE In case of the application of a husband for divorce from an insane wife the court or the judge thereof to whom the application is made shall have power to decree alimony for the support of such insane wife during the term of her natural life by requiring the libellant to file a bond with surety or sureties if necessary in such sum as he or it may direct conditioned as aforesaid before granting the divorce

If the wife be the petitioner and have sufficient means the court or the judge may provide for the support of the insane husband as provided in this section for an insane wife if the insane husband has not sufficient estate in his own right for his support

Section 46 ALIMONY PENDENTE LITE COUNSEL FEES AND EXPENSES In case of divorce from the bonds of matrimony the court may upon petition in proper cases allow a wife reasonable alimony pendente lite and reasonable counsel fees and expenses

Section 47 ALIMONY IN DIVORCE FROM BED AND BOARD In cases of divorce from bed and board the court may allow the wife such alimony as her husband's circumstances will admit of but the same shall not exceed the third part of the annual profit or income of his estate or of his occupation and labor which allowance shall continue until a reconciliation shall take place or until the husband shall by his petition or libel offer to receive and cohabit with her again and to use her as a good husband ought to do and then in such case the court may either suspend the aforesaid decree or in case of her refusal to return and cohabit under the protection of the court discharge and annul the same according to its discretion and if he fail in performing his said offers and engagements the former sentence or decree may be revived and enforced and the arrears of the alimony ordered to be paid

When a decree of divorce from bed and board and the allowance of alimony has been made by any court the prothono-

tary shall enter the said decree on the record in his office The court shall have power and authority on satisfactory proof being made that the respondent is possessed of insufficient estate to decree and require that security such as shall be determined and approved by said court shall be given for the due payment of the said alimony according to the terms of said decree the said security to be by bond with sufficient surety taken in the name of the Commonwealth to the use of the party entitled to said alimony

The courts may enforce their decrees by attachment on the return of which they may make such order either to imprison or discharge the defendants as the facts of the case may justify

HEARING REPORT DECREE

Section 50 LIBELLANT A COMPETENT WITNESS In all proceedings for divorce the libellant shall be fully competent to prove all the facts though the respondent may not have been personally served with a libel subpoena or rule to take depositions and may not be residing within the Commonwealth but has been served only by publication

Section 51 RECORDS OF CONVICTION OF ADULTERY When the respondent in any action of divorce shall have been convicted and sentenced for adultery the records of the said conviction shall be received in evidence on any application for a divorce by the injured libellant

Section 52 DEFENSE TO CHARGE OF ADULTERY In any action or suit for divorce for the cause of adultery if the respondent shall allege and prove or it shall appear in the evidence that the libellant has been guilty of the like crime or has admitted the respondent into conjugal society or embraces after he or she knew of the criminal fact or that the said libellant (if the husband) allowed the wife's prostitution or received hire from it or exposed his wife to lewd company whereby she became insnared to the crime aforesaid it shall be a good defense and a perpetual bar against the same

Section 53 PROOF OF LUNACY OF RESPONDENT Upon the hearing of any case before the court a master or jury where the petition or libel sets forth that the respondent is a lunatic the question of lunacy shall be fully established by expert testimony together with every other matter of fact that is affirmed by one party and denied by the other No divorce shall be granted to the libellant in any such case unless it be proved beyond a reasonable doubt that the respondent is hopelessly insane but if any respondent has been for ten or more years an inmate of any asylum fir the insane it shall be conclusive proof of hopeless insanity

Section 54 REPORT OF MASTER Where a master has been appointed he shall make a report to the court of the proceedings had before him and his opinion of the case

Section 55 DECREE OF COURT It shall be lawful for the said courts after hearing any cause whether before the court or a master to determine the same as to law and justice shall appertain by either dismissing the petition or libel or sentencing and decreeing a divorce or separation from the nuptial ties or bonds of matrimony or from bed and board or that the marriage is null and void After a sentence nullifying or dissolving a marriage all and every the duties rights and claims accruing to either of the said parties at any time heretofore in pursuance of the said marriage shall cease and determine and the said parties shall severally be at liberty to marry again in the like manner as if they never had been married except where otherwise provided by law

Section 56 COSTS The court may award costs to the party in whose behalf the sentence or decree shall pass or may order that each party shall pay his or her own costs as to it shall appear to be just and reasonable

APPEALS

Section 60 APPEALS Either of the parties in any suit or action for divorce may appeal therefrom to the Superior Court in the manner provided by law for such appeals and the said appeal shall be prosecuted in the usual manner and the Superior Court shall transmit the record with their judgment thereon with all the proceedings as in other cases to the court below to be carried into effect

But where a respondent in any proceeding for divorce files with the prothonotary of the said court an affidavit that such appeal is not taken for the purpose of delay but because the appellant believes he or she has suffered injustice by the decree from which he or she appeals and that by reason of his or her poverty he or she is unable to furnish the required bail such respondent shall be entitled to take such appeal the same as if the required bail had been given

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 65 SHORT TITLE This act shall be known and may be cited as "THE DIVORCE LAW"

Section 66 RULES OR COURT The several courts of common pleas are hereby authorized to make and adopt such rules and practice as may be necessary to carry this act into effect and to regulate proceedings before masters and to fix their fees

Section 67 CONSTRUCTION PENDING PROCEEDINGS The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The provisions of this act shall apply to all cases whether the cause for divorce arose prior or subsequent to the passage of this act The provisions of this act shall not affect any suit or action pending but the same shall and may be proceeded with and concluded under the laws in existence when such suit or action was instituted notwithstanding the repeal of such laws by this act or may be proceeded with and concluded under the provisions of this act

Section 68 CONSTITUTIONALITY The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions thereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 69 EFFECTIVE DATE This act shall be in force from and after the first day of September one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

REPEALS

Section 75 The following acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed as respectively indicated

Sections one two three four seven eight eleven twelve and thirteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled "An act concerning divorces" absolutely and sections five and six so far as the same are supplied by this act

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws sixty-seven) entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning divorces'" absolutely

Section eight of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-three) entitled "An act to convey certain real estate and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning divorces" absolutely

Sections five and six of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws five hundred ninety) entitled 'An act to authorize John Kauffman trustee of the German Reformed congregation worshipping at Kinnerling's Church of Lebanon county to sell and convey certain real estate and to authorize the rector church wardens and vestrymen of the Episcopal Church of St. Paul in the City of Philadelphia to sell and convey real estate authorizing the directors of the public schools of the first school district of Pennsylvania to appoint visitors of night schools relative to actions of ejectment extending the jurisdiction of courts in cases of divorce and fixing the time of holding the courts in Butler County" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-four) entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning divorces'" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-eight) entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty) entitled "A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce" passed the ninth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to void marriages" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty) entitled "A supplement to the several acts of Assembly now in force relating to divorces" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-six) entitled "An act relating to proceedings in divorce" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-five) entitled "An act allowing and providing the manner of taking appeals in cases of divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-one) entitled "An act further extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce and repealing an act approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce"' approved the eighth day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and five) entitled "An act authorizing notaries public prothonotaries and clerks of the courts to administer oaths and take affidavits in proceedings in divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight) entitled "An act amending section three of an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces' approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four enlarging the same so as to include indignities to the person of the husband" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act amending the act entitled 'A further supplement to an act concerning divorces' approved May eight one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four by providing that conviction for certain enumerated crimes only shall be cause for divorce and repealing the act of June first one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one relating to the same subject" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and twenty-six) entitled "A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce passed the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eleven) entitled "An act to amend section eight of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three entitled 'An act to convey certain real estate and for other purposes' so as to extend its provisions to the husband or wife of a lunatic or non compos mentis and to further regulate the procedure in action for divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the presentation of libels in divorce to the several courts of common pleas and awarding of subpoenas thereon" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act providing that where a husband and wife are resident in different counties within this Commonwealth and a cause of divorce shall arise the injured party may institute and prosecute proceedings in divorce in either county" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act amending the act entitled 'An act amending the act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning divorces" approved May eighth one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four by providing that conviction for certain enumerated crimes only shall be cause for divorce and repealing the act of June first one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one relating to the same subject' approved the ninth day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three so as to provide that conviction of the crime and assault with intent to kill shall be cause for divorce" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws sixty) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the twenty-eighth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce passed the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty' by requiring the courts of common pleas to entertain jurisdiction in all cases of divorce and to enter a decree in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one) entitled "An act supplementing and amending section two of an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces' approved March thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and fifteen regulating the submission of issues of fact to a jury the appointment of masters in proceedings for divorce defining the powers of the court and the practice in relation thereto Repealing an act approved March tenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and twenty) entitled "An act enabling the libellant in all proceedings for divorce on the ground of desertion to testify to the fact of desertion and to the efforts made by him or her to induce the respondent to return and resume the marital relation" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act enabling the libellant in all proceedings for divorce on the ground of desertion to testify to the fact of desertion and to the efforts made by him or her to induce the respondent to return and resume the marital relation' approved June eighth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred eleven by making the libellant a competent witness generally" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen entitled 'An act concerning divorces" as amended" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' as amended by changing the time for making service of the subpoena upon the respondent and validating divorces heretofore granted where service was made personally at any time before the return day or where a return of non est inventus has been sworn to at any time prior to the return day" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-nine) entitled "An act authorizing the prothonotaries to sign subpoenas in divorce cases" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws twenty) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' as amended authorizing prothonotaries and clerks of the court of common pleas to take affidavits to petitions and libels and validating prior proceedings in which such affidavits were taken" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' making the degree of cruelty as a ground for divorce the same for husband

and wife and to repeal section ten of the said act" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and twenty-four) entitled "An act to further amend clause three section one of an act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty-four) entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning divorces"' as amended by taking away the right of support or alimony in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-seven) entitled 'An act relating to void marriages' enlarging the jurisdiction of courts to annual marriages on the ground of bigamy and discontinuing the requirement of residence of the libellant" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and six) entitled "An act providing for the presentation of libels in divorce to the several courts of common pleas and the awarding of subpoenas thereon" absolutely

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shrely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michal,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee on Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1597 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 1597, Printer's No. 1093, White File Folio 6283, entitled "An act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. MUNLEY asked and obtained unanimous consent to call out up of order House Bill No. 497, file folio 6597, on page 23 of to-day's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from postponed calendar by Mr. Munley,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 497, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—141.

Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schwartz
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Millar,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Grimes,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermanson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Catania,	Howe,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Peters,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Conner,	Katz,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lynch,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Fish,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—43.

Adams, E. C.,	Donnell,	Leidich,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Eaches,	Loucks,	Sheely,
Barton,	Ede,	McAlee,	Sheffer,
Bechtel,	Erdley,	McKay,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harding,	Pethick,	Way,
Brown, E. P.,	Harter,	Post,	Williams, G. W.,
Clovis,	Hartsock,	Powell,	Wright,
Davis,	Heffner,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Dengler,	Holcombe,	Scott, W. H.,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1282 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. RHODES asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives. April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate Concurs), That the House Bill No. 1282, Printer's No. 444, White Folio 2745, entitled "An act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled 'An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation hereof' as amended by the Act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one)" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1979, (Senate Bill No. 688), file folio 5489, entitled:

An Act to control, regulate and license the sale, possession and carrying of pistols, revolvers, machine guns, automatic rifles, automatic shot guns and riot guns; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous firearms, weapons and substances within this State; to prohibit the possession and use of silencers; to provide for confiscation and destruction of certain weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership or possession of certain weapons by certain classes of persons; providing for licenses to persons, to possess or carry concealed pistols, revolvers, machine guns and automatic rifles, automatic shot guns and riot guns; to provide for license and registration of dealers in pistols and revolvers and regulation of sales thereunder; requiring persons in possession of pistols and revolvers and certain other firearms to apply for licenses; providing for costs of licenses to individuals and dealers; to prescribe penalties for commission of certain crimes while armed with certain weapons; and penalties or other violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations thereof; ment of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improve- to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

on page 46 of the calendar of April 10th, was defeated on final passage, be reconsidered.

The SPEAKER. How did the gentleman from Allegheny vote?

Mr. HOWE. I voted "no", Mr. Speaker.

Mr. BICKETT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The SPEAKER. How did the gentleman from Lawrence vote?

Mr. BICKETT. I voted "no," Mr. Speaker.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill really requires no introduction, however, all of you will remember the discussion of the bill when it was on the calendar last week, and all of you will doubtlessly concede that there hardly has been a bill in this session of the Legislature that has developed so much public interest. There is a very definite difference of opinion, and this is a measure upon which difference of opinion may justly be—

POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of order.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his point of order.

Mr. DAVIDSON. My point of order is that he is speaking on the bill and not on the motion before the House.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will confine his remarks to the motion before the House. The gentleman will proceed.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I want to leave with you just one thought when you consider this motion to reconsider, and that is that this bill touches very vitally the public interest. It has developed that when the bill was on the calendar and considered by this House last week more than eighteen members of this body were not present. I ask you for these reasons to permit this motion to prevail.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I am a baby member of this body, and therefore I have refrained from speaking and injecting myself into the discussion on any of the bills that have come up for consideration, but since this bill was considered last week some new suggestions have come to us, the members from Philadelphia, which I would like to call to your attention. I especially call your attention to statements made on several occasions from the bench by the Honorable Horace Stern, one of the most learned and beloved judges of Philadelphia County, who calls upon us of the State Legislature to most carefully reconsider this bill that is now before you. In addition to that, I have from one of my constituents a letter which just arrived in my mail today and which I assure you is not in any way inspired, as I know not the signer thereof. The letter reads as follows:

"My dear Sir: For God's sake and for the sake of our wives and children and of our property I ask you as our representative to vote for and to use your influence to pass the Salus firearms bill which is in danger of being killed, I understand, by selfish interests in our Legislature. I have always hoped for some legislation of this sort to check the awful increase of crime in our country and having been on a criminal jury for the last ten days I am more than ever convinced that something must be done to check the indiscriminate purchase and sale of pistols. There are now too many young boys who are brought up with guns in their possession, and many of them have suffered the consequences."

Gentlemen, I think this legislature is on trial. I voted for this bill before and I will vote for this motion to reconsider, and I trust the members from the rural districts will aid Philadelphia in the reconsideration of this bill.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. STERLING and Mr. LINTON.

YEAS—96.

Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Kirkbride,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Kohr,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Leidich,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Linton,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Wells,
Cooke,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	White,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wolfe,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,	Speaker.
Goehring,	Memolo,		

NAYS—103.

Adams, E. C.,	Ede,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Evans,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Fox,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bicker,	Harding,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Harter,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hartsock,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Henderson,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Himes,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Hoffman,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Holcombe,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Holmes,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Huester,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Dietrich,	Kahle,	Riddle,	Yeakel,
Donnell,	Katz,	Ronemus,	Yerg,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Schilling,	Zeisenheim,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schreck,	

So the question was determined in the negative, and the motion was not agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 781; Printer's No. 666; File Folio 5583, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1783 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. GOODNOUGH asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1783, white file folio 4781, entitled, "An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1780 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. WEIDEMANN asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concurs), That House Bill No. 1780, Printer's No. 650, White File Folio 3759, entitled "An act authorizing townships of the first class to Fund Floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous concent to call up out of order House Bill No. 2218, (Senate Bill No. 262), file folio 3725, from page 24 of to-day's calendar, bills on third reading postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Marcus,

The House resumed the consideration on third reading of House Bill No. 2218, (Senate Bill No. 262), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the bill now under consideration is an appropriation

bill making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Pittsburgh. Upon this subject I have the following letter from the Auditor General which I desire to read for your information, under date of April 10th:

"This is to advise you that the above named hospital was approved by the Auditor General as being a non-sectarian hospital under date of November 18, 1927, and requisitions on account of its 1927 appropriation have been honored since that date as a matter of course.

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) EDWARD MARTIN,
Auditor General."

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—142.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Paterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Turner,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Voltz,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess.
	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—27.

Baker,	Davis,	Harding,	Pethick,
Barton,	Dengler,	Harter,	Schilling,
Bausher,	Donnell,	Huester,	Sheffer,
Behm,	Eaches,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Erdley,	McKay,	Stark
Brown, E.,	Fockler,	Moore, W. H.,	Wright,
Brown, E. P.,	Griffith,	Peelor,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. STADTLANDER asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), file folio 5117, from page 24 of to-day's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Stadtlander,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2329, (Senate Bill No. 1343), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—140.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Fish,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeagel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Hess.
			Speaker.

NAYS—53.

Baily,	Donnell,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Baker,	Eaches,	Miller, H. A.,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Ede,	Moore, D. G.,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Erdley,	Moore, W. H.,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gelnett,	Peck,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gross,	Peelor,	Stark,
Eckett,	Harding,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Black,	Harter,	Pethick,	Washington,
Brown, E.,	Hartsock,	Post,	Way,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Ronemus,	Wells,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Schrock,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Huester,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Dengler,	Lockhart,	Shaffer,	Wright,
			Yerg,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1.

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043), entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain

funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties

HOUSE BILL No. 12.

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital West College Avenue York Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 16.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital of Hanover York County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 33.

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors, except in cities of the first class and counties of the second sixth seventh and eighth class.

HOUSE BILL No. 47.

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital at Charleroi Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 76.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 77.

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital, Franklin, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 88.

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of its hospital.

HOUSE BILL No. 100.

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital, Oil City, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 108.

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M. Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 115.

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital, of Indiana County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 132.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Altoona Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 134.

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 162.

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital, Ridley Park, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 164.

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 170.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital West Chester Chester County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 173.

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital, Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 185.

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 191.

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital, at Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 205.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 206.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 235.

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association of Roaring Spring Blair County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 239.

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective

HOUSE BILL No. 240.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association of the City of Pittston Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 243.

An Act making an appropriation to the Canonsburg General Hospital Association, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 250.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association of Monongahela City Washington County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 255.

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 260.

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 275.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 277.

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital Carbondale Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 286.

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgomery Hospital, at Norristown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 307.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital Ellwood City Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 326.

An Act to enable city county poor ward school borough and township tax collectors their executors and administrators if they are deceased or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes to collect taxes for the payment of which they have become personally liable without having collected the same by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants or by the expiration of their terms of office and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act

HOUSE BILL No. 335.

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 345.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No 352.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital city of Scranton Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 362.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 393.

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 403.

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association, Incorporated, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 418.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 419.

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 450.

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 458.

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 463.

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 480.

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, of Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 484.

An Act making an appropriation to Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 485.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies, and savings institutions, with capital stock, heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth, and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations;" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks, trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

HOUSE BILL No. 660.

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 664

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 673

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 675.

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, at Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 676.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 678.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 690.

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 699.

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 706.

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 717.

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 734.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 739.

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 748.

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital Braddock Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 762.

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 779.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 764.

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital in the city of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 807.

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 811.

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one and section eight hundred and fifty and to add sections eight hundred and fifty-one eight hundred and fifty-two eight hundred and fifty-three and eight hundred and fifty-four the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 846.

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 847.

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital of Ridgway Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 850.

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and prior sessions.

HOUSE BILL No. 870.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Garretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 879.

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 880.

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 881.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 889.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the city of Erie Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 906.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association of Erie Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 909.

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 931.

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

HOUSE BILL No. 980.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 936.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital, of Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 989.

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 996.

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives, located at Eagleville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1044.

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1072.

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital Easton Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1076.

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1094.

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgements and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decendents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1095.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first second and third classes with systematic examinations registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead and penalties for violations of the provisions thereof" as amended providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

HOUSE BILL No. 1150.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital, Bradford, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1152.

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1171.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1175.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1181.

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1185.

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital, Renovo, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1186.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital Lock Haven Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1190.

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 1209.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1231.

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital, located at Frankford, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1240.

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital Berwick Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1241.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital Bloomsburg Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1305.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1308.

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1346.

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors stockholders officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 1405.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

HOUSE BILL No. 1428.

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1431.

An Act to amend sections one thousand seventeen and one thousand forty-seven of "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" approved May four one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven

HOUSE BILL No. 1457.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1459.

An Act relating to licenses permits fees fines penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

HOUSE BILL No. 1467.

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended seventeen as amended twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or

repair to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State Highways in boroughs providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State aid highways requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases before constructing State-aid highways and authorizing the Secretary of Highways to change the width lines and location of State-aid highways and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

HOUSE BILL No. 1508.

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1525.

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital, of Warren, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1535.

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and twelve one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

HOUSE BILL No. 1554.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1560.

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1561.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1562.

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

HOUSE BILL No. 1588.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley Hospital, at McKees Rocks, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1589.

An Act to amend clause four section three article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business

HOUSE BILL No. 1630.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1158), entitled "An act to fix, regulate, and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1636.

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1637.

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1675.

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1744.

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia

HOUSE BILL No. 1767.

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1772.

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal contract was entered into as required by law.

HOUSE BILL No. 1793.

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1842.

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 469.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 12, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 469, file folio 3071, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Mr. JOSEPH F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 469 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. HARDING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. JOSEPH F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. JOSEPH F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 1, line 10, by striking out after the word "days" " and before the word "amended" the words [which was] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as last".

Amend page 2, line 9, by striking out at the beginning thereof the word [three] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

BILL ON THIRD READING (SPECIAL ORDER)

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2042, (Senate Bill No. 317), entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill might well be called a bill to prevent fourth offenses in the more heinous crimes, and also a bill that will act as a deterrent from the commission of crime. It is not in any respect to be compared with the so-called Baumes Law which is on the statute books of the State of New York nor with a similar law which is on the books of the state of Michigan. This bill provides, first of all, that where a man has committed four offenses as mentioned in the act—and I would ask all of you to give your undivided attention to the crimes that this act deals with—you will find them in Section one, page one, of this act, and they are as follows: Treason, murder, voluntary manslaughter, sodomy, buggery, entering with intent to steal, robbery, arson, mayhem, kidnaping, sale of narcotics, perjury, abortion, pandering,, incest or any offense committed or attempted to be committed through the instrumentality of or with the aid of a deadly weapon or gun-powder or other explosive substance or corrosive fluid. The act specifically says that the punishments provided by it are confined to the crimes therein stated. By virtue of this act, if it becomes a law, the judge may in his discretion sentence to life imprisonment a person who has committed one of the offenses which I have just mentioned. Mark you, that it is discretionary with the judge; and that is the first point of difference between this act and the Baumes act. The second point of difference between this act and the Baumes act is that the prisoner shall have the right of notice, thiry days notice, that it has been discovered that he has committed the four offenses named. Besides these two distinguishing features in this measure, the act further gives persons charged under it the right to appeal to either the Supreme or Superior Court of this Commonwealth, and that court will have the right to determine whether or not, by reason of errors of law or miscarriage of justice, the sentence of life imprisonment should stand. And fourthly, this act differs from the other acts which attempt to do in another way what this one will perfectly accomplish, in that the case of an indigent prisoner he shall have the right to counsel and aid in his appeal at the expense of the county. Now, my good friends, this House has given a great deal of its time in the last two legislative weeks in the consideration of bills that treat with crime. This bill is directed principally at the confirmed criminal, the man who has made crime his business. It does one thing more; it also provides more than the ordinary punishment for second offenses and for third offenses; and I submit to you that this bill is unique in that respect, because it provides that a subsequent offense cannot be charged against the record of a man when five years have intervened between the time of the prior offense and the subsequent offense. In other words, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, when this measure becomes a law, will say to the confirmed criminal, "Go straight for five years between the first and second offense, and it does not count; go straight for five years between the second and third offense, and it don't count: and go straight between the third and fourth offense for a period of five years, and it don't count." Now there isn't a man or woman in this House who will set himself up as the protector of the kind of a criminal this act means to rid society of; and yet what fairer means could this Commonwealth offer to those who have found it necessary to follow crime than this kind of a law? I submit to each of you that in this state just as in the case of the bill, the consideration of which was just recently defeated, the dignity of this Commonwealth, the honor of her name, deserves the approval of this measure.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, Will the gentleman permit himself to be interrogated?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman permit himself to be interrogated,

Mr. STERLING. Gladly, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. WITKIN. I ask the gentleman from Philadelphia, whether if this bill becomes a law, it would be possible for a Judge to sentence to life imprisonment a young boy aged fifteen, who on one night goes out and commits four burglaries?

Mr. STERLING. For the benefit of my friend from Philadelphia, Mr. Witkin, I answer that question in this way, that we have a juvenile act upon our statute books going back to 1903, amended in 1923.

Mr. WITKIN. May I ask the gentleman, if he can, to answer the question either in the affirmative or in the negative and then make such explanation as he deems advisable, whether——

Mr. STERLING. The question is answered in the negative and there are no explanations.

Mr. WITKIN. May I ask the Speaker to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia to be courteous enough to wait until I am through with my entire interrogation?

Mr. STERLING. I am very happy to take the reproachment of my friend as well as that of the Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will proceed.

Mr. WITKIN. Is it not a fact that under the act of 1923 on our statute books, a boy of the age of fifteen may be tried and indicted on the charge of burglary?

Mr. STERLING. If the court certifies that that child is one who should be tried by an adult court, yes.

Mr. WITKIN. So you admit, do you not, that a boy of the age of 15 could be tried for four burglaries committed in one night, do you not?

Mr. STERLING. Yes.

Mr. WITKIN. If he is convicted in these four burglaries committed in one night, isn't it possible for the judge who presides, if this bill becomes a law, in his discretion to say to this young man that under this fourth offense act, he shall spend the rest of his natural life in prison?

Mr. STERLING. Of course.

Mr. WITKIN. Then I take your answer a few minutes ago in the negative is now an answer in the affirmative.

Mr. STERLING. No sir.

Mr. WITKIN. I repeat, if the boy is convicted four times you will admit that he will then have been deemed guilty of a felony such as is mentioned in this act?

Mr. STERLING. I do.

Mr. WITKIN. And doesn't the Judge have the power to sentence that boy under the convictions clause to life imprisonment.

Mr. STERLING. In his discretion he has; but I can't imagine a judge of this Commonwealth abusing that discretion.

Mr. WITKIN. I didn't ask the gentleman for his imagination, but for his opinion. I ask the gentleman from Philadelphia. So I may know what his answer is, if it is not in the affirmative, whether it is not left to the discretion of the trial Judge?

Mr. STERLING. I repeat it is entirely in the discretion of the judge.

Mr. WITKIN. The gentleman then refuses to withdraw his negative answer?

Mr. STERLING. He does.

Mr. WITKIN. Now may I further interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia by asking this question: If there is a man within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania today who has already prior to the passage of this act, been convicted four times of offenses mentioned in this act within a period of two years without his committing another offense, can he not under this act be brought up by the district attorney in the county where the last conviction occurred and be sentenced for life?

Mr. STERLING. I think he could be, and I think he ought to be.

Mr. WITKIN. May I further ask the gentleman from Philadelphia whether or not a boy who is now in the Huntingdon Reformatory or the Glen Mills Institution, who has committed an offense at the age of sixteen, could he now if convicted of a second offense of the crime of robbery, be sentenced to imprisonment for twenty years and ten years plus for the next offense, making a total of thirty years?

Mr. STERLING. I will answer that in the affirmative for the purpose of argument.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I presume that the argument against this fourth offender's bill is perhaps an unpopular argument, but I am going to ask you ladies and gentlemen of the House to please bear with me while I try to convince you that this is one of the worst pieces of legislation that has been brought before this House this session. If, after I have completed, you are not convinced that my arguments are right, then you will undoubtedly do as you see fit.

I know that the session is nearing an end and I know, and I feel, that I should not consume too much time; but, ladies and gentlemen of the House, we are dealing with a question now of depriving citizens of our community of their liberty for life. Should we not stop, should we not hesitate, and not be swept from our feet by an hysterical outburst demanding the stopping of crime? You, ladies and gentlemen of this House, know that I advocated, and I still advocate, every law that will stop and prevent crime. It is my humble judgment that this bill will not do it and I am going to try to show you that I am right.

This act does what? It increases the number of years that a person can be incarcerated in jail. Is there a person within the hearing of my voice that will not agree with me, that where a young man goes out to-day and commits a robbery that he can be sentenced to enough years under the present law. Take a man who with a weapon goes out and holds up someone; he can be sentenced for a period of from ten to twenty years for robbery. Mind you, he does not have to be released at the end of those ten years; for if he has a bad record he can be kept in the institution for twenty years. If he has used a weapon he is guilty of aggravated assault and battery and can be sentenced for a period of three years for that. If he has had a gun in his possession he has been guilty of the crime of carrying concealed deadly weapons and can be sentenced for a year for that. If he pointed the firearm he is guilty of wantonly pointing a firearm and can be sentenced to a period of imprisonment for that. What we need is a firmer enforcement of our present laws and not the addition of more years to the sentence of the person who commits a crime and I say that the laws of the State of Pennsylvania are not amiss in the number of years a man can get for the commission of a crime. If you can sentence a man for twenty-five years for robbery I say that that is enough and I am not in favor of putting a man in prison for the rest of his natural life. Let the police of our communities do their duty; let the district attorneys and the judges do their duty, and you have all the laws on the statute books that you need.

They say that this act will be a deterrent to crime. If I thought for a moment, members of this House, that the enactment of more laws and the addition of more years to a man's incarceration would be a preventative of crime, I would be the last one to oppose this law, but down in our own city and in fact in all communities, I say to you that the crimi-

nal who goes out to commit a crime does not expect to be caught and the punishment attendant upon the commission of a crime is the last thing in his mind. The men were brought in for the Bartram Hotel robbery in Philadelphia and were tried and sentenced within less than twenty-four hours but within two hours after that example of justice there was a holdup in South Philadelphia by five men and in the northeastern section of the city five more men that evening committed crime. Now, you might say, members of the House, that that is an argument in favor of this bill. I say it is not, because these men could have been sentenced to plenty of time without this bill.

Just how does this bill read? My friend has read to you a list of certain crimes. Let me read the bill to you if you will. In the second section of this bill it provides as follows: That a man who commits a crime—not of murder, not of voluntary manslaughter, not the crimes designated in section one,—but it says, "Convicted within or without this Commonwealth of crimes of the character above set forth." Are you members of this Legislature going to enact laws which permits a man to be incarcerated for life when even the crimes for which they may be incarcerated are not specifically stated? In this first section they speak of the crime of kidnapping. In the second section where they provide for the penalty they make the penalty for a fourth offense the natural life of the defendant for crimes of that character. Suppose a man in Philadelphia commits the crime of enticing a minor, or false imprisonment; I say to you that under this act that could be construed to be crime of the character of the crimes designated in section one and when we, humble citizens that we are, take it upon ourselves to say that people should be deprived of their liberty for life, I say to the sponsor of this bill that I want to put a safeguard into it as to what crimes a man can be sentenced to life imprisonment for. I am unwilling to have a clause in that bill, "Crimes of the character of crimes mentioned in Section one."

Is this just a gesture? Are they trying to fool you? Are they trying to pull the wool over your eyes or are they trying to be fair to you? I say in all fairness when they insert a joker of the character of the provision "character of crimes committed" in section one, that they are unfair in the presentation of this bill.

May I say further to this House, that I do not believe that we have the right to pass retroactive laws. I do not believe that we have a right to say that where a man, be he ever so evil, who up until this time has lived a life of crime and from to-day on he has ceased to live that life of crime and for a period of one year and eleven months he continues to cease to live the life of crime, and then at that time a district attorney says, "Here is a fourth offender in jail." He has violated no law since this fourth offenders act went into effect but there is a public hue and cry, hysteria runs amuck and the district attorney goes ahead and says, "I am going to put in jail every man who before this act committed four offenses." Is that justice; is it fair to put in jail a man who up until this time for a fully a year and almost two years had ceased to violate the law? Is that the type of legislation we want to pass in order to satisfy the hysteria of the public and the demand of the newspapers and the press? I say that you men and women do not stand for legislation of that kind.

May I further say to the members of this House that this bill provides that a man may be convicted four times and tried for his offenses, or four times convicted without even an indictment being had and without even a formal charge being made against him, except that in section five of this act it says, "A person need not be formally indicted and convicted as a previous offender in order to be sentenced under this act." I want to be fair, but in a former section it says that information shall be lodged against him. I say to you, members of the House, when a man is being tried for his liberty for life, he is entitled, irrespective of what the Supreme Court of the State of New York says, to be tried on a formal indictment charging him with four particular offenses committed prior to the passage of this act and not be tried with merely an information lodged against him and be confronted with the necessity of coming into court and testifying whether he is or is not the man referred to as a previous offender and if he remains silent then to have that used against him.

May I say further to the members of the House, and I shall not keep you but a few more moments, that I have all the confidence in the world in our judiciary, but judges are human. They are subject to whims; they are subject to their own thoughts as to what may be right or wrong and where a boy's record from the age of fourteen to sixteen or even sixteen to eighteen years can be used as a previous conviction and the fourth offender's act applied to them, then I say that the judges of our State should not be given the right to say that the Legislature of Pennsylvania has said that they can then be sentenced to prison for life. It has been a custom in our courts not to indict young men under the age of sixteen years, but if this act becomes a law there is nothing to stop the judges from noting all of these delinquencies between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years and treating them the same as a person over the age of twenty-one.

In conclusion let me say to the members of the House, whatever you do when you come to vote on this question please keep your feet on the ground and your heart firm. I say that sincerely because this act is brought about by reason of the fact that there is a public hysteria that crime is running rampant. I agree with that statement and I agree that the criminal ought to be curbed; and I agree that he ought to be stopped and that men who commit the crimes mentioned in this act should be arrested and punished, but ask yourselves this question: Doesn't the present law enable the Judge to punish him enough? Don't be carried away with the mere idea that the public press demands that this legislature enact a fourth offenders act. I say to you frankly that I believe it is a mere gesture made in order to try and show that we have done something. Don't let us be hysterical; don't let us vote for a bill just because of the fact that someone else wants it. We have a right to our own beliefs; every judge has a right to his own opinion; his Excellency the Governor has a right to his ideas but our right to think as we will is our privilege. I say to you that this is bad legislation because it is not specific and it is bad legislation that will permit a youth to be sent to prison for life. It is bad legislative that is retroactive; it is bad legislation that does not require a formal indictment; it is bad legislation that makes an habitual criminal of a second offender and therefore I ask you to vote "no" on this bill.

Mr. BART. RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I wish to thank the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Witkin, for his able defense of this bill. I say to you that his argument against this bill, in my judgment, is the very soundest argument why this bill should be passed. His argument was a brilliant and classical example of the oratory of the counsel for the defense. I say to you that when he pleads with you not to get hysterical, I also say to you not to get hysterical, and when he tells you to keep your feet on the

ground, I also agree with him in that, but has not the time arrived when the State of Pennsylvania, through its legislature, is going to treat the criminal as the criminal should be treated? I say to you that the time has come when the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is deserving of a fifty-fifty break. The time has come, ladies and gentlemen, when we will have to let the criminal write his own ticket to the penitentiary. I say to you that the clank of the ball and chain on the ankles of men committed for crime should be the sweetest music to our ears.

Too long have we been in our courts and seen counsel for the defense befuddle the jury with language they do not understand, and too long have we seen men guilty of the commission of crime turned loose because of the eloquence of counsel for the defence. I say this, not with any criticism of the legal profession. I am not a lawyer myself, but my busniess has taken me into the criminal courts for years. I think that the time has come when the legislature of Pennsylvania is going to do something to take care of the rapidly increasing crime situation. The black shadow of lawlessness has spread over the great city of Philadelphia and has worked its way westward into Allegheny county and to my home, which is not far away, and every village and section of the country is going to feel the effects.

You had placed before you at the beginning of this session a code prepared from the crimes commission report. This was not compiled by men that did not know their business. It was compiled by men who were authorized by you to go out into the courts of Pennsylvania and make an investigation of the conditions as they existed and report back to us what should be done in the way of checking crime. Unfortunately, most of the program of that crimes commission has been pickled for some unknown reason in committee. It seems that just one of these bills has gotten out of committee for final passage. At least let us make a gesture in the way of law enforcement before we close this Legislature; at least let us say to the gunmen, the bootlegger, the gangster that Pennsylvania is going to send them behind the bars where they should be, and if necessary, for the rest of their lives. They are much better off there then operating on the streets, preying on men and women who want to be protected. I ask you to support the bill.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I feel like apologizing for arising at this time and saying anything in behalf of this bill, because I think such an argument is an insult to the members of this House. In the first place it is inconceivable to me that a member of the House would stand on the floor of the House and fight for the cause of the poor down trodden gunmen and criminals who are infesting our cities in automobiles and sedans carrying arsenals with them. In the second place it is inconceivable to me that any member of the bar would go so far as to indict the courts of Pennsylvania and the judges presiding over them and raise a question as to their honesty and integrity and their sense of fair play and fair dealing, and raise the questions that have been raised in the opposition to this bill. This bill says that it is optional with the judge presiding. In the third place it is inconceivable to me that the gentleman from Philadelphia who arose the other day and plead with tears in his voice that we save Philadelphia from gunmen by taking their guns from them under the bill that was then under consideration should now ask to turn down this bill.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would not have arisen again, but I think that the gentleman has misconstrued the remarks that I have made. I do not, I never have, and I never shall, attack the integrity and honesty of our judiciary. I feel that the gentleman from Delaware made that remark about me through an error. I did say, and I do not intend to retract any statement that I have made, that I do not feel that we ought to give to the judiciary the concensus of opinion that the House felt that a young man, or a young boy, who commits four offenses in one night, four burglaries, should be sent to prison for life, and there may be some judges within the confines of the State of Pennsylvania who honestly and consistently believe if they had the discretionary power to send such a young man to prison for life that it was their conscientious duty to do it. I said that and I do not retract it, But I did not attack the honesty or the integrity of our judiciary. One other thought and I shall remain silent and that is this, my position on the firearms bill if the gentleman will use his head, is consistent with my position on this fourth offenders act. I stand on the principle that any law that strikes at the violation of law and removes the cause or prevents the commission of crime is a good law, but any law that tries to stop crime by an increase of the penalties is a bad law.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I accept the explanation of the gentleman from Philadelphia as to his position. I apologize if I have misconstrued what he said. Nevertheless, I think from what I said you could infer the things that he said.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—159.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. D.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Myers,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Peelor,	Stark,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	Peters,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffran,	Pierce,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Storb,
Bowers,	Himes,	Post,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Reader,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Reed,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Reilly,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wells,
Davidson,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Davis,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wike,
Donnell,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, C. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McKay,		

NAYS—35.

Adams, P. G.,	Denne,	Holcombe,	Perry,
Baker,	Dietrich,	Katz,	Riddle,
Baldridge,	Dunn,	Lynch,	Schwartz,

Blumberg,	Fish,	McCann,	Storer,
Braham,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Grenet,	Michel,	Wettach,
Burns,	Grimes,	Munley,	Williams, J. J.,
Clark, J. G.,	Harding,	O'Neill,	Witkin,
Dengler,	Hermansen,	Peck,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative,

The question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILL ON THIRD READING (SPECIAL ORDER).

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2152, (Senate Bill No. 926), as follows:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election

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ARTICLE I

General Provisions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That pursuant to the provisions of article fifteen section four of the constitution of the state Allegheny county the offices thereof and as hereinafter provided the cities boroughs and townships situated therein are hereby consolidated into a city and county with the constitutional and legal capacity of a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Pittsburgh and hereinafter referred to as the consolidated city

Section 2 The said consolidated city shall be governed in accordance with the terms of this charter All laws of the state including all special acts applicable to Allegheny county as the same may be on the thirty-first day of December 1929 shall continue to be of full force and effect except as the same may be inconsistent with the terms of this charter

Section 3 The consolidated city shall be at the same time a city and a county All laws of the state heretofore enacted relative to the government of counties or county officers and applicable to Allegheny county as the same may be on the thirty-first day of December 1929 except as those laws may be inconsistent with the terms of this charter shall remain in force in the same manner and with the same effect as the same may have been prior to the adoption of this charter and shall so remain until amended or repealed

Section 4 The cities boroughs and townships within Allegheny county on the date of ratification of this charter shall continue to exist as municipal divisions thereof with their then names and boundaries except that the present city of Pittsburgh shall henceforth be officially designated as "Pittsburgh" Provided however that the corporate authorities of "Pittsburgh" may adopt such other designation for said city as they may determine by ordinance not inconsistent with this charter Any two or more municipal divisions may in accordance with the procedure hereinafter prescribed be united to form a single municipal division The powers rights capacities and duties of such cities boroughs and townships as municipal divisions of the consolidated city and the forms of government thereof shall except as otherwise provided in this charter continue to be determined by the laws of the state relating to cities boroughs and townships of their respective classifications as the same now are or may hereafter be

Section 5 Nothing in this chapter shall be taken to repeal or modify in any respect any present or future law of the state relating to the poor district of Allegheny County and the directors thereof juries and jury commissioners the administration of public schools libraries law library or State highways State reward for township roads or state aid highways applicable to Allegheny county or any part thereof but the same shall continue and be in full force and effect in the consolidated city and in the cities boroughs townships and school districts therein in like manner as if the consolidated city were a county only and not a city

Section 6 The consolidated city shall be a body corporate and politic under the title City of Pittsburgh and shall have power to make contracts to lease acquire and own real and personal property within and without the consolidated city and to lease sell or convey the same to sue and be sued to enjoy perpetual succession and have a corporate seal

Section 7 There are hereby transferred to the consolidated city all the property rights interests claims and causes of action now possessed by Allegheny county The property rights of the several municipal divisions of the said consolidated city in such streets and bridges as may be designated by the board of commissioners as through-traffic streets shall upon such designation pass to the consolidated city In the same manner all works buildings and property used in connection with any function of a municipal division hereafter surrendered by such division and accepted by the consolidated city shall pass to the same

Section 8 There shall be transferred to the consolidated city upon the ratification of this charter as set forth in article fourteen hereof the following bonded and other indebtedness as the same may be on January first one thousand nine hundred thirty as follows

The bonded and other indebtedness and liabilities of Allegheny county

In the case of the existing bonded and other indebtedness and liabilities of Allegheny county the consolidated city shall pay the same in accordance with the terms on which such bonded indebtedness was created or such other liabilities incurred

In case of works buildings property and improvements including through-traffic streets which may from time to time be taken over transferred and acquired by the consolidated city pursuant to the provisions of the preceding section the then outstanding indebtedness incurred by reason thereof shall be assumed and paid by the consolidated city For this purpose the consolidated city may in accordance with law issue bonds in an amount equal to the said indebtedness and may for the purpose of discharging and paying the said indebtedness wherever possible exchange the said bonds for the outstanding obligations or it may sell the said bonds or any remaining portion thereof and pay the amount of the remaining and outstanding obligations to the proper municipal division so that the said indebtedness may be liquidated and

discharged or the said municipal division may be provided with funds for the payment thereof

Whenever only a part or a portion of the works buildings or property including through-traffic streets may be taken acquired and transferred by the consolidated city from any municipal division thereof on account of which there is outstanding bonded or other indebtedness of the said municipal division the amount or proportion of such indebtedness to be transferred to the consolidated city shall be determined by agreement if possible between the board of commissioners of the consolidated city and the corporate authorities of the municipal division If such agreement cannot be reached then the matter shall be submitted to a board of arbitration to determine the fair and equitable adjustment of the said bonded or other indebtedness The said board shall consist of three members one member to be selected by the board of commissioners of the consolidated city another member of be selected by the corporate authorities of the municipal division affected and the third member to be selected by the aforesaid two members of the board of arbitration A decision of the majority of the board of arbitration shall be final and conclusive without appeal

Section 9 The consolidated city shall succeed to the rights and obligations of the several cities boroughs and townships of Allegheny county under all franchises consent ordinances or other agreements with public utilities to the extent to which the same relate to the portion of the facilities of any public utility company located in through-traffic streets as designated by the board of commissioners Where the conditions of any such franchise consent ordinance or agreement entitles a city borough or township to use any portion of the authorized facilities for its own purposes the said city borough or township shall continue as a municipal division of the consolidated city to enjoy the same privilege during the life of such franchise or consent ordinance The consolidated city shall be entitled to receive a share of the payments due to any such city borough or township under any such franchise consent ordinance or agreement equal to the proportion which the facilities located in through-traffic streets bear to the total of facilities operated under such franchise or consent ordinance or covered by such agreement If in any case the board of Commissioners cannot agree with the governing body of the municipal division concerned as to the sums to which the consolidated city is entitled the board of commissioners and the governing body of the municipal division affected shall each appoint one member of a board of arbitration and these two shall appoint a third The decision of a majority of the said board of arbitration shall be final

ARTICLE II

Powers

Section 1 The consolidated city in its corporate capacity acting through the board of commissioners as distinguished from the municipal divisions thereof shall have in addition to the powers and duties conferred or imposed thereon by the laws of the state as provided in article one of this charter the powers and duties set forth in the subsequent sections of this article

Section 2 The power and duty to regulate and provide for the care of the poor sick defective feeble-minded and insane and for the care of neglected and dependent children and for these purposes to acquire provide and maintain grounds buildings and equipment needed therefor

Section 3 The power and duty to provide institutions for the care custody and education of juvenile and adult offenders and to maintain direct and administer the same

Section 4 The power to make and enforce regulations in relation to public health in addition to and not in conflict with the laws of the state and the regulations of the advisory board of the state department of health and to construct maintain and manage hospitals clinics sanitoria laboratories and other institutions for the promotion of the same Municipal divisions may adopt regulations in relation to public health in addition to and not in conflict with those of the consolidated city

Section 5 The power to acquire lease improve maintain and manage within or without the corporate limits of the consolidated city parks athletic fields playgrounds swimming pools public baths bathing beaches gymnasiums and other recreational facilities and to construct and maintain buildings and works appurtenant thereto This power shall include the power to make all needful regulations for the use of said parks playgrounds and other recreational facilities and to lease concessions and to charge or allow to be charged reasonable prices for goods sold or fees for the use of property or services

Section 6 The power to designate from among streets and highways other than state highways or state aid highways or township roads receiving state reward at any time existing in any part of the consolidated city and in addition to county roads hitherto established by Allegheny county or hereafter established by the consolidated city through-traffic streets which shall henceforth be maintained by the consolidated city the power to lay out and open new through-traffic streets the power to name improve widen grade regrade pave repave and establish street lines and grades for all through-traffic streets and to number buildings thereon the power to construct and maintain sidewalks curbs gutters catch basins drains culverts signs lighting fixtures and all other appurtenances incident to such through-traffic streets

Nothing in this section shall be taken to limit the power of the consolidated city to assess the cost of any public improvement upon the property materially benefited thereby as hereinafter provided Whenever a change of grade of such a through-traffic street results in or requires a change of grade of any connecting street or highway the said change of grade on the said connecting street or highway shall be regarded and treated in all respects as a part of the improvement of the through-traffic street and the consolidated city shall have the power to fix the grade of the said connecting street or highway and do all other things necessary to fully carry out and complete the said improvement and shall assume all burdens arising therefrom and not paid by any special assessments arising therefrom

Section 7 The power to make regulations with regard to the erection of fences signs billboards buildings and structures along any through-traffic street or county road provided that in any municipal division which has an ordinance inconsistent with such regulations the ordinance of the municipal division shall control

Section 8 The power to construct and maintain bridges viaducts and tunnels connecting streets or portions of streets designated as through-traffic streets as provided above

Section 9 The power to determine subject to existing rights and obligations when and under what conditions through-traffic streets so designated by the board of commissioners or any portion thereof may be occupied by poles wires conduits pipes subways tracks or other property or facilities of public utility companies Municipal divisions shall have the right to use such through-traffic streets for their facilities subject to such reasonable regulations as the board of commissioners shall adopt.

Section 10 The power to create districts for the purpose of regulating the location height area bulk and use of buildings and premises and to exercise planning and zoning powers but in any municipal division which has an ordinance inconsistent with such regulations the ordinance of the municipal division shall control

Section 11 The power to create and provide for the management of special districts for the purpose of acquiring constructing maintaining and operating or contracting for any public property work improvement utility or service not for the exclusive benefit of any one municipal division and when the same are not self-sustaining to provide for the payment of the cost and/or maintenance of such property work improvement utility or service by a special tax levied throughout such special district No such district shall be created unless and until the board of commissioners has held a public hearing upon the creation thereof Notice of such hearing shall be served upon the governing body of each municipal division any part of which is included in the said proposed district and shall be published three times at intervals of one week in a newspaper of general circulation in the consolidated city and similarly in a newspaper published in each of the said municipal divisions and of general circulation therein if there be such a newspaper The hearing shall be held not less than ten days after the last publication of the

notice and not less than thirty days after the service of notice upon the governing bodies of the said municipal divisions.

Section 12 The power to acquire construct own maintain and operate the necessary lands structures and works within and without the consolidated city for supplying the consolidated city or any portion or portions thereof with water the power to contract with individuals or corporations for the operation of any such works owned by the consolidated city or for a supply of water from works privately or municipally owned the power to sell water from works owned and operated by the consolidated city to municipalities and to privately owned companies distributing water within and without the consolidated city No municipal division or divisions the inhabitants of which may be supplied with water from a plant owned or operated by the said municipal division shall be included in the area served by any water system owned or operated by the consolidated city unless the said municipal division owning or operating such plant shall have previously surrendered its powers with regard thereto as hereinafter provided in this charter Further no privately or municipally owned works for the supplying of water shall be acquired by the consolidated city except in accordance with the general laws of the state providing for the acquisition of such properties by municipalities provided that powers conferred by this section shall be subject to the provisions of The Public Service Company Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Section 13 The power to acquire by purchase lease or otherwise and to construct own and operate transporation systems for passenger freight or express traffic within and without the consolidated city including all works facilities and structures whether on above or under the ground incidental to such systems and to contract for the operation of such systems by leasing the same to private individuals or corporations provided that the powers conferred by this section shall be subject to the provisions of The Public Service Company Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

The power to establish maintain and regulate a police force with such powers and duties as the Board of Commissioners may define and determine No person shall be employed as a policeman who is not a citizen of the United States or who has been convicted of crime unless pardoned or who cannot read or write understandingly in the English language or who shall not have resided within the state at least one year preceding his appointment

Section 15 The power to regulate by ordinance the production or emission of smoke from any chimney smokestack or other source and the construction of all hereafter constructed or rebuilt chimneys stacks flues smokepipes and ventilators Smoke is hereby defined as the products of combustion whether gases or solids

Section 16 The power to make uniform regulations not inconsistent with the laws of the state for the control of traffic on all through-traffic streets and all bridges and tunnels incident thereto which regulations it shall be the duty of all peace officers of the several municipal divisions as well as the police and traffic patrol of the consolidated city to enforce The power to acquire provide install and maintain traffic signal lights and other physical devices for the control of traffic on such through-traffic streets and the power to prescribe the type and manner of installation and operation of signs signal lights and other physical devices for the control of traffic established and maintained by any municipal division The term "through-traffic street" as used in this section shall be taken to mean the streets designated as such in accordance with the provisions of section six of this article and shall have no reference to the term "through-traffic street" as used in any other law

Section 17 The power to assess persons and property for taxation within the consolidated city and to establish such methods and procedure therefor not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter as the board of commissioners may by ordinance determine but no tax levy for the general purpose of the consolidated city shall exceed ten mills on each dollar of the assessed value of the taxable property therein

Section 18 The power to levy and collect such taxes as may be necessary for the purpose of paying the debts and defraying the expenses of the consolidated city on all persons and property within the limits of said city taxable according to the laws of the State for county purposes and to levy and collect all other taxes fees and licenses permitted to counties or county officers under the laws of the state

Section 19 The power to incur indebtedness for the purpose of carrying out any of the powers conferred by this charter subject always to the limitations of the amount thereof provided for by the constitution of the state

Section 20 The power for the purpose of defraying the cost of the construction of roads streets bridges subways tunnels elevated or underground structures transportation systems water systems sewers sewage disposal works parks playgrounds and in general any public improvement power to undertake which is possessed by the consolidated city to levy special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property materially benefited by such public improvement in accordance with the procedure hereinafter provided

Section 21 The power to exercise the right of eminent domain in the manner and form provided by the laws of the state for municipal corporations for the purpose of carrying out any powers conferred by this charter including the acquisition of property on behalf of the special districts provided for in other provisions of this charter provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to give the consolidated city power to condemn property or facilities of public utilities the power to condemn which is not possessed by Allegheny county or the municipal divisions thereof on December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine

Section 22 The power in connection with the construction and operation of any public building or improvement to include therein or attach thereto store-rooms parking garages or other space or facilities and to charge for the use thereof

Section 23 The power to enact ordinances not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the Commonwealth for the purpose of carrying out the powers conferred by this charter and as may be expedient or necessary for the proper management care and control of the consolidated city and its finances and the maintenance of the peace good government safety and welfare of the said city and its trade commerce and manufactures and such ordinances as may be necessary to the exercise of local self-government in affairs of the consolidated city and to make reasonable rules and regulations pertaining thereto and to provide for the punishment of violation thereof by imposing a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or imprisonment in the jail or workhouse for a period not exceeding ninety days either or both for each violation thereof

Section 24 The power to create and define the powers and duties of all offices and employments not established by the constitution of the state or by this charter necessary for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this charter and executing the powers and duties of the consolidated city to modify consolidate or abolish the same and to fix the compensation of all officers and employes of the consolidated city not fixed by this charter Except as specifically provided in this charter the officers and employes of Allegheny county and the transit commission of the present city of Pittsburgh as the said officers and employes were on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall be continued in their then offices and employments at their then rate of compensation until removed or transferred or until their said offices and employments be modified consolidated or abolished or the compensation thereof altered as authorized in this charter

Section 25 The power to provide a system of retirement allowances for old age and disability and of death benefits to dependents applicable to regular officers and employes of the consolidated city based upon contributions by the consolidated city and by the officers and employes thereof as hereinafter provided and to take over and merge the existing pension fund into the retirement system so created and to provide for the insurance of any or all its officers and employes and their dependents against the consequences of injuries received by such officers or employes in the performance of their duty provided that nothing herein contained shall be taken to reduce the existing rights of the employes of Allegheny County in office on December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine with respect to pensions retirement allowances or disability or death benefits

Section 26 The power to accept devises bequests legacies donations or services to or for the use of the consolidated

city or any of its departments and to administer the same in accordance with the conditions thereof or to reject any devise bequest legacy or donation accompanied by conditions unacceptable to the said consolidated city

Section 27 The power to employ such measures as may be necessary or proper for carrying out the powers conferred by this charter upon the consolidated city and the departments and officers thereof and all rights and powers incidental thereto

ARTICLE III

Board of Commissioners

Section 1 There shall be a board of commissioners in which shall be vested except as other wise provided in this charter all the powers of the commissioners of Allegheny county as the same were on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and all other powers of the consolidated city

Section 2 The three county commissioners of Allegheny County in office on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall constitute the board of commissioners until the expiration of the term for which they have been elected or appointed The said board of commissioners shall continue with the same procedure as heretofore to exercise and perform their powers and duties except in so far as they may adopt any of the methods of procedure hereinafter set forth The chairman of the said board of commissioners of Allegheny County shall be and become the president of the board of commissioners and the chief clerk of the board of commissioners of Allegheny County shall be and become the secretary of the board of commissioners of the consolidated city and all other officers heads of departments and employes shall be and remain in their respective positions except as they may be removed or any of the existing offices changed or modified by the said board of commissioners

At the municipal election on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November one thousand nine hundred thirty-one there shall be elected at large seven members of the board of commissioners who shall take office on the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty-two and they and their successors shall serve for a term of four years Thereupon and thereafter the board of commissinners shall consist of seven members.

Section 3 The members of the board of commissioners shall be qualified electors of the consolidated city and must at the time of their election have resided in the district of which each must be a resident as hereinafter provided for not less than five years provided that the foregoing qualifications shall not become operative until the election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November one thousand nine hundred thirty-one

The seven members of the board of commissioners shall be elected at large one of whom shall have been a resident of the territory comprised in the consolidated city for not less than five years without restriction as to any district thereof and of the remaining six members of the board of commissioners three shall be residents of district number one and one shall be a resident of each districts numbers two three and four as hereinafter provided The members of the board of commissioners shall receive an annual compensation of twelve thousand dollars and the president shall receive an annual compensation of fifteen thousand dollars provided that the salaries of the county commissioners in office on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall remain during their term of office as the said salaries were prior to that date

Section 4 The board of commissioners shall meet at ten o'clock in the morning on the first Monday of January following each municipal election beginning with the municipal election of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and shall hold a regular meeting at least once a week at such time as it may determine by ordinance Special meetings may be called only by written notice signed by the president or by four members of the board of commissioners delivered at the residence or place of business of each member of the board at least twenty-four hours before the time of such meeting The presence of four members shall constitute a quorum Every ordinance resolution or vote of the board of commissioners except votes upon merely procedural motions shall require at least a majority of the members present voting in the affirmative

Section 5 At its meeting on the first Monday of January following a municipal election and beginning with the municipal election of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the board of commissioners shall organize by the election from its own members of a president and a vice-president who shall preside in the absence of the president The board of commissioners shall also choose a secretary and such other employes as it may deem necessary

Section 6 The board of commissioners shall have power to adopt such rules of procedure as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter

Section 7 On and after the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty-two all ordinances and resolutions shall be introduced in written form and except in the case of an emergency ordinance no proceedings other than reference to a committee or other authority to which ordinances and resolutions must or may be referred as provided in this charter shall be had thereon until the same has been printed and placed on the desks of the members for at least forty-eight hours All ordinances other than emergency ordinances shall be read three times on three separate days The yeas and nays shall be taken upon the passage of all ordinances and resolutions and be entered upon the journal of the board of commissioners The enacting clause of all ordinances shall be "Be it ordained by the City of Pittsburgh"

Section 8 All ordinances except the annual appropriation ordinance and ordinances codifying or arranging existing ordinances shall be confined to one subject and the subject of each ordinance shall be clearly expressed in its title Ordinances making appropriations shall be confined to the subject of appropriations

Section 9 An emergency ordinance is an ordinance other than the annual appropriation ordinance to provide for the immediate preservation of the public peace property health or safety in which the emergency claimed is set forth as part of the ordinance and which is passed by not less than five affirmative votes No ordinance granting renewing or amending a franchise or other special privilege shall ever be passed as an emergency ordinance except that an ordinance granting renewing or amending a franchise or other special privilege for a public utility already possessing a franchise or consent to operate within the limits of the consolidated city may be passed as an emergency ordinance if the director of the department of public works shall first certify in writing to the board of commissioners that the immediate passage of said ordinance is essential to the public welfare

Section 10 All ordinances and resolutions shall be authenticated by the signatures of the president or vice-president in the absence of the president and the secretary of the board of commissioners The board of commissioners shall keep a journal in which shall be recorded all official actions of the board This journal shall be a public record and open to inspection at all appropriate times

Section 11 All acts of the board of commissioners affecting the public generally in the consolidated city or any substantial portion thereof shall be enacted by ordinance of the consolidated city and all other acts of the board of commissioners shall be by resolution

In the case of resolution it shall not be necessary to publish notice thereof except as otherwise provided in this charter but in the case of ordinances thereof shall be published as follows Within three days after the introduction of the said ordinance a brief abstract of the important provisions thereof shall be published once in a daily newspaper published in the consolidated city and of general circulation therein and in addition if the said ordinance relates to less than the whole consolidated city and pertains to or specifically affects any one or more of the municipal divisions thereof or any part thereof in a daily newspaper if any published therein and if there is no daily newspaper published therein then as soon thereafter as possible in a weekly newspaper if any published in the said municipal division or divisions No ordinance other than an emergency ordinance shall be finally passed until such publication has been completed Within ten days after the final passage of any ordinance involving the imposition of fines and penalties the portion of the ordinance setting forth the offense and the amount of the fine and penalty shall be

published in full once in a daily newspaper published in the consolidated city and of general circulation therein

The board of commissioners shall provide by rules and regulations that a reasonable number of copies of ordinances shall be printed as the circumstances may require and as the demand therefor may exist by the public generally or by persons specially interested therein In case ordinances are passed at the request of and for a private interest the person firm or corporation one or more so interested in the said ordinance shall pay in advance all costs of printing and publication involved in the enactment of the said ordinance

Section 12 The board of commissioners shall have the power to fix the amounts of the bonds to be given by all elective and appointive officers and employes of the consolidated city provided they shall be approved in the case of the controller by the board of commissioners and in the case of all other officers by the controller and that the premiums thereon shall be paid by the consolidated city The said bonds shall be bonds of surety or trust companies incorporated under the laws of or authorized to do business in this state

Section 13 On or before the first Monday of December in each year the president shall submit to the board of commissioners the detailed estimate of the revenues and expenditures of the consolidated city for the ensuing year which has been prepared and submitted by the controller together with the recommendations of the president pertaining thereto The said estimate prepared and submitted by the controller shall be compiled from detailed information supplied by the several departments bureaus divisions courts and other officers and boards of the consolidated city upon uniform blanks furnished by the controller and it shall be the duty of every department bureau division court and office or board to fill out the said blanks with all the information demanded thereon and return the same to the controller on or before the date set by him for such return The classification of the estimate of expenditures shall be uniform for the main functional divisions of each department bureau division court and office and whenever any system of accounts shall have been put into effect shall correspond with the classification employed therein For the purpose of this and the succeeding sections of this article the offices of the several county officers as provided in article four of this charter shall be deemed to be departments of the consolidated city

Section 14 The estimate of expenditures submitted to the board of commissioners shall contain in parallel columns a detailed estimate of the expense of conducting each department and each other office or service of the consolidated city as submitted by the head of such department or the officer or board in charge of such office or service and the recommendation of the president of the board of commissioners as to the amounts to be appropriated with his reasons for his recommendation together with such other information as may be prescribed by the board of commissioners The estimate of expenditures shall likewise contain a statement of the total debt of the consolidated city the debt less sinking fund the debt less assets deductible in determining debt incurring capacity and a schedule of the maturities of all bond issues together with an estimate of the sums to be expended in the ensuing fiscal year for (1) interest on the debt (2) paying off serial bonds maturing during the year and (3) sinking fund requirements

Section 15 The estimate of revenues which must be submitted with the estimate of expenditures shall contain in parallel columns a detailed statement of the receipts for the last completed fiscal year the receipts for the current fiscal year plus an estimate of the receipts for the balance of the current fiscal year and the estimated receipts for the ensuing fiscal year from each source of revenue other than from annual taxes and such other information as the board of commissioners may prescribe The said estimate shall finally contain a statement of the revenue from annual taxation for the last two completed fiscal years and the current fiscal year together with an estimate of the millage necessary to meet the expenditures proposed in the estimate of expenditures

Section 16 Sufficient copies of the estimate of revenues and expenditures shall be prepared that there may be a copy on file in the office of the controller for inspection by the public An abstract of the estimate of revenues and expenditures shall be made available in pamphlet form for general distribution

Section 17 With the estimate of revenues and expenditures the president shall present to the board of commissioners a draft of an appropriation ordinance which shall thereupon be deemed to have been regularly introduced therein The board of commissioners shall give notice by advertisement in two successive issues of two daily newspapers published in the consolidated city and of general circulation therein of a public hearing or hearings upon the said estimates Following the public hearing or hearings the appropriation ordinance may be amended and shall take the same course as other ordinances

Section 18 The fiscal year shall begin with the first day of January and end with the thirty-first day of December next following

Section 19 Not later than one week after the final passage of the appropriation ordinance the controller shall certify to the board of commissioners the tax levy in dollars per hundred of assessed valuation necessary with other sources of revenue as estimated to produce the income necessary to provide for the total sum appropriated in the appropriation ordinance The board of commissioners shall thereupon proceed to adopt a tax levy ordinance

Section 20 The board of commissioners may transfer any portion of the unencumbered balance of an appropriation to any other purpose upon the written recommendation of the controller certifying the existence of such unencumbered balance and setting forth the reason for such transfer and may at any time appropriate any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated

Section 21 Together with the annual estimate of revenues and expenditures as heretofore provided the president shall submit an estimate of the revenues and expenditures for the ensuing fiscal year for each special tax district Said estimates shall be presented as near as may be in the same manner and form as the general estimate of revenues and expenditures and like proceedings with regard to hearing appropriation ordinance and tax levy shall be had thereon except that notice of hearing shall be published in the manner provided for the publication of notice of ordinance as provided in section eleven

Section 22 There shall also be presented by the president at the same time with the general estimate of revenues and expenditures a special budget for each special improvement project

ARTICLE IV

County Officers

Section 1 The sheriff and coroner shall be [illegible] the regular municipal election of one thousand nine [illegible] and twenty nine and every four years thereafter The controller district attorney prothonotary clerk of courts register of wills treasurer and recorder of deeds in office on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall continue in office for the term for which they have been elected or appointed Thereafter these offices shall be filled as follows The controller district attorney prothonotary treasurer clerk of courts register of wills and recorder of deeds shall be elected at large by the people of the consolidated city at the regular municipal election of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and every four years thereafter The salaries of all the above named officers shall remain as the said salaries were on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine or as may hereafter be fixed by law

Section 2 The officers referred to in the preceding section shall each have the power to appoint all the deputies and employes of their respective offices and to remove the same

Section 3 The district attorney prothonotary clerk of courts sheriff register of wills treasurer recorder of deeds controller and coroner shall have except as provided in this charter the powers and duties provided by the laws of the state for their respective offices

Section 4 The board of viewers in the number now provided by law shall be appointed by the judges of the court of common pleas and shall have such powers as now are or may hereafter be provided by law and by this charter

ARTICLE V

Elections

Section 1 The board of commissioners of the consolidated city shall have all the powers and duties relative to primaries and elections now or hereafter conferred or imposed by law upon board of county commissioners except as provided in this charter

Section 2 A regular municipal election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and every second year thereafter At such elections there shall be chosen members of the board of commissioners and other elective officers of the consolidated city as provided in and subject to the provisions of this charter and the elective officers of the cities boroughs and townships being municipal divisions thereof as provided in the laws of the state applicable to each of them respectively Nominations for all elective officers of the consolidated city and the municipal divisions thereof shall be made as provided by the general laws of the state and all primary elections and other elections including special elections shall be conducted in all respects as provided in said laws

Section 3 Any vacancy occurring in any elective office of the consolidated city by reason of death resignation or other cause shall be filled forthwith by appointment by the court of common pleas for the unexpired balance of the term of a person qualified to be elected to such office and who shall have voted for the officer whose place is to be filled. Such appointments shall be made in open court and shall be signed by a majority of the judges of the said court

Section 4 Special elections called by the board of commissioners shall be held in such cases as are provided by this charter or by the laws of the state Special elections in the municipal divisions shall be held when and as provided by the laws of the state applicable to each of them respectively

Section 5 After the Unites States census of one thousand nine hundred thirty but not prior to the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and each decennial census thereafter the board of commissioners shall by ordinance divide the consolidated city into districts of which the members of the board of commissioners must be residents as provided in article three District number one shall consist of the municipal division of Pittsburgh and districts two three and four respectively shall contain as nearly as may be an equal number of inhabitants and they shall be composed of contiguous and compact territory except that where another municipal division is wholly surrounded by the municipal division of Pittsburgh it may be part of the district outside the municipal division of Pittsburgh to which it is most nearly contiguous measuring from nearest boundary to the nearest boundary

ARTICLE VI

Administrative Service

Section 1 The president of the board of commissioners shall have executive direction and management of the administrative service of the consolidated city It shall be his duty to see that the laws of the United States of Pennsylvania and the ordinances of the consolidated city are faithfully executed He shall present to the board of commissioners annually as provided in article three a budget of the estimated revenues and recommended expenditures for the ensuing year and in every way promote business efficiency and economy in the administrative service of the consolidated city

Section 2 He shall have power to appoint and remove the employes of his own office and by and with the consent of the board of commissioners he shall appoint the heads of all departments of the admistrative service of the consolidated city and such other officers and boards as this charter may provide The practice and procedure with reference to the removal of any officer department head or employe of the consolidated city shall be in accordance with the rules practices and regulations prescribed from time to time by the board of commissioners

Section 3 The president of the board of commissioners shall have the power of direction and command acting through the directors of the several departments over all officers and employes of the administrative service of the consolidated city He may at any time inquire into the conduct of any department office or service or any officer or employe thereof

Section 4 The administrative service of the consolidated city shall include the following departments health public works law transit and such other departments as the board of commissioners may by ordinance provide The board of commissioners may by ordinance assign and reassign among the departments the offices functions and services of the consolidated city except as the same are specifically assigned by this charter

Section 5 Except as otherwise specifically provided in the charter the directors of departments shall have the power to appoint the other officers and employes thereof In all cases the appointing officer shall have the power to remove and to discipline by suspension or demotion any officer or employe appointed by him

Section 6 All persons who in accordance with the terms of this charter are appointed for fixed terms shall continue to exercise the functions of their several offices until their successors are appointed and qualified and all persons appointed to fill vacancies in such offices shall be appointed for the unexpired balance of the term only

ARTICLE VII

FINANCE AND TAXATION

Section 1 The controller shall have the powers and duties of the controller of Allegheny County and such other powers as may hereafter be conferred on county controllers by general law except as the same may be inconsistent with this charter No money shall be drawn from the treasury of the consolidated city except by warrant countersigned by him and he shall countersign no such warrant until he has satisfied himself that the claim for which the warrant is drawn represents a legal obligation of the consolidated city He shall keep in his office correct records and accounts of the financial transactions of the consolidated city He shall have access at all times for himself or for any person designated by him to books records and cash in the office of the treasurer and of all other officers keeping accounts or handling money on behalf of the consolidated city He shall have power to inquire into all contracts including the performance thereof all other proceedings involving the expenditure of public funds to which the consolidated city is a party and the financial transactions of all officers and employees of the consolidated city For this purpose he may administer oaths summon witnesses and order the production of relevant books and papers If any person fails to obey such summons or order or refuses to answer a proper question addressed to him by the controller in the course of any hearing the controller may apply to any judge of the court of common pleas for an order to compel the witness to attend to produce the books and papers demanded and to answer any question or questions If the said judge is satisfied upon such hearing of the matter as he may require that the order shall issue he shall issue the same

Section 2 The controller shall have power to prescribe the nature and forms of all accounts to be kept by all officers and employees of the consolidated city and the times when and the manner in which all officers and employees receiving money for the use of the consolidated city shall pay the same into the treasury.

Section 3 There shall be in the office of the controller a division of accounts in which shall be kept the general accounts of the consolidated city These accounts shall be adequate to record in detail the value and custodianship of all property of the consolidated city and all transactions relating thereto and the financial transactions of the consolidated city in such manner as to show besides cash receipts and disbursements accruals of revenue and the incurrance of obligations in relation to each fund and appropriation. There shall be an appropriation ledger in which each appropriation shall be set up as in the appropriation ordinance and it shall be the duty of the controller to encumber each such appropriation with the amount of each order contract or other obligation before the order is placed or obligation incurred Separate accounts

shall be kept of all financial transactions relating to current operation outlays from bond issues special assessment proceedings and the principal and interest of the bonded debt

Section 4 The controller shall prepare and submit to the board of commissioners not later than the twentieth day of each month a summary statement of revenues and expenses of the previous month detailed as to appropriations and funds in such manner as to show the exact financial condition of the consolidated city and of each appropriation and fund as of the last day of the previous month This statement shall be made available to the public

Section 5 No money shall be drawn from the treasury of the consolidated city nor shall any obligation for the expenditure of money be incurred except in accordance with an appropriation by the board of commissioners. At the close of the fiscal year any unencumbered balance of an appropriation shall revert to the fund from which appropriated and shall be available for reappropriation by the board of commissioners

Section 6 No contract agreement or other obligation involving the expenditure of moneys out of appropriations made by the board of commissioners shall be entered into nor shall any order for such expenditure be valid unless the controller shall first certify that there is an unencumbered balance in the appropriation account to be charged therewith sufficient to meet the obligation thus created Nothing in this or the preceding section shall be taken to prevent the consolidated city from entering into contracts for more than one and not exceeding ten years and for the payment thereon from current revenues from year to year

Section 7 No claim against the treasury of the consolidated city shall be paid except by means of a warrant issued by the president or vice president of the board of commissioners countersigned by the controller or his authorized deputy No such warrant shall be issued to pay a claim for goods delivered unless the receipt of the goods for which the claim is made is certified by the purchasing agent and the officer or employe accepting delivery of the same on behalf of the consolidated city. No warrant shall be issued for the payment of the whole or part of the obligation of any contract for public work or for contractual services until the performance of such part of the contract as entitled the claimant to receive the same has been certified by the head of the department under the direction of which the work or service is done The controller may require such additional evidence of the validity of any claim and conduct such investigation with regard thereto as he may deem necessary For this purpose he shall have the same powers with regard to compelling the attendance of witnesses the production of relevant books and papers and the administration of oaths hereinbefore conferred upon the controller

Section 8 It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to collect all special assessments and taxes due the consolidated city After the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty-two the treasurer shall also collect delinquent taxes and from and after that date the office of the collector of delinquent taxes of the County of Allegheny shall be and is hereby abolished and thereafter the treasurer shall have and exercise all the powers and duties of said collector of delinquent taxes Annually and prior to the date when taxes are payable in advance the treasurer shall mail to each taxpayer a tax bill setting forth in detail such data relating thereto as may be prescribed by the board of commissioners. This provision is directory and not mandatory and the failure to mail any such bill shall not invalidate the levy of any tax or any proceedngs based on such levy The treasurer shall arrange with banking institutions located throughout the consolidated city the terms of the agreement being subject to the approval of the board of commssioners to receive tax payments on behalf of the consolidated city All taxes shall be due and payable as now provided by law for county taxes in Allegheny County

Section 9 It shall be the duty of the treasurer to safely keep the moneys of the consolidated city and to pay out the same only on warrants issued and countersigned as hereinbefore provided He may deposit said moneys in banks or banking institutions upon the conditions required for the deposit of public money by the laws of the State applicable thereto

Section 10 All property and persons shall be assessed for taxation for the purposes of the consolidated city in the manner now provided by law for the assessment of property and persons for the purposes of taxation in Allegheny County and the board for the assessment and revision of taxes as now constituted shall be continued and shall hereafter be appointed by the board of commissioners as provided by the laws providing for said board of assessment and revision of taxes The assessment as so prepared shall be used for taxation by the consolidated city and all the municipal divisions which may adopt the same Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to include for the purposes of taxation by municipal districts any personal property now by law taxable only for county purposes

Section 11 The board for the assessment and revision of taxes and the local assessors acting for and employed by the said board shall make the assessments of persons and property in the consolidated city in the manner and at the time as now or hereafter prescribed by law and at such other times as may be directed by the board of commissioners

Section 12 The purchasing agent appointed by the board of county commissioners shall make all purchases of supplies materials and equipment for the consolidated city in the manner and with such exceptions as may be provided by ordinance or resolution and shall under such regulations as may be provided by ordinance sell all personal property of the consolidated city not needed for public use or that may have become unsuitable for public use He shall also have charge of such general storerooms and warehouses of the city as the board of commissioners may by resolution provide and goods may be purchased for the stores account to be furnished to the several departments and offices on requisition goods so furnished to be paid for by the department or office furnished therewith by a transfer of credit to the stores account

Section 13 No officer or employee of the consolidated city shall retain for his own use any fees and or interest paid to him in his official capacity as such officer or employee of the consolidated city and shall account for the same and pay the same into the treasury of the consolidated city provided however that nothing herein contained shall prevent or interfere with the rights of such officer or employee as an agent or representative of the commonwealth for any services which he may render as such agent or representative of the commonwealth and provided further that nothing herein contained shall affect the right of the delinquent tax collector to his fees as now provided by law prior to the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty-two

Section 14 Contracts for public work supplies materials and equipment of all kinds requiring payments in excess of five hundred dollars including public work to be paid for by special assessment and by district taxation shall be publicly awarded after public advertisement thereof on the basis of competitive bids to the lowest responsible bidder in accordance with such procedure as the board of commissioners shall prescribe by ordinance provided that the right to reject any and all bids and call for new bids shall always be reserved

Section 15 Whenever the electors of the consolidated city shall have assented to an increase of indebtedness exceeding two per cent upon the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein the board of commissioners may for the purpose of financing any work or improvement for which such increase of indebtedness has been authorized issue short term notes which shall be chargeable to the said increase of indebtedness and paid for from the sale of bonds issued in pursuance of such authorization provided the terms of maturity of said notes and bonds shall not in the aggregate exceed thirty years and provided further that said short term notes shall not be issued for a longer term than three years and shall be sold to the highest responsible bidder

Section 1 There shall be a department of health which shall have power subject to the limitations of Section four of this Article to make regulations for the enforcement of the laws of the Commonwealth relating to the control of communicable diseases and for the enforcement of the regulations and orders of the State Department of Health and to make and enforce such additional rules and regulations to prevent the introduction and spread of infectious or contagious diseases by the regulation of intercourse with infected places by the separation of infected persons and persons who shall have been exposed to any infectious or contagious diseases and by abating and removing and preventing all nuisances which they shall deem to be prejudical to the public health to mark infected houses or places to prescribe rules for the construction and maintenance of house drains wash pipes soil pipes

and cesspools and to make all such other rules and regulations as they shall deem necessary for the preservation of the public health They shall have power subject to the approval of the board of commissioners in case of a prevalence or apprehend prevalence of any contagious or infectious disease in the consolidated city to establish one or more emergency hospitals and to make provisions and regulations for the maintenance and management of same

The Director of the department shall from time to time recommend to the Board of Commissioners the adoption of ordinances and resolutions to insure the effective carrying out of the rules and regulations of the department of health and the Board of Commissioners may enact ordinances pertaining thereto and may provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof in accordance with the provisions of this charter hereinbefore provided

Section 2 There shall be a director of health who shall be a doctor of medicine of at least five years professional experience and licensed to practice medicine in the state of Pennsylvania He shall be the executive officer of the department and shall have power to appoint all other officers and employes of the department

Section 3 The said department shall have power to make any and all regulations in addition to and not in conflict with the laws of the state or the ordinances of the consolidated city which it shall deem necessary to protect the public health which regulations may apply to the whole or any part of the consolidated city

Section 4 The department of health shall have the power to enforce its regulations and orders directly upon individuals corporations and property in any municipal division which has no local health authority services rendered in a municipal division not authorized by law to have a local health department or officer

Section 5 If any municipal division shall surrender to the consolidated city its powers in relation to public health the department of health of the consolidated city may upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon assume exclusive direction and control of public health work in said municipal division

Section 6 The department of health shall provide means for the conduct of such laboratory and statistical service as may be necessary for the protection of public health Laboratories may either be maintained by the department of health or laboratory service may be contracted for with established laboratories

Section 7 All examining centers and hospitals for the diagnosis treatment and prevention of communicable diseases established and maintained by the consolidated city shall be administered by the department of health

ARTICLE IX

Department of Public Works

Section 1 There shall be a department of public works at the head of which shall be a director He shall have the power to appoint all the other officers and employees of the department subject to the approval of the board of commissioners This department shall have all the powers and duties now possessed by the department of public works of Allegheny County and such other powers and duties as may be assigned to it by this charter or by ordinance The organization of the said department of public works of Allegheny County shall continue to be the organization of the department of public works until altered by ordinance

Section 2 There shall be in the Department of Public Works a planning commission to be constituted as provided by law for county planning commissions in counties of the second class The members thereof shall be appointed by the board of commissioners Such planning commission shall have the powers and perform the duties vested in and imposed upon county planning commissions in counties of the second class as provided by the laws of the Commonwealth

ARTICLE X

Department of Law

Section 1 There shall be a department of law the director of which shall be the solicitor of the consolidated city which shall take over the duties of the present county solicitor and all other solicitors or attorneys for constitutional or other offices of Allegheny county The director shall have power to appoint all the deputies assistants and other employes of this department provided that in the appointment of his deputy or assistant solicitors he shall select one person designated by the controller and one by the sheriff

Section 2 It shall be the duty of the department of law to prepare all contracts to which the consolidated city shall be a party and no such contract shall be executed on behalf of the consolidated city until there has been endorsed thereon the certificate of the department that it is correct in form

Section 3 It shall further be the duty of the department to prepare ordinances and resolutions as directed by the board of commissioners or the director of any department and to give advice on questions of law to the board of commissioners and all officers and departments of the consolidated city

Section 4 It shall be the duty of this department to represent the consolidated city in all litigation in which the said city may be invoked or interested

Section 5 There shall be a bureau of public utility relations in the department of law It shall be the duty thereof to keep a record of all franchises consent ordinances and agreements in which the consolidated city has an interest to see to the enforcement of the rights of the consolidated city thereunder to procure wherever possible the adoption of uniform agreements with each public utility to which the consolidated city or the municipal divisions thereof shall be parties to represent the consolidated city in making and revising such agreements to receive complaints of citizens relative to the service of any public utility to represent the consolidated city and on request of any municipal division thereof and approval of the solicitor of the consolidated city and board of commissioners upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon to represent the said municipal division or divisions in proceedings before the public service commission of the state and the courts of law in any matters relating to services rates or valuations

Section 6 This department shall have such other powers and duties as may be prescribed by this charter or by ordinance

ARTICLE XI

Department of Regional Transit

Section 1 There shall be a department of regional transit at the head of which shall be a regional [transmit] transit commission which shall appoint a director who shall be an engineer of at least ten years professional experience and who shall have executive charge of the activities of the department and appoint all employes of the department The director may with the advice of the transit commission contract with engineers transportation experts legal advisers and consultants for such services as may be required and as may be authorized by the board of commissioners

Section 2 There shall be a regional transit commission consisting of the director and six other members to be appointed by the president of the board of commissioners as provided in article six for terms of six years The members of the city transit commission of the present city of Pittsburgh as they were on the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall continue as members of the regional transit commission for terms which shall expire one each year in the order of their respective appointments to the city transit commission beginning on the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty-one The additional member shall not be a resident of the municipal division of Pittsburgh and shall be appointed for a term of six years from the first Monday of January one thousand nine hundred thirty Upon the expiration of the terms of the original members their respective successors shall be appointed for terms of six years beginning on the first Monday of January The members of the commission shall serve without compensation

Section 3 The commission may make regulations for its own organization and procedure consistent with the laws of this state and the ordinances of the consolidated city A majority of the members shall be a quorum The commission

shall make annually to the board of commissioners a report of their transactions and recommendations

Section 4 It shall be the duty of the department of regional transit to design construct manage administer and supervise any and all transit facilities and transportation systems constructed purchased leased or otherwise equipped owned maintained or operated by the consolidated city under the authority of the board of commissioners thereof including all works buildings equipment appliances and appurtenances necessary or incidental to the proper construction maintenance equipment or operation of such transit facilities or transportation systems and shall have such other powers and duties as may be imposed upon it by ordinance

ARTICLE XII

Special Assessments

Section 1 In the exercise of its power to pay the cost of any public improvement in whole or in part by special assessment upon abutting or non-abutting property materially benefited thereby the consolidated city shall be governed by the following provisions

Section 2 The board of commissioners may propose by resolution to initiate a public improvement the cost of which is to be assessed in whole or in part against abutting or non-abutting property materially benefited thereby as provided in article two of this charter Such resolution shall set a date for a public hearing shall refer to the map of the proposed area of benefit which shall be on file at the office of the secretary of the board of commissioners prior to the hearing shall describe the proposed area of benefit by the use of an outline map or other readily understandable means shall state the aggregate assessed valuation of land which may be subject to special assessment within the proposed area of benefit as evidenced by the last assessment roll on which taxes for the consolidated city were levied and shall state in general terms the location and character of the proposed public improvement and its estimated cost A copy of such resolution shall be sent to the governing body of each municipal division any part of which is included in the proposed area of benefit and shall be published once in a newspaper published in the consolidated city and of general circulation therein and in a newspaper published in each of the said municipal divisions and of general circulation therein if there be such a newspaper The hearing shall be held not less than fifteen days after the last publication and the receipt of the resolution by the governing bodies of said municipal divisions

Section 3 The presentation to the secretary of the board of commissioners on or before the date set for the hearing of a petition signed by owners of land representing ten per cent in interest of all real estate as determined by the last assessment roll within the proposed area of benefit shall make it mandatory on the board of commissioners to provide for further hearing at a date not less than fifteen days after the first date assigned for the hearing

Section 4 The presentation to the secretary of the board of commissioners on or before the date for the continuance of the hearing of a petition objecting to the proposed improvement and signed by owners of land representing sixty per cent interest of all real estate as determined by the last assessment roll within the proposed area of benefit shall serve as a veto on the power of the board of commissioners to proceed with the improvement Nothing in this section shall be construed as limiting the power of the board of commissioners to re-initiate the proposed improvement in its orginal form after the lapse of one year from the date of the orginal notice of intention or in modified form at any time always subject to the foregoing provisions relating to notice hearing continuation of hearing and veto

Section 5 In the award of contracts for the construction of such a public improvement the board of commissioners shall proceed under the provisions of article seven of this charter

Section 6 In the exercise of the right of eminent domain for the acquisition of lands rights and easements essential to such a public improvement the board of commissioners shall proceed under the statutes of the state now or hereafter providing for the exercise of eminent domain by municipal corporations and in all cases damages shall be awarded and except as otherwise hereinafter provided benefits shall be assessed in accordance with the procedure provided for municipal corporations in such cases and liens may be filed for the collection of such benefits in accordance with the laws of the commonwealth for the collection of municipal claims

Section 7 After the passage of the ordinance authorizing the said public improvement the board of commissioners shall apply to the court of common pleas for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the damage to the property proposed to be taken injured or destroyed by such public improvement and such board of viewers shall proceed to ascertain the said damages without then considering any special benefits arising from said public improvement and shall proceed in accordance with law The board of commissioners may at any time prior to the actual entry upon and the taking possession of said property so damaged repeal the said ordinance and reimburse the said owners for any expense actually incurred

Section 8 At any time after the completion of the said public improvement and not later than one year thereafter the board of commissioners shall by resolution order one or more members of the board for the assessment and revision of taxes hereinafter called the assessment board to prepare an assessmnt roll and assessment map for the area of benefit Such resolution shall direct the assessment board to consult with the heads of the departments having charge of the design or construction of such improvement and such other officers or employes as may be designated in said resolution The said resolution shall contain a statement of the aggregate cost incurred for the said public improvement which shall be grouped under the following heads

(a) Amounts actually paid for the costs and damages for the lands rights and easements taken injured or destroyed together with the amounts finally determined and not paid together with the amounts fixed by the latest determination in cases in which the litigation is not concluded

(b) The actual total cost of the construction of the public improvement

(c) All costs of engineering and inspection incident to the planning for and construction of the said public improvement

(d) Interest paid on indebtedness incurred on account thereof during the period of the planning for and construction of the said public improvement

The said resolution shall also fix and determine whether all or what percentage of said aggregate cost shall be assessed against the properties specially benefited

Section 9 The assessment board shall thereupon promptly proceed to ascertain the amount of special benefit advantage or increase in value which the respective lots and parcels of land shall be determined to receive by reason of such public improvement and in no case shall any assessment on any parcel of land exceed in amount such special benefit advantage or increase in value or its just proportion of said aggregate cost or the percentage thereof fixed by the board of commissioners

In preparing the said assessment roll the assessment board shall classify the real estate within the area of benefit into urban suburban or rural or into as many of such classes as may exist within the area of benefit

Section 10 When the assessment board shall have completed such assessment roll and such map it shall give notice in the manner prescribed in section two of this article that the assessment roll and assessment map are open for inspection in its office for a period of thirty days and that it will on a certain date thereafter hear all objections to the said assessments It shall also mail to every known owner of land against which an assessment appears on such roll whose address or whose agent's address is on file in its office or in that of the treasurer of the consolidated city a copy of such notice together with the statement of the amount assessed against each and every parcel of which such person was the known owner on the date of completion of the roll This requirement is directory and not mandatory and failure to mail any such notice shall not invalidate any proceeding or assessment hereunder

Section 11 Objections to the said assessments shall be filed in such form as may be prescribed by the assessment board and within such limit of time as may be set forth in the

notice provided for in the preceding section The said assessment board shall thereupon proceed to consider such objections and hold such hearings in connection therewith as it may determine advisable and make such changes in the assessments as may appeal to it to be proper and reasonable under the circumstances After its final determination the assessment board shall as promptly as possible transmit the assessment roll and the assessment maps to the board of commissioners

Thereupon the board of commissioners shall direct the solicitor of the consolidated city to apply to the court of common pleas for the appointment of viewers and to attach to the petition for the appointment of said viewers a copy of the said final assessment roll and assessment maps Thereupon notice thereof shall be given to the said property owners in the same manner as is provided in section ten hereof Said requirement as to mailing is directory and not mandatory and failure to mail any such notice shall not invalidate any proceeding or assessment hereunder Said assessment shall become final and conclusive with respect to all assessments to which no exception is taken within thirty days after said last publication and the board of viewers shall thereupon approve and confirm the same With respect to all assessments to which exception is taken before the said board of viewers within said thirty days the board of viewers shall proceed to determine the special benefit advantage or increase in value and such and all further proceedings shall be in accordance with the laws providing for the assessment of benefits for improvements made by municipal corporations

Section 12 The board of commissioners may provide for the payment of said assessments in one or more installments provided that all installments shall be paid within ten years from the date of the final determination of any assessment Interest shall be charged on all deferred payments at the rate of six per cent per annum If any installments shall become due and delinquent the same shall be collected in the same manner and under the same penalties as in municipal liens and municipal claims as now or hereafter provided by law

ARTICLE XIII

Municipal Divisions

Section 1 Whenever any municipal division of the consolicited city shall desire to become united with another contiguous municipal division and shall signify such desire either by the passage of an ordinance of the governing body of the said municipal division or by a petition signed by qualified electors of such municipal division equal to twenty per cent of the votes cast therein at the last general election and the governing body of the other municipal division agrees thereto the board of commissioners of the consolidated city shall by appropriate ordinance within fifteen days after receipt of a certified copy of the said ordinance or satisfactory verification that the requirements of the said petition have been fully met submit the question to the electors of such municipal division and the municipal division to which the annexation is to be made at the next general municipal election occurring at least sixty days after the passage of the said ordinance or at the request of the governing bodies of both municipal divisions at a special election to take place not less than sixty days after the passage of the said ordinance The question shall be submitted in the following form

Shall the municipal division of..... be united with ..... to form a single municipal division under the name of .....?	Yes	
	No	

In all other respects the general laws of the state relating to elections or special elections as the case may be shall apply The cost of such elections shall be borne by the municipal divisions concerned If the majority of votes on this question in each of the municipal divisions is in the affirmative the municipal divisions shall be united to form a single municipal division

Section 2 The governing body of any municipal division may propose to the board of commissioners of the consolidated city to surrender one or more of the powers of the said municipal divisions to the consolidated city The board of commissioners of the consolidated city may accept or reject such a proposal In accepting any such proposal the board of commissioners of the consolidated city must attach to its acceptance such conditions as may be prescribed in this charter and may attach other conditions in its discretion If the proposal be accepted the board of commissioners shall submit to the electors of the municipal division at the next general municipal election the question as to whether they will approve the surrender upon such conditions if any which the board of commissioners has attached thereto If a majority of those voting on such questions be in the affirmative the said power or powers shall be deemed surrendered to the consolidated city upon the conditions embodied in such question

Section 3 There are hereby reserved to each of the municipal divisions of the consolidated city all the properties powers rights capacities and duties of cities boroughs and townships of their respective forms and classes which have not been by this charter granted to the consolidated city together with the substantial powers expressly reserved to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county as provided in section four of article fifteen of the constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

ARTICLE XIV

Ratification and Amendment

Section 1 This charter shall become effective upon ratification thereof by the people of Allegheny county in the manner and form provided by article fifteen section four of the constitution of the state that is if a majority of the electors voting thereon in the county as a whole and at least two-thirds of the electors voting thereon in each of a majority of the cities boroughs and townships thereof vote in the affirmative on the submission of such charter as hereinafter provided

Section 2 The question hereinafter set forth shall be submitted to the electors of Allegheny county on the fourth Tuesday of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and it shall be the duty of the county commissioners of Allegheny county and all other officers having to do with elections in said county to hold and conduct said election and to count the ballots and declare the result thereof in accordance with the laws of the state

Section 3 At the election hereinabove provided there shall be printed on the ballot together with such other matter as may be required by law the following question—

Do you approve the charter for the consolidated city of Pittsburgh submitted to the electors of Allegheny county by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by an act entitled An act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election

Yes	
No	

Section 4 This charter may be amended by the legislature subject to ratification by a majority of the electors of the consolidated city voting thereon at any general or special election provided that no amendment reducing the powers of municipal divisions shall be effective unless ratified by a majority of the electors voting thereon in each of a majority of said divisions

ARTICLE XV

Miscellaneous Provisions

Section 1 The districts of which the several members of the board of commissioners must be respectively residents as provided in article three of this charter shall be constituted as follows until the board of commissioners shall have established such districts following the United States census of one thousand nine hundred thirty as provided in the said articles three and five provided that no change shall be made in the districts as hereinafter set forth in this section prior to the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two

(a) District number one shall consist of the present city of Pittsburgh with such additions as may from time to time be made thereto by annexation as provided in article thirteen

(b) District number two shall consist of the city of McKeesport the boroughs of Braddock Chalfant East McKeesport East Pittsburgh Edgewood Elizabeth Forest Hills Glassport Liberty North Braddock Pitcairn Port Vue Rankin Swissvale Turtle Creek Versailles Wall Wilkinsburg Wilmerding and the townships of Braddock Elizabeth Forward Lincoln North Versailles South Versailles and Versailles except as may be modified by the changes provided for in sub-paragraph (a) hereof

(c) District number three shall consist of the cities of Clairton and Duquesne the boroughs of Brentwood Bridgeville Carnegie Castle Shannon Crafton Dormont Dravosburg Greentree Heidelberg Homestead Ingram McKees Rocks Mount Oliver Munhall Oakdale Overbrook Rosslyn Farms Thornburg West Elizabeth West Homestead and Whitaker and the townships of Baldwin Bethel Collier Jefferson Kennedy Mifflin Mount Lebanon Robinson Scott Snowden South Fayette Stowe and Upper Saint Clair except as may be modified by the changes provided for in sub-paragraph (a) hereof

(d) District number four shall consist of the boroughs of Aspinwall Avalon Bellevue Ben Avon Ben Avon Heights Blawnox Brackenridge Bradford Woods Cheswick Coraopolis Edgeworth Emsworth Etna Glenfield Haysville Leetsdale Millvale Oakmont Osborne Sewickley, Sharpsburg Springdale Tarentum Verona and West View and the townships of Aleppo Crescent East Deer Fawn Findley Franklin Frazer Hampton Harmar Harrison Indiana Kilbuck Leet McCandless Marshall Moon Neville North Fayette O'Hara Ohio Patton Penn Pine Plum Reserve Richland Ross Sewickley Sewickley Heights Shaler Springdale West Deer and Wilkins except as may be modified by the changes provided for in sub-paragraph (a) hereof

Section 2 The articles of this charter the sections thereof and the parts thereof are severable and in the event of any provision hereof being declared unconstitutional it is hereby declared as the legislative intent that such unconstitutional provision shall not affect the validity of the other provisions of this charter and it is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the remaining provisions of the charter would have been enacted without reference to the portion which may have been declared to be unconstitutional

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I desire to ask every member of this House one question which they can answer by yes or no. Will they permit themselves to be interrogated?

The SPEAKER. Will the House permit itself to be interrogated?

The Chair hears objections from at least one member.

Mr. BALDRIGE. The question I desire to ask is how many members of this House have had an opportunity or the time to read this bill since the amendments were entered last Wednesday. How many of you have read it? All of you who have read it put your hands up.

The SPEAKER. The Chair informs the gentleman from Allegheny that there are two hands put up.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I thank the ladies and gentlemen who answered that question. I think that is about the correct answer.

Mr. Speaker and ladies and gentlemen of the House, this is one of the most important bills ever brought into the Pennsylvania Legislature. It is not only affecting, as many of you think, the county of Allegheny and the city of Philadelphia, but it is affecting the whole Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. I ask you, in deference to the people of Allegheny County, to pay attention strictly to what I have to say and I will be as brief as possible.

Not long ago you voted to continue the present municipal commission for another two years. This bill was introduced in the Senate by my very good friend, Senator Leslie, from our county. I read to you from the Senate History. "Introduced in the Senate March 11th of this year; referred to the Committee on Judiciary General on March 11th; reported as committed March 12th; passed first reading March the 12th; passed second reading March 13th; recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General March 13th; reported as amended March 27th," and they held it a week longer because of Senator Leslie's illness, "passed third reading and final passage April 1st; referred to the Committee on Judiciary General in the House on April 2nd, and reported as amended on April 3rd; passed first reading April 3rd, passed second reading April 8th," and is now on April 15th up for final passage after amendments were offered last week.

Now, ladies and gentlemen of the House, I want to say that in the last census taken in 1928 the population of Allegheny County, outside of the present city limits, was much greater and is still much greater today than that within the present city limits. Don't you forget that for a moment when you are voting on this proposition, and that the people outside of the city limits in Allegheny County, and the majority of them, don't want to go into the City of Pittsburgh under any proposition.

I want to call your attention to another feature of this bill. Under our present city and county government our county board of commissioners consists of three members and the minority party is entitled to representation. At the present time they don't have that representation owing to the fact that at the last election there was an independent party formed and a Republican on the independent ticket got the minority place. Under this proposed charter act that commission is supposed to continue until 1932 in spite of the fact that they say that they would hold a special election in June of this year to adopt or refuse this charter. I want to say further, that if this charter is adopted the present board of county commissioners will have full control until 1932 and they are all residents of the City of Pittsburgh and not one of them is a resident of the outlying section of Allegheny County. Therefore, I say to you that this proposition is unfair; absolutely unfair. I have asked them to amend it so

that we will have representation in the section outside of the city if such a thing should happen that the population of Allegheny County should adopt this charter, pending the time when the charter would be adopted at the subsequent election. That could be easily amended but they don't want to give us even that concession. I want to say to you that taxation without representation is tyranny and has been tyranny ever since the Boston Tea Party.

I want to call your attention to another phase. If the program of the people who are behind this specious piece of legislation goes through, the special election will take place in Allegheny County on the 25th of next June. You all know that the pamphlet laws which will contain the exact form of this bill will not be ready for delivery until the latter part of August, two months after this election is held. How are the people of Allegheny County going to get familiar with the provisions of this bill when they cannot have the bill before them other than the old printed copies with the amendments, and they will be scattered broadcast over this House before this session adjourns and you know it.

I want to call your attention to one thing more. There is a provision in this charter that it must pass by a two-thirds majority of the municipalities in the county before it can be adopted. That two-thirds provision only applies until the first charter is adopted and that is why they have stricken out the eighth paragraph that the commission put into this bill when they came here in good faith because they can then amend it by a mere majority.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill is of too great importance to be rushed through at this time and at this rapid rate without a proper consideration on the part of the members of this House and the members of the Senate. It means too much to the people of Pennsylvania to rush this thing through so that Pittsburgh can have the benefit of the 1930 census and become a fourth or fifth class city regardless of what it means to the tax-paying public and the citizens of Allegheny County. We have not had the proper time or the proper opportunity to study and to judge this piece of legislation.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I move you that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special for further consideration and study.

Mr. MUNLEY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

QUESTION OF INFORMATION.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I rise on a question of information.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question.

Mr. MARCUS. Do I understand that the Speaker is presenting a question to this House on a motion to recommit?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is advised that a motion to recommit can be entertained.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would ask the members of this House to vote this motion to recommit down for the following reasons. Without attempting to take the valuable time of this House, I desire to familiarize the members of this body with this bill that is now before you. It has been a constantly recurring measure since the extraordinary session of 1926 when a Constitutional amendment was passed by this House. In the session of 1927 the Constitutional amendment was again voted upon by this House, and in the Fall election of 1928 it was ratified by the State of Pennsylvania. The bill that is now before you is an enabling act giving an opportunity to the voters of Allegheny County to say whether they desire to accept or reject this charter. For that reason I would ask the members of this House to vote this motion to recommit down and give this bill an opportunity to come up for final passage where the merits or the demerits of this bill can be fully explained to the members of this House in its entirety. I therefore request the members of the House to vote "no" on the motion to recommit.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, there is only one other provision in this bill which I wish to call to the attention of the members of this House and which I overlooked—and especially to the minority members of this House. Under the present system, as I said before, under the present commission we have a representative of the minority party. Under this charter there is no provision made for the minority party in a commission of seven

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The motion was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I ask for a verification of the roll.

The roll was verified as follows:

YEAS—143.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McCann,	Schrock,
Aston,	Flynn,	McKay,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Fox,	Meredith,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fuller,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gelnett,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Greeby,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Grenet,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Griffith,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Grimes,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Braham,	Harter,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffleron,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Heffran,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Henderson,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Himes,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Hess,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—30.

Baldrige,	Hermansen,	McClure,	Ronemus,
Behm,	Hoffman,	Moore, D G.,	Scott, W. H.,
Boggs,	Howe,	Peck,	Sheely,
Catania,	Huester,	Peters,	Smith, W. B.,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Pethick,	Storer,
Gross,	Lowe,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Gwynne,	McAlinn,	Riddle,	Yerg,
Hagmaier,			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY THE SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concurs), that House Bill No. 1282, Printer's No. 444, White File Folio 2745, entitled "An Act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini One thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled 'An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation hereof' as amended by the Act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one)" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 15th, 1929.

Resolved (If the Senate concurs), that House Bill No. 1780, Printer's No. 630, White File Folio 3759, entitled, "An Act authorizing townships of the first class to Fund Floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 15th, 1929.

Resolved, (If the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1597, Printer's No, 1092. White File Folio 6283, entitled: "An Act creating in the counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 15th, 1929.

Resolved (If the Senate concur), that House Bill No. 1655, Printer's No. 1029, White File Folio 6059, entitled, "An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled 'An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws' by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1139.

An Act to amend section twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner, in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

SENATE BILL No. 1142.

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

SENATE BILL No. 1143.

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and opeartion of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 835.

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four, six, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twen-

ty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five and twenty-six of the act, approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten), entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing, sparring, and wrestling matches and exhibitions; establishing a State Athletic Commission; making an appropriation therefor; and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes; and prescribing penalties."

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 327.

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army navy marine corps revenue cutter service or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms or while doing certain other things for personal profit and fixing penalties.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1060.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 10, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1060, file folio 4051, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

BILLS ON THIRD READING (SPECIAL ORDER).

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2112, (Senate Bill No. 231), entitled:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase installation preparation custody and demonstration of use of at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—202.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. C.,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lore,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Eichhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fridley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

RESOLUTION.

RETURNING HOUSE BILL No. 1060 TO THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. WILSON asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1060, Printer's No. 653, File Folio 4051, entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one

thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand thirty-four) entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts, the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water, and to prevent flood conditions,' extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of firests," which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. STEEDLE, asked and obtained unanimous censent to call up out of order House Bill No. 2284, (Senate Bill No. 1131), file folio 7019, on page 23 of to-day's calendar, bills on final passage.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2284, (Senate Bill No. 1131), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the City of Pittsburgh

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the city of Pittsburgh for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to regulations and in the manner prescribed by law at the rate of three dollars ($3) per diem for the medical and surgical service rendered to and maintenance of each person treated in said hospital who is entitled to free service and for each day of part pay service such proportion of the aforesaid three dollars ($3) per diem rate as the part of the regular charge which the person so treated is not able to pay bears to the regular ward charge for such free service Provided however That said hospital shall not receive compensation at a rate exceeding the actual cost of service per capita in the public ward of said hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—141.

Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Greeby,	Michel,	Simon,
Baily,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Jones,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Kahle,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Katz,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	King,	Pierce,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Conner,	Klechner,	Purnicker,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reed,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Linton,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Denne	Lockhart,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Evans,	Mathay,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Root,	Witkin,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fockler,	McCann,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Schreck,	Hess,
Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gochring,	Meredith,		

NAYS—47.

Barton,	Eaches,	Huester,	Shaffer,
Bausher,	Ede,	Leidich,	Sheely,
Bechtel,	Erdley,	McAlee,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Walker,
Bickett,	Gwynne,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Harding,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Harter,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Hartsock,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Heffner,	Schrock,	Wright,
Dengler,	Himes,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Donnell,	Holmes,	Scott, W. H.,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

PERMISSION GRANTED COMMITTEE TO SIT DURING SESSION OF HOUSE.

Mr. WELLS. Mr. Speaker, I would ask permission of the House at this time for the Committee on Repeal Bills to sit for the purpose of considering a bill.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give its unanimous consent to the Committee on Repeal Bills to sit during the session of the House. The Chair hears no objection and consent is granted.

Mr. WELLS. I would ask the committee to meeet with me at this time in room 324.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. McCANN asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order, House Bill No. 2234, (Senate Bill No. 454), file folio 3659, on page 24 of to-day's calendar bills on third reading postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. McCann,

The House resumed the consideration on third reading of House Bill No. 2234, (Senate Bill No. 454), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, with regard to the bill now under consideration, I wish to say that I have the following letter from the Auditor General under date of March 27, wherein he says: "The following institutions were held by Auditor General Lewis to be nonsectarian and have since that time been receiving appropriations: St. Francis Hospital at Pittsburgh."

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—140.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Royle,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sautter,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Schilling,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Schreck,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Burke,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Patterson, F. W.	Tahl,
Catania,	Jones,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Perry,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clovis,	King,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Purucker,	White,
Denne,	Linton,	Reed,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loce,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rice,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Richards, B.,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Richards, R.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Riddle,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Rieder,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Root,	Speaker,

NAYS—33.

Baker,	Donnell,	Huester,	Sheely,
Barton,	Eaches,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Ede,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Erdley,	Peelor,	Walker,
Behm,	Gross,	Pethick,	Washington,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Schrock,	Way,
Bickett,	Harter,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Shaffer,	Yeakel,
Davis			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE.

Mr. DONNELL. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1155, file folio 6595, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

on page 5 of the calendar of April 10 was defeated on final passage be reconsidered.

Mr. SCHILLING. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The Speaker declared the ayes appear to have it.

Whereupon a division was called for and 148 members voting in the affirmative and 4 in the negative the motion is agreed to and the vote by which the bill was defeated was reconsidered.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, with reference to the bill now under consideration, I have this letter from the Auditor General under date of April 3, 1929: "An examination of the amendment to the charter and by-laws of the Providence Hospital of Beaver Falls, discloses that there is nothing in them of sectarian character, so that in our opinion after examination of these papers the hospital is non-sectarian. (Signed) Edward Martin, Audtor General."

On the qestion recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—141.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Smith W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wottach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Hess
			Speaker.

NAYS—39.

Baily,	Davis,	Heffner,	Rhodes,
Baker,	Dengler,	Huester,	Schrock,
Barton,	Eaches,	Loucks,	Scott, W. H.,
Bausher,	Ede,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Bechtel,	Erdley,	Miller, H. A.,	Sheely,
Behm,	Fockler,	Peelor,	Sheffer,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Bickett,	Harding,	Post,	Walker,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Powell,	Way,
Brown, E. P.,	Hartsock,		

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative,

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. REED asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order, House Bill No. 1125, file folio 5595 on page 23 of today's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Reed.

The House resumed the consideration on final passgae of House Bill No. 1125, entitled:

An Act to provide for the organization, operation and supervision of co-operative savings and credit associations to be termed credit unions, designating such credit unions as corporations, and defining their powers and duties.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Banks and Banking for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. TURNER. In explanation of my motion I would like to say to the members of the House what recommitting it to the Committee on Banks and Banking is for the purpose of amendment. The bill is defective in many particulars and needs amendments and, therefore, my motion.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I desire to state that this bill was referred to the House Committee on Judiciary Local and that several members interested in this bill met with the sub-committee. We took the matter up with the Banking Deartment and at the suggestion of that Department several amendments were made which are now incorporated in this bill. The bill has had careful consideration at the hands of the committee of this House to which it was referred. A motion of this kind at this time, of course, is tantamount to defeating the bill. I think the bill has merit and should come before the House for consideration.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I dislike to prolong the discussion, especially at this time, with so much on the calendar, but it seems to me that whether a bill has merit or not, if amendments are necessary they should be put into the bill before the House votes finally upon it; therefore I think the House should support our motion to recommit the bill.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The Speaker declared the ayes appear to have it.

Whereupon a division was called for and 64 members voting in the affirmative and 49 in the negative, the motion was agreed to and the bill was recommitted.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. ASTON asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order House Bill No. 2226, (Senate Bill No. 421), file folio 2743, on page 24 of today's calendar, bills on third reading postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Aston,

The House resumed the consideration on third reading of House Bill No. 2226, (Senate Bill No. 421), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, with reference to the Mercy Hospital of Wilkes-Barre, the Auditor General under date of March 17, said that this institution was held by Auditor General Lewis to be non-sectarian and has since that time been receiving appropriations.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—142.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grecby,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Spangler,
Black,	Harkins,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Burns,	Huester,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Jones,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Speaker.

NAYS—40.

Baker,	Eaches,	Howe,	Shaffer,
Barton,	Ede,	McAlee,	Sheely,
Bausher,	Erdley,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Bechtel,	Fockler,	Miller, H. A.,	Shellenberger,
Behm,	Griffith,	Moore, W. H.,	Way,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Peelor,	Weaver,
Bickett,	Harding,	Peet,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Himes,	Powell,	Wright,
Dengler,	Holcombe,	Root,	Yerg,
Donnell,	Holmes,	Schrock,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 415, Printer's No. 614, File Folio 5263, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question

Will the [illegible] in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. RHODES asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order, House Bill No. 1984, (Senate Bill No. 450), file folio 6025, on page 23 of today's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Rhodes.

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1984, (Senate Bill No. 450), entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments prescribing duties of prothonotaries prescribing penalties giving rights of subrogation against plaintiffs in judgments and repealing prior legislation.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shertz,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldridge,	Gwynne,	Milar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Baucher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bieber,	Hartzook,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferen,	Patterson, T. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hoffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Way,
Caniffel,	Holmes,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Wel's,
Clark, H. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kline,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Zimmerman,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1985, (Senate Bill No. 309), as follows:

An Act conferring and imposing certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Board of Pardons of this Commonwealth shall have jurisdiction to supervise the conduct during the period of parole of all prisoners released on parole from the State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the Attorney General may appoint for the work of the Board hereunder a Supervisor of Paroles and such field agents as may be necessary whose compensation shall be fixed as provided by law in the case of other employes of the Department of Justice

Section 2 The Board of Pardons shall have the following powers and duties (a) It shall establish standards to govern the selection of field agents for the supervision of prisoners on parole and to govern the supervision of prisoners on parole (b) It shall prepare and furnish to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory forms upon which shall be recorded a detailed statement concerning every prisoner paroled from said institutions (c) It shall consider ways and means of co-ordaining the pardon and parole work of the State (d) It shall keep itself informed concerning methods used in preparing and selecting parolees in the penal institutions of the State and shall recommend to the Governor for presentation to the Legislature recommending whatever changes it deems advisable for the improvement of the parole system as a whole (e) It shall cause to be furnished to the warden of each penitentiary and to the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory such information as may be requested by them to determine the time that prisoners shall be continued on parole to determine the kind and character of employment offered to applicants for parole and the reliability of the intended employer (f) It shall divide the State into as many geographical districts as may be necessary for the adequate supervision of prisoners hereafter to be paroled from the State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory and may from time to time change the area location and number of such districts It may assign one or more field agents to each geographical district

Section 3 All employes of the Department of Justice assigned to the Board of Pardons hereunder shall co-operate with the police officers of the State and of its several political subdivisions by supplying them with complete information concerning the character and business responsibility of any proposed employer of any paroled prisoner and concerning any such prisoner who has failed to observe the conditions of his parole At the request of the board of trustees of any of the penitentiaries or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory it shall direct the field parole agents under its supervision to secure detailed information concerning the personal family social and industrial history of any prisoner and his probable environment during parole and shall submit such information to said board within a reasonable time

Section 4 The Board of Pardons shall invite a representative of each State penitentiary and of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory to sit with it whenever it is considering any matters which this act requires it to consider

Section 5 Every prisoner of a State penitentiary or of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory hereafter released on parole shall be committed to the custody of such person as shall be designated by the Board of Pardons and shall make such reports in writing and fulfill such conditions as the Board may direct

Section 6 Nothing in this act shall apply to dependent neglected incorrigible or delinquent children

Section 7 Nothing herein contained shall be construed to derogate from the power of the judges of the courts of quarter sessions and of the courts of oyer and terminer or other court of record having jurisdiction of the several judicial dis-

tricts of the Commonwealth after due inquiry to release on parole any convict confined in the county jail house of correction or workhouse in their respective districts as provided in section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand fifty-nine) entitled "An act extending the powers of judges of courts of quarter sessions and of oyer and terminer in relation to releasing prisoners in jails and workhouses on parole" its amendments and supplements and nothing herein shall be construed to derogate from the power of boards of trustees of State penal institutions to make recommendations for paroles to the Board of Pardons or from the paroling power to the Board of Pardons or of the Governor and nothing herein contained shall be construed to derogate from the power and authority of the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon to parole inmates

Section 8 All acts or parts of acts general special or local inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagman'er,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F.W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, E.,	Williams, G. W.
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Embardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerk
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Zimmerman,
Focht'er,	McAllinn,	Scott, J. C.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.	Speaker,
Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1984, (Senate Bill No. 308), as follows:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles and the effect of such violations

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever an inmate of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon is paroled and thereafter when on parole shall in any manner violate the same the State Board of Pardons or the board of trustees of the said Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory shall cause a warrant to be issued for the arrest of said person which warrant shall give all officers authorized by law to make arrests full authority to apprehend and detain said inmate and such officer upon the arrest of said inmate shall notify the Board of Pardons who shall notify the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory from which said inmate was released on parole to send an officer to return him to said reformatory The Board of Pardons or its duly authorized representative shall forthwith submit to the trustees of said reformatory a report of violation of parole of said inmate Upon his return he shall be given a hearing by the board of trustees and if said board shall find that said parole has not been broken it shall notify Board of Pardons whereupon the prisoner shall be released and continue subject to the terms of said parole But if it be found that said parole has been broken said prisoner may be required to serve the unexpired term of his possible maximum sentence at the discretion of the board of trustees and the time from the date of his declared delinquency to the date of his return to the reformatory shall not be counted as any part or portion of such sentence

The cost of executing such warrant shall be paid by the board of trustees

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McKay,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	Millar,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Grimes,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Tahl,
Braham,	Himes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Burke,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Burns,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Catania,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Davidson,	Lockhart,	Richards, E.,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Denne,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Root,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,

Emhardt,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fish.	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WILSON asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order House Bill No. 1983, (Senate Bill No. 307), file folio 5435, on page 23 of today's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Wilson,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1783, (Senate Bill No. 307), entitled

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Supervisor of Paroles and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Erdley,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Flynn,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Fockler,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Fox,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gelnett,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gross	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bickett,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Peck,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl;
Braham,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Way,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Holmes,	Powell,	Wells,
Catania,	Howe,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wike,
Conner,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	King,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wilson,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Denno,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Root,	Wood,
Dilley,	Lore,	Royle,	Wright,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Ede,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Ederer,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Emhardt,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HAWS asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order House Bill No. 2345 (Senate Bill No. 435), file folio 5701, on page 18 of today's calendar, bills on third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2345 (Senate Bill No. 435), entitled

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 353, Lines 21 and 22, by striking out the words "in the benefits payable thereon or"

Amend Section 353, Lines 22 and 23, by striking out after the word "thereof" the words "or in any matter whatsoever."

The amended section to read as follows—

Section 354 Discrimination Prohibited penalties Discrimination between individuals of the same class in the amount of premium or rates charged for any policy or insurance covered by this act or in any of the terms or conditions thereof is prohibited Any person corporation association or exchange violating any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars for each such violation

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2113, (Senate Bill No. 464), as follows;

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all necessary expenses incurred by the district attorneys of any county of this Commonwealth or his assistants or any officer or other person or persons directed by him in the investigation of crime or suspected crime or matters relating thereto and the apprehension and prosecution of persons charged with or suspected of the commission of crime shall be paid by the respective counties when properly audited as provided by law out of moneys in the county treasury upon the approval of the bill of expense by the district attorney of their respective counties And in cases where a defendant is convicted and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and trial all expenses of the district attorney including investigations and preparation in connection with such prosecutions shall be considered a part of the costs of the cases and be paid by the defendant

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. ASTON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, line 1, after the word "counties" and before the word "of" by inserting the words "of the third class."

Amend Section 1, line 5, by inserting after the word "county" and before the word "of" the following "of the third class."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered. That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1683, (Senate Bill No. 410), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and three as amended and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme Superior common pleas orphans' municipal and county court permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected and in certain cases for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement and for filling the vacancies caused thereby providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise and repealing certain acts" except so far as it relates to retired judges and those in office on a named date who may elect to retire thereunder or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to further amend paragraph six of section one of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' by extending its provisions to certain employes in offices of registers of wills" and which was also amended by the act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association and enlarging the class of employes entitled to become such members" is hereby further amended to read as follows

DEFINITIONS

Secton 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words and phrases are used in this act unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context shall have the following meaning

1 "Retirement System" shall mean the arrangement for the payment of retirement allowances under the provisions of this act

2 "Retirement Association" shall mean the State employes' retirement association provided for in section three of this act

3 "Retirement Board" shall mean the State employes' retirement board provided for in section four of this act

4 "Secretary of the Commonwealth" shall mean the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

5 "State Treasurer" shall mean the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

6 "State employe" shall mean any person holding a State office under the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or employed and paid [by the year or by the month] on a yearly or monthly basis by the State Government of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in any capacity whatsoever and shall include also any attorney solicitor investigator appraiser and clerk employed by the year or by the month in the office of any register of wills howsoever appointed whose compensation is actually paid from Commonwealth moneys and shall also include all judges of the several courts of this Commonwealth whose salaries are paid by the Commonwealth But the term "State employe" [shall not include judges and it also] shall not include those persons defined as employes in section one paragraph seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by section one paragraph seven of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-five) excepting such officers and employes of the Department of Public Instruction as are not members of or who may withdraw from the public school employes' retirement association provided by said act and no member shall be deprived of credit for prior service as a State employe because of the fact that such service was rendered while he or she was a member of the public school employes' retirement association

The term "State employe" shall also include all State officers and employes regularly employed by the year or by the month at a fixed annual or monthly compensation when the General Assembly is not in session but who during a legislative session instead of a fixed annual or monthly salary or compensation are paid upon a per diem basis or by a fixed salary or compensation from the legislative session

In all cases of doubt the retirement board shall determine whether any person is a State employe as defined in this paragraph and its decision shall be final

7 "Head of the Department" as applied to State employes shall mean the head of the department or branch of service not a department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of which the State employe is a member

8 "Member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall be a member of the retirement association established by this act

9 "Original member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who was at any time a State employe prior to January first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five whether or not such employment has been continuous and who shall have become a member of the retirement association on or before October first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Any such State employe who shall become an original member of the association after the approval of this amendment including those who having heretofore become a new member thereof shall become an original member under the provisions hereof shall pay to the retirement association a sum equal to all the back payments which such person would have made had he or she become a member of the retirement association when the retirement system was established Such back payments may be spread over a period of years by having such regular pay roll deduction of such person increased by not less than one third of the amount thereof which deduction increase shall be credited to such back payments owing and shall be continued until the amount thereof shall be paid in full

Original member of the retirement association shall also mean any judge in service on the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty who shall elect to become a member of the retirement association at any time during the term for which he was then elected or appointed

10 "New member" of the retirement association shall mean a State employe who shall have become a State employe and a member of the retirement association at a date subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four and in the case of a judge shall mean any judge who is not an original member and who is elected re-elected or appointed to the office of judge subsequent to the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty

11 "Contributor" shall mean any person who has an account in the annuity savings fund

12 "Beneficiary" shall mean any person in receipt of a retirement allowance or other benefit as provided in this act

13 "Prior service" shall mean all service as a State employe completed not later than the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-three and in the case of judges shall mean all service completed prior to becoming a member of the retirement association

14 "Disability Retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section twelve of this act

15 "Superannuation retirement" shall mean retirement as defined in section thirteen of this act

16 "Superannuation Retirement Age" shall mean as applied to State employes sixty years of age

17 "Final Salary" shall mean the average annual salary earnable by a contributor as a State employe for the five years of service immediately preceding retirement

18 "Accumulated Deductions" shall mean the total of the amounts deducted from the salary of a contributor and credited to his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund together with the regular interest thereon

19 "Regular Interest" shall mean interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually

20 "State Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as provided in this act

21 "Member's Annuity" shall mean payments for life derived from contributions made by the contributor as provided in this act

22 "Retirement Allowance" shall mean the State annuity plus the member's annuity

23 "State Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any State annuity granted and based on contributions made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

24 "Member's Annuity Reserve" shall mean the present value computed on the basis of such mortality tables as shall be adopted by the retirement board with regular interest of the future payments to be made on account of any member's annuity granted and based on the accumulated deductions of the contributor

25 "Expense Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number two in section eight of this act

26 "Contingent Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number three in section eight of this act

27 "State Annuity Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number four in section eight of this act

28 "State Annuity Reserve Fund Number Two" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number five in section eight of this act

29 "Member's Annuity Saving Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number six in section eight of this act

30 "Member's Annuity Reserve Fund" shall mean the fund provided for in paragraph number seven in section eight of this act

Section 2 That section three of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act to amend section three of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the use

and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guarantee by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 3 A State employes' retirement association is hereby organized the membership of which shall consist of all State employes as defined in paragraph six of section one of this act who by written application to the Retirement Board shall either as an original member or a new member elect to be covered by the retirement system Any State employe who becomes a State employe subsequent to the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred twenty-four except as provided in paragraphs nine and ten of section one of this act as to judges shall during the first twelve months of employment as a State employe have the option of membership but after the first twelve months of such employment as a State employe membership as a new member shall be compulsory Provided however That neither the Governor nor the Lieutenant Governor nor the head or deputy heads of any administrative department nor the members of any independent administrative board or commission or of any departmental administrative board or commission or of any advisory board or commission nor the secretary to the Governor nor the budget secretary nor any person over the age of fifty years shall be compelled to become members of said State employes' retirement association

Section 3 That section eleven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Withdrawal

Section 11 1 Should a contributor before reaching superannuation retirement age by resignation or dismissal or for any other reason than death or retirement upon disability under section twelve or for superannuation under section thirteen cease to be a State employe he or she shall be paid on demand (a) the full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund or in lieu thereof should he or she so elect (b) an annuity or a deferred annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age which shall be the actuarial equivalent of said accumulated deductions His or her membership in the retirement association shall thereupon cease

2 Should a State employe so separate from his or her service as State employe return within five years and restore to the annuity savings fund his or her accumulated deductions as they were at the time of his or her separation the annuity rights forfeited by him or her at that time shall be restored and his obligations as a member of the retirement association shall begin again

3 Should a member be discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service but before reaching superannuation retirement age he or she shall be paid as he or she may elect as follows

(a) The full amount of the accumulated deduction standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the annuity savings fund or

(b) An annuity of equivalent actuarial value to his or her accumulated contributions and in addition a State annuity beginning immediately having a value equal to the present value of a State annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his or her final salary for each year of total service and in addition thereto if an original member of the retirement association of a further State annuity of one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his or her final salary for each year or prior service as certified to said original member in the certificate issued to him or her by the retirement board under the provisions of section ten of this act [multiplied by the number of years of prior service plus one one-hundred-sixtieth (1-160) or one one-hundredth (1-100) of his final salary multiplied by the number of his years of service as a member]

4 Should a judge discontinue service voluntarily or not voluntarily after having completed twenty years of total service but before reaching superannuation retirement age he or she may elect (in addition to the elections otherwise provided for by this act for State employes) to take at the time of retirement an annuity calculated in accordance with clause three (b) of this section as provided for in the case of State employes retiring not voluntarily after having completed ten years of total service or he or she may elect to take a deferred annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age calculated in accordance with section thirteen (2) as provided for in the case of State employes retiring for superannuation but in no event shall the total State annuity exceed fifty per centum of his or her final salary

[4] 5 Should a contributor die before retirement his or her accumulated deductions shall be paid to his or her estate or to such person as he or she shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the retirement board

Section 4 The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme Superior common pleas orphans' municipal and county court permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected and in certain cases for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement and for filling the vacancies caused thereby providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise and repealing certain acts" be and the same is hereby repealed except in so far as it applies to judges retired or entitled to retirement thereunder prior to the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and except also in so far as applies to judges who started their term of service prior to the second Monday of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and who may at any time during or at the expiration of that term elect to retire under the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen or whom the Governor may retire thereunder at any time during such term as to such judges the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen shall not be repealed but shall remain in force in its entirety but any such judge shall not be entitled to retire thereunder who joins the retirement association and any such judge who elects to retire under the act of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen may not join the retirement association

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Fuller,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baker,	Gelnett,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gicking,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Grimes,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Cross,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Hart,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Pack,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bowers,	Haws,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermanson,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burns,	Himes,	Post,	Walker,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester	Reilly,	Wells,

Conner,	Jones,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Rice,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Roncmus,	Williams, J. J.,
Ritter,	Linton,	Root,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wright,
Embardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yorg,
Evans,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Flynn,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1783, white file folio 4781, entitled, "An act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2142, (Senate Bill No. 455), as follows:

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

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ARTICLE I

PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

SHORT TITLE

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The General County Law"

Section 2 This act does not apply to counties of the first class Except where otherwise specifically limited this act applies to all counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes This act does not include any provisions and shall not be construed to repeal any acts relating to

(a) The procedure for the collection of municipal and tax claims by liens

(b) The amount and method of incurring and increasing the indebtedness of counties

(c) The assessment of property for taxation and the collection of taxes

(d) Conduct of elections

(e) Poor districts except as specifically provided herein

(f) The giving of county consent to public service corporations

(g) State roads State-aid roads township and private roads

(h) Validation of elections bonds resolutions and accounts of corporate officers

(i) Collections by county officers of moneys for the Commonwealth and the issuance of State licenses

(j) The government and regulation of jails prisons and other correctional institutions and the commitment thereto and the maintenance and care of prisoners or inmates therein

(k) Civil and criminal procedure except special provisions covering actions by or against counties or county officers

(l) Joint county and municipal buildings and works

(m) County libraries except law libraries

(n) The recording of deeds mortgages or other instruments in writing

(o) Court criers and tipstaves official court stenographers and interpreters and court room employes

(p) The clerk or clerks of the court for the county of Allegheny

(q) The rebinding re-indexing and transcribing of records in county offices

(r) The salaries and compensation of county officers and their appointees and salary boards

(s) The fees of county officers

Section 3 EFFECT OF ACT ON EXISTING LAWS The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws shall be construed as a continuation of such law and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any provision of law shall not revive any law heretofore repealed or superseded nor affect the existence or class of any county heretofore created The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested nor affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

All resolutions regulations and rules made pursuant to any act of assembly repealed by this act shall continue with the same force and effect as if such act had not been repealed All local acts of assembly applying to particular counties not specifically repealed shall continue in force and any provisions of this act inconsistent therewith shall not apply to the counties affected by such local laws

All acts and parts of acts of assembly relating to counties or to particular classes of counties in force at the time of the adoption of this act and not repealed hereby shall remain in force in the same manner and with the same effect as prior to the adoption of this act

Section 4 HOLDING OF OFFICE Any persons holding office under any act of assembly repealed by this act shall continue to hold such office until the expiration of the term thereof subject to the conditions and salary attached to such office prior to the passage of this act

Section 5 REFERENCE TO OTHER ACTS Whenever in this act reference is made to any act by title such reference shall also apply to and include any codifications wherein the provisions of the act referred to are substantially reenacted

Section 6 CONSTITUTIONALITY The provisions of this act shall be severable and if any of its provisions are held to be unconstitutional the decision of the court shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted by the general assembly had such unconstitutional provisions not been included therein

Section 7 LEGISLATION ACCORDING TO CLASS The affairs of counties are herein and shall hereafter be legislated for and regulated by general laws applicable to all counties or to particular classes as herein fixed and appointed All laws adopted by the general assembly for one or more of the classes herein fixed and appointed shall be deemed to be general laws

Section 8 PROCEEDINGS FOR RECOVERY OF PENALTIES Unless herein otherwise specially provided in every case in which any pecuniary penalty or forfeiture is imposed by this act the proceeding for the recovery of the same shall be by indictment in the court of quarter sessions or by civil action as debts of equivalent amount are by law recoverable Aldermen or justices of the peace shall not have jurisdiction of any suit or action for the recovery of any penalty imposed by this act for official misconduct Such suit or action when brought in the court of common pleas shall have preference for trial over all other actions

ARTICLE II

ENUMERATION CORPORATE POWERS CLASSIFICATION AND TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF COUNTIES

(a) Division of the State into Counties Corporate Powers

Section 21 ENUMERATION OF COUNTIES The State shall be divided into the following named counties as now by law established to wit Philadelphia Bucks Chester Lancaster York Cumberland Berks Northampton Bedford Northumberland Westmoreland Washington Fayette Franklin Montgomery Dauphin Luzerne Huntingdon Allegheny Mifflin Delaware Lycoming Somerset Greene Wayne Adams Centre Beaver Butler Mercer Crawford Erie Warren Venango Armstrong Indiana Jefferson McKean Clearfield Potter Tioga Cambria Bradford Susquehanna Schuylkill Lehigh Lebanon Columbia Union Pike Perry Juniata Monroe Clarian Clinton Wyoming Carbon Elk Blair Sullivan Forest Lawrence Fulton Montour Snyder Cameron and Lackawanna

Section 22 GENERAL POWERS Each county shall have capacity as a body corporate to

(a) Sue and be sued by the name of the county of .....

(b) Take and hold real estate within its limits and also personal property Such real and personal estate shall be taken and held only for the benefit of inhabitants of the county and for such objects and purposes as county rates and levies are authorized by law to be laid for

(c) Make such contracts as may be necessary for carrying into execution the laws relating to counties

Section 23 VESTING OF CORPORATE POWER The corporate power of each county shall be vested in a board of county commissioners

Section 24 COUNTY SEAL Each county shall have a seal which shall be in the custody of the commissioners thereof The official acts of the commissioners shall be authenticated therewith There shall be engraved upon such seal the same device as is engraved on the great seal of the State together with the name of the county

(b) Classification

Section 31 COUNTIES DIVIDED INTO EIGHT CLASSES For the purposes of legislation and the regulation of their affairs counties of this Commonwealth now in existence and those hereafter erected shall be divided into eight classes as follows

Those having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants and over shall constitute the first class

Those having a population of eight hundred thousand and more but less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the second class

Those having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand and more but less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the third class

Those having a population of one hundred fifty thousand and more but less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fourth class

Those having a population of one hundred thousand and more but less than one hundred fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the fifth class

Those having a population of fifty thousand and more but less than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall constitute the sixth class

Those having a population of twenty thousand and more but less than fifty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the seventh class

Those having a population of less than twenty thousand inhabitants shall constitute the eighth class

Section 32 ASCERTAINMENT AND CHANGE OF CLASS The classification of counties shall be ascertained and fixed according to their population by reference from time to time to the last preceding decennial United States census Whenever it shall appear by any such census that any county has attained a population entitling it to an advance in classification as herein prescribed it shall be the duty of the Governor under the great seal of this Commonwealth to certify that fact accordingly which certificate shall be forwarded to the recorder of deeds of the proper county and be recorded in his office

(c) Fixing and Relocating Lines and Boundaries

Section 36 COMMISSION TO SURVEY AND MARK LINE BETWEEN TWO ADJOINING COUNTIES If such petition of a taxpayer or of the commisisoners of any county presented to the court of quarter sessions of any two adjoining counties it shall appear to such courts that the county line between such counties or any part thereof should be surveyed and marked a commission of three surveyors to designate survey and mark the same shall be appointed

The respective courts of quarter sessions of such counties shall each appoint one surveyor and the two surveyors so appointed shall appoint one surveyor If any of the said surveyors so appointed shall refuse to serve remove from the State die resign or shall be incapacitated and unable from any cause to perform the duties required the appointment of substitutes shall be made in conformity with the provisions of this section for the original appointment of such surveyor

Section 37 COMPENSATION AND EXPENSES ASSISTANTS The surveyors composing such commission shall each receive a compensation of ten dollars per day for all time necessarily spent in the discharge of their duties and in addition thereto shall be reimbursed the necessary expenses paid by them respectively while engaged upon the work of such commission The commission may employ as assistants an axeman and two chain-carriers at a compensation of two dollars a day each who shall likewise be reimbursed the actual necessary expenses paid by them respectively while employed by such commission The necessary expenses of advertising the meeting of the commissioners pursuant to the direction of this act and in procuring and setting the monuments needful to mark in a permanent manner such county line and the expenses of the commission shall be paid by such counties jointly in equal parts upon presentation of properly itemized bills duly verified by affidavit of the person claiming payment or some one on his behalf

Section 38 OATH ORGANIZATION AND DUTIES The members of such commission shall take and subscribe an oath to perform their duties impartially and with fidelity Such commission shall meet and organize within two months of its appointment It shall select from its membership a chairman and also a secretary who shall keep a full record of the proceedings and work of the commission Before entering upon its duties it shall appoint by advertisement in not more than two newspapers published in each of said counties a time and place of meeting when and where parties interested shall be heard After such hearing it shall without unreasonable delay ascertain the location and survey and mark with suitable monuments of a permanent character the existing county line between such counties if it shall consider such old county line a proper one

Section 39 ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW COUNTY LINE When the commission has ascertained located and determined said line if it appears to it that the existing county line from any cause whatever has become inconvenient for any purpose or improper difficult to ascertain or not related to the natural or other land marks the commission shall report these facts or any of them to the courts of quarter sessions of the counties interested with a recommendation that a new county line be established in whole or in part Thereupon if said courts of quarter sessions shall be of opinion that it is to the interest and advantage of the respective counties that a new county line be established they may direct said commission to fix and determine such new county line and to mark the same with suitable monuments Notice shall be given to the owners of all lands which will be affected by the proposed change of the time when the recommendation of the commission for a new county line will be considered by each of said courts

Section 40 REPORT OF COMMISSION The commission or a majority thereof shall make a report in writing and attach thereto a map or draft showing the courses and distances of the line ascertained and designated by them as the existing county line or where they may have been directed to fix and determine a new county line such map or draft in lieu thereof shall show the courses and distances of such new county line In either case said map or draft shall also show the lands through which said line passes and the buildings in close proximity thereto together with the roads and streams crossed by or near to such line Duplicate copies of such report and map signed by the members of the commission or a majority of them shall be filed in the court of quarter sessions of each of such counties and if approved by such courts shall be ordered recorded in the records thereof The line so ascertained surveyed and fixed and so marked shall thenceforth be the boundary line between such counties The clerk of the court of quarter sessions shall certify the approval of the court on one of the copies of the report and map filed in his office and immediately transmit the same by mail to the Secretary of Internal Affairs to be by him deposited in his department

Section 41 PROCEDURE FOR TRANSFER OF PORTION OF ONE COUNTY TO ANOTHER Where a part of the county or a borough which constitutes a part of a county is so located that it is to the best interest of such part of a county or borough so located and of the inhabitants thereof and of the inhabitants of the adjoining county or city that such part of a county or borough be annexed to an adjoining county the court of quarter sessions of the county wherein such part of borough is then situate may on petition decree such alterations of the boundaries of the county as shall be for the best interest of the inhabitants aforesaid and of the inhabitants of the adjoining county or city The term "part of county" as used in this act shall not include an area greater than two hundred and fifty acres nor an area containing a population of over two thousand inhabitants

Section 42 CONTENTS OF PETITION The petition shall not be considered unless it shall

(1) Be signed by not less than two-thirds of the qualified electors of the part of the county or borough so located and

(2) Be signed by not less than two-thirds in number and interest of the owners of real estate in such part of a county or borough the valuation to be as shown by the triennial assessment for county purposes last preceding the presentation of the petition The owners of an undivided interest shall be regarded as one person

(3) Be verified as to the genuineness of the signatures by a qualified elector of the county

Section 43 NOTICE HEARING When the petition is presented the court shall fix a day for hearing it and direct that notice of the presentation of the petition and of the day of hearing shall be given to the commissioners of the counties affected by the proposed change of boundaries If one of the counties affected is coterminous with a city the notice shall also be given to the council of the city The counties or city or both may file answers to said petition and if any city to which said part of a county or a borough would be attached for municipal and school purposes answers that by ordinance it has taken action against the change of said boundary the proceedings shall be dismissed by the court On the day fixed for hearing or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit the court shall hear all parties in interest and shall make such degree as to the court shall seem right and proper

Section 44 APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR When the court decrees an alteration of the boundaries of any such counties it shall appoint an auditor who shall conduct such

hearings and make such investigations as the court may direct Notice of such hearings and investigations shall be given by the auditor as directed by the court When the auditor shall complete the hearings and investigations he shall report to the court

Section 45 REPORT OF AUDITOR The report of the auditor shall include

(1) The total assessed valuation of the subjects of taxation in the county from which a part is to be taken

(2) The total assessed valuation of the subjects of taxation in the part proposed to be taken from such county

(3) The total amount of indebtedness of the county from which a part is to be taken

(4) The value of all real property to be transferred from one county to another by reason of the alteration of boundaries

(5) An adjustment of the indebtedness and of the property of the counties affected by the alterattion of boundaries

(6) A form of decree altering the boundaries as aforesaid and adjusting the indebtedness of the counties affected

Section 46 PROCEEDINGS ON DECREE The decree shall be confirmed nisi by the court If exceptions are not filed thereto within ten days from the date of the decree or if an appeal therefrom is not taken within ten days the decree shall be absolute It shall thereupon be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the counties affected by the change Upon such recording the boundaries of the respective counties shall be fixed according to the decrees The decree absolute shall be enforced as decrees in equity are enforced

Section 47 TRANSFER OF TERRITORY TO OTHER COUNTY Where county boundaries are changed as hereinbefore provided and a part of a county or a borough becomes part of another county if the county to which said part of a county or borough is transferred constitutes a city the part or borough so transferred shall become a part of the city and be subject to the government of the city and the local government theretofore existing shall cease and the property and assets of such local government or of the school district thereof shall become the property and assets of the city and the city school district to which it is attached

ARTICLE III

COUNTY OFFICERS

(a) General Provisions

Section 51 ENUMERATION OF ELECTED OFFICERS In each county there shall be the following officers elected by the qualified electors of the county (a) three county commissioners (b) three auditors or in all counties where the office of auditor has heretofore or shall hereafter be abolished one controller (c) one treasurer (d) one county surveyor (e) one coroner (f) one recorder of deeds (g) one prothonotary (h) one clerk of the court of quarter sessions and of the court of oyer and terminer (i) one clerk of the oprhans' court (j) one register of wills (k) one sheriff (l) one district attorney and (m) two jury commissioners All such offices shall remain as now constituted in each county

All such officers shall be elected at the municipal election next preceding the expiration of the terms of the officers now in office and quadrennially thereafter and shall hold their offices for a term of four years from the first Monday of January next after their election and until their successors shall be duly qualified This section does not create any office in any county where such office does not now exist

Section 52 INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES No county officer shall at the same time serve as a member of council of any city borough or town nor as school director of any school district

No member of Congress from this state nor any person holding or exercising any office or appointment of trust or profit under the United States shall at the same time hold or exercise any county office in this state to which a salary fee or perquisites are attached

Section 53 OATH OF OFFICE All county officers their deputies assistants and clerks shall before entering on the duties of their respective offices or employments take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support obey and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this Commonwealth and that I will discharge the duties of my office (or employment) with fidelity that I have not paid or contributed or promised to pay or contribute either directly or indirectly any money or other valuable thing to procure my nomination or election (or appointment) except for necessary and proper expenses expressly authorized by law that I have not knowingly violated any election law of this Commonwealth or procured it to be done by others in my behalf that I will not knowingly receive directly or indirectly any money or other valuable thing for the performance or non-performance of any act or duty pertaining to my office (or employment) other than the compensation allowed by law"

The foregoing oath shall be administered by some person authorized to administer oaths and shall be filed in the office of the prothonotary of the county in which the same is taken Any person refusing to take said oath or affirmation shall forfeit his office and any person who shall be convicted of having sworn or affirmed falsely or of having violated said oath or affirmation shall be guilty of perjury and be forever disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit within this Commonwealth

Section 54 OFFICIAL BONDS The sureties to be furnished on the bonds of all county officers and of all deputies clerks and assistants required by this or any other act of assembly to give bond to the county shall be one or more surety companies authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania which have been approved by the Insurance Commissioner of the Commonwealth The premiums for such bonds shall be paid out of the county treasury Such bonds shall be approved by the court of common pleas Each of said bonds shall be conditioned for the faithful discharge by such officer his deputies and appointees of all trusts confided in him and of all duties required of him by law for the faithful accounting and payment according to law of all money received by him and shall be taken in the name of the proper county and shall be for the use of the county and of the Commonwealth and for the use of such other party or parties for whom he shall collect or receive money as the interest of each shall appear in case of a breach of the conditions thereof The custody of each of said bonds shall belong to the county controller except the bond of the county controller the custody of which shall belong to the county commissioners In counties where the office of controller has not been established the custody of all bonds belong to the county commissioners except the bond of the commissioners and their chief clerk the custody of which shall belong to the prothonotary A copy of any of said bonds certified by the county controller or of the chief clerk to the county commissioners or by the prothonotary as the case may be shall be competent evidence thereof in any judicial proceeding Nothing herein contained shall affect the bonds required by law to be given by any county officer to the Commonwealth

Section 55 OFFICERS TO HAVE COMMISSIONS RECORDED It shall be the duty of every county officer receiving a commission from the Governor immediately after receiving such commission to deliver the same to the recorder of deeds by whom the same shall be recorded at the expense of such officer No such officer shall execute any of the duties of the office to which he has been elected or appointed until after said commission has been so left for recording

Section 56 OFFICES RECORDS AND PAPERS TO BE KEPT AT COUNTY SEAT The commissioners auditors controller treasurer sheriff recorder of deeds prothonotary clerk of courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer clerk of the orphans' court register of wills recorder of deeds and district attorney shall keep their respective offices and all public records and papers belonging thereto at the county seat and in such building as may be erected or appropriated for such purpose under a penalty in each case of five hundred dollars to be recovered by action of debt one-half thereof to be paid to the treasurer of the county to be applied by him to the payment of the erection or repairs of such buildings and the other half thereof to be for the use of him who shall first sue for the penalty The county commissioners shall furnish each of such officers with an office in the county building or other building at the county seat

Section 57 OFFICE FURNITURE STATIONERY ET CETERA The county commissioners shall at the cost of the county furnish the office furniture equipment and supplies

blank books blanks dockets books for records stationery postage fuel light and janitor and telephone service required for each of the county officers whose offices are located in the county buildings or at such other places at the county seat as may be designated by the court and all supplies used by the public in connection with such offices

Section 58 OFFICERS TO SECURE RECORDS BOOKS ET CETERA FROM PREDECESSORS All persons elected or appointed to any county office shall demand and receive all records books drafts plans papers seals or other official documents belonging to such office from the person or persons who held the office immediately before his election or appointment or from the heirs executors or administrators of such person

Every person detaining from any person duly commissioned to any office any records books drafts plans papers seals or other documents belonging to such office after reasonable demand therefor is made shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to undergo imprisonment until such records books drafts plans papers seals or other documents so found to be in his her or their possession shall be delivered to the proper officer or until sooner discharged by order of the court and to pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars one-half to be paid to the officer from whom the documents were detained and the other half to the use of the county

Section 59 DEPUTIES TO ACT IN CERTAIN CASES Whenever any county officer is authorized or required to appoint a deputy or deputies such deputy or principal deputy where there are more than one shall during the necessary or temporary absence of his principal perform all the duties of such principal and also in case of a vacancy until a successor is qualified except in the case of a vacancy in the office of Sheriff where the coroner shall act as hereinafter provided

No person temporarily succeeding to any county office by reason of the death or removal of the duly elected or appointed officer shall execute any of the duties of such office until he has first taken oath and filed the bond required of the principal officer

Section 60 VACANCIES NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR In case of a vacancy happening by death resignation or otherwise in any county office created by the Constitution or laws of this Commonwealth and where no other provision is made by said Constitution or by the provisions of this act to fill said vacancy it shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint a suitable person to fill such office who shall continue therein and discharge the duties thereof until the first Monday of January next succeeding the first municipal election which shall occur three or more months after the happening of such vacancy Such appointee shall be confirmed by the Senate if in session

Section 61 COUNTY OFFICIALS TO FURNISH INFORMATION TO HEADS OF THE GOVERNMENTAL DEPARTMENTS It shall be the duty of all county officers to furnish on application therefor to the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth such information and copies of such records or documents contained in their respective offices as in the opinion of such head of department may be necessary or pertinent to the work of his respective department The officer so furnishing information shall receive for his services in copying and forwarding the same such reasonable compensation as the Auditor General may determine Such compensation shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of moneys not otherwise appropriated upon warrant from the Auditor General

All county officers shall also furnish such information as may be requested by the Chief of the Bureau of Municipalities of the Department of Internal Affairs or his duly authorized deputy

Section 62 PENALTY FOR NEGLECT OR REFUSAL TO PERFORM DUTIES If any county officer neglects or refuses to perform any duty imposed on him by the provisions of this act or by the provisions of any other act of assembly or by any rule of court or other provisions of law he shall for each such neglect or refusal be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars

Section 63 ABSCONDING OFFICERS The office of any county officer absconding from the county shall be vacant to all intents and purposes

Section 64 COMMISSIONERS TREASURER AND CONTROLLER NOT TO BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS It is unlawful for any county commissioner treasurer or controller to be in any wise either directly or indirectly personally interested in any contract to which the county is a party or in the construction of any public work or improvement made or undertaken under the authority of the county commissioners or to receive any reward or gratuity from any person so interested Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) and shall by decree of the court be removed from office

(b) State Associations

1 Commissioners Solicitors and Chief Clerks

Section 71 ORGANIZATION ANNUAL MEETINGS PURPOSE The county commissioners together with the county solicitor and chief clerk to the county commissioners of each county are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State Association with the authority to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the Commonwealth as they may designate for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in the discharge of their duties and for the purpose of providing for a uniform and economical method of administering the affairs of the respective counties

Section 72 EXPENSES TO BE PAID BY COUNTY TIME LIMIT ON MEETINGS The actual expenses of the county commissioners county solicitor and chief clerk attending such meeting of said State Association including traveling expenses and hotel bills actually paid by them expenses of committees together with the necessary expenses of the convention including printing and the employment of stenographers shall be paid by the various counties by orders drawn on the County Treasurer The time spent in attending said meetings shall not be more than four days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expenses herein mentioned as the necessary expenses of the convention shall not be more than fifty dollars to any county per annum

(2) County Controllers

Section 76 FORMATION AUTHORIZED PURPOSE County controllers may form a State Association of county controllers and may hold meetings thereof for the purpose of discussing the various questions which arise in the discharge of their duties and for such other purposes as will conduce to greater efficiency in their respective offices

Section 77 MEETINGS The association of county controllers may meet at the same time and place as the State Association of County Commissioners solicitors and chief clerks and may meet in joint session with them if mutually agreed upon It shall however have a separate session on at least two days of the annual meeting

Section 78 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS LENGTH OF MEETINGS EXPENSES Each controller or deputy controller and the solicitor to the controller shall be allowed his expenses actually and necessarily incurred in going to attending and returning from the annual meeting of the association The time spent in attending the meeting exclusive of the time employed in traveling shall not exceed four days These expenses shall be paid by the respective counties The expenses of the annual meeting of the association including printing committee expenses and stenographers shall be paid by the counties having controllers but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars per annum for each county in addition to the traveling expenses hereinbefore provided for

3 Sheriffs

Section 81 FORMATION OF STATE ASSOCIATION AUTHORIZED The sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State Association with power to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the State as they may designate for the purpose of securing more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and improving their service to the public

Section 82 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS LENGTH OF MEETINGS EXPENSES Except in counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes each sheriff or deputy sheriff or solicitor representing any sheriff shall be allowed all reasonable expenses including hotel bills and traveling expenses actually incurred in

going to attending and returning from any annual meeting of the Association which shall be paid by the county of which he is an officer by orders drawn on the treasurer thereof The time spent in attending such meeting shall not be more than three days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expense of the annual meetings of the Association including any necessary amount for printing committee meetings and stenographic service shall except in counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes be paid by the proper counties but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars for each county the sheriff of which is a member of said association in any county of the sixth seventh or eighth class the sheriff of which may be a member of said association the county commissioners may allow like expenses to such sheriff or his representative for attending any such annual meeting and may join with the other counties aforesaid in sharing the expenses of such meetings to the extent aforesaid

4 District Attorneys

Section 86 FORMATION PURPOSE The district attorneys of the several counties of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselves into a State association with the authority to hold meetings at such times and places within the Commonwealth as they may designate not to exceed one meeting in each year for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in the discharge of their duties and for the purpose of providing for a uniform and economical method of administering the affairs of their respective offices

Section 87 EXPENSES TIME LIMIT The actual expenses of the district attorneys attending such meetings of said State association including traveling expenses and hotel bills actually paid by them shall be paid by the various counties out of the county funds by orders drawn on the county treasury The time spent in attending such meetings shall not be more than two days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom

5 Probation Officers

Section 91 ATTENDANCE OF STATE ASSOCIATION OR CONFERENCE OF PROBATION AND PAROLE The probation officers of the several counties of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized as a part of their official duties to attend the annual meeting of the State Association or Conference of Probation and Parole for the purpose of discussing the various questions arising in connection with the work of their official positions and ascertaining uniform and economical methods of administering their work

Section 92 EXPENSES MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION The actual expenses of the said probation officers in attending the said annual meeting including traveling and hotel expenses actually paid by them together with a membership subscription in said association or conference said subscription not exceeding five dollars per annum shall be paid by the county treasurer upon warrant of the county commissioners in the same manner as is provided for the payment of the compensation and expenses of such officers

6 Registers of Wills

Section 95 FORMATION PURPOSE The registers of wills of the several counties of this Commonwealth are hereby authorized to organize themselve into a State association with power to hold annual meetings at such time and place within the State as they may designate for the purpose of securing more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and improving their service to the public

Section 96 EXPENSES TIME LIMIT Each register of wills or deputy register of wills or person representing any register of wills shall be allowed all reasonable expenses including hotel bills and traveling expenses actually incurred going to attending and returning from any annual meeting of the association but not in excess of fifty dollars in any one year which shall be paid by the county of which he or she is an officer by orders drawn on the treasurer thereof The time spent in attending such meetings shall not be more than three days exclusive of the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom The expenses of the annual meeting of the association including any necessary amount for printing committee meetings and stenographic services shall be paid by the proper counties but shall not exceed twenty-five dollars for each county the register of wills of which is a member of said association

(c) Commissioners

Section 101 ELECTION VACANCIES Three county commissioners shall be elected in each county in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and every fourth year thereafter In the election of commissioners each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons The three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected Any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioners shall be filled for the balance of the unexpired term by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur by the appointment of an elector of the county who voted for the commissioner whose place is to be filled

Section 102 BOND OF COMMISSIONERS The county commissioners shall before entering upon their official duties each give bond for the faithful discharge of all duties enjoined upon them by law and for the faithful and legal appropriation of all county and other moneys which said commissioners have any authority to draw out of the county treasury upon checks or orders given by them or over which they have control Such bonds shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds of the county Except in counties of the second class the amount of such bonds shall be fixed by the court of common pleas at such sum as the court shall deem sufficient not less than two thousand dollars each In counties of the second class the amount of such bonds shall be ten thousand dollars each

Section 103 ELIGIBILITY No county commissioner shall be eligible to serve as member of the board of health during his continuance in office

Section 104 ORGANIZATION The county commissioners shall meet on the first Monday of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and on the first Monday of January every fourth year thereafter in the office provided for them at the county seat for the purpose of organization

Section 105 QUORUM Two of the commissioners shall form a board for the transaction of business and when convened in pursuance of notice or according to adjournment shall be competent to perform all the duties appertaining to the office of county commissioners

Section 106 CERTIFIED COPIES OF PROCEEDINGS TO BE EVIDENCE Copies of the proceedings of the commissioners and of all records in their possession certified by their chief clerk under the county seal shall be admitted in evidence in any of the courts within this Commonwealth

Section 107 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The commissioners shall respectively have power to administer oaths and affirmations in all cases arising in the performance of the duties of their office

Section 108 EXPENSES The county commissioners shall be allowed their expenses necessarily incurred and actually paid in the discharge of their official duties or in the performance of any service office or duty imposed upon county commissioners

Section 109 CHIEF CLERK The county commissioners shall appoint a chief clerk who shall hold his office for a term of four years In case of a vacancy by death resignation or removal for cause his successor shall serve for the unexpired time for which he was appointed The chief clerk shall enter into a bond for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum as may be designated by the Commissioners He shall receive such salary as the salary board or the county commissioners in counties where there is no salary board shall determine

Section 110 DUTIES AND POWERS OF CHIEF CLERK The chief clerk shall keep the books and accounts of the board of county commissioners record and file their proceedings and papers attest all orders and warrants issued by them and perform all other duties pertaining to his office as chief clerk He shall have general power ot administer oaths and affirmations pertaining to the business of the commissioner's office

(d) Auditors

Section 121 ELECTION AND VACANCIES In each county where the office of controller has not been established three county auditors shall be elected in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and every fourth year thereafter

In the election of auditors each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons The three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected Any casual vacancy in the office of county auditors shall be filled for the balance of the unexpired term by the court of common pleas of the county by the appointment of an elector who voted for the auditor whose place is to filled

Section 122 ELIGIBILITY No person shall be eligible to the office of county auditor who within two years shall have been treasurer of the county No person holding the office of county auditor shall at the same time be county treasurer

Section 123 MEETINGS QUORUM The auditors shall assemble at the county seat on the first Monday of January in each year and at such times as they may find necessary for the performance of the duties required of them by law Any two auditors when duly convened shall be a quorum for the purpose of transacting any businesss

Section 124 COUNSEL COMPENSATION The auditors may employ a competent attorney-at-law to act as their counsel and attorney Such attorney shall be paid out of the funds of the county such reasonable compensation for his services as the board of auditors and the president judge of the court of common pleas may approve

(e) Controller

Section 131 ELECTION AND TERM At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the controller now in office and quadrennially thereafter the qualified electors of each county of the second third fourth and fifth classes and of every other county where the office of controller has been or may hereafter be established shall elect one citizen of the county who shall serve as controller for the term of four years from the first Monday of January following his election or until his successor shall be qualified if he so long shall behave himself well

Section 132 ELIGIBILITY No person holding office under the United States shall be eligible to the office of county controller during his continuance in such office nor until one year thereafter The county commissioners county treasurer prothonotary register of will clerk of the courts recorder of deeds sheriff and district attorney and their chief clerks or deputies shall be ineligible during their continuance in such office and for two years thereafter to the office of county controller The controller shall always be eligible to re-election or appointment

Section 133 BOND OF CONTROLLER Before entering on the duties of his office the controller shall give bond to the county for which he is appointed or elected in the sum of fifty thousand dollars in counties of the second class and twenty thousand dollars in all other counties conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties and those of his deputy

Section 134 DEPUTY CONTROLLER AND CLERKS The controller shall appoint a deputy controller and may appoint one or more of the clerks employed in his office to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons pertaining to the business of the office with the same force and effect as if administered by the controller or deputy controller

Section 135 SOLICITOR TO THE CONTROLLER The county controller may designate and appoint one persons learned in the law to act as his solicitor Such solicitor shall advise upon all such legal matters as may be submitted to him and shall conduct any litigation desired by the county controller He shall hold office at the pleasure of the controller He shall receive such salary as may be fixed by law or by the salary board

Section 136 ESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICE OF CONTROLLER BY DECREE OF COURT IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH SEVENTH and EIGHTH CLASSES The office of controller may be established in any county of the sixth seventh or eighth class by petition to the court of common pleas of such county of twenty-five per centum of the number of electors who voted at the general or municipal election as the case may be next preceding the date of such petition The petition shall include the signatures of a majority of the board of county commissioners the clerk of the courts coroner county treasurer prothonotary recorder of deeds and register of wills of the county Upon presentation of such petition the court shall direct that at the next municipal election and quadriennially thereafter the electors of such county shall choose a citizen of the county for the office of controller in place of the county auditors Such person shall serve for a term of four years or until his successor is qualified if he shall so long behave himself well Upon the filing of such decree the prothonotary shall transmit certified copies thereof to the county commissioners the sheriff and to the Governor Upon receipt thereof the sheriff shall give at least thirty days public notice by proclamation in addition to any other notice required by law Such proclamation shall be printed three times in every newspaper of general circulation in the county and shall contain a notice that a citizen of said county is to be elected at the next ensuing municipal election for the office of county controller Such controller shall be nominated and elected in compliance with the provisions of the general election laws

Section 137 APPOINTMENT BY GOVERNOR DUTIES OF AUDITORS ABOLITION OF OFFICE OF AUDITOR Whenever the office of controller is established in any county under the provisions of the preceding section of this act or by change in class of such county the Governor shall appoint a suitable person to act as controller of said county until his successor in office is duly elected and installed Upon the appointment of a controller as provided in this section the county auditors then in office shall proceed to audit all accounts as is now or may hereafter be required by law and shall file a report of such audit with the controller so appointed not later than three months after the controller assumes his office whereupon the said office of county auditor shall be abolished and cease to exist in said county

(f) Treasurer

Section 141 ELECTION OF COUNTY TREASURER At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the county treasurer in office in any county and quadriennially thereafter the qualified electors of each county shall elect a suitable person to serve as county treasurer for a term of four years and who shall enter upon the duties of his office on the first Monday of January next after his election and perform all the duties enjoined by law on the several county treasurers of this Commonwealth The election shall be held and returns of election made in the manner prescribed by law in the case of county commissioners and the validity of the election or return be subject to like trial and examination in case of a contest

Section 142 ELIGIBILITY No judge clerk or prothonotary of any court register of wills recorder of deeds county commissioner county controller or county auditor shall be eligible to serve as county treasurer during their continuance in office No county treasurer shall be eligible for the term next succeeding the one for which he may be elected

Section 143 BOND Each county treasurer shall before entering upon the duties of his office give bond conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of his office for a just account of all moneys that may come into his hands on behalf of the county for the delivery to his successor in office of all books papers documents and other things held in right of his office and for the payment to him of any balance of money belonging to the county remaining in his hands The amount of such bond in counties of the second class shall be two hundred thousand dollars In all other counties the amount thereof shall be fixed by the county commissioners In the event that the treasurer and commissioners take office at the same time the amount of the treasurer's bond shall be fixed by the new board of commissioners

Section 144 REMOVAL FROM OFFICE If the county commissioners believe the county treasurer is embezzling wasting using or improperly managing the public moneys committed to his charge they may petition the court of quarter sessions setting forth the facts complained of If the court believes said complaint well founded it shall make an order for the removal of such treasurer from office

Section 145 BOND IN FAVOR OF COMMONWEALTH Each county treasurer shall also before entering upon the duties of his office give bond with sufficient security to be approved of by at least two of the judges if there is more than one judge of the court of quarter sessions in the county and in such penalty as the said judges shall deem sufficient conditioned for the faithful discharge of all duties enjoined upon him by law in behalf of the Commonwealth and for the payment according to law of all moneys received by him for the use of the Commonwealth which bond shall be taken by and acknowledged

before the recorder of deeds of the same county and recorded in his office at the cost of the county treasurer and the original bond shall be forthwith transmitted to the Auditor General

Copies of the record of such bond duly certified by the recorder of deeds for the time being shall be good evidence in any action brought against such treasurer or his sureties on such bond according to its form and effect in the same manner as the original would be if produced and offered in evidence

Section 146 REMOVAL FROM OFFICE FOR FAILURE TO TRANSMIT BOND TO AUDITOR GENERAL APPOINTMENT TO FILL VACANCY If any county treasurer shall fail to transmit to the Auditor General within one month after his appointment the bond required by this act to be given by him for the use of the Commonwealth the Auditor General shall give notice thereof to the county commissioners who shall forthwith proceed to remove such treasurer from office in the manner provided by section one hundred and forty-four

Section 147 WHEN AUDITOR GENERAL TO DELIVER UP BOND OF TREASURER It shall be the duty of the Auditor General at the request of any person who may be authorized for that purpose to deliver up the bonds and obligations entered into by the county treasurers of the several counties of the State for the faithful performance of their duties after the Auditor General and State Treasurer shall be fully satisfied that the said county treasurer has settled his accounts and paid all demands due the Commonwealth Provided Such bond shall be held by the Auditor General one year after the settlement of said accounts

Section 148 MISAPPLICATION OF FUNDS COLLECTED FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES Whenever any moneys are collected by law in any county for any special purpose and paid into the hands of the treasurer of such county it shall be unlawful for such treasurer to apply such moneys or any part thereof to any other purpose than that for which such moneys were collected Every such misapplication shall be a misdemeanor upon conviction whereof such treasurer shall be punished by a fine of not less than the amount so misapplied and by imprisonment for not less than three months nor more than one year

Section 149 DEPUTY IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES That the county treasurer in counties of the second class is hereby authorized to appoint in lieu of a chief clerk a deputy county treasurer who shall perform such duties as shall be prescribed by the county treasurer. The salary of the deputy county treasurer shall be fixed by the salary board and shall be paid by the county from the county treasury in the manner provided by law

Section 150 COMPENSATION IN CERTAIN COUNTIES In counties where no annual salary is fixed by law for the county treasurer he shall receive in full compensation for his services on behalf of the county a certain amount per centum on all moneys received and paid by him which rate shall be settled from time to time by the county commissioners with the approbation of the county auditors

(g) Solicitor

Section 151 APPOINTMENT QUALIFICATIONS TERM COMPENSATION The county commissioners may appoint a county solicitor who shall be an attorney at law admitted and qualified to practice in the courts of this Commonwealth He shall hold his office during the term of the commissioners appointing him and except where otherwise provided by law shall receive such compensation as the commissioners may determine He shall before entering upon the duties of his office file with the county commissioners an agreement to pay all fees attorney's fees and commissions received from every source as county solicitor into the county treasury.

Section 152 DUTIES He shall commence and prosecute all suits brought or to be brought by the county wherein or whereby any rights privileges properties claims or demands of the county are involved as well as defend all actions or suits brought against the county and shall perform all duties now enjoined by law upon county solicitors and shall do all and every professional act incident to the office which may be required of him by the commissioners

Section 153 STENOGRAPHER In counties of the third class the county solicitor may with the consent of the county commissioners employ a stenographer as an assistant in his office who shall receive such salary as may be fixed according to law

(h) Surveyor

Section 160 ELECTION OF COUNTY SURVEYOR The qualified voters of each county shall at the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of the county surveyor then in office and quadrennially thereafter elect one competent person being a practical surveyor to act as county surveyor for the proper county for a term of four years

Section 161 QUALIFICATIONS DUTIES AND COMPENSATION VACANCIES The county surveyor shall be a practical surveyor and shall do and perform all the duties and have and receive all the emoluments formerly pertaining to the respective deputies of the surveyor-general

Any vacancy occasioned by death resignation removal or otherwise shall be filled by the court of quarter sessions by the appointment of a competent person being a practical surveyor to fill such vacancy during the balance of the unexpired term

Section 162 REMOVAL BY COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS The courts of quarter sessions of the respective counties shall have power on cause shown to remove the county surveyor for neglect refusal incompetency or inability to perform the duties of his office and shall also remove him upon his conviction of any infamous crime or misdemeanor

(i) Engineer

Section 166 APPOINTMENT TERM COMPENSATION The county commissioners of any county may appoint a registered professional engineer who shall be styled the county engineer Such engineer shall serve for a term of four years and shall receive such compensation as the county commissioners shall fix

Section 167 DUTIES The county engineer shall prepare plans specifications and estimates of all engineering work undertaken by the county and shall whenever required furnish the commissioners with reports information or estimates on any such work and in general shall perform all such duties with reference to any county engineering work as the county commissioners may from time to time prescribe

(j) Board of Viewers

Section 171 NUMBER OF MEMBERS QUALIFICATION The board of viewers in counties of the second class shall consist of not less than six nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be learned in the law and members of the bar of the county In each county of the third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes said board shall consist of not less than three nor more than nine members one-third of whom may be surveyors or members of the bar of the county The judges of the court of common pleas shall in each case determine within the aforesaid limits the total number of members of which the board shall be composed fixing and determining such number as shall be deemed necessary for the proper performance of the duties imposed upon the board The court may also from time to time change the total number of members within above limits

Section 172 QUALIFICATIONS Each member of the board of viewers must be at least twenty-five years of age must be a freeholder must be a qualified elector of the county must have resided therein for five years immediately prior to his appointment and must not be engaged in any public employment of profit The office of any member of the board shall be vacant immediately upon his ceasing to be a resident of the county in which he was appointed or upon his ceasing to possess any of the qualifications above required The court of common pleas shall from time to time determine summarily any facts thus bringing about a vacancy in the office.

Section 173 APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS VACANCIES The members of the board of viewers shall be appointed by the judges of the court of common pleas all vacancies happening from any cause shall be filled by appointment by the judges of the court of common pleas In counties having more than one court of common pleas the judges of all courts of common pleas shall meet as a body and shall make such appointment In judicial districts which comprise more than one county such appointment for each county shall be made by

the judge or judges of the judicial district in which said county is situate

Section 174 TERM OF OFFICE REMOVAL Each of the members of the board of viewers shall be appointed for a term of three years from the date of his appointment whether such appointment be to fill an original or partly expired term Members may be reappointed from time to time when vacancies occur All appointments shall be subject to the power of the court of common pleas at any time for causes to them satisfactory to remove members of said board before the expiration of their respective term of office and to appoint successors

Section 175 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS Any member of any board of viewers shall have general power to administer oaths and affirmations to other viewers of the same county to witness before them and to other persons pertaining to the business and duties of the board of viewers

Section 176 CLERKS AND STENOGRAPHERS The board of viewers may employ such stenographers and clerical assistants and at such salaries as shall be authorized by the salary board or by the county commissioners in counties where there is no salary board

(k) Sheriff and Coroner

1 Sheriff

Section 180 ELECTION OF SHERIFF At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of office of the sheriff of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a sheriff who shall hold office for a term of four years from the first Monday of January succeeding such election and until his successor is elected and qualified

Section 181 NOT ELIGIBLE TO SUCCEED HIMSELF No sheriff shall be eligible for the term next succeeding the one for which he was elected

Section 182 RECOGNIZANCES Every sheriff whether elected or appointed to fill a vacancy before he is commissioned or executes any of the duties of his office shall enter into a recognizance and become bound in a bond with at least two sufficient sureties in the sums and manner hereafter mentioned The form of such recognizance shall be as follows to wit You (A B C D and E F) do acknowledge that you owe unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the sum of..... ..... to be levied and made of your several goods and chattels lands and tenements upon condition that if you (A B) shall and do without delay and according to law well and truly serve and execute all writs and process of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to you directed and shall and do from time to time upon request to you for that purpose made well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the several suitors and parties interested in the execution of such writs and process their lawful attorneys factors agents or assigns all and every sum and sums of money to them respectively belonging which shall come to your hands and shall and do from time to time and at all times during your continuance in the office of sheriff of the County of... ..... well and faithfully execute and perform all and singular the trusts and duties to the said office lawfully appertaining then this recognizance to be void or else to be and remain in full force and virtue

Such recognizance shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds and shall continue to be a lien on the real estate owned by the sheriff at the date of said recognizance for the term of ten years from said date The expiration of the lien of any sheriff's recognizance upon the real estate owned by him shall not release such sheriff his administrator or executor from liability to answer any claim which may be established for damages occasioned by official delinquency or misconduct of said sheriff

Section 183 FORM OF SHERIFF'S BOND The form of the bond to be given by the sheriff and his sureties shall be as follows to wit "Know all men by these presents that we (A B C D and E F) are held firmly bound into the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in the sum of .....dollars to be paid to the said Commonwealth for the uses intents and purposes declared and appointed by law to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals dated.....day of..... .....Anno Domini..... The conditions of the above obligation is such that if the said (A B) shall and do without delay according to law well and truly serve and execute all writs and process of the said Commonwealth to him directed and shall and do from time to time upon request to him for that purpose made well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the several suitors and parties interested in the execution of such writs or process their lawful attorney factors agents or assigns all and every sum and sums of money to them respectively belonging which shall come to his hands and shall and do from time to time and at all times during his continuance in the said office well and faithfully execute and perform all and every of the trusts and duties to the said office appertaining then this obligation to be void or else to be and remain in full force and virtue"

Section 184 AMOUNT OF SHERIFF'S BOND The recognizance and bond of the sheriff of the several counties shall be taken in the following sums

Counties of the second class sixty thousand dollars
Counties of the third class fifteen thousand dollars
Counties of the fourth class sixty thousand dollars
Counties of the fifth class twenty-five thousand dollars
Counties of the sixth class twenty-five thousand dollars
Counties of the seventh class having a population of more than thirty thousand fifteen thousand dollars
Counties of the seventh class having a population of less than thirty thousand ten thousand dollars
Counties of the eighth class having a population of more than ten thousand ten thousand dollars
Counties of the eighth class having a population of less than ten thousand eight thousand dollars

Section 185 UNFINISHED BUSINESS It shall be the duty of every outgoing sheriff in any county to hand over to his successor in office all unfinished and unexecuted writs and process whatsoever whose duty it shall be to receive and execute the same as if said writs and process had been originally issued and directed to him as well as to carry out and complete all other official acts of his predecessor

Whenever any real estate shall be sold under any execution by a sheriff and the officer who shall make the sale shall die resign or be removed from office or if the term of his office shall expire before any deed shall be executed and acknowledged by him in due form of law for such real estate his successor in office shall have the same power and be under the same duty to execute a deed for such real estate to the purchaser thereof as the sheriff selling such real estate under execution if he were still in office which deed so executed shall be as effectual in law as if the title had been completed by the former sheriff

No court order shall be necessary in any event to authorize an incoming sheriff to carry out his duties as prescribed by this act

Section 186 SHERIFF MAY ACT BY DEPUTY Whenever the sheriff is or shall be required by law to act in person under any writ or inquisition condemnation inquiry of damages lunacy or habitual drunkard proceedings partition proceedings or by virtue of any other writ or process issued by the courts of this Commonwealth the said sheriff may act either in person or by a regularly appointed deputy sheriff

Section 187 CHIEF DEPUTY The sheriff of each county shall appoint by deed duly recorded in the office for recording deeds a chief deputy whose appointment shall be revocable at pleasure on recording in said office a written revocation thereof The chief deputy during his continuance in office shall have full power and authority to perform any duty incumbent upon such sheriff with like effect in law as if such official act had been done by the sheriff in person regardless of the ability or temporary disability of such sheriff to act while such sheriff continues in office Nothing in this section shall operate to relieve such sheriff or his sureties from liability upon their official bond

Section 188 SOLICITOR IN THIRD AND FOURTH CLASS COUNTIES In all counties of the third and fourth classes the sheriff may appoint one person learned in the law as his solicitor Said solicitor shall advise the sheriff upon all legal matters that may be submitted to him and shall conduct any litigation connected with the sheriff's office when requested so to do by the sheriff The solicitor shall hold office for the term for which the sheriff was elected The salary of such solicitor shall be fixed according to law and shall be paid by the county

Section 189 DEPUTIES AND CLERKS IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH CLASS The sheriff in counties of the sixth class may appoint such deputies and clerks as may be necessary to properly transact the business of his office and shall have power to discharge them from time to time The compensation of such deputies and clerks shall be fixed by the salary board

2 Coroner

Section 201 ELECTION BOND At the municipal election immediately preceding the expiration of the term of office of the coroner of the county and quadriennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a coroner who shall hold office for a term of four years from the first Monday of January succeeding such election and until his successor is elected and qualified The coroner of each county whether elected or appointed to fill a vacancy before he is commissioned or executes any of the duties of his office shall enter into a recognizance and become bound in a bond in one-fourth of the sum required from the sheriff of the county Such bond shall be acknowledged before the recorder of deeds The condition of such bond shall be that the coroner will "well and truly perform all and singular the duties to the office of coroner appertaining" Such bond shall be a security to the Commonwealth and to all persons whomsoever for the faithful discharge and due performance of all the duties required by law from such coroner

Section 202 DEPUTIES The coroner may appoint one or more deputies to act in his place and stead as he may deem proper and necessary Such deputy or deputies shall have the same powers as the coroner In counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes such deputies shall receive the same fees as the coroner

Section 203 DUTIES WITH RESPECT TO COUNTY MORGUES The coroner of each county in which a county morgue has been or may hereafter be established shall make general rules and regulations for its government and control and shall appoint suitable persons for each morgue so established to have charge of the same and who shall be removable at the pleasure of the coroner The number of such persons and the salary of each shall be fixed by the salary board or in counties where there is no salary board by the county commissioners

Section 204 CORONER TO ACT AS SHERIFF IN CASE OF VACANCY If any sheriff shall be legally removed from his office or shall die before expiration of the term for which he was commissioned the coroner of the county shall execute the office of sheriff and perform all things thereunto appertaining until another sheriff is commissioned and notice thereof is given to such coroner

Section 205 VACANCIES If any person elected to the office of coroner shall neglect or refuse for the space of three months next after such election to assume the duties of said office and to comply with the requirements of the acts of assembly in such cases the office shall be vacant and it shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint and commission some suitable person to fill such vacancy during the remainder of the term No fees shall hereafter be charged on commissions issued to the coroner

2 General Provisions

Section 211 NOT TO EXERCISE OFFICE UNTIL COMMISSION GRANTED AND RECORDED PENALTY No person elected or appointed to the office of sheriff or coroner shall presume to execute any of the duties of such office before a commission shall have been duly granted to him and left for record under a penalty of imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months at the discretion of the court of quarter sessions Such person shall nevertheless be liable to any person injured by any acts done by him under color of such office

Section 212 REAL ESTATE OF SHERIFF AND CORONER AND THEIR SURETIES TO BE BOUND All the real estate within the county of a sheriff and coroner shall be bound by their recognizance taken in the manner aforesaid as effectually as by a judgment for the same amount in any court of record of such county It shall be the duty of the controller or chief clerk of the county commissioners where there is no controller as soon as the recognizance of the sheriff or coroner is filed to certify the same to the prothonotary who shall enter the names of the parties thereto upon his docket in like manner as judgments are by law directed to be entered

Every such recognizance entered into by a sheriff and coroner shall be taken by the recorder of deeds of the proper county and recorder in his office and when so recorded shall be by him transmitted to the Secretary of the Commonwealth with a certificate endorsed by such recorder of its having been duly recorded

Section 213 SALE OF REAL ESTATE BOUND BY LIEN If the sheriff or coroner or any surety of such sheriff or coroner shall sell any real estate bound by the lien of any recognizance or bond as principal or surety therefor such sheriff or coroner or surety may present a petition to the court of common pleas accompanied by notice to his sureties or cosureties setting forth the fact of such sale and praying for a release of the lien of such recognizance and bond upon the real estate described in the petition The court being satisfied of the sufficiency of the sureties or the remaining sureties may release said lien upon such land The court may before it releases the lien upon such real estate approve of additional sureties to be added or substituted as such court shall deem necessary

(1) Prothonotary Clerks of Courts Clerk of Orphans Court Register of Wills and Recorder of Deeds

Section 220 ELECTION OF PROTHONOTARIES CLERKS OF COURTS CLERKS OF ORPHANS' COURTS REGISTER OF WILLS AND RECORDERS OF DEEDS At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of office of any prothonotary clerk of the court of quarter sessions clerk of the court of oyer and terminer register of will clerk of the orphans' court or recorder of deeds of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a person to fill such office from the first Monday of January next succeeding such election for a term of four years and until his successor is elected and qualified Where under the provisions of this act or existing law it is provided that two or more of said offices shall be held by the same person only one person shall be elected to hold such offices

Section 221 HOW OFFICES TO BE HELD In counties of the second third and fourth classes one person shall hold the office of prothonotary one person the office of clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions one person the offices of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person the office of recorder of deeds

In counties of the fifth class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary and clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions one person the offices of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person the office of recorder of deeds unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

In counties of the sixth and seventh class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary and clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions and one person the offices of register of wills recorder of deeds and clerk of the orphans' court unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

In counties of the eighth class one person shall hold the offices of prothonotary clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and general quarter sessions clerk of the orphans' court register of wills and recorder of deeds unless local laws applying to such counties shall otherwise provide

This section does not repeal any of the provisions of section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the election of Prothonotaries Clerks Recorders and "Registers" nor any of the provisions of any other local law

Section 222 COUNTIES OF FORTY THOUSAND INHABITANTS CREATED SEPARATE JUDICIAL DISTRICTS In each county containing forty thousand inhabitants accepting the provisions of this section or which has heretofore accepted the provisions of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty-nine) entitled 'An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter ses-

sions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts under the Constitution, providing that said act shall be in effect only upon the acceptance thereof" and which heretofore have been or hereafter may be created separate and independent judicial districts under section five article five of the Constitution there shall be elected one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of the clerk of the courts of general and quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds at the expiration of the terms of the persons then filling and exercising such offices in such counties

Such acceptance of the provisions of this section shall be exercised by a decree of the court of common pleas of the county accepting the provisions thereof upon petition of the county commissioners of such county Such petition and decree shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county and in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth Any county which now elects the said county officers in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions thereof and in such counties, no actual acceptance of the provisions hereof shall be necessary

Section 223 INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES No person shall be capable of holding and exercising at the same time the office of justice of the peace and that of prothonotary or clerk of the court Nor shall any prothonotary or clerk of any court practice as attorney or counsellor in the court of which he is prothonotary or clerk Nor shall the register of wills of any county practice as aforesaid in the orphans' court of the same county

Section 224 APPOINTMENT OF FIRST DEPUTIES The prothonotary clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and clerk of the orphans' court and register of wills and recorder of deeds shall appoint one first deputy to act in the case of the death or resignation of his principal or when the office shall become vacant from other causes In counties of the second and third classes the first deputy prothonotary shall be designated from the force of clerks in the prothonotary's office and shall give bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned for the proper and faithful performance of his duties In counties of the third class the first deputy prothonotary shall be learned in the law

Section 225 BONDS OF PROTHONOTARY AND CLERKS OF COURTS The prothonotary the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and the clerk of the orphans' court shall before they enter upon the duties of their offices give bond the condition of which shall be to faithfully execute the duties of their respective offices and well and truly to account for any pay according to law all monies which are received by them in their official capacity and to deliver the books seals records writings and papers belonging to their respective offices whole safe and undefaced to their successors therein In counties of the second class the prothonotary's bond shall be in the sum of forty thousand dollars and that of the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer in the sum of ten thousand dollars The amount of all other bonds required by this section shall be fixed by the Governor

Section 226 POWER OF PROTHONOTARIES AND CLERKS TO ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS The prothonotaries clerks of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and clerks of the orphans' courts shall have a general power to administer oaths and affirmations Provided That no prothonotary or clerk shall be compelled to administer the same in any matter not pertaining to the proper business of his office

Section 227 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS APPOINTMENT OF MINUTE CLERKS BY PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS The prothonotary and the clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer in counties of the second class may be with the approval of the court of common pleas or the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer as the case may be appoint minute clerks of said courts Such clerks shall receive such salaries as the court authorizing their appointment may fix and shall give bond in such sum as the respective courts may direct This act shall not affect the power of the prothonotary of Allegheny county to appoint clerks of the county court for the county of Allegheny under the provisions of section five of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" or its amendments

Section 228 SECOND DEPUTY PROTHONOTARY The prothonotary may appoint a second deputy prothonotary who shall possess and discharge all the rights powers and duties of the principal deputy prothonotary during his necessary or temporary absence

Section 229 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND AND THIRD CLASSES CLERKS OF PROTHONOTARY TO ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS In counties of the second and third classes any clerk in the office of the prothonotary designated by the prothonotary shall have the power of deputy prothonotary so far as relates to the administration of oaths and affirmations in the performance of the work of the office

Section 230 PROTHONOTARY TO FILE AND KEEP ADVANCE COPIES OF LAW The prothonotary shall file and keep in his office advance copies of the laws enacted at each session of the General Assembly as they are furnished to him by the Secretary of the Commonwealth for a period of one year from the date of reception of the first of said laws enacted at each session of the General Assembly in such manner that they shall be accessible to the public during the office hours of the prothontary

Section 231 ASSISTANT CLERKS OF ORPHANS' COURT IN COUNTIES WHERE THERE IS A SEPARATE ORPHANS' COURT The clerk of the orphans' court of each county in which a separate orphans' court is now or hereafter shall be established may appoint an assistant clerk or clerks but only with the consent and approval of said court The salary of such assistant clerks shall be as provided by law or as may be fixed by the salary board

Section 232 BOND OF REGISTER OF WILLS The register of wills shall give a bond in the sum equal to half the sum prescribed by this act for the official bond of the sheriff with condition faithfully to execute the duties of his said office and well and truly to account for and pay according to law all moneys received by him in his official capacity and to deliver up the books seals records and other writing belonging to said office whole safe and undefaced to his successor in office Such bond shall be for the use of all persons concerned and for the relief of all who may be aggrieved by the acts or neglect of such register Such bond shall be acknowledged by the register before a judge of the orphans' court

Section 233 DEPUTY REGISTER OF WILLS The register shall appoint a deputy to officiate in his absence for whose conduct he and his sureties shall be accountable Such deputy shall be capable in law to do whatever by law appertains to the office of register

Section 234 BOND OF RECORDER OF DEEDS The recorder of deeds before he enters on the duties of his office shall give bond in the following sums

In counties of the second class twenty thousand dollars

In counties of the third class fifteen thousand dollars

In counties of the fourth and fifth classes ten thousand dollars

In counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes five thousand dollars

Such bonds shall be conditioned for the true and faithful execution of his office and for delivering up the records and other writings belonging to the office whole safe and undefaced to his successor in office

Section 235 DEPUTY RECORDER The recorder of deeds may appoint a deputy for whose conduct he and his sureties shall be accountable Such deputy shall be capable in law to do whatever by law appertains to the office of recorder of deeds

Section 236 CLERKS OF RECORDER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The recorder of deeds may appoint one or more clerks employed in his office to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons pertaining to the business of the recorder's

office with the same force and effect as if administered by the recorder or deputy recorder

(m) District Attorney Assistants and Detectives

1 District Attorney

Section 245 ELECTION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of the district attorney of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of such county shall elect a person to hold the office of district attorney from the first Monday of January next succeeding his election for a term of four years and until his successor is elected and qualified

Section 246 QUALIFICATIONS ELIGIBILITY The district attorney shall be a person learned in the law who has been qualified for admission to practice as an attorney in the Supreme or Superior Court of this Commonwealth for at least one year and six months preceding his election and who shall have resided in the county for which he is elected for one year next preceding his election

No district attorney shall be eligible to a seat in the legislature or to any other office under the laws and constitution of the state excepting an office or commission in the militia of the state during his continuance in office.

Section 247 FILLING OF VACANCIES If any vacancy shall occur either by death resignation removal from office or from the county or otherwise the judges of the court of common pleas shall supply such vacancy by the appointment of a competent person to fill the office during the balance of the unexpired term

Section 248 MISCONDUCT OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY If any district attorney shall wilfully and corruptly demand take or receive any other fee or reward than such as is prescribed by law for any official duties required by law to be executed by him in any criminal proceeding or if such district attorney shall be guilty of wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and on conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and to undergo imprisonment not exceeding one year and his office shall be declared vacant

Upon complaint in writing verified by the oath or affirmation of the party aggrieved made to the court in which any district attorney shall prosecute the pleas of the Commonwealth charging such district attorney with wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office the court shall cause notice of such complaint to be given to the district attorney and of the time fixed by the court for the hearing of the same If upon such hearing the court shall be of opinion that there is probable cause for the complaint they shall hand over or commit the district attorney to answer the same in due course of law If the court shall be of opinion that there is no probable cause for such complaint they shall dismiss the same with reasonable costs to be assessed by the court

Section 249 DISTRICT ATTORNEY CHARGED WITH CRIME If any district attorney is charged according to law with any crime or misdemeanor before or bound over or committed by any court to answer for wilful and gross negligence in the execution of the duties of his office it shall be the duty of the court to appoint some competent attorney thereof to prepare an indictment against such district attorney and to prosecute the same on behalf of the Commonwealth until final judgment Such attorney shall be paid by the county for his services a reasonable compensation to be fixed by the court If such district attorney shall be convicted of any crime for which he may be sentenced to imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor in addition thereto his office shall be declared vacant by the court passing such sentence

2 Assistant District Attorneys

Section 253 ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEYS In counties of the second third fourth fifth and sixth classes the district attorney may appoint such number of assistants learned in the law to assist him in the discharge of his duties as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board

Assistant district attorneys shall receive such salary as may be provided by law or by the salary board

Section 257 DESIGNATION OF FIRST ASSISTANT POWERS AND DUTIES In all cases where more than one assistant district attorney is appointed the district attorney shall designate one of such assistants as his first assistant Such first assistant or the assistant district attorney where only one is appointed shall in the absence of the district attorney from the jurisdiction or during his disability to perform the duties of his office through sickness or other cause be vested with all the duties powers and privileges given by law to the district attorney and generally at such time be empowered to do and perform all things in connection with his office which the district attorney may by law be entitled to do or perform

Section 258 INDICTMENT AND COST CLERK IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS The district attorney of any county of the fourth class in addition to the assistants hereinbefore authorized may appoint an assistant learned in the law who shall be designated as indictment and cost clerk to assist the district attorney in the discharge of his duties Such appointee shall hold office during the term of office of the district attorney appointing him but the district attorney may remove such appointee for any cause he deems sufficient and appoint another person duly qualified to fill the vacancy Such indictment clerk shall receive the salary fixed by law or by the salary board as the case may be

Section 259 SPECIAL ASSISTANTS The district attorney of any county of the seventh and eighth classes may with the approval of the president judge of the court of quarter sessions or the Salary Board as may be provided by law appoint an assistant attorney learned in the law to aid in the preparation and trial of any indictment for homicide or murder on behalf of the Commonwealth Such assistant shall receive such compensation not exceeding four hundred dollars as may be approved and recommended by the judge presiding at the trial

Section 260 APPOINTMENT OF A DEPUTY FOR ONE TERM OF COURT In any case where there is no regularly appointed assistant district attorney if in case of sickness or from any other cause the district attorney shall be unable to attend to the duties and business of the term of a court he may appoint some competent attorney of the county with the approbation of the court to act as his deputy for one term but for no longer period.

Section 261 COURT MAY APPOINT A DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE TIME BEING It shall be the duty of the court of quarter sessions of any county to appoint a district attorney for the time being in all cases where the district attorney and his assistants shall be absent from the court Such person so appointed shall perform all the duties of the office until the regular district attorney or one of his assistants shall appear in person to perform the same.

Section 262 STENOGRAPHERS IN FOURTH AND FIFTH CLASS COUNTIES In counties of the fourth and fifth classes the district attorney may employ a stenographer as an assistant in his office who shall receive the salary fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

3 Detectives

Section 276 APPOINTMENT IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS DUTIES In counties of the second class the district attorney may appoint one chief county detective an assistant chief county detective and such number of detectives as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board The said detectives shall receive such salaries as may be fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

Such county detectives shall at all times be subject to the orders of the district attorney and shall investigate and make report to the district attorney as to the conduct in office of magistrates constables deputy constables and other officers connected with the administration of criminal justice to make investigations and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required by the district attorney in any criminal case and perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Said detectives shall be general police officers and shall have all powers now conferred on constables by existing laws of this Commonwealth so far as they relate to crime or criminal procedure and in counties of the second class they shall serve subpoenas in cases in which the Commonwealth is a party in a court of record.

Section 277 IN COUNTIES OF THE THIRD AND FOURTH CLASSES In counties of the third and fourth class the district attorney may appoint one chief county detective

and such number of assistant county detectives as may be fixed by law or allowed by the Salary Board

The said county detectives shall receive such salary as may be fixed by law or the salary board as the case may be

Such county detectives shall hold their positions during the term of the district attorney appointing them and shall be removable at his discretion They shall have possess and exercise all of the rights and powers conferred by existing law upon constables so far as such laws relate to crimes and criminal procedure and shall when requested by the district attorney make an investigation and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required in any criminal case They shall also perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Such county detectives shall be allowed their expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties

Section 278 IN COUNTIES OF THE FIFTH CLASS In counties of the fifth class the district attorney with the approval of the court of quarter sessions or the Salary Board as may be provided by law may whenever deemed necessary appoint special detectives whose duties it shall be to assist in obtaining such evidence as shall be directed by the district attorney for the Commonwealth in all criminal cases and perform such other duties as the court may direct. Such special detectives shall be general police officers and shall have all the powers that are now conferred on constables by the existing laws so far as they relate to crimes or criminal procedure

The court of quarter sessions or Salary Board as the case may be shall fix the compensation of the special detectives and shall direct the clerk of said court to certify the same to the county commissioners who shall draw their warrants on the treasurer in favor of said detectives for the amount so certified

Section 279 IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH SEVENTH AND EIGHTH CLASSES The district attorney of counties of the sixth seventh and eighth classes may with the approval of the president judge of the courts or the Salary Board as may be provided by law employ one detective for the investigation of any crimes committed within such county The compensation of such detective or detectives shall be fixed by the district attorney with the approval of the president judge of the court or salary board as the case may be and shall be paid from the county treasury in the usual manner

Section 280 IN COUNTIES OF THE SIXTH CLASS In all counties of the sixth class the district attorney shall have power to appoint with the approval of the president judge of the court of common pleas of such county or the Salary Board as may be provided by law one county detective at an annual salary to be fixed by the salary board in counties where there is a salary board and in other counties by the district attorney with the approval of the president judge of said court Such detective shall also receive his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duties The salary and expenses of such detective shall be paid out of the county treasury in the usual manner

The county detective herein provided for shall hold his position during the term of the district attorney appointing him and shall be removable at his pleasure He shall have possess and exercise all the rights and powers conferred by existing laws upon constables so far as such laws relate to crimes and criminal procedure and shall when requested by the district attorney make an investigation and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required in any criminal case He shall also perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct Provided however That nothing herein contained shall prevent the employment of one or more detectives for special purposes as now provided by law

Section 281 APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL DETECTIVE WITH APPROVAL OF COURT The district attorney of any county may with the approval of the court of quarter sessions whenever said court and district attorney may deem it necessary appoint an officer as a special detective whose duty it shall be to assist in obtaining such evidence as shall be directed by the district attorney for the Commonwealth in all criminal cases and perform such other duties as the court may direct The compensation of such special detective shall be fixed by the president judge of the court of quarter sessions or the salary board as the case may be

Such special detective officer shall be a general police officer and shall have all the powers that are conferred on constables by the existing laws of this Commonwealth so far as they relate to crimes or criminal procedure

(n) Jury Commissioners

Section 291 ELECTION OF JURY COMMISSIONERS At the municipal election preceding the expiration of the term of office of the jury commissioners of any county and quadrennially thereafter the electors of the county shall elect two citizens to hold the office of jury commissioner for a term of four years from the first Monday of January next succeeding their election

Section 292 IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS Said commission in counties of the second class shall consist of three members One of said members shall be the President Judge of the court of common pleas whose duty it shall be to preside at and oversee the drawing of jurors The elective members of the Commission for the Selection of jurors in counties of the second class shall in no event be members of the same political party but the majority political party in each county shall elect one of said elective commissioners and the other shall be the candidate for such office receiving the highest number of votes of the next ranking or minority political party

Vacancies upon said commission occurring from any cause shall be filled by the president judge of the court of common pleas who shall appoint a member or members to fill such vacancy in the elective membership to serve until the next ensuing municipal election

The number of employes of the Commission for the Selection of Jurors and their salaries shall be fixed by the Commission acting in conjunction with the county commissioners and the county controller acting as a salary board

Section 293 ELIGIBILITY IN OTHER COUNTIES In the election of jury commissioners in counties of the third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes each qualified elector shall vote for no more than one person and the two persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected The same person or persons shall not be eligible for reelection more than once in any period of six years

Section 294 FILLING OF VACANCY In case of the inability of either or both of the jury commissioners by sickness death or other unavoidable cause to discharge the duties of said office or in case of neglect or refusal to serve thereon it shall be the duty of the president judge to appoint a suitable person or persons as the case may be to perform the duties of said office during such vacancy

Section 295 CLERK Except as hereinafter provided the jury commissioners are hereby authorized to appoint a clerk and fix his compensation with the consent and approval of the salary board if there be such a board or if not then of the county commissioners for his employment with said jury commissioners in the preparation and in filling the jury wheel or in drawing jurors Said appointment of a clerk shall be made within thirty days after the jury commissioners qualify for office and if the jury commissioners shall fail to make such appointment within said time or shall thereafter for a period of thirty days fail to fill any vacancy in said position the county commissioners shall appoint a clerk for them The compensation of said clerk shall be fixed by the salary board or the commissioners as the case may be In counties of the third class the clerk of the jury commissioners shall be appointed and his compensation fixed by the court of common pleas

(o) Compensation Salaries Fees

Section 301 SALARIES AND COMPENSATION The salaries and compensation of county officers shall be as now or hereafter fixed by law The salaries and compensation of all appointed officers clerks stenographers and employes who are paid from the county treasury shall be as now or hereafter fixed by law or as may be fixed by the salary board created by law for such purposes

Section 302 FEES All county officers shall continue to charge and collect the fees mileage and emoluments of office for their own use or for the use of the county as is now or may hereafter be provided by law and where required by law such fees mileage and emoluments shall be paid to the county treasurer as and when required

(p) Pensions Counties of the Second Class

Section 311 "COUNTY EMPLOYE" DEFINED A county employe for the purpose of this subdivision of this act is any person employed by the county at a wage or salary payable at stated intervals that is to say semi-monthly monthly quarterly

or annually The term does not include any person elected by the vote of the people

Section 312 PENSION SYSTEM AND FUND TO BE ESTABLISHED Each county of the second class shall provide a pension system for such county and shall establish and regulate a pension fund in connection therewith

Section 313 PENSION BOARD The pension system shall be under the sole direction of a Pension Board hereinafter designated the board which shall consist of the county commissioners the treasurer and the controller of the county

Section 314 TREASURER OF BOARD The county treasurer shall be the treasurer of the board and shall give such bond for the proper performance of his duties as is required by the board The premium on said bond shall be paid from the pension fund on warrants of the board The treasurer shall receive for his services the sum of one hundred dollars ($100.00) per annum from the pension fund payable on warrants of the board

Section 315 REGISTER OF EMPLOYES REGULATIONS OF BOARD The board shall keep a register of employes containing the names ages residence nature of employment time of entering the employ of the county and such other information as the board deems necessary in the performance of its duties The board may adopt amend revise and abolish in its discretion such regulations not inconsistent with law as it deems necessary

Section 316 LIST OF EMPLOYES The head of each department or office of the county shall file with the board a list of all employes of such department or office with the amount of the salary or wage received by each the age of the employe time of entering the county employ and such other information relative to such employes as is required by the board From time to time and whenever requested by the board all dismissals appointments resignations transfers changes in salaries or in employment and other information relative to employes shall be furnished to the board by the head of each such department or office

Section 317 APPROPRIATIONS TO PENSION FUND The county commissioners shall annually in January appropriate and pay into the pension fund not less than one-half of one per centum and not more than two per centum of all available moneys received by the county as taxes during the preceding calendar year

Section 318 PAYMENT BY EMPLOYES Each county employe shall each month pay into the pension fund one per centum of the amount received by him as salary or wages from the county during the preceding calendar month Such amount shall be collected by the county treasurer and by him paid into the pension fund Such monthly payments by an employe shall cease when such employe is entitled to receive the pension herein provided for No employe shall be entitled to a pension who does not make the monthly payment herein required

Section 319 INVESTMENT OR DEPOSIT OF FUND The board may in its discretion invest the money of the pension fund or any part thereof in obligations of the United States or of this State or of any political division of this State or it may deposit such moneys or any part thereof in one or more banks or trust companies of the county selected by the board The banks or trust companies offering to pay the highest rate of interest and that have a paid-in capital and surplus of not less than three hundred thousand dollars shall be selected A contract with a depositary shall be for a period covering the term of the county treasurer No moneys shall be paid to a depositary until it shall have executed to the board a bond for the proper safeguarding of the funds so deposited The bonds shall have such surety as is approved by the court of common pleas No moneys exceeding in the aggregate the amount of the bond shall be paid to any depositary

Section 320 PERSONS ENTITLED TO PENSIONS Every person now or hereafter in the employ of the county who has reached the age of fifty years or upwards and who shall have been in the employ of the county during a period of not less than twenty years shall upon application to the board be retired from service and shall thereafter receive during life a pension as herein provided for The time spent in the employ of the county need not necessarily have been continuous

Section 321 EXCEPTION IN FAVOR OF PERSONS TOTALLY AND PERMANENTLY DISABLED—Any employe who has been in the county employ for a period of not less than ten years shall be entitled to a pension if he or she becomes totally and permanently disabled even though such employe has not reached the age of fifty years Proof of total and permanent disability shall be by the sworn statement of three practicing physicians of the county designated by the board to the effect that such employe is totally and permanently disabled from performing the duties of his or her position or office

Section 322 AMOUNT OF PENSIONS PAYMENT The pension paid under the provisions of this act shall equal annually fifty per centum of the average annual amount received by the employe as salary or wages during the two years immediately preceding the date of retirement of the employe receiving the pension No pension shall exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per month Pensions shall be paid in monthly installments on warrant on the board

Section 323 PENSION AFTER LEAVING COUNTY SERVICE If any employe after twenty years in the county employ is dismissed or retires voluntarily or is in any other manner deprived of his or her employment before attaining the age of fifty years such employe if he continues to contribute to the pension fund monthly a sum equal to the last monthly contribution paid while in the county employ shall when he or she reaches the age of fifty years be entitled to a pension

Section 324 REFUND OF CONTRIBUTIONS If any county employe contributing monthly to the pension fund shall for any cause cease to be an employe of the county before the expiration of the twenty-year period the total amount of the contributions paid into the pension fund by such employe shall upon demand in writing be repaid to him or her or to his or her personal representative out of the fund

Section 325 REINSTATEMENT Should any county employe who has withdrawn his contribution paid into the pension fund desire to be reinstated and again become a beneficiary he or she may do so by the payment in full of the amount withdrawn and by paying the assessments provided for in section three hundred and eighteen of this act

Section 326 PENSION NOT SUBJECT TO ATTACHMENT OR ASSIGNMENT No pensions herein provided for shall be subject to execution or to attachment It shall be payable only to the beneficiary herein provided for and shall not be subject to assignment or transfer

ARTICLE IV

FINANCE

(a) Counties having a Controller

Section 341 CONTROLLER CHARGED WITH GENERAL SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF FISCAL AFFAIRS The controller shall have a general supervision and control of the fiscal affairs of the county and of the accounts and official acts of all officers or other persons who shall collect receive or distribute the public moneys of the county or who shall be charged with the management or custody thereof He may at any time require from any of them in writing an account of all moneys or property which may have come into their control He shall immediately on the discovery of any default or delinquency report the same to the commissioners and the court of common pleas of the county and shall take immediate measures to secure the public moneys or property and remove the delinquent party if in office and not removed by the commissioners

Section 342 ACCOUNTS OF OFFICERS The controller shall furnish the commissioners of the county whenever required by them a detailed account of any officer or other person having in his possession or under his control funds belonging to the county and shall between the hours of ten o'clock ante meridian and two o'clock post meridian give information respecting any of said accounts to any taxpayer of the county demanding the same

Section 343 CUSTODY OF VALUABLE DOCUMENTS The controller shall have the custody of all title deeds to real estate owned by the county and of all contracts entered into by or on behalf of the county and of all books documents and papers relating to its financial affairs and of all bonds and other obligations issued by said county when paid Such bonds and other obligations when so paid shall be distinctly cancelled by

the controller and carefully and regularly filed a register of which cancellation shall be kept by him in a book to be provided for that purpose

Section 344 BOOKS OF FISCAL AFFAIRS The controller shall keep a full and regular set of books in detail by double entry of all the fiscal operations of the county embracing as many accounts under appropriate titles as may be necessary to show distinctly and separately all the property of the county its receipts and expenditures and all debts and accounts due by the county officers or others and amount raised from each source of revenue and the expenditures in detail and classified by reference to the objects thereof He shall prescribe the form and manner of keeping the books and papers used by each of the officers of said county in connection with the fiscal affairs of the county

Section 345 REPORT TO COMMON PLEAS PUBLICATION He shall in the month of January in every year make a report verified by oath or affirmation to the court of common pleas of said county of all receipts and expenditures of the county for the preceding year in detail and classified as required in the preceding section of this act together with a full statement of the financial conditions of the county Such report shall thereupon be published one time in such newspapers published in said county as the controller may direct the aggregate cost of which shall not exceed one thousand five hundred dollars in any one year to be paid for out of the county treasurer

Section 346 ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES TAX LEVIES On or before the first day of February of each year the controller shall communicate to the commissioners in writing a detailed estimate of and for the legitimate purposes of the county for the current year including interest due and to fall due on all lawful debts of the county bearing interest Such estimate shall be a guide to the commissioners in fixing the tax rate but shall in no wise limit the power of the commissioners in this respect

The commissioners shall on or before the fifteenth day of February thereafter fix such rate of taxation upon the valuation of the property of the county as will raise sufficient sum to meet the said expenditures The commissioners shall not by contract or otherwise increase the expenditures of the county in any year to an amount beyond the taxes assessed as aforesaid for said year

Section 347 DUTY OF TREASURER RECEIPTS OF MONEY FOR COUNTIES The county treasurer shall receive all moneys due or accruing to the county He shall keep a just and true account of all moneys received and disbursed The books of the treasurer shall at all times during office hours be open to the inspection of the controllers He shall report daily to the controller all moneys received by him for the county the person by whom and on what account they were paid The treasurer shall give his receipt for all moneys paid into the county treasury Such receipts shall be countersigned by the controller who shall keep an accurate record of the same

Section 348 CONTRACTS All contracts made by the commissioners of any county involving an expenditure exceeding one hundred dollars except contracts for building rebuilding or repair of bridges or for painting or tightening the bolts of iron bridges as hereinafter provided for shall be in writing and shall immediately after their execution be filed with the controller No contract shall be made nor the payment thereof certified by the controller for over three hundred dollars unless made with the lowest and best bidder after due notice to be published by the controller when directed by the commissioners if he approves the purpose of the proposals invited All bids shall be received by the controller under seal and shall be opened in his presence by the commissioners and the contracts awarded thereon The controller shall keep a record of all such awards and shall certify no warrants for contracts not made agreeably thereto

Section 349 CLAIMS AGAINST COUNTY The controller shall scrutinize audit and decide on all bills claims and demands whatsoever against the county All persons having such claims shall first present the same to the controller and if required make oath or affirmation before him to the correctness thereof. The controller may if he deems it necessary require evidence by oath or affirmation of the claimant and otherwise that the claim is legally due and that the supplies or services for which payment is claimed have been furnished or performed under legal authority He may inquire or ascertain whether any officer or agent of the county is interested in the contract under which any claim may arise or has received or is to receive any commission consideration or gratuity relating thereto or whether there has been any evasion of the preceding section of this act by making two or more contracts for small amounts which should have been in one If he shall find that there has been any evasion or that any such officer or agent is so interested he shall refuse to approve the claim All claims which he shall find legally due he shall certify to the commissioners

Section 350 DRAWING WARRANTS The commissioners shall draw no warrant on the treasury for any debt claim or demand whatsoever not audited and approved by the controller as provided for in the foregoing section except for the fees of jurors witnesses criers and tipstaves of the several courts of the county The amount of said fees shall be ascertained by said courts and entered on the records thereof and duly certified by their respective clerks to the commissioners being first sworn to before the controller Said certificate shall be delivered by the commissioners to the controller for preservation as soon as the warrants are issued

Section 351 WARRANTS REPORTS ON FINANCIAL CONDITIONS All warrants drawn on the county treasury by the commissioners shall be countersigned by the controller who shall keep a correct register thereof noting the number date and amount of each the date of payment and to whom and for what issued The controller shall report to the commissioners monthly or oftener if required by them the amount of outstanding warrants registered and the amount of money in the treasury

Section 352 PAYMENT OF COUNTY MONEYS The treasurer shall pay no money out of the county treasury except on warrants drawn by a majority of the commissioners and countersigned by the controller He shall cancel all warrants when paid by distinctly spearing or cutting them and shall deliver such warrants to the controller who shall also cancel the same He shall report daily to the controller all moneys paid out by him giving the number of the warrant and the party to whom paid

All outstanding warrants issued before the controller enters upon the duties of his office shall be presented to him as other claims against the county

Section 353 COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS ADDITIONAL CLERK TO COUNTERSIGN WARRANTS In counties of the second class the county controller may designate in addition to the chief clerk any clerk in his office to countersign warrants when properly drawn on the county treasurer whenever in the opinion of any such controller it is necessary so to do for the public convenience Warrants so countersigned by such clerk shall be honored by the county treasurer with the same force and effect as if countersigned by the county controller or his chief clerk during the period designated in writing to such county treasurer by the said county controller

(b) Counties having County Auditors

Section 361 ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES AND TAX LEVIES The commissioners of every county where the office of controller has not been established shall at their first meeting after the general election in every year proceed to make an estimate of the probable expense of the county for the ensuing year When the returns of the assessors have been made and rectified the commissioners shall fix such rate of taxation upon the adjusted valuation of the property of the county as will be necessary to meet such expenses

Section 362 GENERAL DUTIES OF TREASURER It shall be the duty of the treasurer of every county where the office of controller has not been established to receive all moneys due or accruing to the county and to pay the same on warrants drawn by the commissioners He shall keep a just and true account of all moneys received and disbursed which account shall be at all times open to the inspection of the commissioners and of each of them He shall once in three months and oftener if required furnish the commissioners with a statement of all moneys received and disbursed since the date of his last statement exhibiting the balance remaining in his hands together with the names of the collectors in whose hands any arrearages of taxes may remain

with the amount thereof He shall once in each year state his accounts and produce his vouchers which after examination by the commissioners shall be by them laid before the county auditors for settlement

Section 363 AUDITS OF ACCOUNTS The auditors shall audit settle and adjust the accounts of the commissioners treasurer and sheriff and coroner of the county and make report thereof annually to the court of common pleas of such county together with a statement of the balance due from or to such commissioners treasurer sheriff or coroner

Section 364 PUBLICATION OF REPORTS OF AUDITORS The county auditors shall publish the reports required of them to be made and filed in the court of common pleas Said auditors' reports shall be prepared and placed in the printer's hands for publication within ten days after being filed in the court of common pleas and shall be published once a week for three successive weeks in at least two newspapers of the respective county one of which shall be politically of a minority party The expense of the publication of said reports shall be paid by the county

(c) Provisions Relating to all Counties

Section 371 TAX LEVIES No tax shall be levied on personal property taxable for county purposes where the rate of taxation thereon is fixed by law other than at the rate so fixed The county commissioners shall fix by resolution the rate of taxation for each year No tax for general county purposes in any county shall in one year exceed the rate of ten mills on every dollar of the adjusted valuation In fixing the rate of taxation the county commissioners if the rate is fixed in mills shall also include in the resolution a statement expressing the rate of taxation in dollars and cents on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of taxable property

Nothing in this section shall be construed to repeal or in any wise affect any provision of this or any other act of assembly authorizing special tax levies for any special purpose

The rate for any office or post of profit profession trade or occupation or on any single freeman who follows no occupation shall be lowered in due proportion as the tax on property shall be lower than the rate herein authorized

Section 372 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS OF COMMONWEALTH MONEYS It shall also be the duty of the controller or auditors to audit settle and adjust the accounts of the treasurer of the county with the State Treasury and of each of such other officers in the county receiving money for the use of the Commonwealth as may be referred to them by the Auditor General and make a separate report thereof to the court of common pleas for the county together with a statement of the balance due from or to such treasurer or other officer A certified copy of such report shall be transmitted to the Auditor General within ten days after the same is prepared

Section 373 POWER OF SUBPOENA AND ATTACHMENT The controller or auditors shall have power to issue subpoenas to obtain the attendance of the officers whose accounts they are required to adjust their executors and administrators and of any person whom it may be necessary to examine as witnesses and to compel their attendance by attachment in like manner and to the same extent as any court of common pleas of this state may or can do in cases pending before them and also to compel in like manner the production of all books vouchers and papers relative to such accounts Such subpoena and attachment shall be served and executed by the sheriff or coroner of the county as the case may require

Section 374 POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS The controller or auditors shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to all persons brought or appearing before them whether accountants witnesses or otherwise and all persons swearing or affirming falsely on such examination shall be guilty of perjury

Section 375 COMMITMENT TO COUNTY JAIL If any person appearing before the controller or auditors for examination shall refuse to take oath or affirmation or after having been sworn or affirmed shall refuse to make answer to such questions as shall be put to him by the controller or auditors touching the public accounts or the official conduct of any public officers such persons so refusing may be committed by the controller or auditors to the county jail by warrant under his or their hand and seal directed to the sheriff or any constable of the county setting forth particularly the causes of such commitment until he shall submit to be sworn or affirmed or to make answers to such questions or be otherwise legally discharged

Section 376 WITNESS FEES Witnesses attending before the controller or auditors shall receive the same allowance as is received by witnesses attending before the courts of this Commonwealth Such allowance shall be paid out of the county treasury and where final judgment is given against any officer whose accounts are settled by the controller or auditors shall be included in the costs assessed against such officer

Section 377 SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS ON EXTRANEOUS PROOF If any person in possession of books vouchers or papers relative to public accounts before the controller or auditors shall refuse to produce the same or if any officer whose accounts are to be settled and adjusted by the controller or auditors shall refuse to attend or submit to examination the auditors or controllers shall proceed by the examination of witnesses and other evidence to ascertain and settle as near as may be the amount of public money received by such officer and its application to public purposes or otherwise

Section 378 FILING REPORT The report of the controller or auditors shall be filed among the records of the court of common pleas of the county and from the time of such filing shall have the effect of a judgment against the real estate of the officer who shall thereby appear to be indebted either to the Commonwealth or to the county

Section 379 APPEALS FROM REPORTS An appeal may be taken from such report to the court of common pleas either by the Commonwealth the county or the officer Such appeal may also be taken by ten or more taxpayers in behalf of the county in the manner and subject to the restrictions provided by article twelve of this act

Such appeal shall be entered by the Commonwealth within four months and by the county and the officer within sixty days after the filing of the report If the officer is the appellant he shall enter into a recognizance with two sufficient sureties in double the sum found due by such report with condition to prosecute the appeal with effect and to pay the costs and such sum of money as shall appear on the final determination of the appeal to be due from him

Section 380 FORM OF ISSUE ON APPEALS The courts of common pleas shall direct the form in which the issues shall be entered in all appeals now pending or which may be hereafter taken from the report of the county controller or auditors Such issues shall be tried by a jury or may be submitted to reference and arbitration in the manner and subject to the proceedings provided by existing law

Section 381 PAYMENT OF COSTS ON APPEAL In case the appellant or appellants do not recover final judgment in court more favorable to him or them than the report of auditors he or they shall pay all costs that may accrue on his or their appeal but if he or they should recover in court a final judgment more favorable than the report of the auditors then the appellee or appellees shall pay the costs that may accrue on such appeal

Section 382 APPEALS TO THE SUPERIOR OR SUPREME COURT In all appeals from settlements or reports made by the county controller or auditors it shall be lawful for any party to except to any ruling or decision of the court upon any question or point of law that may arise and an appeal may be taken therefrom to the Superior or Supreme Court as in other cases

In no case shall the controller or auditors or any of them be personally liable for the costs of any such appeal If the final decision of the Superior or Supreme Court is adverse to the surcharged officer or officers he or they shall each be individually liable for all the costs of such appeal If such final decision shall be in favor of such surcharged officer or officers the county shall pay the costs of such appeal

Section 383 EXECUTION If no appeal is entered or if an appeal is entered and no security given as herein required or if upon such appeal judgment is given in favor of the Commonwealth or the county execution shall issue against the property or person of the defaulting officer in like manner as upon judgment recovered in the usual course of law

Section 384 FINES AND FORFEITED RECOGNIZANCES All fines forfeited recognizances and other forfeitures imposed lost or forfeited in any court except such as are directed to be paid into the State Treasury under the provisions of existing law or such as are collected for the violation of any ordinance

shall by the clerk of such court be certified and estreated into the office of the commissioners of the county within ten days after the expiration of the term at which such fines and forfeitures were imposed together with the judgments and orders of the court on all forfeited recognizances sued upon in such court Such estreats or returns of fines and forfeitures shall be under oath or affirmation of the clerk All sums of money collected in pursuance thereof shall be paid to the county treasurer for the use of the county It shall be the duty of the commissioners to superintend the collections of said sums of money The accounts thereof shall be annually settled by the county controller or county auditors Nothing herein contained shall impair the right of the respective courts to moderate or remit forfeited recognizances as heretofore

Section 385 REPAYMENT OF MONEY COLLECTED ON FORFEITED RECOGNIZANCES In all cases where the county commissioners have collected any money upon any forfeited recognizance duly estreated to the county commissioners and where the defendant in such case subsequently surrenders himself or herself to the jurisdiction of the court the county commissioners may with the consent of the district attorney repay to the party from whom such money was collected the amount so collected on such forfeited recognizance exclusive of all costs paid or incurred by the county in such proceeding

Section 386 TRANSFER OF CERTAIN MONEYS INTO GENERAL FUND OF COUNTY The commissioners may transfer and cover into the general fund of the county any money placed to the credit of any city borough or township where the same has been paid into the county treasury upon any duplicate for taxes and has remained during a period of ten years uncalled for by the authorities of the city borough or township to whose credit it may have been placed and the right to said money is not at the time of such transfer a matter of litigation or dispute

Section 387 MONEYS PAID FOR THE REDEMPTION OF UNSEATED LAND SOLD FOR TAXES The treasurer shall pay over to his successor in office all moneys paid to him for the redemption of unseated land sold for taxes which have not been called for by the purchasers at treasurer's sale or their legal representatives during the continuance in office of such treasurer The county controller or auditor shall charge the moneys so received to said treasurer in the same manner that other money received by him is charged and the same shall be paid to said purchasers or their legal representatives when called for by orders drawn by the commissioners of the county upon the treasurer as in other cases

(d) Sinking Fund Commission

Section 395 MEMBERSHIP In each county there shall be a sinking fund commission composed of the commissioners the controller or auditors in counties not having a controller and treasurer

Section 396 USE AND INVESTMENT OF MONEYS OF SINKING FUNDS All moneys applicable to any sinking fund shall be under the charge of the commission and primarily shall be used for extinguishing the county debt Where such funds are not immediately applicable for such purposes they may be invested in the purchase of loans or bonds of the county If such county loans cannot be secured to advantage then said moneys may be invested in bonds of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or in any county city borough township school or poor district bonds of this Commonwealth issued within the two per centum of the Constitutional limit of indebtedness of such districts or in any bonds in which savings banks of Pennsylvania are authorized by law to invest their deposits and not otherwise

Section 397 MANAGEMENT OF SINKING FUNDS The sinking fund commission shall annually apply all interest received on sinking fund deposits and all interest received on bonds held in the sinking fund and all other income if any from the sinking fund for the purpose of reducing the amount of money required to be paid by the county to said commission for sinking fund purposes for the ensuing year unless such income is necessary for the purpose of having adequate funds on hand to pay the bonds of such county as they mature and become payable The income so applied and the amount required to be paid by the county for sinking fund purposes shall annually equal the full amount required to be paid for sinking fund purposes to the several sinking funds

The commission shall have the power whenever it deems it necessary and for the best interests of the several sinking funds to sell any bonds held by it other than those of the county itself

Section 398 BONDS OF COUNTY HELD BY COMMISSION All bonds of the county held by the sinking fund commission shall be stamped in a conspicuous manner to show that they have been purchased for this purpose They shall never be reissued or sold The sinking fund commission shall not require the county to pay interest on any of its bonds held by the commission unless the commission deems the payment thereof necessary for the purpose of having adequate funds on hand to pay the bonds of said county as they mature and become payable All bonds of the county held by the commission shall be cancelled immediately upon their maturity

Section 399 PAYING OFF AND CANCELLING OF COUNTY BONDS PRIORITY SALE OF COUNTY BONDS IN CERTAIN CASES In order to facilitate the extinguishment of the county debt the county bonds purchased by the commission from time to time shall be paid off and cancelled according to the priority of their maturity Provided however That if at any time the commission shall deem it best to withhold the purchase of such maturing county bonds until after those purchased from a later issue of county bonds shall be paid off and cancelled they shall have and are hereby given the authority to do so Provided further That if in such an event it shall appear that there will not be sufficient funds in the hands of the commission to meet the payment of such earlier maturing bonds the same shall then be sold by said commission at not less than par

Section 400 INVESTMENT IN NEW COUNTY BONDS Whenever any new bonds shall be issued by the county the commission may invest the uninvested balances in its sinking fund therein except so much as may be required for the payment of any bonds that may mature during the fiscal year in which such new bonds may be issued and which the commission may desire to cancel and not to sell

Section 401 DEPOSITS OF MONEYS RECEIVED INTEREST All moneys received by the commission at any time shall immediately be deposited in one or more banks or banking institutions which are now or hereafter shall be designated as county depositors Not less than two per centum interest on daily balances shall be paid to said commission for the use of said moneys The commission may reinvest said interest with the other income from the bonds in their possession

(e) Depositories in Second Class Counties

Section 405 BOARD TO SELECT DEPOSITORIES In counties of the second class the commissioners controller and treasurer of the county shall be a board for the purpose of selecting depositories for the funds of the county For the purpose of voting at their meetings the county commissioners shall each have one vote the controller one vote and the treasurer one vote The majority of said vote present at any meeting shall be sufficient to enable the board to transact its business

Section 406 MEETING NUMBER OF DEPOSITORIES The board shall meet at the office of the county controller not later than noon of the third Wednesday following the first Monday of January following the election of the county treasurer and shall there decide upon the number of banks or banking institutions not less than three in number as depositories of county funds for the term for which the treasurer is elected

Section 407 DESIGNATION AND QUALIFICATION OF DEPOSITORIES RATE OF INTEREST At said meeting or at any subsequent meeting agreed upon said board shall designate the depositories and the rate of interest to be paid by them to the county Such rate of interest shall be not less than two per centum per annum calculated on daily balances Deposits shall be made with the depositories designated as soon as satisfactory bonds approved by the county commissioners are filed with the controller The bank or banking institutions selected shall have paid in capital and surplus of not less than five hundred thousand dollars

ARTICLE V

SPECIAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF COUNTIES

(a) Appropriations for Military Purposes

Section 411 APPROPRIATION OF MONEY OR LAND TO ASSIST ARMORY BOARD WITH NATIONAL GUARD

ARMORIES The board of commissioners may either independently or in connection with any other county or with any city town borough or township provide and appropriate moneys or convey land to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to assist the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania in the erection wherever deemed most advantageous by the Armory Board of armories for the use of the National Guard of Pennsylvania The board of commissioners may acquire land for such purpose either by purchase gift or by the right of eminent domain

The board of commissioners may also furnish water light or fuel either or all free of cost to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for use in any armory of the National Guard and may do all things necessary to accomplish such purposes

Section 412 APPROPRIATION TOWARD MAINTENANCE OF UNITS OF NATIONAL GUARD The board of commissioners may appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated annually a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty dollars for the support and maintenance discipline and training of any dismounted company or similar unit of the National Guard and a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars for the support and maintenance discipline and training of any mounted or motorized troop or similar unit of the National Guard using and occupying an armory building rooms or quarters within the limits of such county

Any moneys so appropriated shall be paid by warrant of the commissioners drawn to the order of the commanding officers of such unit only when it shall be certified to the commissioners by the Adiutant General of the State that such unit or units have satisfactorily passed the annual inspection provided by law No appropriation shall be made for any year until the expenditure of the appropriation for the previous year has been duly and satisfactorily accounted for

Section 413 APPROPRIATIONS TO RIFLE CLUBS IN TIME OF WAR At any time a state of war exists the board of commissioners may appropriate money to clubs duly chartered by the National Rifle Association of the United States of America for the maintenance and control of rifle-ranges the employment of competent instructors and necessary employes and for the equipment and uniforms for such of the members of such clubs as volunteers for special military duty in their respective counties or answer any call of the Governor of the Commonwealth

No moneys shall be appropriated to any such club unless practice on such rifle-range by the members of the club shall be with the United States military rifle or revolver

(b) Burial of Deceased Service Men and Their Widows

Section 421 "DECEASED SERVICE MEN" DEFINED The term "deceased service men" as used in this act shall be defined and construed to mean and include any soldier sailor marine or members of the enlisted nurse corps having a legal residence within any county within this Commonwealth who has died or shall hereafter die anywhere within or without the United States while in the service of the United States in the military naval or other branch of the combative forces of said United States during any war in which the United States has been or shall hereafter be engaged or where a state or condition of war has existed or shall hereafter exist in the United States or any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or of any honorably discharged soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps who served or who shall hereafter serve in any such combative force of the United States during any war in which the United States has been or shall hereafter be engaged or who has served or shall hereafter serve in any such combative force of the United States where a state or condition of war existed or shall hereafter exist in the United States or any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or any honorably discharged soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps who has died or may hereafter die in any county of this Commonwealth although he or she may not have a legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth Whenever the body of said soldier sailor marine or member of the enlisted nurse corps is unclaimed by any relatives or friends and the county commissioners are notified of this condition in writing giving the facts by any organization of veterans and upon investigation the county commissioners shall find such condition to exist or who was in active service in the militia of the State of Pennsylvania under and in pursuance of any proclamation issued by the Governor during the Civil War and not duly mustered in to the service of the United States and has been or hereafter shall be honorably discharged or relieved from such service and who shall have a legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth and shall hereafter die either within or without the county of his legal residence

Section 422 SUM TO BE SPENT The county commissioners of the county of this State within which a deceased service man as herein above defined had a legal residence at the date of his death or the county commissioners of the county where a deceased service man died in case he or she had no legal residence in any county of this Commonwealth upon notice that the body is unclaimed by relatives or friends and who upon investigation shall find such condition to exist are hereby authorized and directed to expend the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00) toward the funeral expenses of such deceased service man Provided however That such county commissioners shall not contribute any moneys toward the funeral expenses of such deceased service man where the total expense of his or her funeral including said allowance of seventy-five dollars ($75.00) shall exceed four hundred dollars ($400.00) nor unless application for the payment of such moneys shall be made within one year after the date of the burial of such deceased service man

Section 423 BURIAL OF WIDOWS OF DECEASED SERVICE MEN The county commissioners of each county are hereby directed to expend the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00) from the county funds towards the funeral expenses of any widow of any person who served in the Army or Navy of the United States during any war in which the United States was engaged or served in the Army or Navy of the United States where a state or condition of war existed in the United States or any foreign country or territory or upon the high seas or who was in active service of the militia of the State of Pennsylvania under and in pursuance of any proclamations issued by the Governor during the Civil War and not duly mustered into the service of the Unitd States and who was honorably discharged or relieved from such service upon due proof being made of such facts Provided however That the county commissioners shall not contribute any moneys toward the funeral expenses of any such widow of a soldier sailor or marine where the total expense of any such funeral including said allowance of seventy-five dollars shall exceed four hundred dollars

Section 424 PAYMENTS It shall be the duty of the county commissioners of each county in this State to draw a warrant upon the treasurer of their county in the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00) for each body buried in accordance with the provisions of this act to be paid out of the funds of the county and such warrants shall be made payable only to the person or persons who shall have paid or obligated himself to pay the cost of burial of the bodies for which the warrants are to be so drawn

Section 425 NOTIFICATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS All public officers agents and servants and all officers agents and servants of any county city township borough district or other municipality or of any almshouse prison morgue hospital home or other public institution having the control or custody of the body of such deceased service man whose body is entitled to be buried under the provisions of this act shall immediately upon the death or arrival of the body of such deceased service man notify the county commissioners of said county wherein such death may have occurred or wherein such deceased service man shall have had his legal residence

Section 426 MARKERS FOR GRAVES The county commissioners of the several counties of this State shall from time to time as is considered expedient by the commissioners procure appropriate markers made of suitable material for the grave of each and every deceased service man or woman buried within the limits of any city borough township or district Upon the petition of any five reputable freeholders of the city borough township or district where any such deceased service man or woman is buried a marker shall be placed upon the grave of such deceased service man or woman for the purpose of permanently marking and designating such grave for memorial purposes When such deceased service man or women shall have been a veteran of any war for which the Government of the United States issued discharge buttons the markers designated for their graves shall include a facsimile of said discharge button The county commissioners may upon the petition of any five reputable free-holders of

the city borough township or district within the county of which any deceased service man or woman may have been a resident place such marker upon his or her grave when he or she is buried without the limits of said county

Section 427 BURIAL PLOTS The county commissioners of the several counties of this State are hereby authorized to purchase plots of ground in any cemetery or burial ground in their respective counties for the interment of such deceased service men whose bodies are entitled to be buried under the provisions of this act and to draw their warrant on their county treasurer for the payment of the same Provided however That the purchase price of said plots of ground shall not be charged against or allotted as part of the cost of burial of such deceased service men who may be buried in any of said plots under the provisions of this act

(c) Memorial Day Observance

Section 430 APPROPRIATIONS FOR MEMORIAL DAY The board of commissioners shall appropriate annually to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic in the county except such posts as are situated in cities of the first second or third class or to a regular organized Memorial Day or similar organization where there was heretofore an established post in which latter case a certified list of expenditures shall be furnished the said commissioners a sum not to exceed fifty dollars to aid in defraying expenses of Memorial Day Provided That if upon the certificate of such organization it appears to the county commissioners that the said organization decorated or will decorate over five hundred (500) graves the county commissioners may pay to the said organization the sum of one hundred ($100) dollars

Section 431 APPROPRIATIONS TO VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS FOR EXPENSES OF MEMORIAL DAY The board of commissioners may appropriate annually to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and to each post of the American Legion and to each post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic and to each post of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War and to each organization of ex-service men incorporated under the act of April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto in the county a sum not to exceed two hundred dollars to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day and Armistice Day Where the Grand Army of the Republic has ceased to exist or to function such appropriation may be made to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War or in the absence of such order to a duly constituted organization which conducts the decorating of graves of Union Veterans of the Civil War Such payments shall be made to defray actual expenses only Before any payment is made the organization receiving the same shall submit verified accounts of their expenditures

Section 432 FLAGS TO DECORATE GRAVES It shall be the duty of the county commissioners to provide flags on each Memorial Day with which to decorate the graves of all honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines buried within the county The flags to be used for said purposes shall be of one standard size and shall be purchased at the expense of the county from moneys in the county treasury

Such flags shall be furnished to the various veterans' organizations in such numbers as they shall require for their respective communities

The moneys expended by any county under the provisions of this section shall be in addition to moneys appropriated by counties for Memorial Day purposes

(d) History

Section 436 COUNTY WAR HISTORY The county commissioners of any county may either independently or in conjunction with any other municipality or municipalities within their respective county or any society or organization appropriate money for the compilation and publication of a county war history

Section 437 PAYMENT TO HISTORICAL SOCIETIES The board of commissioners may pay out of the county funds not otherwise appropriated and upon proper vouchers being given a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars annually to the historical society of the county to assist in paying the running expenses thereof If there are more than one such societies in the county such payment may be made only to the oldest society Where any such society is comprised of residents of more than one county the commissioners of said respective counties may jointly pay said sum in such proportion as they shall agree

No such appropriation shall be renewed until vouchers have been filed with the commissioners showing that the appropriation for any prior year has been expended for the purpose herein designated

Section 438 QUALIFICATION OF SOCIETY In order to entitle any historical society to the said appropriation the following conditions shall have been first complied with it shall have been organized at least three years incorporated by the proper authority and have an active membership of one hundred or more persons each of whom shall have paid into the treasury of said society a membership fee of at least two dollars for the support of the same it shall hold at least two public meetings yearly whereat papers shall be read or discussions held on historic subjects it shall have established a museum wherein shall be deposited curios and other objects of interest relating to the history of the county or State and it shall have adopted a constitution and code of by-laws and elected proper officers to conduct its business

(e) Miscellaneous Appropriations

Section 441 APPROPRIATIONS TO HOSPITALS The board of commissioners may appropriate moneys for the support of any hospital located within or without the limits of such county which is engaged in charitable work and extends treatment and medical attention to residents of such county

Section 442 APPROPRIATIONS TO SOCIETY MAINTAINING TUBERCULOSIS SANITORIUM FOR MAINTENANCE OF INDIGENT RESIDENTS OF THE COUNTY The board of commissioners may appropriate to any duly incorporated society chartered to maintain a sanatorium for the treatment therein of persons suffering from tuberculosis so much money as may be necessary for the maintenance of indigent persons residents of the county who may be inmates of such sanatorium and under treatment for tuberculosis Said appropriation shall not exceed for each indigent inmate the sum of ten dollars per week payable every three months at the end of the period The board of commissioners shall at all times have free access to such sanatorium for inspection of its management and for the ascertainment of the number of indigent persons receiving treatment therein

Section 443 APPROPRIATIONS TO SOCIETIES FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS The board of commissioners may appropriate moneys toward the maintenance of any organization or society incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth for the prevention of cruelty to animals and which for a period of at least two years prior to the making of such appropriation shall have been engaged in carrying out the purposes of its incorporation in whole or in part within said county

Section 444 AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK The board of commissioners may appropriate a sum not to exceed thirty-five hundred dollars ($3,500) annually for agricultural extension work in cooperation with the Pennsylvania State College in encouraging improved methods of farm management and home economics and giving practical instruction and demonstrations in agriculture for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the county The money so appropriated shall be expended according to rules and regulations prescribed or approved by the board of commissioners The board of commissioners may also where practicable and desirable provide offices in the county court house for headquarters for such cooperative work

Section 445 AGRICULTURAL OR HORTICULTURAL SOCIETIES The county commissioners are hereby authorized to appropriate annually out of the current revenues of the county moneys to any incorporated agricultural or horticultural society or association located within the county The total amount of any such appropriation in any one county shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars in any one year and where more than one such society or association is located in the county the amount appropriated may be distributed and divided among said societies and associations in such

proj[illegible] and such amount as the board of county commissioners in its discretion may determine

Section 445 SUPPRESSION OF ANIMAL AND PLANT DISEASES The board of county commissioners is hereby authorized to appropriate money from county funds for the purpose of controlling and suppressing dangerous infectious disease of livestock and poultry and dangerous plant diseases and insect pests in cooperation with the Department of Agriculture of Pennsylvania

For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section the board of county commissioners may enter into agreements with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture concerning terms rules regulations and practices for conducting the work

Section 447 HEALTH WORK The board of county commissioners may provide and appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated annually such sum or sums as they deem necessary for the protection of the health cleanliness convenience comfort and safety of the people of the county and said board of county commissioners upon their appropriating money for health work as provided for herein shall cooperate with the State Department of Health and boroughs and first class townships within their respective counties in the promotion of health work

In case any health officers are appointed under this section such appointees shall be approved by the State Department of Health and such appointees shall have the same powers and duties as are now prescribed for the same officers in boroughs and first class townships

(f) Floods

Section 461 PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF FLOODS The board of commissioners may borrow appropriate and expend money for the purpose of cleansing regulating improving and controlling rivers and streams lying within their respective boundaries either in whole or in part for the prevention and control of floods They may make contracts and expenditures for the cleansing regulation improvement and control of such rivers and streams and for the prevention and control of floods by storage or retaining reservoirs or otherwise in parts of the same beyond the limits of the county or of the State when in their judgment the same may be necessary and for the benefit of the county They may also make appropriations and expenditures for the purpose of investigating and examining or for assisting in the investigation and examination of the condition of such streams within or without the bounds of the county or of the State for the purpose of facilitating the ends aforesaid The board of commissioners may enter into such arrangements and agreements with the Secretary of War or other public authority empowered to act in the premises under any law of the United States or of this or any other State as may be necessary and proper for such purposes with a view to harmonious and efficient action and proportionate contribution as nearly as may be arrived at or be practicable In exercising the powers herein conferred the county commissioners may in their discretion subject to the limitation of the Constitution issue interest bearing bonds of the county

Section 462 APPROPRIATION BY SECOND CLASS COUNTIES FOR PURPOSE OF CONTROLLING FLOODS The board of commissioners of counties of the second class may appropriate and expend out of the moneys of the county annually a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of investigating and examining or assisting in the investigation and examination of the condition of such streams and rivers as may be wholly or partially within the boundaries of the county for the purpose of controlling floods

(g) Gas Wells and Railroads

Section 466 DRILLING GAS WELLS AND LAYING GAS LINES The board of commissioners of counties situated in regions wherein natural gas is known to be obtainable may contract for the drilling of gas wells upon any lands owned by the county for the purpose of furnishing gas for light and fuel to the county buildings and for other purposes For that purpose they may also contract for the laying of gas lines equipped with such modern appliances and machinery as may be necessary all such contracts including contracts for the building of rigs or derricks and the purchase of machinery shall be made by the board of commissioners only after the specifications therefor have been published in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in the county seat representing the two dominant political parties in the county of the time and place of letting said contract or contracts At such time and place the bids shall be publicly opened and the contract or contracts awarded to the lowest and best bidder

Section 467 CONTRACTS FOR RELOCATION CHANGE OR ELEVATION OF RAILROADS The board of commissioners may enter into contracts with any railroad companies whereby the said railroad companies may re-locate change or elevate their railroads within the county in such manner as in the judgment of the board may be best adapted to secure the safety of lives and property and promote the interest of the county For such purpose the board shall have power to do all acts that may be necessary and proper to effectually carry out such contracts

(h) Canals and Waterways

Section 471 BOND ISSUE TO AID IN CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN CANALS OR WATERWAYS The board of commissioners may increase the indebtedness of the county and issue bonds thereof to aid in the construction of any canal or waterway and its appurtenances whenever the State of Pennsylvania or a commission board or other agency thereof incorporated or otherwise shall be authorized by any present or future law or laws of this State to construct maintain and operate a canal or navigable waterway to connect the Great Lakes or the Atlantic Ocean with any navigable waters of this State by a route situate within or partly within and partly without this State and with termini as in said law or laws generally indicated and such law or laws provide for such construction by such voluntary contributions or appropriations in money or bonds at their par value as heretofore shall have been made or as hereafter may be made pursuant to the authority of any present or future laws of the United States any of the several states of the United States and the various counties cities towns municipal corporations or other political subdivisions of such states or by some or all of the United States states and other public authorities for the collection of tolls and charges for the use of such canal or waterway and appurtenances but only to such extent as may be necessary to provide for the cost of the maintenance operation and improvement thereof and to repay contributions made in money or in bonds at their par value and the interest on such bonds and for the distribution of any surplus revenues of such canal or waterway and appurtenances among such contributors to the cost of construction substantially pro rata according to the amount of their several contributors to such extent as may be necessary to repay said contributors the amount of their several contributions

Section 472 PETITION TO COURT NOTICE OF HEARING At any time after the Legislature of this State shall have enacted a law or laws as contemplated by the preceding section of this act a petition may be presented to the court of quarter sessions of any county signed by a number of qualified electors of the county equal to at least five per centum of the largest vote cast in the county for any candidate at the last preceding municipal election at which county officers were elected and verified by the affidavits of at least five of such petitioners stating that in the judgment of such petitioners such county by reason of its location or commercial or industrial interests will be benefited by the construction of the canal or waterway authorized by such law or laws and that it is desirable that bonds of the county should be issued in aid thereof and praying said court to order an election to be held at a date stated in said petition upon the question of increasing the indebtedness of the county to be represented by its bonds to be issued in aid of such canal or waterway in such aggregate principal amount as may be stated in said petition

If said petition shall appear to said court of quarter sessions to be in proper form it shall file the same fix a date for a hearing thereon not more than thirty days thereafter and direct such notice of the hearing to be given to the county commissioners of said county and to the public generally by advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the county or by posting as to said court may seem proper

Section 473 HEARING Any person interested including the county commissioners may file exceptions to said petition prior to the day fixed for the hearing and at such hearing any

person in interest may be heard The court may hear evidence and call witnesses but shall not be required to inquire into the matters set forth upon the judgment of the petitioners as to the benefit to the county resulting from the construction of said canal or waterway and the desirability of the issue of bonds as set forth which matters shall be deemed to depend upon the result of the election prayed for If the court shall find that such petition confirms to the requirements of this act it shall by order direct the county commissioners to call an election to be held in said county on the day specified in said petition for the purpose of taking a vote of the electors upon the question of the increase of indebtedness and issuance of bonds of the aggregate principal amount set forth in the petition

Section 474 ELECTION Such election shall be called held and conducted in the manner provided by section three of an act of the Legislature of Pennsylvania entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" approved April twentieth eighteen hundred seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto except that the county commissioners shall not be required to signify their desire to make the increase of indebtedness in question or to fix the date of the election which latter shall be determined by the petition All expenses incident to the calling and holding of such election shall be paid by the county

If by the returns of such election it shall appear that the majority of the electors voting on the question of the increase of indebtedness and issuance of bonds shall have voted in favor of such increase and issuance of bonds the county commissioners shall issue bonds of the county as hereinafter provided If at any such election a majority of the votes cast for and against such increase and bonds shall not be in favor of such question then no further election upon such question shall be held during the year following The power hereby conferred shall not be exhausted by a single submission to a vote and a favorable vote thereon

Section 475 EXECUTION AND ISSUANCE OF BONDS Whenever any officer of the State of Pennsylvania or any commission board or other agency thereof or any officer of such commission board or other agency thereunto duly authorized by any present or future law of the State of Pennsylvania shall certify to the county commissioners of any county which shall have voted to issue bonds to aid in the construction of any canal or waterway that contributions or appropriations in money or bonds at their par value have been authorized at least equal in amount to the estimated cost of such canal or waterway and appurtenances the county commissioners shall by resolution provide for the issuance and execution in the manner provided by the general law of the amount of bonds authorized by the electors Such bonds shall thereupon be executed and the treasurer or controller shall deliver the same to the Treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania Said bonds shall bear such date and run for such terms not exceeding thirty years from their date bear such rate of interest not exceeding six per centum per annum payable annually or semi-annually and be in such form either coupon or registered or coupon and registered combined of such denomination and payable as to both principal and interest at such place or places as the county commissioners by resolution may provide and shall contain a recital that they are issued pursuant to the authority of this act Such recital shall be conclusive evidence of their validity and of the regularity of their issue

Section 476 TAX TO PAY INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL SALE OF BONDS The resolution authorizing and directing the execution and delivery of said bonds shall provide for the collection of an annual tax on the taxable property of the county sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal thereof within thirty years Such tax may be assessed levied and collected without regard to any limitation or restriction contained in any other law or laws upon the amount of taxes which may be assessed levied and collected

Said bonds may be sold from time to time at public or private sale for the best price obtainable but for not less than par and accrued interest in such manner as may be provided by any present or future law of the State of Pennsylvania The proceeds thereof shall be applied to the cost and expenses involved in the construction of such canal or waterway and appurtenances but no purchaser of said bonds shall be liable to see to the application of such proceeeds Before any of said bonds shall be sold all matured coupons if any thereunto belonging shall be detached therefrom and cancelled and delivered to the county commissioners of the county issuing the same

Section 477 PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED LIMITATIONS OF INDEBTEDNESS In the authorization and issuance of any such bonds county commissioners and other authorities shall comply with the requirements of "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" approved April twentieth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto except in so far as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act

Nothing herein contained shall authorize or require the county commissioners of any county to submit to the electors the question of increasing the indebtedness of said county or authorize or require said county commissioners to issue bonds in such amount that the indebtedness of such county will exceed seven per centum upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein as limited by article nine section eight of the Constitution nor shall the total amount of bonds issued by any county under the provisions of this subdivision of this act and outstanding at any time exceed two per centum of the last assessed valuation of the taxable property of such county

(i) Law Libraries

Section 481 APPROPRIATIONS LAW LIBRARY COMMITTEE The board of commissioners shall annually appropriate to the committee hereinafter provided such sum or sums as may be directed by the president judge of the court of common pleas of the county for the purchase and support of a law library to be kept in or near the court house of the county for the use of the citizens thereof

The money thus appropriated shall be expended under the direction of a committee of five members of the bar of the county to be appointed annually by the judge or judges of the several courts thereof who shall have power to fill any vacancies that may occur in said committee

Said committee shall have power to adopt such rules and regulations for the management of said library as may be expedient and necessary for the proper care and preservation of the same and shall at the end of every year report to the judge or judges aforesaid the condition of said library and account for all expenditures of money made by them in relation thereto which if approved shall be filed of record in the office of the prothonotary of said county

Section 482 ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS In all cases where a law library has been or may be established in any county for public use the board of commissioners may annually make such appropriation as may in addition to any other source of revenue provided by law be necessary and sufficient to properly support and maintain such library

Section 483 FINES AND FORFEITURES APPLIED TO LAW LIBRARIES IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS All of the fines and forfeitures to which counties of the fourth class are by existing or future laws entitled are hereby directed to be paid at the discretion of the court imposing said fines and forfeitures in such proportion as said court may direct to the county treasurer of said county or to the committee hereinafter provided for the support and maintenance of a law library to be kept in or near the court house of said county for the use of the citizens thereof

The moneys to be used for law library purposes shall be expended for the support and maintenance of a law library under the direction of a committee of five members of the bar of said county to be appointed annually by the judge or judges of the several courts thereof who shall have power to fill any vacancies that may occur in said committee

Said committee shall have power to adopt such rules and regulations for the management of said library as may be expedient and necessary for the proper care and preservation of the same and shall at the end of every year report to the judge or judges aforesaid the condition of said library and account for all expenditures of money made by them in relation thereto which if approved shall be filed of record in office of the prothonotary of said county

Section 434 COUNTIES OF THE FIFTH SIXTH SEVENTH AND EIGHTH CLASSES FINES PENALTIES FOR USE OF A LAW LIBRARY If in any county of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class of this Commonwealth where by law the fines penalties and moneys collected from forfeited recognizances are directed to be paid into the treasury of the county for the use of a law library to be kept in the court house of said county for the use of the courts and the bar thereof and to be expended from time to time under the direction of a committee of the resident members of the bar appointed by the president judge the said fines penalties and moneys collected from forfeited recognizances are in the opinion of the court in excess of the amount required by the said committee for law library purposes the court of common pleas of said county may by its order direct all or any portion of such fines penalties or moneys from forfeited recognizances to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county

Section 435 DICEST OF LAWS AND DECISIONS FOR USE OF JUSTICE OF THE PEACE The county commissioners of each county in this Commonwealth may provide furnish and thereafter maintain to date in the court house an approved digest of the laws and court decisions of this Commonwealth which shall be available at all reasonable times for the use of the justice of the peace of the Commonwealth

(j) Rewards

Section 491 REWARDS FOR DETECTION OR APPREHENSION OF CRIMINALS The board of commissioners may when they deem the same expedient offer such reward in addition to that authorized by law as in their judgment the nature of the case requires for the detection or apprehension of any person charged with or perpetrating any felony or misdemeanor or aiding or abetting the same Upon the conviction of such person the county commissioners may pay such reward out of the county treasury but in no case shall the owner of any stolen property be entitled to any of the reward for the detection or apprehension of the person guilty of the larceny In case of misdemeanor the county commissioners must have the approval of the president judge of the court of common pleas of the county before offering or paying such reward

ARTICLE VI

COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

Section 501 CREATION AND POWERS IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES In counties of the second class a department is hereby created to be known as the Department of County Planning which shall be in charge of the County Planning Commission consisting of nine persons who shall be residents of the county four of whom shall be residents of the city or cities therein and five of whom shall be residents of the boroughs and townships therein and who shall have knowledge and experience in respect to one or more of the following subjects finance commerce industry agriculture transportation architecture landscape architecture real estate building engineering social welfare civic administration and law and at least seven of whom shall not be paid county employes All of said persons shall be appointed by the county commissioners three of them shall be designated to serve until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one three of them until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and three of them until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five Their successors shall be appointed at the expiration of their respective terms to serve six years An appointment to fill a casual vacancy shall be only for the unexpired portion of the term Three members shall constitute a quorum They may make and alter rules and regulations for their own organization and procedure consistent with the resolutions of the county commissioners and the rules of the Commonwealth They shall serve without compensation and shall make annually to the county commissioners a report of their transactions and recommendations They may employ engineers and other persons whose salaries and wages and other necessary expenses of the commission shall be provided for in the discretion of the county commissioners by proper appropriation and resolution

Section 502 SUBMISSION OF RESOLUTIONS FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS REPORTS THEREON All resolutions of the county commissioners relating to the location of any public building in the county and to the location extension widening enlargement ornamentation or parking of any street boulevard parkway bridge tunnel subway or underground road park playground or other public grounds to the vacation of any highway or portion thereof or to the making or alteration of the county plan of highways or to any surface underground or elevated railway shall be furnished to the County Planning Commission twenty days before their passage and adoption by the county commissioners The said commission may make a report or suggestion in relation thereto if it deems the report necessary or advisable for the consideration of the said commissioners If the said report is made by the commission prior to the expiration of the said twenty days the county commissioners may immediately proceed with the adoption of the said resolution All such reports when delivered to the said commissioners shall be for the information of the public as well as for the commissioners and the commissioners shall furnish to any newspaper of the county on request for publication a copy of any such report

Section 503 APPEARANCE IN COURT The County Planning Commission may appear in any proceeding in the court of quarter sessions of said county with reference to the opening or vacation of any public road or highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road and file a report stating its view with reference thereto and may produce testimony before the said court in connection therewith

Section 504 PLANS OF SUBDIVISIONS All plans of streets or highways for public use and all plans plots and replots of land laid out in building lots and the streets highways alleys or other portions of the same intended to be dedicated to public use or the use of purchasers or owners of lots fronting thereon or adjacent thereto located within the county limits except those located within any city or borough within the said counties shall be submitted to the County Planning Commission and approved by it before they shall be recorded And it shall not be lawful to receive or record any such plan in any public office unless the same shall bear thereon by endorsement or otherwise the approval of the County Planning Commission The disapproval of any such plan by the County Planning Commission shall be deemed a refusal of the proposed dedication shown thereon The approval of the commission shall be deemed an acceptance of the proposed dedication but shall not impose any duty upon the county concerning maintenance or improvement of any such dedicated lots until the proper authorities of the county shall have made actual appropriation of the same by entry use or improvement The owners and purchasers of such lots shall be conclusively presumed to have notice of public plans maps and reports of the commission affecting such property within its jurisdiction

Section 505 MAPS OF COUNTY The County Planning Commisison may make or cause to be made and laid before the said county commissioners and in its discretion cause to be published a map or maps of the county and any portion or portions thereof including the territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing the highways and other public improvements hereinbefore specified and other natural or artificial features and also locations proposed by it for any new highways or other of such improvements or any widening extension or relocation of the same or any change in the county plan by it deemed advisable

Section 506 RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND OTHERS It may make recommendations to the said commissioners from time to time concerning any such matters and things aforesaid for action of the county commissioners thereon and in so doing have regard for present conditions and future needs and growth of the county and the distribution and relative location of all the principal streets and railways waterways and all other means of public travel and business communication as well as the distribution and relative location of public buildings public grounds and open spaces devoted to public use and the planning and laying out for dwelling and business purposes of private grounds brought into the market from time to time

The County Planning Commission may make recommendations to any public authorities or any corporations or individuals in such counties with reference to the location of any buildings structures or works to be erected or constructed by them

ARTICLE VII

EMINENT DOMAIN AND INJURY TO PROPERTY

Section 511 EMINENT DOMAIN COUNTY MAY ENTER UPON LAND ET CETERA In all cases where the right of eminent domain is conferred by the provisions of this act the county may enter upon appropriate take injure or destroy private lands property or material

Section 512 CERTAIN PROPERTY NOT TO BE TAKEN BY EMINENT DOMAIN The power conferred by this act shall not be exercised to enter upon appropriate take injure or destroy any church property graveyard or cemetery

Section 513 RIGHT OF ENTRY ON PRIVATE OR PUBLIC PROPERTY TO MAKE PRELIMINARY SURVEYS For the purpose of making all necessary preliminary surveys in order to prepare plans and estimates the board of commissioners and the persons by them employed for such purposes may enter upon private or public property and designate by proper marks upon the ground the line of any improvement proposed to be made and construed under and for the purposes herein authorized

Section 514 RIGHT OF DAMAGES The right to damages against counties is hereby given to all owners or tenants of lands property or material appropriated injured or destroyed by the county in cases where the right of eminent domain has been exercised and to all owners or tenants of lands property or material abutting on or through which pass roads or highways injured by the laying out opening widening vacating extending or grading of such roads or highways or the changing of the grades or lines thereof the construction and the vacation of bridges piers and abutments and approaches therefor and the construction of sewers over upon or through such lands or property

Section 515 AGREEMENT OF DAMAGES The county commissioners pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by a majority of the board may agree with the owner as to the amount of damages occasioned to any person for property taken injured or destroyed Such damages shall be payable by the county out of the general county funds or other funds provided for that purpose

Section 516 COUNTY TO FURNISH BOND WHEN IMMEDIATE POSSESSION IS DESIRED NOTICE Whenever the board of commissioners or the board of commissioners in conjunction and acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township have selected any land property or material to be appropriated injured or destroyed by the right of eminent domain and desire immediate possession thereof and are unable to agree with the owner or owners upon the amount of damages due them for such appropriation injury or destruction or by reason of the absence or legal incapacity of such owner or owners no such agreement can be made they shall tender a bond to the said owner or owners or to the attorney or agent of any absent owner or to the guardian or committee of any one under legal incapacity in sufficient sum to secure him or them for damages and upon acceptance of said bond by the owner or owners of said land property or material the county shall have the right to immediate possession thereof In case the acceptance of said bond has been refused by the owner or owners the board of commissioners after written notice thereof has first been given to said owner or owners his or their agent attorney guardian or committee shall file the same in the court of common pleas and upon approval thereof by said court the county shall have the right to immediate possession of said land property and material

Section 517 WRIT OF HABERE FACIAS POSSESSIONEM TO ISSUE If the owner lessee or occupier shall refuse to remove his personal property therefrom or give up possession thereof the petitioner in the proceedings may serve written notice upon such owner lessee or his agent or the occupier to remove his personal property therefrom and give up possession of said lands property or materials within sixty days from the date of the service of said notice

If the owner lessee or occupier of said lands property or material shall refuse or neglect to remove his personal property therefrom and give possession thereof upon proof of the service of such notice being filed in the office of the prothonotary for the county in which said lands buildings or other property is located a writ of habere facias possessionem shall forthwith issue directing the sheriff to give to the party entitled thereto possession as is provided for by existing laws

Section 518 APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS In case the board of commissioners or a majority of them and the parties interested in the land property or material appropriated injured or destroyed by the county fail to agree upon the compensation to be made for the land property or material so taken injured or destroyed upon petition of such commissioners or a majority of them or any person or parties interested and whose land property or material is affected thereby to the court of common pleas of said county the said court shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers and appoint a time not less than twenty nor more than thirty days thereafter when said viewers shall meet and view the land property or material to be so appropriated injured or destroyed The said viewers shall give at least ten days' notice by publication in the newspapers aforesaid of the time and place of their first meeting and shall also give notice thereof by handbills posted in conspicuous places in the vicinity of the said proposed public improvement All the viewers shall act unless prevented by sickness or other unavoidable cause but a majority of the viewers may hear determine pass upon and report all matters relating to the view for which they were appointed

Section 519 TIME OF APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS COSTS The viewers provided for in the preceding section may be appointed either before or at any time after the entry upon taking appropriation or injuring of said land property or material

The cost of said viewers and all court costs incurred including all advertising and notices in connection therewith shall be paid by the county except that when the right of eminent domain has been exercised by the county acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township then all costs shall be borne equally by the county and city borough town or township

Section 520 PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS TO SPECIFY LIENS ON PROPERTY In all proceedings hereafter instituted for the condemnation and appropriation of land and property by eminent domain the petition for the appointment of viewers shall contain allegations specifying any judgments mortgages or other claims (hereinafter designated "liens") which are liens upon the land and property sought to be appropriated or condemned as aforesaid

Section 521 TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE CONCERNING LIENS Testimony shall be taken in said proceedings to ascertain the amounts of said liens and the dates of the entry of the same and the amounts of said liens and the dates of entry thereof shall be found as facts by the viewers in said proceedings Certified lists of liens from the courts of the Commonwealth and the United States shall be prima facie evidence of the existence dates amounts dates of entry and places of record of said liens and unless modified or overcome by oral or documentary evidence shall be conclusive upon the parties thereto

Section 522 PROCEDURE RIGHTS AND LIABILITIES WHERE LIENS EXIST When it appears that liens exist which are liens upon property sought to be condemned and appropriated a report of the facts found shall be made to the court Such report shall be subject to exceptions in manner to be regulated by the Supreme Court by general rule When the court has finally determined the findings in relation to the laws the court shall make an order directing the payment and distribution of the amount found to be payable as compensation to the parties entitled thereto First to the owners of said liens then to the owners of the property appropriated as aforesaid The parties interested shall have the right of appeal from said order of distribution to the Superior and Supreme Courts Payment in accordance with the order of distribution evidenced by a receipt of record in the proceedings shall absolutely discharge the party making the payment from all liens by any person co-partnership association or corporation as against said property In such receipt and on the record thereof any claimant may reserve the right to proceed against any other property or assets of the owner of the property condemned for any balance due upon his lien

Section 523 PROCEEDINGS BY AND BEFORE VIEWERS The said viewers having been duly sworn or affirmed faithfully justly and impartially to decide and true report to make concerning all matters and things to be submitted to them and in relation to which they are authorized to inquire and having viewed the premises and examined the land prop-

erty or material to be appropriated injured or destroyed shall hear all parties interested and their witnesses and having a due regard to and making just allowance for the advantages which may have resulted or which may seem likely to result to the owner or owners of said lands or materials in consequence of the proposed improvement shall estimate determine and assess the damages for the land property or material taken injured or destroyed and to whom the same is payable and the benefits if any in connection therewith Having so estimated determined and assessed the damages and benefits they shall prepare a schedule thereof and give notice to all parties to whom damages are allowed or against whom benefits are assessed of a time not less than ten days thereafter and of a place where said viewers shall meet and exhibit said schedule and hear all exceptions thereto and evidence

Section 524 NOTICE OF MEETING Notice of the time and place of said meeting shall be given in the manner provided by law for the service of summons in a personal action upon all parties allowed damages and against whom benefits have been assessed as shown by said schedule if the said parties can be found in the county or upon an adult person if any residing upon the property affected in case the owner or reputed owner cannot be found and to all others by publication in the newspaper or newspapers in which the first notices of said view were published When no service is made upon the owner reputed owner or upon an adult person residing upon the property affected said notice where publication thereof has also been made shall be deemed to have been properly served if tacked or conspicuously posted on the premises The court may provide by whom the notice provided by this act shall be posted given and served and fix the compensation for said service

Section 525 PLANS OF PROPERTIES CONDEMNED TO BE FURNISHED TO VIEWERS In all proceedings to assess damages for the taking injury or destruction of private property for public use the county taking injuring or destroying property for said purpose shall furnish the board of viewers with a correct plan of all properties affected showing all buildings or other structures thereon their width length elevation and cubical contents names of all owners tenants or occupiers thereof the topography of the land and the grades and widths of all highways running through or abutting on said properties and all other data necessary for a proper determination of the amount of damages caused by the taking injury or destruction of said private property

Said plans shall be prepared and ready for the use of the viewers at their first meeting and copies thereof shall be furnished to all owners tenants and occupiers of the property and all other parties affected thereby without charge

Section 526 REPORT TO COURT After making whatever changes are deemed necessary the said viewers shall make report to the court showing the damages allowed and benefits assessed in each case and file therewith a plan showing the improvement and the land properties and materials taken injured or destroyed When said report is filed notice thereof shall be given by publication once in the newspaper or newspapers in which first notices of said view were published Said notice shall state the date of filing of the report and shall contain a schedule of the damages and benefits shown therein and shall further state that unless exceptions thereto are filed within thirty days from the date of filing the said report will be confirmed absolutely

Section 527 CERTAIN TESTIMONY AUTHORIZED In all proceedings arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain it shall be competent for all witnesses called when duly qualified

(a) To state in detail and costs all the elements of the property before the exercise of the right of eminent domain and as unaffected by it and its market value immediately after the exercise of the right of eminent domain and as affected thereby

(b) To state in detail and costs all of the elements of benefit or damage which they have taken into consideration in arriving at their opinion

(c) In arriving at their opinion as to the market value immediately after the exercise of the right of eminent domain to add to their opinion of the market value before such exercise the cost or value of all the elements of benefit or advantage and to deduct therefrom all disadvantages or damage in order to arrive at the market value after such exercise of the right of eminent domain and as affected thereby

(d) In all proceedings to assess damages or benefits for the opening of any road or highway to take into consideration as one of the elements of advantage or disadvantage the cost of highway improvements

Section 523 VALUE OF PROPERTY In all claims for damages against a county arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain it shall be competent for the party or parties claiming damages to offer in evidence the value of the property affected as assessed for the purpose of taxation.

Section 529 UNLAWFUL ASSESSMENTS In all cases of appropriation of land for public use other than for roads or highways it shall be unlawful to assess any portion of the damage done to or value of the land so appropriated against the other property adjoining or in the vicinity of the land so appropriated

Section 530 VACATION OF ROAD WHEN NO PROPERTY IS TAKEN Whenever viewers are appointed to vacate any road or highway and the vacation of the same takes no land from the owner abutting thereon if in the opinion of the viewers such vacation damages the property of the abutting owner they may award damages to such owner as though land has been actually taken

Section 531 PROCEDURE WHEN BUILDING IS ON LINE OF PROPOSED ROAD Whenever in locating re-locating opening widening straightening or extending any road or highway or parts thereof the same shall be found to pass through take or injure buildings barns or other valuable improvements thereon the said viewers or a majority of them shall have the right to recommend that such buildings and improvements situate in part or in whole on the road or highway so to be improved opened widened straightened or extended shall be permitted to remain thereon for such time as shall be deemed wise and proper and if the court shall approve the finding and report of said viewers or a majority of them the owner or owners of such buildings or improvements may continue to use and enjoy the same during the time by such viewers and the court fixed and determined But in case of the destruction vacation or abandonment of any such building within the time they are so authorized to remain such owners or owner shall not have the right to re-erect and reconstruct or retake such buildings or improvements within the line of such road or highway

Section 532 TIME LIMIT FOR REPORT OF VIEWERS Viewers appointed to assess the damages and benefits due to the appropriation injury or destruction of land property and materials shall make their reports within a time which the court shall fix when so appointing them If the viewers so appointed shall for any reason appearing sufficient to the court be unable to file their report within the period so fixed the court may either before or after the expiration of the time fixed extend the time for the filing of such report

Section 533 EXCEPTIONS TO REPORT Upon the report of said viewers or any two of them being filed in said court any party interested may within thirty days thereafter file exceptions to the same and the court shall have power to confirm said report or to modify change or otherwise correct the same or refer the same back to the same or new viewers with like power as to their report When said report is first filed in court the prothonotary thereof shall mark the same "confirmed nisi" and in case no exceptions are filed thereto within said thirty days he shall enter a decree (as of course) that said report is confirmed absolutely Within thirty days after the confirmation modification changing or correcting of said report any interested party may appeal from said decree to the Superior Court or to the Supreme Court as the case may be

Section 534 DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL Within thirty days after said report is filed in court as aforesaid such county and any party whose property is taken injured or destroyed may appeal to the court of common pleas and demand a trial by jury according to the course of the common law The court of common pleas shall within thirty days order what notices shall be given in connection with any part of said proceedings and make all such orders as it may deem requisite and may by rule or otherwise prescribe the form of the pleadings After verdict and final judgment either party may have an appeal to the Superior or Supreme Court as in other cases

Section 535 PAYMENT OF DAMAGES AND COSTS All damages agreed upon or awarded and all costs and expenses

incurred shall be paid by the county except in cases where an appeal is taken by any party in interest from the award of the viewers and the appellant does not recover any greater amount than the viewers award in which case the appellant shall pay all costs of such appeal

Section 536 COLLECTION OF AWARDS Upon the final confirmation of the report of the viewers the party or parties to whom an award has been made shall have the right to take such further appropriate legal proceedings as may be necessary and proper to enforce payment of said confirmed award either in nature of a writ of mandamus execution or otherwise

Section 537 TITLE TO VEST UPON PAYMENT OF AWARD Upon payment of the compensation for land or property in accordance with the order of distribution title to such land or property shall vest in the county in accordance with provisions of the law under which the appropriation is made and all claims for compensation shall be deemed paid and satisfied

Section 538 MONEY TO BE PAID INTO COURT IN CASE OF ADVERSE CLAIMS If any person or persons shall claim adversely to each other any estate or interest in the land property or materials selected by the board of commissioners to be appropriated injured or destroyed for the purposes mentioned in this act and the viewers shall not be able to determine who are the owner or owners of said land property or materials or the value of their estates and interests therein they shall so report valuing the land property or materials as a whole and upon the confirmation by the court of the report of said viewers if no appeal shall be taken therefrom the commissioners of the county shall pay into the court the whole of the said valuation money and thereupon the title to the land property or material and the estates and interests of all the owners thereof shall become vested in fee in the county acquiring and taking said land property or materials The court of common pleas shall by rule process or motion require all said claimants to appear therein and may be an issue framed between them to be tried by a jury or by a reference to a master or by such orders and decisions as shall appear to be just under all the circumstances of the case determine the estates and interests of said claimants in said valuation money Upon the final determination of such proceeding the court shall direct said valuation money to be paid to the person or persons ascertained to be entitled thereto

Section 539 APPEALS BY ADVERSE CLAIMANTS In case any of said claimants shall appeal from the award of said viewers the county commissioners may upon filing in the court and having approved thereby a bond in double amount of said award to the said owners and claimants for the benefit of the persons owning said land property or materials with at least two sufficient sureties conditioned for the payment by the county of such an amount as the owner or owners shall be entitled to receive for said ground when the same shall have been finally ascertained by due course of law lawfully enter upon and take possession of said land property or materials The said court shall thereupon proceed to determine the estates and interests of said claimants in said land property or material as is hereinbefore provided when the valuation money is paid into court Said proceeding shall be finally determined before the issue framed upon the said appeal shall be tried and if it be determined that the party appellant has no estate or interest in said land property or materials his appeal shall be disallowed

Section 540 PAYMENT INTO COURT WHEN AWARD IS REFUSED OR WHEN PARTIES CANNOT BE FOUND Any amount of money awarded as herein provided if refused by the person or persons entitled thereto or if the person or persons entitled thereto cannot be found shall be paid into court and thereafter all such persons shall look to said fund for all damages accruing by reason of the appropriation injury or destruction of such land property or material

Section 541 NOTICE TO VACATE EJECTMENT In case any land or property selected by the board of commissioners or by the board of commissioners in conjunction and acting with the corporate authorities of any city borough town or township to be appropriated injured or destroyed and said land or property has improvements thereon in the actual occupancy of any person or persons and such person or persons has had his or her or their damages assessed and paid thirty days' notice to vacate the same shall be given to the party or parties so in actual possession In case of refusal or neglect on the part of any one to obey said notice the board of commissioners may at the expiration of said thirty days enter upon and eject or cause to be ejected any of the parties so refusing or neglecting to vacate and use force enough by themselves agents or employes to accomplish the same

Section 542 APPROPRIATIONS OF RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT In any action brought to ascertain or recover damages caused to any owner of lands by reason of the appropriation of a right of way or easement in such lands by any county where such owner of lands and such county cannot agree upon the amount of damages payable to such owner the parties may by agreement waive the right to have such damages assessed by viewers Such owner may thereupon file his statement and claim in the court of common pleas and rule the defendant to plead thereto within fifteen days from notice of such rule duly served upon said county and the said suit shall be proceeded with the same as if an award of viewers had been filed and an appeal had been taken therefrom

Either party to such action shall have the right during the trial to demand and have the jury which may be selected to try said cause visit and view the premises over or through which the right of way or easement extends before rendering a verdict in such case

Section 543 DISCONTINUANCE OF PROCEEDINGS BY COUNTY In case the county shall discontinue any proceedings taken providing for the appropriation injury or destruction of any land property or materials prior to the entry upon taking or appropriation thereof and before judgment therein the said county shall not thereafter be liable to pay any damages which have been or might have been allowed but all costs upon any such proceedings had thereon shall be paid by the county together with any actual damages loss or injury sustained by reason of such proceeding and the amount of the same may be determined and fixed by the court in which such proceeding was pending

ARTICLE VIII

GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS

(a) General Provisions

Section 551 TITLE TO REAL ESTATE VESTED IN COUNTY The title to all court houses jails prisons and work houses together with the lots of land thereunto belonging or appertaining and all other real property acquired or that may hereafter be acquired by or for the use of the county shall be and they are hereby vested in the county for the use of the people thereof and for no other use

Section 552 BUILDINGS TO BE KEPT IN ORDER AND REPAIR The board of commissioners shall keep and maintain the public buildings of the county in suitable and convenient order and repair and may when necessary having first obtained the approval of the grand jury and of the court of quarter sessions of the county alter add to or enlarge the same

Section 553 TEMPORARY COURT HOUSE Whenever the court house or place appointed by law for holding any of the courts shall be unsafe shall have been destroyed or is under repairs the board of commissioners shall procure some other convenient place at the county seat to be approved by the court for holding such courts

Section 554 SEPARATE ROOMS FOR WOMEN JURORS The board of commissioners shall provide and maintain a separate room or rooms at or adjoining the court house upon order of the court for the comfort accommodation and convenience of women jurors and such rooms shall be provided with suitable furniture for the use of women jurors who may be serving upon juries unable to bring in verdicts upon the day in which the case was placed in their hands These rooms shall also be equipped with mirrors toilets beds and other conveniences necessary to provide for the safety comfort and convenience of the occupants thereof

Section 555 ROOM OR BUILDING FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS WAITING TRIAL The board of commissioners shall provide furnish and heat within the county a separate room or rooms or a suitable building to be used exclusively for the confinement of any and all children under the age of sixteen years who may be in custody awaiting trial or hearing in

the courts of the county and provide for the maintenance and care of such children while in custody

Section 556 ROOMS FOR JUDGES The county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth shall furnish an office for each of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court of the court of common pleas and orphans' courts and the County Court of Allegheny County in the court house at the county-seat of the county in which such justices or judges respectively may be resident and wherein the business of the courts may be largely transacted and in case no such office is available in the court house they shall at the proper cost of the respective counties furnish an office in such building as may be selected by the respective justices or judges and county commissioners

Section 557 DISORDERLY CONDUCT IN AND ABOUT COURT HOUSES AND JAILS PROHIBITED It shall be unlawful for any person to cause any outcry or disorder or be guilty of any indecent or unbecoming conduct tending to disturb the peace and good order which should prevail in the county court house jail or other county buildings or to wilfully or carelessly defile deface or injure the floors walls or any other portion of said buildings or fences or railings surrounding the same or the carpets furniture or other articles or things used in or about said buildings belonging to the county Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction thereof be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars In case such person shall neglect or refuse to pay the same he or she shall suffer an imprisonment not exceeding thirty days

Section 558 WATCHMEN AND EMPLOYES The board of commissioners may appoint one or more officers or watchmen to guard and protect the county buildings and to enforce the provisions of this act relating thereto Such officers or watchmen shall have power to arrest on view any person violating the same

The board of commissioners shall employ all janitors firemen engineers mechanics laborers and caretakers of all county buildings and grounds Such watchmen and employes shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixe by the salary board or by the commissioners in counties where there is no salary board

Section 559 DISPLAY OF MUNICIPAL FLAGS ON COUNTY BUILDINGS AUTHORIZED It shall be lawful to display the flag of any county city borough or other municipality in the State on the public buildings of any county

Section 560 FURNISHING ROOMS FOR MEETINGS OF VETERANS OF CERTAIN WARS AND OF SONS OF VETERANS The board of commissioners may in their discretion upon application therefore furnish to each organization composed of veterans of the Civil War veterans of the Spanish-American War veterans of the War with Germany and Austria veterans of any foreign war and sons of veterans a room or rooms in any public building of such county sufficient for the meeting of each of such organizations at least once each month

Section 561 PLANS OF BUILDINGS TO BE SUBMITTED TO COURT LETTING OF CONTRACT NOTICE APPROVAL Whenever the board of commissioners are authorized and required to erect a court house jail or other county building they shall submit the plans and specifications adopted by them to the judges of the court of common pleas for their approval and when it is obtained they shall let the work by contract to the lowest and best bidder after three weeks' public notice in two newspapers published in the county which contract or contracts shall be made subject to the approval of the said judges

Section 562 LIST OF QUANTITIES OF MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDINGS In the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of any public building when plans and specifications for same shall be submitted for bids the same shall be accompanied by a bill or list of quantities of materials required for such buildings to be prepared and furnished by the architect or engineer preparing the plans which bill or list shall be attached to the specifications and shall be for a guide to bidders in making their estimates of materials required and a means by which bidders may test their own estimates Provided however That the correctness of such bill or list of materials shall not be taken as being guaranteed by the authorities submitting such plans and specifications for bids

Section 563 SEPARATE SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACTS FOR CERTAIN ITEMS In the preparation of specifications for the erection construction and alteration of any public building when the entire cost of such work shall exceed one thousand dollars the architect engineer or other person preparing such specifications shall prepare separate specifications for the plumbing heating ventilating and electrical work and the board of commissioners shall receive separate bids upon each of the said branches of work and award the contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder for each of said branches

Section 564 ADDITIONAL BOND TO PROTECT LABOR AND MATERIALMEN ON CONTRACTS It shall be the duty of the board of commissioners in the improvement of lands or in the erection alteration addition or repair of edifices and public buildings of any kind to require of the contractor or contractors employed in or about said improvements an additional bond with sufficient surety or sureties providing for the payment of all labor and material entering into the said improvements

The labor and materialmen furnishing labor and material in and for said improvements upon the contract of said contractor shall have the right according to law to sue in an action of assumpsit in the name of the obligee for his or their use upon said bond upon proof of said contractor's failure to pay for said labor or material

Section 565 COMPLIANCE WITH WORKINGMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW All contracts executed by the board of commissioners which shall involve the construction or doing of any work involving the employment of labor shall contain a provision that the contractor shall accept in so far as the work covered by any such contract is concerned the provisions of the Workingmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and any supplements or amendments thereto and that the said contractor will insure his liability thereunder or file with the board of commissioners a certificate of exemption from insurance from the Bureau of Workingmen's Compensation of the Department of Labor and Industry The board of commissioners before signing on behalf of the county any contract requiring in its performance the employment of labor shall require proof that the said contractor with whom the contract is made shall have accepted the Workingmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and any supplements or amendments thereto and proof that the said contractor has insured his liability thereunder in accordance with the terms of said act or that the contractor has had issued to him a certificate of exemption from insurance from the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation of the Department of Labor and Industry Any contract executed in violation of the provisions of this and the preceding section shall be null and void

(b) Court Houses Jails and Workhouses

Section 566 PURCHASE OF GROUND AND ERECTION OF BUILDINGS FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES When it appears to the county commissioners that the necessities of the county require ground at the county seat for the purpose of the erection or extension of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safekeeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also ground at or near the county-seat for the purpose of the erection or extension of such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse or any or either of them they may purchase ground for such purposes and cause to be erected thereon the necessary buildings for which said ground was purchased subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions

In case the ground so selected by the commissioners for any of such purposes cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a price reasonable in the estimation of said commissioners or by reason of the absence or legal incapacity of any such owner or owners no such price or value can be agreed upon the board of commissioners shall proceed to acquire the same by the right of eminent domain and the proceedings for the ascertainment of damages for such property land or materials taken injured or destroyed shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in this act

Section 587 JAILS TO BE CONSTRUCTED SO AS TO PERMIT SEPARATE CONFINEMENT OF INMATES Every county prison which shall be hereafter erected shall be so constructed that every person committed thereto whether upon conviction or otherwise may be confined separate and apart from every other person committed thereto due regard being had in the plan of construction to the health of the person to be so confined

Section 588 POWER TO PROVIDE WORKHOUSES It shall be lawful for the county commissioners of any county of this Commonwealth whenever having first obtained approval of two consecutive grand juries and of the court of quarter sessions of such county to establish a workhouse

Any workhouse erected under the provisions of this section shall be under the control of the county commissioners of the county wherein the same may be erected and said commissioners are hereby empowered to make such by-laws rules and regulations not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or this Commonwealth as they may deem necessary and proper for the public welfare and the best interests of the institution and its inmates

Said commissioners are authorized to use any suitable lands already held for county purposes or to purchase any quantity of lands within their respective counties not exceeding five hundred acres either with or without buildings thereon erected and to repair or erect such buildings and make such improvements thereon as they may deem necessary and convenient for a workhouse the title for said property in case of a purchase to be made to the proper county

When the accommodations necessary for carrying out the intentions of this act shall have been provided in any county as aforesaid a superintendent and matron and such other officers as may be deemed necessary shall be appointed by said commissioners whose duties shall be prescribed by the regulations for such workhouse and whose salaries shall be fixed by said commissioners or the salary board as the case may be and shall hold their offices respectively during the pleasure of said commissioners

Commitments to such workhouse shall be made by the courts as may be provided by law

Section 589 RIGHT TO BUILD ON PUBLIC SQUARES Whenever the court house jail or other building is located upon a public square or common in the city borough or town then being the county-seat and a new building is authorized and required to be erected in place of such court house jail or other building the Board of County Commissioners may erect such new building upon any other of the public squares or commons of said city borough or town or upon any part thereof Provided that the council of the city borough or town shall have first consented to such new location for said building

Section 590 ERECTION OF JAILS IN COUNTIES OF THE FOURTH CLASS DISPOSAL OF OLD BUILDINGS Whenever in any county of the fourth class the County jail prison or workhouse of such county is located in or upon a public park square or commons in the borough town or city then being the county-seat of such county and a new building or buildings are authorized and required to be erected in place of such county jail prison or workhouse the commissioners may erect such new building or buildings upon a site within said county and if need be may purchase ground for the erection of such building or buildings not exceeding five hundred acres Upon the completion of such new building or buildings the commissioners may dispose of such jail prison or work house building or buildings together with all the right title or interest of such county in and to the real estate upon which said building or buildings are situated for any public purpose including a war memorial either by sale or by gift or they may remove said building or buildings from said public park square or commons or to retain said building or buildings and the real estate upon which they are situated as a house of detention or accessory to the county prison

(c) Improvement of Streets Along County Buildings Street Lighting

Section 575 JOINING WITH CITY IN IMPROVING CERTAIN STREETS AND HIGHWAYS The board of commissioners of counties now erecting or which may hereafter erect public buildings in any city may with the approval of the court of common pleas or if there be more than one of such courts then with the approval of all the courts of common pleas of such county join with the proper authorities of such city in the grading re-grading paving re-paving an improvement of so much of the streets and highways as are in upon or alongside of the grounds upon which said public buildings stand Said commissioners may enter into contract with any such city authorities for the payment of a just proportion of the expense of said grading re-grading paving re-paving and improvement of said streets and highways and may appropriate from the county treasury sufficient funds for this purpose Said board of commissioners may act with any committee or committees which may be appointed by such city authorities to establish grades determine the kind and quality of paving materials to be used and ratify the contracts entered into by said city authorities in the course of said improvements No obligation shall rest upon the county for any proportion of the expenses of such improvements until the selections of grades and paving materials and the acceptance of bids by said city authorities shall have been ratified by said board of commissioners and approved by the court or courts of common pleas

Section 576 ORNAMENTAL ILLUMINATION Whenever the courthouse jail workhouse or other public building of a county abuts upon the street of a city or borough which is the county-seat and which shall provide for the ornamental illumination of that section of the street whereon such county building abuts it shall be lawful for the county commissioners of such county to appropriate moneys from the county funds toward the installation of such ornamental illumination

The appropriation by the county commissioners of a county for such purpose shall not exceed the amount that shall be assessed for such ornamental illumination upon owners of an equivalent frontage of property abutting upon said street measured by the foot front rule

(d) Comfort Stations

Section 580 APPROPRIATIONS FOR COMFORT STATIONS The board of county commissioners may appropriate moneys to assist any city or borough being the county-seat to construct and maintain comfort stations within the boundaries of the county

Section 581 PARKS AND COMFORT HOUSES IN COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS The board of commissioners of counties of the second class may purchase land to be used for park purposes or for the erection thereon of public comfort houses The land purchased for such purposes shall lie within the limits of such county and shall be contiguous to or in the vicinity of a county road and shall be outside the corporate limits of any city or borough The amount that may be expended for such purposes shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars in any one year nor the sum of five thousand dollars for any single park or any single comfort house The board of commissioners shall agree with the owner or owners of the land selected upon a reasonable price to be paid therefor The county may erect and maintain on the land such buildings as are necessary to fulfill the purpose for which the land was acquired

The board of commissioners in second class counties may adopt reasonable rules and regulations necessary for preservation management and control of parks and public comfort houses so established and maintained and provide penalties for the breach thereof All rules adopted by the board of commissioners shall before becoming operative be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in three newspapers of general circulation in the county and shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in such county Any person violating any rules so adopted shall upon summary conviction be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars which shall be payable to the county treasurer who shall add the fine to the fund for the improvement of county roads

(e) Monuments and Memorials

Section 590 MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS TO WAR VETERANS The board of commissioners may appropriate money for and provide for the erection of monuments or memorials commemorating the services of the soldiers sailors and marines in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged The style and character of such

monuments or memorials shall be approved by the State Art Commission

Section 591 ASSISTANCE TO PRIVATE OR MUNICIPAL AGENCIES The board of commissioners may in order to prevent duplication appropriate money to assist any individual private corporation city borough town or township in the erection of any monument or memorial for said soldiers sailors and marines Before any such appropriation is made the style and character of such monument or memorial shall be approved by the State Art Commission

Section 592 ERECTION OR COMPLETION OF MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS ON PETITION TO COURT Upon the petition of at least fifty citizens of the county to the court of quarter sessions for the erection or completion and maintenance of a memorial monument or memorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines of such county who served in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged the court shall lay the same before the grand jury and if approved by two successive grand juries and the court the board of commissioners may erect or complete any monument now partly erected but not completed and maintain at the county seat a suitable monument or memorial in honor of said soldiers sailors and marines

Section 593 ELECTION ON MEMORIAL HALL PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF SITE When the petition provided for in the preceding section has been approved by two successive grand juries and the court of quarter sessions the board of commissioners shall submit the question of the erection of a memorial hall to the electors of the county at the next election and if a majority of the votes cast on the question of the erection of a memorial hall shall be in favor of the same the board of commissioners shall erect at the county-seat a memorial hall and acquire by purchase donation or by condemnation under the right of eminent domain the necessary site and erect and maintain thereon a suitable and proper memorial hall or building in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of any such wars In case said election shall result adversely and a second petition shall be presented the same shall be laid before two successive grand juries and if approved then it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to again in like manner submit the question to vote at the next general or municipal election and if the result shall be favorable then it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to erect such hall at such place in the county as shall have been designated upon the ballot in the question submitted to the electors. All proceedings for the condemnation of any property under the provisions of this section shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 594 EXISTING BUILDING MAY BE USED If the site so secured has a hall or building already erected thereon which can be altered and improved so as to be made suitable for such memorial hall the board of commissioners may acquire such site in manner aforesaid for the purpose of a memorial hall

Section 595 DONATIONS For the purpose of aiding in paying the purchase money and price for the site and erection and construction of such memorial hall voluntary donations and contributions may be accepted by the board of commissioners from individuals associations and organizations

Section 596 MAINTENANCE OF HALL Such memorial hall shall be and remain the property of and shall be maintained at the expense of the county

Section 597 PLAN OF HALL SPECIAL ROOMS TO BE PROVIDED Such memorial hall shall be in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from said county who served in the Army and Navy of the United States in any war in which the United States has been or may hereafter be engaged Such memorial halls shall each contain one large assembly room or auditorium for public meetings of the soldiers sailors and marines of such county which may be used also for other public meetings and patriotic gatherings by the consent of the board of control herein provided for Such memorial hall shall also contain rooms for meetings of posts of the Grand Army of the Republic encampments of the Union Veteran Legion commanderies of the Loyal Legion camps of the Sons of Veterans Women's Relief Corps Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic chapters of the Daughters of the Revolution organizations of the Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and organizations of veterans of all other wars in which the United States has or may be engaged and also rooms for such committees of public defence and welfare as may be created by the State or as may be approved by the board of control hereinafter provided for Such memorial halls shall also provide room for the display and preservation of relics and trophies of all wars in which the United States have been or may be engaged photographs paintings and portraits busts and statutes of the soldiers sailors and marines of the said counties and mural tablets upon which shall be inscribed the names of such soldiers sailors and marines Such memorial halls shall also contain waiting and rest rooms with lavatories attached

Section 598 HISTORICAL SOCIETY ROOM TO BE MADE FIREPROOF The room for the county historical society shall be made as nearly fireproof as possible and be provided with the proper files and furnishing for preservation and storing of all historical data of the said county with reference to any and all subjects

Section 599 BOARD OF CONTROL A board of control is hereby created which shall have charge of all matters relating to such memorial hall and shall have the care thereof The board shall be composed of three members chosen by members of the Grand Army of the Republic three members chosen by members of camps of Spanish-American War Veterans three members to be chosen by members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and three members to be chosen by members of the American Legion The judges of the court of common pleas and the board of commissioners shall be ex-officio members of the board of control The selected members of the board shall serve one year when their successors shall be selected Vacancies occurring shall be filled by the board for the unexpired term of the member whose death resignation or removal caused the vacancy

Section 600 FLAGSTAFF TO BE ERECTED DISPLAY OF FLAG A suitable flagstaff shall be erected upon said memorial hall from which shall be displayed the flag of the United States from sunrise to sunset on each and every day of the year

Section 601 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF ADDITIONAL LAND EQUIPMENT FURNISHING AND DECORATING In any county in which there has been or may hereafter be erected a memorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines from such county who served in any war in which the United States has been or may be hereafter engaged upon petition of at least fifty (50) citizens to the court of quarter sessions setting forth that it is necessary or desirable to acquire additional land adjoining that upon which said memorial hall is erected to enhance and preserve the beauty and character of said memorial hall and the object had in its erection or that it is necessary or desirable to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall or both the court shall lay said petition before the grand jury then or next sitting for their approval If said petition shall be approved by said grand jury it shall be certified back to the court If no exceptions thereto are filed within ten (10) days from the date upon which said petition was certified back to the court or if exceptions are filed and are dismissed the court shall confirm said petition absolutely and thereupon the court may make an order authorizing the board of commissioners to acquire by purchase or condemnation such additional land or to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall or both The cost to said county of acquiring such additional land shall not exceed a sum equal to one-fourth (1/4) of the total cost of said memorial hall and the land upon which said memorial hall has been erected and the cost to said county of equipping furnishing and decorating said memorial hall shall not exceed a sum equal to one-twelfth (1/12) of the total cost of said memorial hall and the land upon which said memorial hall has been erected

Section 602 TAX LEVY INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS The board of commissioners may provide the funds with which to pay for the ground purchased or condemned and the erection thereon of a memorial hall or the acquiring of additional land or for the equipping furnishing and decorating of said memorial hall by the levying and collecting of a tax upon the taxable persons and property within said county and by increasing the indebtedness of said county according to law and by issuing and selling bonds Such bonds shall be payable in not more than ten (10) years from their date and shall be in

such form upon such terms and in such denominations as the said commissioners may deem best

Section 603 PRESERVATION MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF PUBLIC MONUMENTS The board of commissioners may preserve maintain and repair any public monument in the county other than in cemeteries including the enclosed public ground surrounding the monument and appropriate moneys for such purposes

(f) Public Auditoriums Public Libraries Public Memorial Buildings and Monuments

Section 605 ACQUIRING OF PROPERTY Counties shall have power to take purchase or acquire through condemnation proceedings property for the purpose of erecting thereon public auditoriums public libraries public memorial buildings and monuments

All proceedings for the condemnation of any property under the provisions of this section shall be in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 606 APPROPRIATION OF MONEY Counties by order of the commissioners thereof shall have power to appropriate money from the public funds or by issuance of bonds according to existing law governing the issuance of such bonds for the erection on said property taken purchased or acquired through condemnation proceedings public auditoriums public libraries public memorial buildings and monuments Counties shall also have power to appropriate moneys for the operation and maintenance of such public auditoriums public libraries memorial buildings and monuments

Section 607 RENTAL OF AUDITORIUMS Counties in case of public auditoriums may by order of the commissioners thereof charge a rental for the use of said auditoriums All moneys derived from rental of said auditoriums shall first be devoted to the maintenance of said auditorium and any annual balance accruing therefrom shall be turned over to the county funds for the general uses and purposes of said county

Section 608 CONSENT OF CITY OR BOROUGH No county shall acquire any property for or erect any such public auditorium library memorial buildings or monument within the limits of any city or borough without the consent of the corporate authorities of such city or borough

(g) Homes and Hospitals

Section 611 DONATIONS TO ORPHANS' OR CHILDREN'S HOME The board of commissioners may receive from time to time donations gifts legacies endowments devises and conveyance or conveyances or property real or personal that may be given or granted for the use and purpose of providing a home within the county for the keeping and care of indigent orphans and children dependent upon the public of such county for support

Section 612 MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF ORPHANS' HOMES Any such orphans' home shall be under the management and control of the board of commissioners of the county and they are hereby authorized to appoint a superintendent and such assistants as may be necessary to properly conduct the affairs of such home

Section 613 ADMISSION TO HOME Indigent orphans and children shall be committed to any such home on order of the board of commissioners or of the directors or overseers of any poor district of such county

Section 614 MAINTENANCE OF CHILDREN'S HOME When any property has been given or granted to any such county for a children's home and a home is duly established it shall be lawful for such county thereafter to appropriate from the county funds money for the support and maintenance of such orphans and children and for the payment of the salary of the superintendent and his assistants

Section 615 ADDITIONAL POORHOUSE AND INFECTIOUS DISEASE HOSPITALS In all cases where a poorhouse or houses have been or hereafter shall be erected in any county or counties under any law of this Commonwealth and the said buildings are found insufficient for the purpose of comfortably sheltering and maintaining the poor sick or insane of the county the board of commissioners may erect new or additional buildings for such purposes or for hospitals to prevent the spread of infectious disease among those sent to such institutions Provided That before erecting any such new or additional buildings the construction thereof shall be recommended by the directors of the poor and a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions of the proper county

Section 616 PURCHASE AND SALE OF LAND OF POORHOUSE Where the land connected with any poorhouse shall be deemed insufficient for the comfortable and profitable maintenance and occupation of the poor the county commissioners on the recommendations of the directors of the poor and the court of quarter sessions may purchase such additional land not exceeding two hundred acres and take a deed or deeds therefor in the name of the county Where the land connected with any poorhouse shall be found to be useless unnecessary or unprofitable the county commissioners on like recommendation may sell at public sale after due notice such part of the land held as shall be thought unnecessary and unprofitable and execute a deed or deeds therefor to the purchaser

Section 617 CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITAL Whenever in the opinion of the board of commissioners a hospital for the care of contagious diseases appears to be necessary or advisable the board of commissioners may either locate such a hospital on the grounds of the county poor-farm or may purchase a suitable location in some other locality provided such locality is not within or close to the built-up portion of any city borough or village and not within one hundred (100) feet of any public highways

Section 618 PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS APPROVAL CONSTRUCTION Plans and specifications may be prepared for such hospital by the board of commissioners or at their instance which plans and specifications must be submitted to the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth Upon the approval of said plans and specifications by the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth the said hospital may be constructed and equipped in the same manner that other county buildings are constructed and equipped The expense and cost of such construction and equipment shall be paid by the board of commissioners out of county funds

Section 619 EXPENSES OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE All expense incident to the construction equipment and maintenance of such contagious disease hospitals shall be paid out of county funds

Section 620 CONDUCT AND MAINTENANCE After such hospital is erected and equipped and ready for occupancy it shall be conducted and maintained by and under the authority of the directors of the poor in the same manner that the county-home and other county poor-buildings are conducted and maintained

Section 621 JOINT CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITALS Whenever the county commissioners of two or more counties decide that a hospital for the care of contagious diseases is necessary they may join in establishing such hospital either on the grounds of the county poor-farm of either county or on such other suitable location agreed on as may be purchased for the purpose subject however in all other respects to the conditions and limitations prescribed in this act

Such joint hospitals shall be conducted and maintained under the joint authority of the directors of the poor of the counties joining in the establishment thereof

All expenses incident to the construction and maintenance of such contagious disease hospitals shall be borne jointly by the counties establishing the same in such proportions as may be agreed on by the county commissioners

Section 622 COUNTY HOSPITAL FOR TUBERCULOSIS Whenever one hundred or more citizens residents of a county petition the county commissioners for the establishment of a county hospital for the treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis the county commissioners shall at the next general or municipal election submit to the voters of the county the question whether or not the county shall establish such a hospital Such question shall be printed at the foot of the ballot and shall be in the form provided by the general laws for the submission of such question The vote on such question shall be counted returned and computed in the manner prescribed by the general election laws of the Commonwealth

Section 623 POWER TO ACQUIRE SITE If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall vote in favor of the establishment of such a hospital the county commissioners shall acquire a site for such hospital either by purchase or condemnation in case such site shall be acquired

by condemnation the procedure for the assessment of damages for the property taken shall be as prescribed by article seven of this act

Section 624 ADVISORY BOARD If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall be in favor of the establishment of a hospital the court of common pleas of the county shall immediately appoint an advisory board of five members all of whom shall be electors of the county and one of whom shall be a licensed physician The members of said board shall be appointed one for a term of five years one for a term of four years one for a term of three years one for a term of two years and one for a term of one year or until their successors are appointed and have qualified All appointments at the expiration of any term shall be for a term of five years

The board shall meet monthly and at such other times as it may be deemed necessary. The board shall visit and inspect and keep in close touch with the management and operation of said hospital and shall from time to time make such recommendations and suggestions to the county commissioners for changes or improvements in said management and operation as may be deemed advisable It shall also make an annual report to the county commissioners concerning the management and operation of said hospital

The county commissioners shall at the expense of the county provide a meeting place for said board and furnish all supplies and materials necessary to carry on its work

The members of the board shall not receive any compensation for their services but shall be allowed all actual and necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties which shall be paid by the county

Section 625 SITE AND PLANS APPROVAL If a majority of the electors voting upon such question at such election shall be in favor of the establishment of the hospital the county commissioners shall after consultation with the advisory board select a site for such hospital and shall have plans and specifications prepared for such hospital but no such hospital shall be erected until such plans and specifications and the site therefor have been first approved by the Secretary of Health and the county controller if there be a controller in said county

Section 626 CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT Any such hospital shall be constructed by contract or contracts let by the county commissioners to the lowest responsible and best bidder after due advertisement in at least three newspapers one of which shall be published in the county once a week for four consecutive weeks and when so constructed the hospital shall be equipped by the county commissioners at the cost of the county in the same manner as other county buildings are equipped

Section 627 EMPLOYES SALARIES The county commissioners may after consultation with the advisory board employ a superintendent and such physicians nurses and other employes as may be necessary to properly conduct and manage such hospital and shall fix their compensation except in counties having a salary board where such compensation shall be fixed by the salary board which shall consist of the county commissioners and the county controller All such salaries shall be paid from the county treasury in the usual manner

Section 628 MANAGEMENT The county commissioners shall have power after consulting with the advisory board to make general rules and regulations for the management of the hospital and shall have power to do all acts deemed necessary to promote the usefulness of the hospital in the prevention of tuberculosis

Section 629 USE OF HOSPITAL Every hospital established under the provisions of this act shall be used for the benefit of all inhabitants afflicted with tuberculosis resident within the county in which the hospital is located and all such persons shall be entitled to occupancy nursing care treatment and maintenance according to the rules and regulations prescribed by the county commissioners The county commissioners may exclude from the use of the hospital any person who wilfully violates any rule or regulation adopted for the hospital by said county commissioners The county commissioners may charge and collect from persons admitted to the hospital or persons legally responsible for their maintenance reasonable compensation for the care treatment and maintenance of such persons but free treatment shall be given to all such persons who are after reasonable investigation found to be unable to pay

Section 630 PATIENTS FROM OTHER COUNTIES DONATIONS The county commissioners may admit patients to said hospital who are resident within any other county of the Commonwealth provided such other county agrees to reimburse the county in which the hospital is located for all charges in connection with the admission maintenance care and treatment of such patient Authority is hereby conferred upon all counties in the State to pay to any other county in which such hospital is located reasonable charges for patients cared for by said hospital resident in the county paying such charges All money received from the care and maintenance of patients or from gifts or donations shall be paid into the county treasury and shall be used only for the maintenance of such hospitals County commissioners are authorized and empowered to receive contributions donations property and trust funds for the erection and maintenance of hospitals as provided in this act

Section 631 APPROPRIATIONS TAX LEVY The advisory board herein provided for shall by December thirty-first of each year furnish to the county commissioners and the county controller if any a schedule of expenses deemed necessary for the maintenance and operation of the hospital for the ensuing year and the county commissioners shall after considering the schedule submitted by the advisory board annually make appropriations deemed by them sufficient to properly manage and operate said hospital The county commissioners shall levy a special tax sufficient to produce the moneys appropriated to said hospital which tax shall be collected in the same manner as other county taxes and shall be paid into the county treasury All payments from the county treasury shall be made by warrant of the county commissioners countersigned by the county controller if any in the usual manner

Section 632 INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS The county commissioners of every county establishing a hospital as provided for in this act may incur or increase the indebtedness of the county in the manner now provided by law to an amount sufficient to pay the cost of acquiring a site and of erecting constructing and equipping the said hospital by issuing coupon bonds at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and payable within thirty years from the date of issue The county commissioners shall levy an annual tax in an amount necessary to pay interest and sinking fund charges upon such bonds

Section 633 HOSPITALS ESTABLISHED UNDER OTHER LAWS In any county where any such hospital has been or is now being erected or where proceedings have been instituted under the provisions of any act of assembly heretofore repealed such proceedings and hospital may be completed and the said hospital may thereafter be managed and operated in accordance with the provisions of this act

(h) Institutions for Delinquent Women

Section 635 POWER TO PROVIDE INSTITUTIONS FOR DELINQUENT WOMEN The county commissioners of any county or the county commissioners of two or more counties acting together by and with the approval of the Department of Welfare shall have the authority and are hereby authorized to purchase a farm or plot of ground and erect buildings thereon or add to and improve buildings already erected and make improvements thereon and thereto or to erect buildings or add to and improve buildings already erected on land already owned by such county or counties as may be convenient and necessary for the use and purpose of providing a separate institution for the detention maintenance employment and education of delinquent women of such county or counties as hereinafter provided

Section 636 PURPOSE OF INSTITUTION Such institution shall receive and maintain women who have been convicted of or plead guilty to the commission of any criminal offense punishable under the laws of this State and who have been sentenced to imprisonment for one year or less All the laws applicable to prisoners so far as they relate to the commutation of imprisonment for good behavior all existing parole laws now applicable to prisoners in county jails and all laws with respect to escaped prisoners shall be applicable to the inmates of such institution

Section 637 DIVISION OF EXPENSE OF JOINT INSTITUTIONS Whenever two or more counties acting together shall erect any such institution they shall bear the

expenses of establishing and maintaining such institution as follows The original cost of the site and buildings of the institution and all additions thereto and all fixed overhead charges in conducting the institution shall be paid by the said counties in the ratio of their population according to the last preceding United States census The cost of the care and maintenance of the inmates shall be certified monthly to the counties from which inmates have been committed Such cost shall be paid by the counties establishing such institution in proportion to the number of inmates committed from each county All payments shall be on requisition of the authorities in charge of such institution and on warrant of the county commissioners countersigned by the county controller Provided however That nothing in this section shall prevent the counties from agreeing to a different basis for apportioning the expenses

Section 638 STANDARDS OF ADMINISTRATION The Department of Welfare is hereby authorized and directed to prescribe certain minimum standards of equipment management and administration of such institutions and to require conformity with such standards of equipment management and administration

Section 639 ADMINISTRATION Such institution shall be under the control of the prison authorities of the county or counties establishing such institution subject to the inspection and supervision of the Department of Welfare as in the case of county institutions supervised by such department as provided by the Administrative Code and by an act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred forty-four) entitled "An act creating a Department of Public Welfare defining its powers and duties abolishing the Board of Public Charities the Committee on Lunacy and the Prison Labor Commission and all offices thereunder and vesting all the powers of said board committee and commission in the Department of Public Welfare requiring all reports notices statements or matters heretofore required to be made given or submitted to the Board of Public Charities or the Committee on Lunacy to be made given or submitted to the Department of Public Welfare and providing penalties" The prison authorities shall provide a system of treatment training employment and instruction in such institution as may be useful to the inmates thereof and shall appoint a woman superintendent of such institution who shall hold office during the pleasure of the prison authorities

Section 640 PRISONERS FROM OTHER COUNTIES Such institution shall receive prisoners of other counties on such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by such counties In the case of failure to agree the Department of Welfare shall prescribe the terms and conditions for receiving such prisoners The county from which such prisoner shall be sentenced shall pay the expenses of transportation to and from such institution

Section 641 TRANSFER OF PRISONERS Should the Department of Welfare upon investigation find any condition to exist in any county prison of this State which in its opinion is unsuitable to the proper maintenance custody welfare or training of the women inmates thereof or of the women committed thereto or being treated detained or residing therein it shall require and supervise the transfer of such women prisoners to any institution established by this act or to any public penal or correctional institutions or private incorporated institution subject to the supervision of the Department of Welfare Provided That such transfer shall be made with the consent of the court by which the prisoner was committed and in case of transfer to a private institution with the consent of the institution to which such transfer is made Provided however this section shall not apply to any prisoner sentenced for a period of more than one year Thereafter the courts of such county shall commit all women prisoners who have been sentenced for a period not to exceed one year direct to the institution designated by the Department of Welfare

Section 642 TERMS OF TRANSFERS In the case of transfer to a public or private incorporated institution the transfer shall be under the terms and conditions prescribed by the Department of Welfare and such prisoners transferred shall remain subject to all laws applicable to prisoners confined in institutions established by this act

Section 643 EARNINGS OF PRISONERS The earnings of such inmates shall accrue to the benefit of the county or counties establishing such home except such portion as the Department of Welfare shall credit to each inmate to be paid on her discharge or before as provided by the Department of Welfare

Section 644 EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION All the property real and personal authorized to be held by virtue of this act shall be exempt from taxation

(i) Parks Playgrounds Playfields Gymnasiums Baths Swimming Pools and Indoor Recreation Centers

Section 650 POWER TO ACQUIRE LAND AND BUILDINGS The county commissioners of any county may designate and set apart for use as parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers any lands or buildings owned by such county and not dedicated or devoted to other public use The county commissioners may also acquire lands or buildings for such purposes by gift or purchase or may lease lands or buildings in such county for temporary use for such purposes

Section 651 EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE The authority to supervise and maintain parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers may be vested in any existing body or board or in a park board or recreation board as the county commissioners may determine The county commissioners of the county may equip operate and maintain the parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths or indoor recreation centers as authorized by this act and may for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act employ play leaders recreation directors supervisors superintendents or any other officers or employes as they deem proper

Section 652 PARK AND RECREATION BOARDS If the county commissioners shall determine that the power to supervise parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or recreation centers shall be exercised by a park board or recreation board they may establish in said county such park board or recreation board which shall possess all the powers and be subject to all responsibilities of the respective county commissioners Either such boards when established shall consist of five persons The members of such boards shall be appointed by the commissioners of such county and shall serve for terms of five years or until their successors are appointed except that the members of such board first appointed shall be appointed for such terms that the term of one member shall expire annually thereafter Members of such board shall serve without pay Women shall be eligible for appointment Vacancies in such board occurring otherwise than by expiration of term shall be for the unexpired term and shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments

Section 653 OFFICERS OF BOARD The members of a park board or recreation board established pursuant to this act shall elect their own chairman and secretary and select all other necessary officers to serve for a period of one year and may with the consent and approval of the county commissioners employ such persons as may be needed as authorized by this act Such boards shall have power to adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of all business within their jurisdiction

Section 654 JOINT ACTION Any county may jointly with any other county or any city borough township or school district acquire property for and operate and maintain any parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public baths swimming pools or indoor recreation centers

Section 655 INDEBTEDNESS The county commissioners may issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands or building for parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths or indoor recreation centers and for the equipment thereof

Section 656 PAYMENT OF EXPENSES TAXATION All expenses incurred in the operation of such parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums swimming pools public baths and indoor recreation centers established as herein provided shall be payable from the treasury of such county The county commissioners may annually appropriate and cause to be raised by taxation such tax not to exceed two mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in such county for the

purpose of maintaining and operating parks playgrounds playfields gymnasiums public swimming pools and recreation centers

(j) Parks in Second Class Counties

Section 660 COUNTIES OF SECOND CLASS MAY PROVIDE PARKS It shall be lawful for and the right and power is hereby conferred upon the counties of the second class of this Commonwealth to enter upon take use and appropriate by the right of eminent domain and to acquire by purchase lease gift devise or otherwise private property for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending operating and maintaining public parks within the limits of such counties whenever the county commissioners thereof shall by resolution determine thereon

Section 661 EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS In all cases wherein counties of the second class of this Commonwealth shall enter upon take use and appropriate private property for the aforesaid purpose by resolution of the county commissioners if the compensation and damages arising therefrom cannot be agreed upon by the owners thereof in such counties such compensation and damages shall be considered ascertained determined awarded and paid in the manner provided in this act for such proceedings

Section 662 TITLE ACQUIRED IN EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS In every case of the taking of property by eminent domain hereunder the county shall acquire the entire title whether in fee or otherwise held by the owner or owners of said property or of any interest therein

Section 663 IMPROVEMENTS IN PARKS The said county commissioners shall have the power to govern manage operate lay out plant and ornament the said public parks and to maintain the same in good order and repair and to construct all proper bridges buildings roadways lakes golf courses playgrounds and other improvements therein and to make rules and regulations for the conduct of the patrons thereof and to repress all disorders therein under the provisions hereinafter contained

Section 664 PARK BUILDINGS The said county commissioners shall have exclusive power to lease all houses cottages and buildings within the park limits which may be let without prejudice to the interest and purpose of the park and to collect the rents

Section 665 USE OF RECEIPTS All rents license charges and fees all fines proceeds of sales except of lands purchased and profits of whatsoever kind to be collected received or however realized shall be paid into the county treasury as a fund to be exclusively appropriated by the county commissioners for park purposes Provided That moneys or property given or bequeathed to the county commissioners upon specified trusts shall be received and receipted for by the county treasurer and held and applied according to the trusts specified

Section 666 PENALTIES Any person who shall violate any of said rules and regulations which shall be ordained by the said county commissioners for the government of said public parks not inconsistent with this act or the laws and Constitutions of this State and the United States the power to ordain which rules and regulations is hereby expressly given to said commissioners shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay such fine as may be prescribed by said county commissioners to be recovered before any alderman or justice of the peace of said county which fines shall be paid into the county treasury

Section 667 DAMAGES FORFEITURE OF LEASES Any person violating any of said rules and regulations shall be further liable to the full extent of any damage by him or her committed in trespass or other action and any tenant or licensed party who shall violate the said rules and regulations or any of them or consent to or permit the same to be violated on his or her or their premises shall forfeit his or her or their lease or license and shall be liable to be forthwith removed by a vote of the county commissioners and every lease and license shall contain a clause making it cause of forfeiture for the lessee or party licensed to violate or permit or suffer any violation of said rules and regulations or any of them

Section 668 EMPLOYES POLICE For the purpose of performing all necessary duties relating to the establishing making enlarging extending and maintaining public parks and for enforcing the rules and regulations ordained by the county commissioners for the conduct of the patrons thereof the said county commissioners are hereby authorized to employ or appoint and equip proper persons to do all necessary and proper work connected therewith including police duty the compensation of all persons so employed to be fixed by the salary board of said county

Section 669 DUTY OF POLICE It shall be the duty of the police appointed to duty in said public parks without warrant forthwith to arrest any offender against the rules and regulations ordained by the said county commissioners that they may detect in the commission of such offense and to take the person so arrested forthwith before a magistrate or alderman or justice of the peace having competent jurisdiction

Section 670 INDEBTEDNESS TAXATION The county commissioners of said counties may issue bonds and may annually appropriate and cause to be raised by taxation such taxes not to exceed one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in such county for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending and maintaining such public park

(k) Disposing of Real Property of County

Section 675 AUTHORITY TO SELL REAL PROPERTY The board of commissioners may sell any real property belonging to the county on petition to the court of common pleas setting forth a description of the property to be sold and the reason therefor the court shall thereupon fix a day for hearing and notice of which shall be given in at least two newspapers in said county of general circulation once a week for three consecutive weeks After hearing the court shall make such order and decree as shall seem right and proper Such sale shall be returned to the following term of court as orphans' court sales are now returned and said court shall confirm or refuse to confirm said sales as it may deem best for the interests of the county

Section 676 CONVEYANCE OF REAL ESTATE The board of commissioners shall make a deed of any real estate belonging to the county which they are authorized to sell under their hands and seals as commissioners with the seal of the county attached and the same shall be a good and lawful conveyance in fee simple

ARTICLE IX

BRIDGES VIADUCTS AND CULVERTS

(a) General Provisions

Section 701 CONTRACTS FOR OVER FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS It is unlawful for any county commissioners to make any contract for over five hundred dollars ($500) to build rebuild or repair any county bridge without first advertising for at least three weeks or in case of emergency one week for sealed bids or proposals to build rebuild or repair such bridge in at least three newspapers published in the county where said proposals or bids are asked for Such advertisement shall contain the description of the repairs or plans of the kind of bridge required the time when the proposals or bids shall be closed and when said bids or proposals shall be opened When the contract is for the building of a bridge the plans and specifications therefor or a copy thereof shall be kept in the office of the county commissioners open to the inspection of all intending bidders during such advertising and until the time specified therein for the reception of bids In the case of a bridge to be erected over a river or stream upon the line between the adjoining counties the advertising shall be done in each of said counties and a copy of the plans and specifications shall be kept in the commissioners' office of each county

Section 702 PENALTY If any county commissioner violates any of the provisions of the preceding section of this act or if any county commissioner or any person shall do or permit anything which prevents fair competition in the making or submission of bids for such building rebuilding or repair they shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or be imprisoned not exceeding two years or both

Section 703 FILING OF SECURITY WITH PROPOSALS OPENING OF BIDS The proposals or bids must be accompanied with such security as the county commissioners may

...ture which must be filed with the chief clerk or some one in charge of the commissioners' office at least one hour before the time fixed for the opening of the bids or proposals The time of filing bids and the person's name with whom filed must be marked on the outside of said bids

All bids or proposals shall be opened in public and in the presence of not less than two of the county commissioners and the chief clerk and a record made of each and every bid

Section 704 AWARDING OF CONTRACT RE-ADVERTISING The commissioners shall as soon as possible after the time fixed for the opening of said bids award the contract for the building rebuilding or repair of said bridge to the lowest responsible bidder upon the condition that said bidder must within ten days after notice of award of said contract sign and execute a contract for the faithful performance of the proposal and furnish a bond in a sum not exceeding the amount of the contract which contract and bond shall first be approved by the court of quarter sessions If the lowest bidder neglects to comply with the conditions of his bid within the time required the commissioners shall award the same to the next lowest bidder In case all bids are too high or unreasonable in the opinion of the commissioners they may reject any and all bids and advertise for new bids

Section 705 COMPENSATION FOR ADDITIONAL WORK In all cases where bridges shall have been or may be erected for a county and deviations from or alterations in the plan contracted for have been made by the direction of the county commissioners where the county commissioners and builders cannot agree upon the compensation to be made therefor it shall be lawful for such builder to recover any sum to which he may be justly entitled for such deviations and alterations beyond the contract price in an action for work labor and service done and performed and material found and provided

Section 706 INSPECTION Every bridge erected by the commissioners of any county or under contract with them shall upon completion be inspected by three fit persons one of whom shall be a surveyor to be appointed by the court of quarter sessions who shall make report of their findings to the court Such inspectors shall before they proceed make oath or affirmation before any person authorized to administer oaths to perform their duty impartially and according to the best of their judgment Such viewers shall receive three dollars a day and the surveyor five dollars a day and five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in the discharge of their duties The expense of the inspection shall be paid by the county but if such bridge shall not be approved the expense shall be recoverable by such county as damages against the delinquent commissioner or contractor

Section 707 PAYMENT ON CONTRACT If any such bridge shall be approved by the court and the same shall have been erected under contract with the commissioners the money due under such contract shall be paid agreeably thereto

Section 708 DEDUCTION OF PART OF CONTRACT PRICE If the persons appointed to inspect any bridge erected by contract shall not approve of the same they shall report to the court what sum in their judgment ought to be deducted from the sum stipulated in such contract and thereupon the court shall grant a rule upon the builder or contractor to show cause against said report at a time and place in such rule to be named

Section 709 ACTION ON CONTRACT OR PROCEDURE ON RULE After the service and return of such rule it shall be lawful for the builder or contractor to file a declaration or statement in the court of common pleas of the respective county upon the contract made by him with the commissioners and thereupon proceed to trial in due course in like manner as if an action had been commended by him upon such contract against the county or at his election he may show cause against the said report and thereupon the court of quarter sessions shall determine the matter as justice and equity shall require

Section 710 BRIDGE ERECTED BY COMMISSIONERS When any bridge shall have been erected by the commissioners of the county or under their superintendence if the same shall not be approved by the inspectors they shall report in what respect such bridge is deficient and whether or not the same has occurred through the default neglect or official misconduct of the commissioners or any of them and what in their judgment is the value of such bridge Thereupon the court shall in like manner grant a rule upon the commissioners to show cause against such report

Section 711 PROCEDURE ON RULE After the service and return of such rule it shall be lawful for the commissioners to have an issue directed upon the said report to the court of common pleas to be tried by a jury or at their election they may show cause against the same and thereupon the court of quarter sessions shall determine the matter as justice and equity shall require

Section 712 COUNTY MAY RECOVER AGAINST DELINQUENT COMMISSIONERS If it shall appear upon the trial of such issue or upon investigation by the court that through the neglect or official misconduct of any one or more of the commissioners such bridge is insufficient or that it has been erected at an expense greater than its value it shall be lawful for the county to recover against such delinquent commissioner or commissioners the damages sustained by reason of his or their default

Section 713 BUILDING OR REBUILDING WITHOUT CONSENT OF GRAND JURY IN EMERGENCIES When a county bridge wholly within any county or on the boundary line between any two counties has been or shall hereafter be destroyed or partially destroyed or rendered impassable or becomes insufficient or inadequate to accommodate public travel or in any other case of emergency it becomes necessary to construct or reconstruct any such bridge without the delay occasioned by the report of a grand jury or grand juries the county commissioners of any such county or of any two counties in case of a joint county bridge may upon the approval of the court or courts of quarter sessions of such county or counties erect and construct a new bridge or reconstruct any partially destroyed insufficient or inadequate bridge to take the place of such wholly or partially destroyed or insufficient or inadequate bridge

Section 714 BRIDGES ON BOUNDARY BETWEEN TWO COUNTIES Whenever any bridge contemplated by any of the provisions of this article is on the boundary line between two counties or within one-fourth of a mile therefrom and necessary for the accommodation of the inhabitants of both counties the commissioners of such counties shall act jointly in the exercise of all powers conferred upon them and in the performance of all duties imposed upon them Whenever a petition of residents or taxpayers is required such petition shall be made by the required number of petitioners in each county to the court of quarter sessions or the court of common pleas as the case may be of their county Whenever any other petitions are required such petitions shall be made to each of such courts Whenever the approval of the grand jury is required the grand juries of both counties shall give their approval Each of the courts shall act on such petitions and shall communicate its approval or disapproval and that of the grand jury to the other court

Whenever the appointment of viewers or inspectors is required the court of each county shall appoint a full number of such viewers or inspectors The total number thereof shall act together in the view or inspection and shall make their joint report and recommendations to each court Exceptions to the report of viewers may be filed in and appeals therefrom made to the courts of either county in which case the courts of said two counties sitting together shall hear and determine the same Whenever publication of notice is required such publications shall be made in each county The approval of both boards of commissioners and of both courts shall be necessary in order to authorize any action requiring such approval

Section 715 PAYMENT OF COST TOLLS RENTALS All expenses in connection with any matters affecting any such bridge shall be borne by the two counties jointly in equal proportions or in any other proportions as the commissioners of the several counties may agree upon Whenever it is necessary for any counties in the construction of any joint county bridge or in joint acquisition of any toll bridge to issue bonds in payment of such construction erection or acquisition the commissioners of said counties may with the consent of the State Department of Highways if the cost of such bridge was in excess of four hundred thousand dollars assess supervise and collect such tolls for the use of said bridge for all traffic as may be necessary to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment and redemption of the same within thirty years from the date of the issue thereof and to pay also the costs and expenses of operating and maintaining such bridge between the time of construction thereof

and the date of the redemption of the last of said bonds to be redeemed by such tolls The tolls so collected shall be distributed between such counties in proportion to the amount paid in by each county in the original construction or acquisition and in no case shall any tolls be collected after the redemption of the original bonds issued All moneys received from rentals for special use shall be divided between them in the same proportion Such bridge shall be a joint county bridge

Section 716 WIDENING STRAIGHTENING ALTERING OR CHANGING COURSE OF UNNAVIGABLE STREAM FOR PROTECTION OF COUNTY BRIDGES Whenever in the erection construction repair or maintenance of any county bridge it becomes necessary for the safety of said bridge to widen straighten alter or change the course of any unnavigable stream it shall be lawful for the county to enter upon abutting or adjacent land and to widen straighten alter or change the course of such unnavigable stream in such manner as will insure the safety of such county bridge and in connection with such entry to take injure and destroy any necessary land or property in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 717 DYKES BANKS CAUSEWAYS AND SLUICEWAYS FOR PROTECTION OF BRIDGES AND HIGHWAYS The board of commissioners for the purpose of protecting any county bridge or bridges the abutments thereof and approaches thereto and any public highway adjacent to the same from the incursions of the tide floods or waters of any creek rivulet or other stream and so as to prolong the life of said structures may erect and maintain dykes banks causeways and sluiceways over on and across any creek rivulet or other stream not navigable and which creek rivulet or other stream is affected by the rise and fall of the tide floods or waters of any creek rivulet or other stream and secure a right of way for proper ingress and egress thereto upon first securing consent of the owners of the land bordering on said creek rivulet or other stream and also securing consent of the owners of the from the source to the mouth of said creek rivulet or other stream

Section 718 MATERIALS TAKEN FROM ADJOINING LANDS It is lawful for the contractors or board of commissioners in building any county bridge to enter upon the lands and enclosures near to the place where such bridge is to be built for the purpose of searching for and procuring the materials necessary for the building of such bridge when such materials cannot be conveniently obtained by contract at reasonable prices In exercising such right they shall do no unnecessary damage to the owners of the land and shall repair any breaches of fences which they make

Section 719 ASCERTAINING DAMAGES If the contractors or board of commissioners and the owner of such materials cannot agree upon the sum to be paid for the damages which may be done by the taking of such materials such damages shall be estimated by any two of such three persons as may be agreed upon by the contractors or board of commissioners and owners

Section 720 WHEN PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON DAMAGES If the contractors or board of commissioners and owner cannot agree upon any person to estimate the value of the materials taken the owner may apply to a justice of the peace residing near the place from which such materials are to be taken Such justice shall appoint three persons one on the nomination of the contractors or board of commissioners one on the nomination of the owner of such materials and the third on his own suggestion The decision of the persons so appointed or any two of them shall be entered upon the docket of such justice and shall be final If either party shall after due notice refuse or neglect to nominate such person the justice shall appoint a person in his stead

Section 721 DAMAGES TO BE PAID OR SECURED Such damages shall be ascertained and paid or secured to be paid to the satisfaction of the owner of such materials before the same may be dug quarried or removed by such contractors or board of commissioners

Section 722 LIGHTING OF COUNTY BRIDGES Whenever considered necessary for the safety and convenience of the traveling public the county commissioners of any county within which a county bridge is erected or the county commissioners of two or more counties acting together with regard to any bridge located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties may supply and equip any county bridge within their respective counties with lights of any kind and character as they shall deem necessary Any such county bridge more than eight hundred feet in length shall be supplied and equipped with lights

To carry out the provisions of this act the county commissioners severally or jointly are authorized to contract with any individual or with any municipal or private corporation for the purpose of supplying the necessary light

The cost of the construction erection and maintenance of any light placed upon any such bridge shall be paid by the county or by the two or more counties as may be agreed upon by the county commissioners of said counties

Section 723 REPAIR OF COUNTY BRIDGES The county commissioners shall repair all county bridges heretofore erected or that may be hereafter erected by the county where no other provision is made for the maintenance thereof and shall pay the expenses of such repairs out of the county treasury

Section 724 PAINTING AND TIGHTENING OF BOLTS OF IRON AND STEEL BRIDGES The county commissioners shall have the county bridges of their respective counties which are constructed of iron or steel painted and the bolts of the same drawn as often as may be necessary to preserve them from the effects of rust and prevent unnecessary wear occasioned by loose bolts

Section 725 CONTRACTS FOR WORK Whenever it may be necessary to paint any of the county bridges and tighten the bolts thereof as required by the preceding section where the cost of such work exceeds two hundred and fifty dollars the county commissioner shall cause to be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in two newspapers of the county a list of such bridges stating their location and specifying the kind and quantity of paint to be used and asking for sealed bids for furnishing the material and doing the work upon each separate bridge which bids shall be opened on the first Monday following the close of said four weeks or as soon thereafter as practicable The contract for material and work upon each bridge shall be given to the lowest and best bidder

Section 726 REPAIR OF BRIDGES VIADUCTS AND SUBWAYS WHEN LIABILITY FOR SUCH REPAIRS IS IN DOUBT Whenever any bridge viaduct or subway carrying a public highway over or under a railroad street railway or other highway in any county of the Commonwealth is out of repair and an application has been made to the Public Service Commission to compel the repair thereof from which proceedings it appears that there is a contest between two or more municipal authorities or between such authorities and one or more public service corporations as to the liability for such repair and that the cost thereof is not in dispute the petitioner or petitioners or any other person or corporation interested may forthwith apply to the county commissioners of such county for the prompt repair thereof

Section 727 APPLICATIONS TO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AUTHORITY TO ACT Such application shall be made by serving upon the county commissioners a certified copy of the petition and each of the answers on file before the Public Service Commission After such service the county commissioners may take such steps as may be necessary to place said bridge viaduct or subway in repair and safe for public travel

Section 728 CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS WORK Should the county commissioners find it impracticable to make such repairs with county funds they shall so notify the complainant in the proceedings instituted before the Public Service Commission Thereupon any individual corporation or association interested in having such repairs made may contribute to a fund deposited with the county treasurer for the purpose of making such repairs When said fund shall become sufficient for said purpose the commissioners shall take the necessary steps to place said bridge viaduct or subway in repair and safe for public travel Said repairs may be made partly from such contributions and partly from public funds if the commissioners find it expedient so to do

Section 729 COLLECTION OF COSTS OF REPAIRS RETURN OF CONTRIBUTIONS The cost of said repair shall be kept by the commissioners in an open account until there has been a final adjudication of the proceedings before the Public Service Commission whereupon the amount so expended together with five per centum of such amount to cover the cost

of supervision of the work shall be collected as awards of the Public Service Commission are collected and shall be paid into the county treasury Thereupon or in case the contributions aforesaid are insufficient to cause said work to be undertaken any contributions which may have been made as aforesaid shall be returned to the contributors

Section 730 TEMPORARY SUBSTITUTES FOR BRIDGES Where county bridges have been or shall hereafter be destroyed or rendered impassable by fire storm flood or other casualty the county commissioners may provide at the expense of the county ferries or other temporary ways as a substitute for such destroyed or impassable bridges until such county bridges shall be rebuilt or rendered it for public travel Where a county bridge spans a stream which is the boundary between two counties of this Commonwealth and the bridge across such stream has been built and maintained at the joint expense of said adjoining counties the establishment and maintenance of such ferry or temporary way shall be by the joint discretionary action of the boards of commissioners of said counties and the expense thereof shall be borne by said counties in equal share

Section 731 BRIDGE FOR PEDESTRIANS ONLY When the county commissioners of any county have been legally authorized to erect a county bridge and when in the exercise of their discretion it is found that a bridge for pedestrians only will sufficiently accommodate public travel at the place in quetsion they are authorized to erect such bridge instead of a bridge for general traffic

Section 732 REBUILDING INSUFFICIENT BRIDGE Whenever it shall appear to the commissioners that any county bridge is not sufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel they may upon the approval of the court of quarter sessions and of the grand jury erect and construct a new and sufficient bridge to take the place of the insufficient destroyed or partially destroyed bridge Such new bridge when constructed shall be a county bridge

Section 733 REBUILDING BRIDGES WHOLLY OR PARTLY DESTROYED The county commissioners shall rebuild and reconstruct all bridges heretofore built or that may hereafter be erected by the county commissioners whether constructed under general special or local laws whenever any such bridge has been or shall hereafter be blown down destroyed partially destroyed or swept away by floods freshets ice storm fire or other casualty at the expense of the county wherein such bridge was located

For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this section the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitations at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and to issue bonds therefor in sums not exceeding five hundred dollars each

Section 734 CLOSING VACATING ABANDONING AND REMOVING Whenever it shall appear to the commissioners of any county that any county bridge has from any cause become burdensome and is no longer necessary for the accommodation of public travel they may upon the approval of the grand jury and court of quarter sessions close vacate abandon and remove said bridge

Section 735 CONTRACTS WITH RAILROAD COMPANIES FOR USE PURCHASE REMOVAL REPLACING OR EXCHANGE OF COUNTY BRIDGES Any railroad company which has heretofore located or may hereafter locate its railroad upon any county bridge may contract and agree with the commissioners of said county for the use purchase removal replacing or exchange of such bridge or for the compensation to be paid to said county by said company for the use and occupancy of said bridge or such parts thereof as may be used and occupied by said railroad company For such purpose the commissioners may contract and agree with said company and may do all acts necessary and proper to effectually carry out such contract

All moneys due and all obligations incurred by said companies under said agreements and contracts may be collected and enforced in the same manner as debts of like amount are now recovered and similar obligations enforced in this Commonwealth

Section 736 RESTRICTIONS AND SAVINGS CLAUSE No bridge erected under the provisions of this act shall obstruct any canal or railroad over which such bridge may be erected

Nothing in this article shall relieve railroad or other companies of the Commonwealth from the requirements of existing laws

(b) Authorization and Construction

1 Taking over or assisting with Township and Municipal Bridges

Section 751 ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE Whenever the erection and construction of any new bridge or of any bridge to take the place of an existing bridge over a river creek rivulet or canal or over or under a railroad and forming part of any street road or highway in any city borough town or township is necessary and requires more expense than it is reasonable that such city borough town or township or any two of them when they are adjoining should bear the court of quarter sessions shall upon the representation of the proper authorities of the respective city borough or town or of the supervisors of the township or on the petition of any inhabitants of the respective city borough or township order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court grand jury and commissioners of the county that such bridge is necessary and would be too expensive for such city borough town or township or any two of them adjoining to bear it may in the discretion of the county commissioners be entered on record as a county bridge

Section 752 CHANGE IN LOCATION OF BRIDGE AND ROADS When such bridge is to take the place of an existing bridge the viewers may change the location of such bridge so that it may be located and erected in the most suitable place or at the least expense or in the best manner and in the case of the change of location of such bridge they shall also report what change in the course or bed of the road to be connected therewith will be necessary and shall also report the vacation of the old or existing bridge and the vacation of such portion of the road connecting therewith as they may deem proper The viewers shall cause every such variation to be accurately surveyed and a plot thereof to be made and returned with their report Upon the approval of their report such roads shall be altered accordingly

Section 753 ESTIMATE OF COST TAX LEVY ERECTION Whenever a bridge shall be authorized and recorded as a county bridge it shall be the duty of the commissioners to procure an estimate of the cost thereof and provide in the county levies the monies necessary to defray the same and proceed to have such bridge erected by contract or otherwise as shall seem to them expedient

Section 754 ENTERING EMBANKMENTS AND CAUSEWAYS ON RECORD AS COUNTY IMPROVEMENTS Where a river creek or rivulet over which it may be necessary to erect a bridge crosses a public road or highway and the erecting of such bridge requires the erection and construction of an embankment or causeway leading to either end of said bridge the erection of which embankment or causeway requires more expense than it is reasonable that one or two adjoining townships should bear the court having jurisdiction shall upon the representation of the township commissioners or supervisors or on the petition of any of the inhabitants of the respective townships order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court that for the use and enjoyment of said bridge by the public it is necessary to erect and construct an embankment or causeway the erection and construction of which would be too expensive for such township or townships to bear it may in the discretion of the county commissioners be entered on record as a county improvement and constructed as county bridges are erected

Section 755 ASSISTANCE IN BUILDING BRIDGES NOT ENTERED AS COUNTY BRIDGES When it is found by the report of viewers by the court and by the grand jury that a bridge is necessary and that the erection of such bridge will require more expense than it is reasonable that the one or more adjoining townships boroughs or cities of the third class shall bear and the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridge on record as a county bridge but shall consider it proper to assist such township or townships or such city of the third class or such borough in building the same they may either build such bridge or any portion or portions thereof or furnish such township or townships or city of the third class or borough the whole or part of the money necessary to build it without entering such bridge on record as a county bridge

Section 756 RECORD TO BE KEPT BY COUNTY MAINTENANCE REPAIR AND REBUILDING BY TOWNSHIP OR MUNICIPALITIES The county commissioners shall keep a record of all their proceedings in such cases and such bridges shall be maintained kept in repair and rebuilt when necessary by the respective townships boroughs or cities of the third class and the county shall in no event be liable for the same

Section 757 ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE Whenever the county commissioners of any county have heretofore assisted or shall hereafter assist any township or borough in the building of the whole or any portion of a bridge and it shall afterwards appear to the commissioners and to the court of quarter sessions that the care maintenance and responsibility of said bridge is greater than it is reasonable that the said township or borough should bear they may with the approval of said court enter such bridge upon record as a county bridge and it shall thereafter be a county bridge the same as if it had originally been so entered on record

Section 758—BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP BRIDGES DONATED TO COUNTY Whenever a public bridge has been built or maintained by any borough or township or both or by any two townships and used by the public for travel the county commissioners may take the same as a county bridge whenever the proper authorities having the maintenance supervision and control of such bridge shall tender the same to said county commissioners free and without charge therefor Any bridge so taken shall thereafter be maintained and kept in repair as a county bridge

2 On Action of County Commissioners

Section 771 BRIDGES AND APPROACHES AUTHORIZED The county commissioners of any county upon the approval of a grand jury and of the court of quarter sessions may locate lay out open construct and maintain public bridges across any river or stream whether such bridge is wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein together with such bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches as the county commissioners or a majority of them may deem necessary or convenient for the purpose of connecting any such bridge with the existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships and to that end may take enter upon appropriate property and rights of property of all kinds whether devoted to a public or private use for the purposes aforesaid and for the necessary slopes piers walls abutments fills and embankments in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act and may enter upon or over any street public highway or public road in such cities boroughs or townships

Section 772 PLANS AND SURVEYS PETITION TO QUARTER SESSIONS Whenever the county commissioners of any county shall resolve to exercise any of the powers conferred by the preceding section they shall cause to be prepared plans and surveys showing the location of the proposed bridge and its approaches and the property or rights of property affected thereby together with any streets or public roads in any city borough or township proposed to be used in connection therewith and they shall present the same together with their petition on behalf of said county to the court of quarter sessions praying for authority to locate lay out open and construct such bridge Such petition shall briefly describe the location and the estimated cost of such bridge or if the method of construction has not been fully determined the estimated cost thereof for each alternative method of construction proposed

Section 773 HEARING AND DECREE Upon the filing of any such application or petition the court shall fix a time for the hearing of the same by and refer the same to the grand jury Notice of the time place and purpose of said hearing shall be given by an advertisement published once a week for three successive weeks in at least one newspaper of general circulation in such county and by handbills posted in conspicuous places along or in the neighborhood of the proposed bridge and its approaches or otherwise as the court shall direct

If the grand jury by a majority vote shall approve said application or petition it shall thereupon certify its approval to said court whereupon the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than ten days thereafter for the filing of exceptions thereto Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said application otherwise it shall make an order approving the location and the plans and surveys therefor and authorize such county to construct such bridge and its approaches and to let a contract or contracts therefor under specifications to be prepared by the county engineer or other proper county authority Thereupon the said bridge and its approaches shall be deemed to be laid out and opened in accordance with the surveys and plans accompanying said petition

Section 774 APPROVAL OF STATE OR FEDERAL OFFICERS BOARD OR BODY CHANGE IN LOCATION Where the proposed bridge crosses any navigable stream or other public water or the property rights of property or rights of way of any railroad or other public service corporation and by reason thereof the approval of any State or Federal officer board or body is required as to the location and construction of such a bridge or its approaches such county shall be deemed to have full and complete authority to construct such bridge in such other location and in such other manner as may be necessary to comply with the conditions prescribed by such officer board or body in granting such approval Provided The county commissioners of such county be of the opinion and by resolution duly adopted by a majority vote so decide that the bridge as thus changed is necessary for the convenience of the traveling public and will accommodate substantially the same traveling public as the bridge would have done if it had been constructed at the location and in the manner originally provided

Upon the adoption of any such resolution and prior to the construction of such bridge and the entry upon and taking of property for that purpose such county through its county commissioners shall present its petition to the court of quarter sessions of said county briefly setting forth the facts as to the obtaining of such approval and the change made in consequence thereof and the adoption of such resolution together with plans and surveys showing the new location and manner of construction and an estimate showing the cost of construction of such bridge as thus changed and if the proceedings shall appear to be regular the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than twenty days thereafter for the filing of exceptions thereto Notice of the time and place of hearing on said exceptions shall be given by advertisement published once a week for two successive weeks in at least two newspapers of general circulation in such county and by handbills posted in conspicuous places along or in the neighborhood of the proposed bridge and its approaches or otherwise as the court shall direct having regard to the circumstances of the case Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said petition otherwise it shall thereupon make a decree authorizing and empowering said county to contract such bridge in accordance with such new plans and surveys and thereupon such bridge shall be deemed to have been laid out and opened in accordance with such plans and surveys

Section 775 CONTRACTS FOR SPECIAL USE OF BRIDGE The county commissioners of any county may make and enter into contracts or leases with any street railway telegraph telephone or other corporation or persons desiring to make use of said bridge and its approaches for other than ordinary public foot or vehicle traffic and with the successors and assigns of such corporations for the concurrent use of such portion of said public bridge and approaches as shall not substantially impair or restrict the public use and enjoyment thereof upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon or to charge tolls or rentals for such special use No such contract or lease shall be entered into for a longer period than twenty years nor unless such contract or lease shall be first approved by the Public Service Commission of this Commonwealth

Section 776 CONSENT OF CITY OR BOROUGH Should any board of county commissioners in the exercise of the powers herein conferred deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon any street or public highway in any city or borough or to take any other action affecting the property rights or authority of any such city or borough for the purpose of constructing or maintaining any such bridge with its approaches and other appurtenances or otherwise the con-

sent thereto of such city or borough by ordinance shall be first had and obtained

Section 777 COUNTY AUTHORIZED TO CONTRACT WITH CITY OR BOROUGH When such bridge is proposed to be located or erected in any city or borough the county may agree that such city or borough may bear a portion of the cost of the locating laying out opening and constructing of such bridge and its approaches and appurtenances and that the city or borough may provide the approach therefor and bear the cost of the maintenance of any approach within the respective city or borough as shall be agreed upon between any such county and such city or borough All such agreements shall be entered into in writing and at least one executed copy shall be furnished to each county city and borough becoming a party thereto

Section 778 APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX LEVY Any county constructing a bridge under the provisions of sub-division (b) 2 of this article may appropriate and pay out of the general county funds all moneys necessary for said purposes and may levy assess and collect taxes for the purposes aforesaid on all real and personal property within said county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes in addition to all other taxes

Section 779 INCURRING OF INDEBTEDNESS Any county constructing a bridge under the provisions of subdivision (b) 2 of this article may pursuant to a resolution adopted for that purpose by a majority of the county commissioners of such county borrow money and incur indebtedness for the purpose aforesaid to an amount not exceeding the limit of indebtedness prescribed by the laws regulating the manner of increasing such indebtedness and may also fund any indebtedness incurred for the purpose aforesaid It may issue as evidence of such indebtedness registered and coupon bonds or either of them payable within thirty years from the date of their issue and bearing interests at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum payable semi-annually which bonds shall not be sold at less than their par value and accrued interest Such county may also levy and collect taxes on all taxable property in such county in addition to all other taxes for the purpose of paying such indebtedness and interest thereon Any county incurring such indebtedness shall at or before the time of incurring the same make provision for a sinking-fund to pay at maturity all indebtedness so incurred and interest thereon.

Section 780 TO BE COUNTY BRIDGE MAINTENANCE AND EXPENSES All such bridges shall be county bridges and the duty of maintaining the same shall except as otherwise herein provided devolve upon the county and the expense thereof shall be paid out of the general county funds provided for that purpose

3 Between Municipalities on Petition of Resident Taxpayers

Section 791 PETITION FOR BRIDGE OR CULVERT APPOINTMENT OF VIEWERS Whenever any city and borough or township or any borough and township are separated by a river creek or rivulet the court of quarter sessions of the county in which said city and borough or township are situated upon petition by not less than twenty-five resident taxpayers of said county representing that the erection of said bridge or culvert over said river creek or rivulet is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel and praying that the county shall erect a bridge or culvert over such river creek or rivulet and between such city and borough or township shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers to view the locality suggested in said petition for a bridge or culvert and to make report of their proceedings to the court at the next term thereof.

Section 792 DUTIES OF VIEWERS The viewers after having given three weeks public notice in at least one newspaper published in said county nearest the locality of the proposed bridge or culvert of the time and place of their meeting and after having been severally sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment justly and with fidelity and a true report to make shall view the locality mentioned in the petition asking for their appointment If they shall find that there is occasion for a bridge or culvert as prayed for they shall proceed to locate the position for the same having due regard to the convenience and accommodation of public travel and the estimated or probable cost thereof

Section 793 REPORT OF VIEWERS The viewers shall make report of their proceedings to the next term of said court or at such other time as the court may direct and in their report shall state

First Who of them were present at the view and whether they were severally sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment justly and with fidelity and a true report to make

Second Whether the bridge or culvert desired is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel and the estimated cost of the same

Third If their report is favorable to the erection thereof the place where they have located said bridge or culvert

If the report of the viewers favors the erection of a bridge or culvert they shall attach to their report a map or draft setting forth the location thereof

Section 794 PROCEEDINGS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORT OF VIEWERS Upon presentation of said report to the court if the court shall approve of the same it shall be confirmed nisi After such confirmation said report shall immediately be presented to the grand jury and if it shall appear to them that the erection of said bridge or culvert is necessary for the accommodation and convenience of public travel they shall approve the same After such approval said report shall at once be presented to the county commissioners who shall either approve or disapprove the same If the report is approved by them and if no exceptions are filed thereto within ten days after its approval by the county commissioners the confirmation of the said court shall be made absolute and the county commissioners shall record the same as a county bridge or culvert and shall at once proceed to construct said bridge or culvert with the necessary approaches After its construction they shall maintain and keep the same in good repair at the expense of said county

Should the county commissioners for a period of two years after presentation of said report to them following the confirmation nisi by the court and the approval thereof by the grand jury neglect or refuse to approve or disapprove of said report then the court shall on application by any of the original petitioners for said bridge or culvert after due notice to the county commissioners if no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary order the confirmation of said report to be made absolute and direct that the same be recorded as a county bridge or culvert and that the commissioners shall at once proceed with the construction thereof and of all necessary approaches

Section 795 GROUND FOR APPROACHES For the purpose of securing the proper and necessary approaches for said bridge or culvert the commissioners of the county in which such approaches are situated if unable to procure suitable land therefor may enter upon and occupy sufficent ground for said approaches and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of thie act

Section 796 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY PURCHASE BRIDGES ALREADY ERECTED If instead of building a new bridge the county commissioners can purchase any new bridge already erected at a cost not exceeding ten per centum of what a new bridge can be built for they may make such purchase upon the recommendation of the viewers Such viewers shall also in their report file an estimate of the actual value of such existing bridge or what said bridge can be built for The amount expended by the county commissioners for such purchase shall not exceed the estimate filed by the viewers

Any street car company having the right of passage over any such bridge shall continue to exercise said franchise after the purchase of such bridge by the county

Section 797 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY BORROW MONEY For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of subdivision (b) 3 of this article the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitation if necessary for the purpose aforesaid at a rate of interest not to exceed five per centum and to issue bonds therefor

4 Joint Action of Counties or County and City

Section 801 BUILDING OR REBUILDING Whenever it is necessary to erect a bridge on the boundary line between

two counties either to take the place of an inter county bridge which has become insufficient for any cause to accommodate public travel or to provide a new bridge where none has previously been such counties may jointly build or rebuild such bridge after first having obtained the approval of a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions in each county

Section 802 JOINING WITH CITY When such bridge is on the dividing line between two counties which is also the dividing line between one county and a city in the other county and such city has authority to build or rebuild such bridge or to join with any county therein said county may join with said city in the other county in building or rebuilding such bridge In such case the approval of a grand jury and the court of quarter sessions of the county so joining with a city only shall be required

Section 803 COST STATUS The cost of such bridge shall be paid in such proportions as shall be agreed upon by the two counties or by the county and city so joining Such bridge when built shall be an inter-county bridge and be subject to all provisions of existing laws relating to inter-county bridges

Section 804 TAKING OF LANDS Whenever in the construction of a bridge lands are taken in any county joining in such construction and damages are sustained by the owner or owners of such lands the county commissioners in the county where the lands are located when possible shall enter into an agreement with such owner or owners as to the amount of damages to be paid to such owner or owners If a satisfactory agreement cannot be made as to said damages they shall be ascertained and paid in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act The damages shall in either event be paid by the county in which the lands are located

(c) Acquisition of Bridges

1 Toll Bridges

Section 811 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION On petition to the court of quarter sessions by at least twenty taxpayers of any county wherein a toll bridge is situated representing that said bridge is necessary for the accommodation of public travel and that payment of tolls on such bridge is burdensome to the traveling public and praying that the same shall be taken as county bridge and the approval of such petition of the court such county may purchase or condemn such toll bridge

Section 812 WHEN PRICE CANNOT BE AGREED UPON If the county desiring to obtain any such bridge with the approaches and appurtenances thereto is unable to agree with the owner or owners of the bridge upon the price to be paid therefor it may take and obtain the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 813 TO BE PUBLIC BRIDGE TOLLS OR RENTALS FOR SPECIAL USE PRESERVATION OF EXISTING CONTRACTS Whenever any such bridge shall be purchased or condemned the county shall control maintain and use the said bridge as a public bridge free from tolls but it shall have power to charge tolls or rentals for the use thereof from railway telephone telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel Where contracts exist between such persons and the owners of the bridge such contract shall be preserved for the benefit of the county and shall be assigned thereto

2 Acquiring and Rebuilding Bridges Privately Owned or Built by Public Subscription

Section 821 REBUILDING WHEN DESTROYED OR ABANDONED The county commissioners of any county may take charge of or rebuild and reconstruct any bridge owned and maintained by corporations where the same has been destroyed by ice or otherwise within ten years or abandoned by the owners where such bridge crosses any stream or river running into or through such county

Any bridge used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties being on the line of a public highway or deemed necessary for the use of the traveling public and owned and maintained by corporations or by private persons or which was built by public subscriptions which has been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which has been or may be abandoned and the site or location and piers and abutments no longer used by the owners may be rebuilt and maintained jointly as a county bridge by the county commissioners of such counties and the costs and expenses of such joint reconstruction shall be paid by the said counties respectively in the proportion of the population thereof as ascertained at the last census

Section 822 MANDAMUS ON PETITION OF TAXPAYERS IF COMMISSIONERS NEGLECT OR REFUSE TO ACT If the commissioners of said county or counties shall neglect or refuse to act as herein provided then upon the petition or petitions to the court or courts of common pleas of fifty property owners and taxpayers residing in each city borough or townships in which the bridge is or was located said court or courts may issue a writ or writs of mandamus to said commissioners to proceed as provided by the preceeding section Such petition or petitions shall set forth fully all the facts and shall be supported by the affidavit of five of said property owners and taxpayers

Section 823 PROCEDURE WHEN DAMAGES CANNOT BE AGREED ON When said commissioners have taken any piers abutments approaches toll houses or other property necessary for the rebuilding and maintenance of any such bridge or have taken or impaired any rights or franchises relating to the same and are unable to agree with the owners upon the amount of damages shall be ascertained and paid in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 824 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE AUTHORIZED For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of subdivision C (2) of this article the county commissioners are hereby authorized to borrow any sum of money not exceeding the constitutional limitations if necessary for the purpose aforesaid at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum and issue bonds therefor not exceeding five hundred dollars each Said bonds to be payable at the option of the commissioners of the county issuing the same after five years and within ten years from the date of issue

3 Erected by private Persons or by Public Subscriptions and Donated to County

Section 831 ACCEPTANCE TAKING CHARGE OF AND ENTERING ON RECORD AS COUNTY BRIDGE The county commissioners of any county may accept take charge of and enter upon the records as a county bridge any bridge over any stream or river running into or through any county which bridge has been erected and constructed at the expense of private persons or by public subscriptions and has been opened to free public travel used by the public and become necessarily and convenient for the use of the public upon notice in writing of the persons who erected or caused the same to be erected or by the subscribers to the original subscription on which the money was raised to erect the same or the heirs or assigns of such persons or subscribers or by a duly authorized board of trustees representing such persons or subscribers of their desire to donate the said bridge to the county wherein the same is situated Where such bridge crosses a stream forming the boundary line between two counties the persons or their heirs or assigns subscribers or trustees representing them as aforesaid shall give notice in writing to the county commissioners of each of said counties of their desire to donate such bridge to said counties jointly

Section 832 PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING NECESSITY OF BRIDGE Before said bridge is accepted by the county commissioners the question of its necessity shall be determined in the following manner The said county commissioners shall at the next term of the court of quarter sessions after receiving the notice present the same to said court and petition for the appointment of three viewers and where said bridge crosses a stream being the boundary line between two counties shall present the same to the court of quarter sessions of each county for the appointment of three viewers by each of said courts The viewers shall immediately fix a time of meeting and give personal notice thereof to the county commissioners and to all other persons by publication in two newspapers published in the county once a week for two consecutive weeks the last publication of said notice to be not less than ten days prior to the meeting of said viewers At the time fixed for said meeting said viewers shall meet at the bridge and after being sworn to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity and according

to the best of their judgment shall view the bridge and the approaches leading thereto and hear any and all persons interested therein and may if necessary adjourn to a subsequent time or times After a full consideration the viewers shall report to the court of quarter sessions by which they were appointed at the next session thereof Such report shall state that said viewers gave notice and were sworn as required herein that they met at the bridge in question and viewed the same together with the approaches leading thereto the condition of the bridge and whether or not in their judgment the same is necessary and convenient to accommodate travel The report of said viewers shall lie over until the then next session of said court and if no exceptions to the proceedings be filed in the mean time the court shall confirm said report absolutely The commissioners shall thereupon enter said bridge upon the records as a county bridge or joint county bridge as the case may be

Section 833 PROCEDURE IF EXCEPTIONS ARE FILED In case exceptions to the proceedings provided in the preceding section are filed within the time therein specified the said proceedings shall stay until the exceptions are disposed of by the court in which they are filed If said exceptions are sustained proceedings de novo may be instituted at the next or any subsequent session of said court

Section 834 PAYMENT OF COSTS All costs shall be paid out of the treasury of the county The owners of said bridge shall pay the amount of said costs into the county treasury in all such cases as the court by order may direct and the county commissioners may require the owners of said bridges to file a bond together with their notice in a sufficient sum to secure the payment of the same

4 Leasing of Toll Bridges

Section 841 LEASING OF TOLL BRIDGES OR RIGHT TO USE SAME Whenever a toll bridge owned or maintained by a bridge company or corporation organized and existing under the laws of this Commonwealth shall span a river or stream in this Commonwealth and such bridge or any portion thereof is or shall be used solely by the public for general highway purposes or by the public for such purposes concurrently with the use of the same by any railroad company or street railway company engaged as a common carrier and a majority of the county commissioners of any county or of the respective counties interested shall by resolution declare such bridge or any portion thereof necessary for the accommodation of the public for general highway purposes and that the payment of tolls on such bridge is burdensome to the public using the same for such purposes then and in any such event any such county separately or such counties jointly shall have the power to enter into a contract with such bridge company or corporation whereby such bridge company or corporation may lease to such county or counties such bridge or such portion or portions thereof as may be used by the public for general highway purposes for the use of the same by the public for said purposes free from the payment of tolls at such rental or rentals and for such definite term of years not to exceed twenty (20) years in duration and upon such other terms and conditions as may be agreed upon and as a majority of the county commissioners of such county or counties shall deem reasonable and proper or enter into a lease with such bridge company or corporation providing for the use during a definite period not exceeding twenty years of any such bridge or any portion thereof by the public for general highway purposes free from the payment of tolls during the term of any such contract subject to the concurrent use of such bridge or any portion thereof by any railroad company or street railway company engaged as a common carrier and making use of the said bridge or any portion thereof which lease shall contain such terms of payment for such use by the public of such bridge or any portion thereof an such other terms provisions and conditions as may be agreed upon and as the county commissioners of said county or counties shall deem reasonable and proper

Section 842 NO TOLLS TO BE CHARGED No tolls shall be charged the public for the use of said bridge or any portion thereof for general highway purposes during the term of any such lease or any such contract

Section 843 PAYMENT OF RENTAL AND EXPENSES The rental or compensation to be paid to any such bridge company or corporation and the expense of maintenance and repair and any other expense and obligation shall be born and paid by any such county or by the several counties respectively in such proportions as may be agreed upon by the county commissioners or the county commissioners of the respective counties

Section 844 APPROVAL OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Any such contract entered into under the provisions of this act shall be approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth in the manner prescribed by law

Section 845 APPROPRIATIONS TAX LEVIES INDEBTEDNESS The several counties shall have power to appropriate money levy taxes and to incur indebtedness for the purpose of complying with the provisions of any contract entered into under the provisions of subdivision (c) 4 of this article

(d) Joint Action with Municipalities

Section 851 CITY BRIDGES BENEFITING NEIGHBORING TOWNSHIPS Whenever different parts of any city or any part of such city and any township bordering thereon are separated therefrom by any intervening valley or ravine and the county commissioners of such county shall decide it necessary that a public bridge for the purpose of connecting the territories thus separated be constructed and that such bridge will be of substantial advantage and benefit to the taxable inhabitants of the township bordering thereon or townships adjacent thereto such county may contract with such city for the laying out and construction by such city of such bridge and may pay to the city such portion of the cost thereof as the county commissioners shall deem reasonable and shall appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor

Section 852 MUNICIPAL BRIDGES WHERE COUNTY MIGHT HAVE BUILT BRIDGE Where under the provisions of existing laws a city of the third class a borough or a township of the first class is authorized to construct a bridge or viaduct over a river creek or stream or other place over which the county is authorized to build bridges and such municipality is authorized to contract with the county and with railroads street railways and other companies or parties interested for the building and maintenance of such bridge or viaduct and for the payment of any damages caused by the location or erection thereof the county commissioners may with the approval of the court of quarter sessions contract with such city borough or township for that part or portion of the bridge or viaduct which crosses any of the places hereinbefore mentioned including the abutments and piers thereof Such part shall thereafter be maintained as a county bridge In lieu thereof the county commissioners may with the approval of the court contract for any part or portion of the whole structure equal to or greater than the part or portion which the county might have built

Section 853 CONTRIBUTION WHERE COUNTY MIGHT NOT HAVE BUILT BRIDGE When such bridge or viaduct is built by a borough or township of the first class and does not cross any place over which the county is authorized to construct a bridge but crosses merely railroad or railroads and private property the county commissioners may subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions contract to pay an amount of money not exceeding thirty per centum of the entire cost of the proposed bridge or viaduct Such bridge or viaduct shall thereafter be maintained as a borough or township structure and the county shall not be liable for any part of the cost of maintenance or repair thereof

Section 854 STIPULATIONS OF CONTRACTS The contracts herein provided for may stipulate that the county shall pay a certain part or portion of the whole contract price or cost of the work including damages or may stipulate that the county shall construct or pay for the construction of a certain part or portion of the work and may otherwise provide for the payment of the damages The amount to be paid by the county shall be paid directly to the contractor as may be provided by the contract The agreements may also provide for the maintenance of the viaducts and bridges after their erection

Section 855 CONTRACTS FOR WORK After any such contract has been entered into the county commissioners in conjunction with the city borough or township shall have prepared plans and specifications of the entire work and shall advertise for bids and award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder Such contract shall provide that the county shall pay its certain part of such bridge or viaduct directly to the contractor The contractor shall have a right of action against the county for the part of the contract which the county agrees to pay

Section 856 CONTRACTS MAY BE RECORDED Any of the contracts hereinabove provided for may be recorded in the recorder's office Such record shall be notice to all persons who might be affected thereby

Section 857 PURCHASE OR CONDEMNATION OF PUBLIC TOLL BRIDGES Where under the provisions of existing laws a borough or other municipality may purchase condemn and maintain any toll bridge crossing any river or stream within the limits of such borough or municipality and may enter into contracts with the county commissioners whereby the county shall pay a portion of the costs thereof the county commissioners may upon petition of at least twenty tax payers of the county to the court of quarter sessions and the approval thereof by the court enter into such contract upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon for the purchase appropriation or condemnation of such bridge The contract may stipulate that the borough or municipality and county shall each pay a certain portion of the purchase price or the damage allowed by any condemnation proceedings and may also provide for the maintenance and repair of such bridge The amount to be paid by the county shall be paid into the borough or municipal treasury and shall be applied solely to the payment of such bridge

ARTICLE X

ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

(a) Authorization Construction and Maintenance

1 County Roads to be Maintained as Such

Section 871 ESTABLISHMENT OF COUNTY ROADS For the purpose of providing public roads specially constructed improved and maintained the county commissioners may upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions originally lay out and open any public road or highway and take possession of and exercise control over any existing township road or highway or part thereof and may construct and maintain public roads or highways as county roads within their respective limits Either at the time of and in connection with the original improvement of such road or at any time thereafter they may straighten widen extend and alter any such road or part thereof and vacate so much thereof as may become unnecessary and useless Any road or highway so taken over or improved shall thereupon become a county road It shall be the duty of the county to keep and maintain all county roads in repair whether improved under this or former acts of assembly the expense thereof to be paid by such county in the manner hereinafter provided

Section 872 JOINT ACTION BY COUNTIES Such powers may also be exercised jointly by adjoining counties as to roads extending along and adjacent to county lines and from one adjoining county into another

The procedure and jurisdiction in each county in such cases shall be the same as to the portion or portions of such public road or highways lying within its limits except that the petition plans and surveys of such road or highway shall describe and exhibit the portion or portions of such road or highway within the limits of such county and the portion or portions thereof extending along the line of or into an adjoining county The several portions thereof lying within limits of each county shall be treated in all proceedings as one continuous road or highway

Section 873 TO BE COUNTY ROAD AS SOON AS SO DECREED All roads highways and parts thereof heretofore and hereafter decreed by the court under this or any former acts of assembly to be a county road shall be subject to the control and supervision of the county commissioners Upon the decree or order making an existing township road or part thereof a county road the same shall immediately be kept in repair made constructed and maintained by the county and the township relieved of any duty thereto as a township road

Section 874 MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF COUNTY ROADS AND TURNPIKES The commissioners shall have prepared plans and estimates as often as required for the repair and maintenace of abandoned or condemned turnpike roads and of all public roads or highways which may be originally located or improved as county roads or which have been originally located or improved as township roads and have become county roads They may invite proposals for maintaining and repairing such roads or parts thereof in accordance with such plans and estimates and award the contract therefor in like manner as contracts for new improvements or they may make the necessary repairs themselves For the purpose of making such repairs the commissioners may employ or appoint the proper persons and buy the necessary machinery and materials

Section 875 ANNUAL TAX The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within said county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in locating opening building improving widening straightening extending maintaining repairing or vacating of the roads and highways or parts thereof covered by the provisions of subdivision (a) 1 of this article and for the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be necessary in constructing and maintaining proper slopes embankments fills and culverts The moneys so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purposes than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the persons charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 876 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE The county commissioners may borrow money and secure any indebtedness created by them for the purpose of building improving repairing and maintaining the public roads and highways now constructed or to be constructed as aforesaid by issuing bonds not to exceed in the aggregate two (2) per centum of the total assessed value of all property for taxable purposes in such county at the last proceeding triennial valuation No such bond or indebtedness shall bear interest at a rate exceeding five (5) per centum per annum The county commissioners shall not issue bonds in any one year to an amount exceeding one-half (½) of one (1) per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in said county as shown by the last triennial assessment The amount of bonds issued in any one year in excess of one-tenth (1-10) of one (1) per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in said county as shown by the last triennial assessment shall be approved by the grand jury and the court of quarter sessions

Section 877 CHANGING PART OF ROAD WITHOUT VIEW Whenever the board of commissioners deem it advisable to construct change or alter any part of any public road under their supervision and can agree with the property owners affected by such change as to damages they may upon payment of the damages agreed upon change or alter such part of such public road as contemplated in such agreement without the formality of a view This authority shall not extend to any change or alteration of any part of any public road the costs and expenses of which to such county including damages shall exceed three hundred dollars A petition setting forth the facts accompanied by a map or draft of such proposed change shall be presented to the court of quarter sessions for approval before such actual change is made whereupon the new location thus approved by the court shall be the public road to all intents and purposes and the old location shall be vacated

Section 878 ASSESSMENT OF BENEFITS IN SECOND CLASS COUNTIES Whenever in any county of the second class any road or highway shall be originally located laid out or constructed or relocated opened straightened widened

tended or altered or any part thereof vacated the viewers appointed to assess damages for taking injuring or destroying property after having determined the amount of damages sustained shall assess the whole or such part of such damages as may be represented by benefits upon the properties abutting on and benefited by such improvements The remaining part of such damages if any not so assessed against the abutting properties shall be paid by the county The total assessments for benefits shall in no case exceed the total damages awarded and agreed upon

The viewers shall in such cases file their report showing the balance struck between the damages awarded and the benefits assessed

Section 879 INTEREST ON BENEFITS ASSESSED All assessments for benefits in counties of the second class shall bear interest at the expiration of thirty days after they have been finally determined and fixed and shall be payable to the treasurer of the county

Section 880 LIENS FOR BENEFITS ASSESSED All liens for the assessment of benefits pursuant to the provisions of the two preceding sections of this act shall be filed revived and collected by the proper officer of the county appointed and authorized so to do by the county commissioners in the manner provided by the general law

No appeal taken shall prevent the filing of liens by any county for any assessment made by virtue of the viewers' report but upon the final determination of the issue the court may make such order as to any lien filed that shall appear right and proper

2 System of Main Thoroughfares Adopted Laid Out and Constructed by County and Becoming Borough and Township Roads

Section 891 ADOPTION OF SYSTEM OF MAIN THOROUGHFARES The board of county commissioners may within two years from the commencement of the improvement of the roads of the county in the manner provided by the following section of this act cause to be laid out surveyed and adopted a system of main thoroughfares which said board shall adjudge the proper roads to be established and specially constructed and improved in adopting such system the commissioners shal lconsider the population and needs of all parts of the county and make an equitable distribution of the roads to be specially constructed located and improved by the said county They shall cause a plan or plans to be made showing said system of proposed roads the relation of the proposed roads to existing public roads which connect therewith or are to be supplied thereby the names of abutting property owners and also roads which already have been improved by the county Upon approval of said plan or plans by the commissioners they shall cause said approval to be engrossed upon said plans and certified over the signature of a majority Said plans shall be filed for public inspection in the office of the commissioners and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in a book to be provided for the purpose

No part of the proposed roads of said system shall be an easement upon private property or in any manner interfere with the use thereof until established as a public road by the action of the court of quarter sessions

Section 892 IMPROVEMENT OF BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP ROADS Whenever such system of main thoroughfares has been adopted or when the adoption thereof is contemplated within two years after the commencement of such improvement the commissioners may upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided take exclusive control of any improved public road or highway or section thereof located either wholly or in part in any borough or township within their limits whether existing by their authority or laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act or otherwise For that purpose they may originally locate lay out establish in whole or in part relocate straighten widen extend alter and open public roads and highways and construct and improve the same and vacate so much of any roads as may be thereby rendered unnecessary and useless Any road or highway as established or altered constructed and improved under the provisions of this section shall by ordinance enacted by the borough councils of the borough or several boroughs or by resolution adopted by the commissioners or supervisors of the township or several townships through which such road shall pass become borough or township roads and the duty of maintaining and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the proper township or borough through or into which the same extends

Section 893 PLAN OF SYSTEM TO BE FOLLOWED VARIATIONS After such plans have been adopted and recorded either under the authority of this act or in pursuance of the provisions of any law repealed by this act all applications under the preceding section of this act to the court of quarter sessions shall be restricted and relate to the establishing opening construction and improvement of the proposed roads of said system or parts thereof and the vacation of roads supplied by the portion opened and improved Provided That the commissioners upon approval by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided are empowered to relocate straighten widen extend alter and open construct and improve the proposed public roads as laid out surveyed marked and shown upon said plans of said system or to originally locate lay out and establish construct and improve public roads which substantially supply said system or parts thereof which although not parts of said system are deemed by the grand jury and court to be main thoroughfares of sufficient importance to be improved by the county and to be added to said plan and in such case to vacate so much of the roads of said system and of public roads already established as may be rendered unnecessary by the changes or by an entirely new location

Section 894 IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS NOT PART OF SYSTEMS ON CONTRIBUTION FROM PARTIES INTERESTED The commissioners may also originally locate lay out and establish in whole or in part relocate straighten widen extend alter and open construct and improve public roads not parts of said system nor deemed main thoroughfares upon manner to be approved by the court of quarter sessions such parties interested therein paying or securing to be paid in a proportion of the cost of the original construction and improvement as the commissioners may deem just which shall not be less than one-fourth of such cost in any case

Section 895 ANNUAL TAX The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs and damages and expenses required in locating opening widening straightening extending building improving maintaining repairing or vacating of the roads and highways or parts thereof improved under the provisions of subdivision (a) two of this article and for the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be made necessary in constructing and maintaining proper slopes embankments fills and culverts The moneys so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty and the amount of time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 896 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE Any county may borrow money and secure such indebtedness by issuing bonds for the purpose of building and improving the public roads and highways or any part thereof constructed under the provisions of subdivision (a) two of this article Such indebtedness shall not exceed in the aggregate one (1) per centum of the total of the assessed value of all property for taxable purposes in said county at the last preceding triennial valuation No such bond or indebtedness shall bear interest at a rate exceeding four per centum per annum

The county commissioners shall not issue bonds in any one year to an amount exceeding one-half of one per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes in the county as shown by the last triennial assessment The amount of bonds issued in any one year in excess of one-tenth of one per centum of the total valuation of all property for taxable purposes as shown by the last triennial assessment shall be approved by the grand jury and the court of quarter sessions

3 Highways Bridges Tunnels Subways and Underground Roads

Section 901 LOCATION CONSTRUCTION OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE AUTHORIZED Counties may whenever the commissioners shall deem it expedient so to do and upon the approval thereof by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided cause to be located constructed operated and maintained a public highway bridge tunnel subways or underground road or highways bridges tunnels subways or underground roads anywhere within the county either wholly or partly within the territorial limits of cities boroughs and townships thereof Any highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road constructed under the provisions of this act shall forever thereafter be a county highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road and the duty of maintaining and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the county The expense thereof shall be paid by the county as hereinafter provided

Section 902 CONTRACTS OR LEASE FOR SPECIAL USE OF IMPROVEMENT The county commissioners may subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions make and enter into a contract or lease with any street railway or transportation company its successors and assigns for the concurrent use of such a portion of said public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road as shall not substantially impair or restrict the public use and enjoyment thereof upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon No such contract or lease for the concurrent use of a portion of such improvement shall be for a longer term or period than twenty years

Section 903 TAKING STREET OR OTHER PROPERTY OF CITY OR BOROUGH Should any board of county commissioners deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon or appropriate any highway street or property of any city or borough in the county or take any other action affecting the property rights or authority of such city or borough for the purpose of constructing or maintaining a highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road or otherwise the consent thereto of such city or borough by ordinance shall be obtained before the actual entering in or upon or the appropriation of such street highway or property After such entry and appropriation the county shall be liable and charged with the supervision control and maintenance of said highway streets and properties or so much thereof as is taken and used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining such highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road

Section 904 ANNUAL TAX LEVY The commissioners or a majority of them may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills on the dollar on all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs and damages and expenses required in locating opening constructing maintaining and repairing public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads constructed under the provisions of subdivision (a) 3 of this article and the taking using and enjoying of such land as may be made necessary in constructing the same and in maintaining proper slopes embankments approaches and termini for said public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the commissioners or a majority of them in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 905 BORROWING MONEY AND BOND ISSUE Any county may borrow money and incur indebtedness to an amount in the aggregate not exceeding one-half of one per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in said county as fixed by the last preceding assessed valuation thereof for the construction of such public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads or for the purpose of funding any indebtedness incurred therefor and may issue as evidence thereof registered or coupon bonds payable within thirty years from the date of their issue and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum payable annually or semi-annually Said bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest

The commissioners or a majority of them may make provision for a sinking-fund to pay at maturity any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred as hereinbefore provided and may levy and collect taxes on all the taxable property in the several counties in addition to all other taxes for the purpose of paying the same

4 General Provisions

Section 916 PROCEDURE TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF QUARTER SESSIONS When the county commissioners shall resolve to exercise any of the powers conferred by any of the preceeding sections of this article they shall cause to be prepared surveys and plans of such road or highways or such public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road showing the improvement proposed to be made together with any proposed changes in existing public roads or highways and they shall present such surveys and plans together with their petition on behalf of such county to the court of quarter sessions praying for authority to make such improvement Such petition shall briefly describe the proposed improvement and the estimated cost thereof and if the method of construction has not been fully determined the estimated cost thereof in each of several methods in which the improvement may be made

On the filing of such application or petition the court shall refer the same to and fix a time for the hearing of the same by the grand jury when in session Notice of said hearing shall be given by an advertisement published at least ten days prior to the hearing in two newspapers of general circulation in the county which notice shall briefly describe the location of the improvement proposed to be made and the time place and purpose of said hearing If the grand jury by a majority vote shall approve the petition it shall thereupon certify its approval to said court whereupon the court shall make an order fixing a time not less than five days thereafter within which exceptions to said petition may be filed Upon the hearing thereof the court may for proper cause shown disapprove of said application otherwise said court shall approve said application and shall thereupon order that said improvement shall be made and constructed in accordance with the plans and surveys accompanying the application Thereupon any original location re-location opening widening straightening extension alteration or vacation of any road set forth in said proceedings and the right to proceed with such improvement shall become absolute

The words "improved" or "Improvement" as herein used mean each and every power conferred upon counties under the terms of any of the preceeding sections of this article

Section 917 RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN For the purposes herein described the county commissioners may enter upon private or public property and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure prescribed by article seven of this act

Section 918 CONTRACTS FOR IMPROVEMENTS After said surveys and plans and the aforesaid applications to the court of quarter sessions have been approved by the court and the road highway or the public highway bridge tunnel subway or underground road ordered to be made and constructed in accordance therewith the commissioners or a majority of them shall invite proposals for the making and constructing of the same or such part or parts of the same as the commissioners shall deem proper by publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in said county or if no newspaper be published in said county then in a newspaper or newspapers published in the nearest adjoining county once a week for four consecutive weeks fixing a time therein when such proposals will be opened and contracts therefor awarded In addition to the notices so ordered to be given for publication there shall be posted in the office of said commissioners like notices as those now given inviting proposals for the construction and repair of all public highways and bridges The contract as aforesaid shall be awarded by the said commissioners or a majority of them to the lowest responsible bidder No contract shall be awarded for any of said public work until proper bonds shall be given for the faithful performance thereof by the person or persons

to whom the same shall be awarded with proper security to be approved by said commissioners or a majority of them Any incorporated company doing buisiness within any of said counties authorized by law to become security for persons or corporations may be taken and accepted as surety upon the bonds herein required to be given

Section 919 EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS TO PREPARE SURVEYS PLANS AND ESTIMATES For the purpose of performing all necessary dutics relating to the making of such improvements and keeping the same in repair the county commissioners may employ or appoint proper persons to prepare surveys plans and estimates and do all necessary and proper work connected therewith and shall fix the compensation of all persons so employed

Section 920 PROCEDURE WHERE PROPERTY IS LEFT WITHOUT OUTLET BY REASON OF VACATING OF PART OF OLD ROAD Whenever by reason of the relocating opening widening straightening or extending of any road or highway or any part thereof any part of the road or highway so relocated opened extended straightened or widened shall become useless and vacated and the property of one owner shall intervene between the new road or highway and the lands of another having no other outlet by reason of said relocation opening extending straightening and widening it shall be the duty of the said county commissioners to obtain from the owner of said intervening property and the owner of the said contiguous or adjoining land an agreement for the transfer thereof from one to the other upon terms satisfactory to such parties If the parties shall not agree to the transfer of the properties so intervening upon the new road and any such lot or piece of land in the opinion of the said county commissioners be insufficient for building purposes it shall be taken and used as part of said road or highway

Section 921 PARTIES MAKING APPLICATION FOR NEW ROAD TO NOTIFY LOCAL ROAD AUTHORITIES In all cases wherein any proceedings are about to be had before any board of commissioners or courts of this Commonwealth by petition to said courts or commissioners looking to the laying out opening and construction of new roads for public use it shall be the duty of the parties making application to the board of commissioners or to the courts for the appointment of viewers reviewers or re-reviewers to lay out open or construct such public road to give written notice of such application to the supervisors or commissioners of roads and highways of the territory through which the proposed public road is designated to be laid out and constructed of the time and place of such application and of the time and place of the meeting of viewers reviewers or re-reviewers A copy of said written notice properly attested shall be filed among the records of the court having cognizance of the matters Failure to comply with the provisions of this section as to such notice shall be sufficient grounds for an application to set aside whatever proceedings may have been taken of which said supervisors or commissioners of roads and highways had no written notice

Section 922 UNLAWFUL TO RAISE HIGHWAY ABOVE ORDINARY GRADE OVER DRAIN OR CULVERT In the construction or repair of any highway it shall be unlawful for the person or persons in charge of such construction or repair to raise such highway or permit the same to be raised or elevated above the ordinary grade thereof when a drain or culvert shall be constructed under said highway or when such highway shall be constructed or repaired over such drain or culvert

(b) Vacation as County Roads

Section 931 VACATION AS COUNTY ROADS Upon petition of the county commissioners the court of quarter sessions may vacate as a county road any portion or portions of any abandoned or condemned turnpike road or any portion or portions of any turnpike road purchased by the county or of any road the permanent location or improvement whereof has been ordered or made under this or former acts relating to county roads All portions of such roads so vacated shall become and be township roads Written notice of the contents of said petition and the time when the same will be presented to the court shall be given by the county commissioners to the supervisors or commissioners of the township or townships through which said road passes at least ten days before the date of presenting the same At the time said petition is presented the court may fix a time for a hearing in open court or refer the matter to an examiner to take testimony and report his findings to the court at such time as the court shall direct At any hearing in open court or before an examiner appointed by the court all parties in interest may appear and be heard After such hearing the court if it shall find that the conditions prescribed by this act has been complied with may grant the prayer of the petitioners and make a decree according or make such order in the premises as to right and justice shall appertain

(c) Continuous Highways from one County to Another

Section 936 LAYING OUT ALTERING VACATING Roads forming or intended to form a continuous highway from one county to another which cross a river creek or rivulet forming a boundary line between said counties may be laid out or altered or vacated in the manner provided in the case of other roads except that the court of quarter sessions of each county shall appoint three viewers and that a report as aforesaid shall be made to each court respectively and that each court shall otherwise have and exercise concurrent jurisdiction therein

Section 937 JOINT COUNTY BRIDGE ON LINE OF HIGHWAY Whenever roads are laid out altered or vacated as referred to in the preceding section of this act over a river creek or rivulet and in such laying out altering or vacating of said road it becomes necessary to vacate an existing bridge and construct a joint county bridge on a different site the same viewers who view the laying out altering or vacating of said road shall at the same time have the authority to locate a new joint county bridge on the route of the road as laid out altered or vacated and the report on the road and joint county bridge shall be made in the same report and shall be returned to each of the courts as soon as said report is completed Provided That in the petition for the view of the road there is contained a request for relocation of said joint county bridge Before any such road and joint county bridge shall be finally confirmed by the court the same shall be approved by a grand jury and the court in each of the respective counties and after the approval of such road and joint county bridge by said grand juries and courts the report shall be confirmed "nisi" by the courts of each county which report shall become absolute in thirty days unless exceptions thereto be filed in the manner provided by law If exception be filed the said courts shall hear said exceptions and make final decree either confirming said report or setting it aside as is now provided by law in similar cases

Section 938 ERECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF BRIDGE Any such bridge when authorized and located shall be erected constructed maintained and kept in repair in the manner provided by Article IX of this act for bridges erected on the line of adjoining counties

(d) Purchase and Condemnation of Turnpikes

Section 941 PURCHASE BY COUNTY Twenty-five or more resident taxpayers of any county in which any turnpike road or highway heretofore or hereafter constructed is wholly or partly located and upon which tolls are charged the traveling public under any general or special law may present their petition to the board of commissioners setting forth that it would be for the best interests of the people of the county that such turnpike road or highway of any continuous part thereof extending to one of the terminal points of said turnpike road or highway or lying within the limits of any borough should be purchased by the county and become a public road free from tolls and toll-gates Whereupon the board of commissioners may enter into negotiations with the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof for the purchase of the same and if the price therefor can be mutually agreed upon it shall be paid by the board of commissioners

The county commissioners of any county not having sufficient funds not other wise appropriated to pay for any turnpike road or highway or part thereof purchased under the provisions of this section may issue bonds of the said county in accordance with the Constitution and existing laws of this Commonwealth for that purpose

The provisions of this section shall not apply to any turnpike road or highway or part thereof which now forms or

may hereafter form a part of the State highway system of this Commonwealth

Section 942 CONDEMNATION If said board of commissioners and the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof cannot agree upon the price to be paid for the same the said board of commissioners may take and obtain possession of the said turnpike road or highway or any part thereof in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act and make the same a public road free from tolls and toll-gates

Section 943 MAINTENANCE Said road so made free of tolls either by negotiations or condemnation proceedings as aforesaid shall be properly repaired and maintained at the expense of the city or borough in which the road or part thereof lies or in case such road or part thereof lies within a township or townships then by the county unless the board of supervisors or commissioners of the township accept the same and signify such acceptance in writing filed in the office of the court of quarter sessions In such case the road shall become a part of the road system of said township and shall thereafter be maintained in the same manner as other roads legally laid out in said township

Section 944 PROCEEDINGS WHEN TURNPIKE IS ON BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN TWO COUNTIES In case the said turnpike road or highway which it is desired to have made free of tolls and toll-gates is located in whole or in part upon the line dividing any two counties the petition required shall be signed by twenty or more resident taxpayers of each of said counties and the duties imposed in said section upon the commissioners of the one county shall be exercised by the commissioners of both counties acting together and the amount to be paid for said turnpike road or highway as agreed upon by the said boards of commissioners and the owners thereof shall be apportioned between and paid by the two counties as agreed upon by said boards of commissioners

If the said boards of commissioners and the owners of said turnpike road or highway or part thereof cannot agree upon the price to be paid for the same the said boards of commissioners may take and obtain the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act In such case proceedings shall be instituted in the courts of common pleas of each county and three viewers shall be appointed by each of said courts and the said courts shall together with the commissioners of the respective counties in all other respects have and exercise concurrent jurisdiction and discreation therein Exceptions to the report of the viewers may be filed in and appeals therefrom made to the courts of common pleas of either county in which case the courts of said two counties sitting together shall hear and determine the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided for exceptions and appeals in article seven of this act

The damages for the appropriation of any such turnpike road or highway or any part thereof shall be apportioned by said viewers between the two counties

Section 945 TO BE PUBLIC HIGHWAY Whenever any turnpike road or highway or part thereof shall be purchased or condemned it shall become a public highway free from tolls and toll-gates

If only a part of any such turnpike road or highway shall be condemned nothing herein contained shall be taken to bridge the right of the company owning or operating such turnpike to maintain toll-gates and collect tolls upon the remaining parts of their road not taken It shall not be lawful so to condemn any portion of such turnpike road or highway unless such portion extend to one of the terminal points of such turnpike road or highway or is a portion lying within the limits of any borough incorporated under any general or special law and unless such portion be a continuous portion

Section 946 ABANDONED TURNPIKE RUNNING THROUGH UNSEATED LANDS TO BE KEPT IN REPAIR BY COUNTY Where any turnpike company abandons any turnpike or part thereof running through unseated lands and where any such abandonment is authorized by the proper authorities of any turnpike company and official notice is given to the supervisors of the proper township that such turnpike company has abandoned all its rights interest and title to such turnpike or part thereof and where by acceptance or user such abandoned turnpike or part thereof has become a township road in every such case such road or part thereof shall become a county road and kept in proper condition and repair by the board of commissioners of the proper county

(e) County Aid to Municipalities and Townships

Section 951 MUNICIPAL STREETS CONNECTING TWO ENDS OF COUNTY ROAD When a city or borough intervenes between two ends of a county highway and the municipality has failed to properly improve the municipal streets or highways constituting the shortest and most reasonable route through said municipality which will connect the two ends of such highway the board of commissioners may contract with the corporate authorities of the municipality that the shortest and most reasonable route through said municipality connecting the two ends of such highway be improved

Section 952 MUNICIPAL STREETS AT TERMINUS OF COUNTY ROAD When a county highway terminates at the corporate limits of a city or borough in the same or in another county and connects with a municipal street or alley which the municipality has failed to properly improve and the board of commissioners of the county in which the municipality is located deem the improvement of such municipal street or alley necessary in order to make such county highway easily accessible to the residents of the municipality or to the traveling public the county commissioners may contract with the corporate officials of the municipality that such municipal street or alley or any part thereof be improved and also that there be improved when necessary any part or parts of the streets connected therewith which connect said county highway with the business district or districts of said municipality or with a system of improved streets therein or which connect the said highway with another county highway terminating at the limits of said municipality If several municipalities are contiguous to each other and at the corporate limits of any one of them a county highway terminates and one or more of such municipalities have failed to properly improve any municipal street or alley therein and the county commissioners deem the improvement of such street or alley necessary in order to make such highway easily accessible to the residents of the municipality or to the traveling public the board of commissioners may enter into a similar contract with the corporate authorities of such municipality or municipalities

Section 953 IMPROVEMENTS The board of commissioners may widen repave or otherwise improve said municipal streets and alleys whenever the same is necessary to accomplish the purpose herein conferred Whenever such improvement is made to a municipal street or alley the county may pay the total cost of such improvement or the cost may be divided between the municipality and county The contract for any such improvement may be taken by the county upon the stipulation by the municipality to pay its proportionate share of the cost if any upon the completion of the work or it may be taken by the municipality upon a like stipulation of the county or the improvement may be made by joint contract

Section 954 MAINTENANCE Before any municipal street or alley is so improved the board of commissioners and the proper corporate authorities of such municipality shall agree upon the maintenance of such municipal street or alley Such agreement may provide that such municipal street or alley shall be kept and maintained in good repair by the municipality in which case upon the completion of said road all further liability and responsibility of the county shall cease and determine or it may provide that it shall be kept and maintained in good repair by the county and the share of the municipality shall be paid annually to the county

Section 955 CONTRACTS WITH BOROUGH TOWNSHIP OR INCORPORATED TOWN The board of commissioners may enter into a contract or contracts with the authorities of any borough or township or any incorporated town providing that the said board of commissioners shall construct and improved highway or highways in a similar manner as a county highway The expense or cost of said construction shall be borne jointly by the borough township or incorporated town and the county in such ratio or proportions as may be agreed on in said contract or contracts irrespective of whether the municipality intervenes between two ends of the county highway or not or whether or not the municipality is the terminus of a county highway state highway or township road

Section 956 PAYMENT Payment for the construction of said highway or highways shall be made by the county which shall be reimbursed by the borough township or incorporated town in such sums as agreed upon in said contract or contracts upon presentation to them from time to time of estimates and bills for work already performed and paid for

Section 957 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE Any such highway constructed jointly shall be repaired and maintained at the expense of the county but nothing shall prevent the authorities of a borough township or incorporated town from entering into a contract or contracts with the board of commissioners for the maintenance of said improved highway under such terms and conditions as may be mutually satisfactory

Section 958 MUNICIPAL ROAD LEADING TO END OF COUNTY BRIDGE When a public road leading to either end of a county bridge across any stream ten hundred feet wide or over is laid out and confirmed by the court and not opened the court of quarter sessions may upon petition of citizens of the city town borough or township through which the said road is located setting forth that the expenses of the construction is too burdensome to the taxpayers of said city town borough or township order the county commissioners to prepare plans of said public road not exceeding one-fourth mile in length from the end of such bridge Such plans shall be submitted to the court Such time shall be fixed for filing exceptions to said proceedings as the court shall deem proper If no sufficient cause is shown to the contrary the court if it approves thereof shall authorize the boards of commissioners to construct said road according to the plans and survey accompanying said proceedings Upon the approval of the same by the board of commissioners they shall proceed to open such road at the expense of the county

Section 959 WHERE CENTER LINE OF HIGHWAY IS BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN CITY OR BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP When ever the center line of any highway constitutes the dividing line between any city or borough and a township located in the same county the board of county commissioners and the commissioners or road supervisors of such township may enter into a contract with the city or borough providing for the grading curbing and macadamizing or paving of the roadway of said highway The cost thereof shall be borne one-half by the city or borough and one-half by the county and township in equal portions

Section 960 ALTERATION OR IMPROVEMENT The said alteration or improvement shall be constructed and subsequent repairs shall be made under the supervision of the proper authorities of the city or borough in compliance with existing laws governing the construction of such alterations or improvements in said city or borough and in further compliance with plans and specifications to be agreed upon in writing between the said city or borough and the board of commissioners of the county and commissioners or road supervisors of the township The cost of repairs shall be borne one-half by the city or borough and one-half by the township or by the county and township in equal portions or such other proportion as may be agreed upon by the county and township

Section 961 WHERE CENTER LINE OF HIGHWAY IS BOUNDARY BETWEEN TOWNSHIP AND CITY IN ADJOINING COUNTY Whenever the center line of any highway constitutes a dividing line between a township and a city located in an adjacent county the board of commissioners of the county and the commissioners or supervisors of such township may enter into a contract with the city providing for the grading curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway of said highway The cost thereof shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the township and the county in which such township shall be situated in equal portions

Section 962 ALTERATION IMPROVEMENT AND REPAIRS Said alteration or improvement shall be constructed and subsequent repairs shall be made under the supervision of the authorities of the city in compliance with existing laws governing such construction or improvement of such city and in further compliance with plans and specifications to be agreed upon in writing between such city and board of commissioners of the county and the commissioners or supervisors of the township The cost of repairs shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the township or by the county and township in equal portions or such other proportion as may be agreed upon by the county and township

Section 963 IMPROVEMENT ON ORDER OF COMMON PLEAS In all cases in which it shall be found impossible to enter into such contracts or agreements or where either the city or the township or the county in which such township is situated shall refuse to enter into such contract or agreement it shall be lawful for either the city or the county or township to present its petition to the court of common pleas of either county setting forth the facts and circumstances including the condition of the highway from which the necessity and desirability for the grading curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway appears and the estimated cost thereof and that the terms of such contract cannot be agreed upon by the city and county or township or either or any of them or that either such city or the county or township or any or either of them refuses to enter into such contract Such petition may pray that such court may after hearing all the parties concerned make its order or decree defining the nature and character of the improvement reasonably necessary or desirable to be made to the roadway and requiring the parties hereinabove specified to enter into a contract or contracts for the making and constructing of the same as herein provided for A copy of said petition duly certified shall be served upon the city or county and township concerned other than the petitioner with notice of such day as may be fixed by the court for the hearing Thereupon either or both of the such date to file in the court its answer to said petition setting forth its version of the facts or such oher matters in relation thereto as may be deemed necessary or proper by it

The court upon the date so fixed or at such other time as it may appoint shall hear the evidence of the parties or it may refer the matter to a master who shall hear the testimony of the parties and report his findings in the same manner and under the same procedure as provided by the rules in equity in similar cases to the court which may reject confirm or modify the same and may make its decree or order directing the making of such alterations or improvements to the roadway as may be deemed reasonably necessary or desirable and providing for the sharing of the cost of such improvements one-half by the city and one-half by the county and township in equal portions aid order or decree may further provide that the repairs to such alterations and improvements subsequently required shall be borne one-half by the city and one-half by the county or township in equal portions or such other portions as between the county and the township as such court may find to be legal and proper Thereupon the grading curbing macadamizing or paving of the roadway of such highway shall proceed in accordance with the decree or order of the said court in the same manner as if the contract or agreement had been entered into and duly executed

Section 964 GUARDS OR BARRIERS ALONG TOWNSHIP ROADS When a road or highway runs along the edge of a precipice along which it may be necessary to erect guards or barriers for the proper protection of the traveling public and the erecting of such guards or barriers requires more expense than it is reasonable the township should bear the court of quarter sessions having jurisdiction shall on the representation of the supervisors or on the petition of any of the inhabitants of such township order a view If on the report of the viewers it shall appear to the court grand jury and commissioners of the county that such guards and barriers are necessary and would be too expensive for such township the same shall be erected and maintained by the county as county improvements The provisions of this section shall apply to roads already opened as well as those hereafter opened

Section 965 IMPROVEMENTS OF HIGHWAYS CONNECTING WITH STATE OR STATE-AID HIGHWAYS The county may singly or jointly with any city or borough appropriate and expend moneys for the improvements of any highway not more than one mile in length outside of the limits of such city or borough for the purpose of connecting improved streets in such cities or boroughs with a state highway or State-aid highway

Section 966 RENTING OF ROAD MACHINERY TO TOWNSHIPS The county commissioners of any county may purchase such machinery for the preparation of road material and the construction and maintenance of roads as they deem necessary and pay for the same out of the general funds of the county Such machinery may be rented by the county com-

missioners to any of the townships within such county applying for same under such regulations and at such rentals as the county commissioners shall prescribe and fix All machinery purchased under the provisions of this act shall be operated only by persons employed for that purpose by and under the direct supervision of the county commissioners

(f) Detours

Section 976 TO BE LAID OUT WHEN COUNTY ROAD IS CLOSED Whenever any county road or highway shall be closed to vehicular travel the board of commissioners shall immediately designate or lay out a detour on which they shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained while such detour is in use legible signs at each public road intersection throughout its entire length indicating the direction to the main highway During the period when such detour is in use the county commissioners shall maintain such detour in safe and passable condition They shall also immediately remove all detour signs when the highway originally closed is again opened for traffic

(g) Protection of Roads

Section 981 COUNTY ROAD CARETAKERS The persons appointed by the board of commissioners to inspect and repair public roads or highways improved and maintained as county roads shall be designated county road caretakers The caretakers shall have all the power and authority now vested by law in the constables of the several cities boroughs and townships of this Commonwealth to keep the peace in and along the county roads of such county and to enforce all laws regulating the speed of automobiles and other vehicles thereon and to enforce all rules or regulations governing the use of such roads and to make arrests therefor

Section 982 CARETAKERS NOT ENTITLED TO FINES OR PENALTIES No such caretaker shall be entitled to any portion of any fine or penalty imposed upon any person or persons for any violation of any act of assembly or rule relating thereto but all such fines and penalties when the proceeding is initiated by such caretaker shall belong to and be paid into the county treasury for the benefit of the county

Section 983 BADGE OF CARETAKER The board of commissioners shall furnish each of said caretakers as an evidence of their authority a badge having impressed thereon the words "Police.....County Road Caretaker"

Section 984 RULES FOR PROTECTION OF ROAD PENALTY FOR VIOLATION For the purpose of preventing unreasonable wear and destruction of public roads improved and maintained by the county the board of commissioners may adopt and prescribe reasonable rules regulating and restricting the use of said roads within such county by any means of locomotion and prescribe pecuniary penalties for the enforcement thereof All such rules adopted by the board of commissioners shall before becoming operative be published once a week for three weeks in two newspapers of general circulation in the county to which the rules apply and be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of said county

Any resident of any county within which the violation of any rule so adopted shall occur may institute and prosecute to judgment and execution an action of assumpsit in any court having jurisdiction of such actions and the amounts involved for the recovery of any penalty for the violation of any rule prescribed by the board of commissioners of which penalty the plaintiff shall be entitled to one-half and the county shall be entitled to the other half payable to the county treasurer who shall add the same to the fund for the improvement of the said county roads

Any person violating any rule so adopted shall upon summary conviction before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars or more than one hundred dollars payable to the county treasurer who shall add the same to the fund for the improvement of said county roads From any judgment obtained for said penalty and from said summary conviction an appeal shall lie as provided by law

Section 985 PENALTY FOR DESTROYING ET CETERA INDEX BOARDS It shall be unlawful for any person to wilfully destroy remove injure or deface any sign or index board erected upon or near any public street road or bridge by the authorities of any county or erected with the consent of such authorities by any club association or other organized body for the direction guidance or safety of travellers Any and all such signs of wood metal or other substance affixed to trees or posts in or upon any highway properly erected in such manner that they do not interfere with travel or upon fences telegraph telephone trolley or other poles with the permission of the owners thereof or upon private grounds where consent has been obtained from the owners and tenants thereof and nearby public roads shall be within the provisions of this section

Any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars with all costs of prosecution together with the value of such sign so destroyed removed or defaced In default of payment of said costs and expenses such person shall undergo an imprisonment for a period of not less than five nor more than sixty days

Section 986 SNOW FENCES Any county which is responsible for the maintenance of any public road or highway shall have authority to enter upon private property adjacent to such public road or highway and place thereon snow fences at any point as may be deemed necessary to within the limit of one hundred (100) feet from the right-of-way line of such public road or highway in order to eliminate snow drifting on the traveled portion of the public road or highway

No snow fence authorized under this act shall be placed prior to December first nor shall the same remain in place after April first of the succeeding year

Any damage sustained by the owner of such adjacent property due to the actual placing or removal of such snow fence shall be paid by the county

Section 987 ELIMINATION OF DANGEROUS CURVES AND WIDENING OF NARROW ROADS Any county may acquire by purchase or by the right of eminent domain such property and lands situate along or adjacent to any county highway as in the opinion of the commissioners of such county may be necessary to eliminate dangerous curves and widen narrow roads or highways for the better protection and safety to the traveling public

Upon any such purchase or condemnation the proper authorities of any county having had such property and lands condemned may from time to time abate or remove or cause to be abated or removed any such dangerous curve or curves or widen such narrow highway to the extent of the property and land so acquired

Proceedings for the condemnation of such property and lands shall be as provided in article seven of this act

ARTICLE XI

SEWERS AND SEWAGE-DISPOSAL PLANTS

Section 1001 CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE AUTHORIZED Whenever the board of commissioners shall deem it expedient so to do and upon approval thereof by a grand jury and by the court of quarter sessions as hereinafter provided they may construct and maintain main or trunk sanitary sewers and sewage-disposal plants under the provisions of this article and any such main or trunk sewers or disposal plants constructed under the provisions of this article shall forever thereafter be county sewers and disposal plants and the duty of maintaining operating and keeping the same in repair shall devolve upon the county and the expense thereof shall be paid by the county as hereinafter provided

Section 1002 ESTABLISHMENT OF SEWER DISTRICTS The courts of quarter sessions may establish sewer districts in their several counties or decree that the said county shall form one or more sewerage districts having respect to the topography of the county and the course of natural drainage upon application of the board of commissioners or upon petition of fifty freeholders resident in the locality for which a sewer district is prayed for Upon the presentation of such petition the court shall appoint three viewers from the board of viewers for whom the county engineer shall act as artist to inquire into the propriety of granting the prayer of the petition whose duty shall be to investigate the same and make a plan or draft showing the boundaries of sewer districts formed and report at a date to be fixed by said court at which time or any subsequent time to which said return day may be extended by the court said report shall be filed and confirmed nisi by the court and notice of said filing and that exceptions may be filed to said report within thirty days after said confirmation

nisi shall be published in one or more newspapers of the county as the court may designate once a week for four weeks If exceptions be filed upon hearing thereof said court may modify or change said report or readjust the boundary lines thereof or refer the same back to the same or other viewers If no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary said report shall be approved absolutely and said district or districts so formed shall comprise separate sewerage districts of said county and be designated by number

Section 1003 PROCEDURE TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF QUARTER SESSIONS AND GRAND JURY Whenever the board of commissioners shall resolve to construct any such main or trunk sewers or sewage-disposal plants in accordance with the provisions of this article they shall cause to be prepared surveys and plans of such main or trunk sewers or disposal-plants showing the location termini size and type of construction of such disposal-plants together with the properties and the names of the owners thereof through which said sewer or sewers extend or upon which the same abuts and the properties and names of the owners of the land upon which such disposal-plants are to be located or upon which the same abuts together with an estimate of the cost and expense of the same The plans and estimate shall show the location and capacity of any main or trunk sanitary sewer or sewers or sewage-disposal-plant either completed or in course of construction together with the cost or probable cost thereof The estimates shall provide for and make such allowance or rebate to the municipality or municipalities which shall have paid assumed or contracted for the cost of such main or trunk sanitary sewer or sewers or disposal-plants as shall be agreed upon between the county and the municipality or municipalities interested and in the event of failure so to agree the allowance or rebate shall be determined by the court of common pleas of the proper county upon application of either party The county commissioners shall thereupon present such survey plans and estimates or a copy thereof together with their petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county and upon filing thereof the court shall direct notice to be given of the same substantially describing the line of the proposed sewer or sewers and the location of the proposed disposal-plants by publication at least once a week for three consecutive weeks in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in the county wherein said proposed sewers or disposal-plants are to be made or constructed and of the time when said application will be laid before the grand jury and after publication as aforesaid the said court shall cause the said application to be laid before the grand jury when in session and if a majority of said grand jury after a full investigation of the matter by the grand jury shall approve of the same they shall certify their approval to the court whereupon the court shall fix a time for the filing of exceptions to the same Upon hearing any exceptions thereto the said court may for a cause shown disallow such application If no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary said application shall be approved and said court shall order that said sewers or sewage-disposal plants shall be made and constructed in accordance with the plans and surveys accompanying the said application and thereupon the location of such sewers and sewage-disposal plants shall remain absolute

Section 1004 SIZE OF SEWER RIGHTS OF MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES All main or trunk sewers constructed under this article shall be of sufficient size and extent so that it shall not be burdensome upon any city borough or township which is wholly or partly within the sewer district in which said main or trunk sewer is constructed to connect its lateral sewers with said main or trunk sewer constructed under the provisions of this article A copy of the notice hereinbefore provided for shall be served upon the mayor burgess commissioners or supervisors of such city borough or township forming any part of such sewer district ten days before said application shall be laid before the grand jury Any such city borough or township shall have a right to be heard by the grand jury and to file exceptions to said proceedings The approval by the grand jury and by the court shall be a conclusive finding that the said main sewers proposed to be constructed under said proceeding are of sufficient size and extent so that the connection thereto by any such city borough or township will not be burdensome upon said city borough or township

Section 1005 APPROVAL OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS BY STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH After such plans and specifications have been prepared by said board of commissioners and before presentation thereof to the court or grand jury they shall be submitted to the State Department of Health and approved by said State Department of Health of the same shall be first had in accordance with the act of assembly of April twenty-second one thousand nine hundred and five entitled "An act to preserve the purity of the waters of the State for the protection of the public Health"

Section 1006 CONDEMNATION OF PROPERTY For the purposes herein described the board of commissioners may enter upon private or public property and may take injure and destroy the same in the manner and subject to the restrictions and procedure provided in article seven of this act

Section 1007 PAYMENT OF DAMAGES AND COSTS OF MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR All damages found awarded or sustained for or on account of the construction and operation of such sewers or disposal-plants under the provisions of this article and all cost and expense thereafter incurred in repairing and maintaining the same shall be paid from the funds raised by taxation as hereinafter provided and authorized

Section 1008 CONTRACTS FOR MAKING AND CONSTRUCTING After said surveys and plans and the aforesaid application to the court of quarter sessions shall have been approved by the court and the said sewers or disposal-plants as decreed by said court ordered to be made and constructed in accordance therewith the board of commissioners or a majority of them of the respective counties wherein the said sewers or disposal-plants are made or to be made and constructed shall invite proposals for the making and constructing the same by publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in said county or if no newspapers be published in said county then in a newspaper or newspapers published in the county adjoining once a week for four consecutive weeks fixing a time therein when such proposals will be opened and the contracts therefor awarded In addition to the notices so ordered to be given by publication there shall be posted in the office of the said board of commissioners of the respective counties like notice as those now given inviting proposals for the construction and repair of public roads and bridges The contract as aforesaid shall be awarded by the said board of commissioners or a majority of them to the lowest responsible bidder No contract shall be awarded for any of said sewers or disposal plants until proper bonds shall be given for the faithful performance thereof by the person or persons to whom the same shall be awarded with proper security to be approved by said board of commissioners or a majority of them Any incorporated company doing business within any of said counties authorized by law to be surety for persons or corporations may be taken and accepted as surety upon the bonds herein required to be given

Section 1009 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE Said board of commissioners shall have prepared plans and estimates as often as required for the repair and maintenance of all county sewers or disposal-plants which may hereafter be constructed under the provisions of this article and become county sewers or disposal plants They shall invite proposals for the repairing and maintenance of such sewer or disposal-plants or parts thereof in accordance with such plans and estimates and award the contract therefor in like manner as contracts for new sewers and disposal-plants

Section 1010 PREPARATION OF SURVEYS PLANS AND ESTIMATES ET CETERA For the purpose of performing all necessary duties relating to the construction and repairs of county sewers and disposal plants herein authorized the said board of commissioners may employ or appoint proper persons to prepare such surveys plans and estimates and do all necessary and proper work connected therewith and shall fix the compensation of all persons so employed

Section 1011 FUND FROM WHICH TO PAY COSTS DAMAGES ET CETERA The board of commissioners may levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within the county now or hereafter taxable for county purposes where the court has decreed that the entire county shall form one sewer district for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in the locating construction maintenance repairing and operating of such county sewers or disposal plants made or constructed under the provisions of this act and for taking using and enjoying of such land as may be necessary in constructing same

The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section Where one or more such sewer districts have been formed by the court in any county and the county does not comprise one entire sewer district and county sewers or disposal plants are constructed to accommodate a particular sewer district of said county the said board of commissioners of such counties may have prepared separate copies of the assessed value for county purposes of the properties located within the sewer district wherein or for whose use such sewer or disposal-plant has been constructed and levy assess and collect an annual tax of not more than two mills upon the dollar upon all real and personal property within said sewer district now or hereafter taxable for county purposes for the purpose of acquiring and securing a fund from which to pay all costs damages and expenses required in the locating constructing maintaining and operating of such county sewer or disposal plant in or for the benefit of said sewer district The money so raised shall not be used or expended for any other purpose than that named in this section and shall not be expended or used for any other sewer district All warrants for the payment of any portion of the money raised for the purposes aforesaid shall be issued by the said board of commissioners in the manner now provided by law in the several counties upon estimates which shall be made from time to time by the person charged with such duty The amount and time within which the same shall be paid shall be fixed and determined in the contract made for the public work herein authorized

Section 1012 CONSENT OF MUNICIPALITIES TO ENTER ON HIGHWAYS Should any board of commissioners in the exercise of the powers herein conferred deem it necessary or advisable to enter upon a highway or highways in any city borough or township for the purpose of constructing or maintaining any such main or trunk sewer or sewers or disposal-plants the consent thereto of such city borough or township shall first be had and obtained

Section 1013 CONNECTION WITH SEWER BY MUNICIPALITIES After the construction of such main or trunk sewer any city borough or township shall have the right free of charge to connect with said main or trunk sewer by laterals all sanitary sewerage of the sewer district in which said main or trunk sewer is located or for the use of which the same has been constructed All connections made by any city borough or township or by any owner of property abutting on said main or trunk sewer with such main or trunk sewer shall be made under the supervision of the county engineer and in the manner prescribed by the board of commissioners

Section 1014 APPORTIONMENT OF COSTS AND EXPENSES Wherever any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof or sewage-disposal plant constructed under the provisions of this article is used for the carrying or disposal of sewage from two or more sewer districts the cost damages and expenses of locating constructing maintaining repairing and operating the same shall be borne by all sewer districts so using said main sewer or portion thereof or disposal plant in proportion to their annual assessed taxable valuation for county purposes but no sewer district shall be taxed for any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof or disposal plant until said district has been accommodated with a main or trunk sewer constructed under the provisions of this article so that connections therewith can be made in said sewer districts without expenses burdensome upon cities boroughs or townships forming said sewer district

Section 1015 USE OF MUNICIPAL MAINS Whenever in the location or construction of any such county sewers it shall be deemed desirable to connect with and use any main or trunk sewer or portion thereof of any city borough or township it shall be lawful for the board of commissioners subject to the approval of the court of quarter sessions to agree with such city borough or township for the use and repair and maintenance of such sewer or sewers or portions thereof and what compensation shall be paid therefore or in what proportions the cost of maintenance and repairs shall be borne

ARITICLE XII

ACTIONS BY AND AGAINST COUNTIES

Section 1031 COMMISSIONERS TO BRING AND DEFEND SUITS All suits by a county shall be brought and conducted by the board of commissioners In all suits against a county process shall be served upon defense made by the board of commissioners

Section 1032 FORM OF ACTION TO RECOVER CLAIMS JURISDICTION OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE Counties may proceed for the recovery of municipal claims by lien or by action of assumpsit Jurisdiction is conferred upon justices of the peace to entertain such actions of assumpsit to the amount of three hundred dollars

Section 1033 COMPETENCY OF WITNESSES AND JURORS No person shall be excluded from being a witness or juror in any suit prosecution or proceeding in which the county is a party or is interested by reason of such person being or having been an officer rated citizen or inhabitant in such county or owning assessed or taxable property or being liable to the assessment or payment of any tax therein

Section 1034 EXECUTION AGAINST COUNTY If judgment shall be obtained against a county in any action or proceeding the party entitled to the benefit of such judgment may have execution thereof as follows and not otherwise namely It shall be lawful for the court in which such judgment shall be obtained or to which such judgment may be removed by transcript from a justice of the peace or alderman to issue thereon a writ commanding the commissioners of the county to cause the amount thereof with the interest and costs to be paid to the party entitled to the benefit of such judgment out of any moneys unappropriated of such county or if there be no such moneys out of the first moneys that shall be received for the use of such county and to enforce obedience to such writ by attachment

Section 1035 APPEALS IN BEHALF OF COUNTY BY TAXPAYERS Any ten or more taxpayers of the county may in behalf of such county appeal from the report of its county auditors or controller to the court of common pleas or prosecute any suit or action in behalf of said county or defend such county in any suit process or action now pending or that may be brought against such county by appeals from county auditors' or controllers' reports or otherwise If no appeal is entered by county officials the appeal by such taxpayers shall be entered within ninety days after the filing of such report in the court of common pleas The appellants shall enter into recognizance with two sufficient sureties conditioned that the appellants shall prosecute said appeal with effect and pay all costs that may accrue thereon in case they fail to obtain a final decision more favorable to the county than the report from which such appeal is taken In all such appeals the courts of common pleas may direct an issue to be tried by a jury upon whose verdict final judgment shall be entered reserving the right of all parties to appeal to the Supreme Court as provided in other appeals Before said taxpayers shall be permitted to come into court and prosecute any suit or action or defend the county in any suit process or action they shall present to the court a petition signed by them accompanied by an affidavit of one of their number that they believe injustice will be done such county unless they are permitted to defend Said taxpayers shall whenever the court shall deem it necessary file in said court of common pleas a bond with one or more sufficient sureties to be approved by said court to indemnify and save harmless said county from all costs that may occur in said suit process or action subsequent to filing said petition

Section 1036 CERTAIN PROCEDURE IN EQUITY NOT TO APPLY WHEN COUNTY IS LIBELLANT ET CETERA The first section of the act of May sixth one thousand eight hundred and forty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act further to regulate proceedings in courts of justice and for the other purposes" shall not apply to any bill or proceeding in equity now pending or which may be hereafter instituted wherein any county is libellant plaintiff or complainant nor shall any county be required to give security on appeal to the Supreme Court in any proceeding in equity In all such cases it shall be the duty of the court in which the same may be pending as far as practicable to expedite the hearing and final determination thereof by such rules order or orders not inconsistent with the laws of this Commonwealth as justice and equity may require

Section 1037 SUBMISSION OF DISPUTES TO ARBITRATION It shall be lawful to include in any contract executed by or on behalf of any county a provision that any matter in dispute arising under the said contract shall be submitted to arbitration in accordance with the arbitration act of June

sixteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six or such sections thereof as may be set forth in such contract

Any county having charge of the execution of any contract shall have the right with the consent of the legal officer of such county to agree to submit any matter in dispute under any contract to which the said county shall be a party to arbitration in accordance with the act of one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six or any section thereof as may be agreed upon whether the said contract shall contain a provision providing for such reference or not

ARTICLE XIII

ACTS OF ASSEMBLY REPEALED

Section 1051 SPECIFIED REPEALS The following acts and parts of acts of assembly are repealed as respectively indicated except in so far as they relate to counties of the first class The repeal of the first section of an act shall not repeal the enacting clause of such act

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred and ninety (Vol thirteen Stat at Large p four hundred and fifty-five) entitled "An act relating to the securities to be given by sheriffs and coroners" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act relating to County Treasurers" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act directing Sheriffs and Coroners to give sufficient sureties for the faithful execution of their official duties and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the third day of April one thousand eight hundred and four (Pamphlet Laws founr hundred and eighty-eight) entitled "An act to enable persons appointed to offices of public trust to recover official documents appurtenant to the said offices from persons detaining the same" in so far as it applies to county officers

Section four of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-three) entitled "A further supplement to the Penal Laws of the State" in so far as it authorizes construction of jail buildings

The act approved the sixteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-two) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide a more effectual method of settling the public accounts of the commissioners and treasurers of the respective counties'" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand eight hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eleven) entitled "An act imposing certain duties upon the commissioners and treasurer of Luzerne county and empowering county commissioners to administer oaths or affirmations" absolutely

Section three of the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for laying out and keeping in repair the public roads and highways within this Commonwealth and laying out private roads'" absolutely

Sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of March one thousand eight hundred and twelve (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act declaring the holding of any office or appointment under this state incompatible with the holding or exercising offices or appointments under the United States" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of February one thousand eight hundred and fourteen (Pamphlet Laws Forty-four) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to provide a mode effectual method of setting the public accounts of the commissioners and treasurers of the respective counties"'" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize undertakers of public bridges to procure materials for building said bridges" in so far as it applies to county bridges

Section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nine) entitled "An act relating to county rates and levies and township rates and levies" absolutely

Section one six eight nine ten eleven twelve fifteen sixteen seventeen eighteen nineteen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-four twenty-five twenty-six twenty-seven twenty-eight twenty-nine thirty thirty-one thirty-two thirty-three thirty-four thirty-five thirty-six thirty-seven forty-one forty-three forty-four forty-five forty-six forty-seven forty-eight forty-nine fifty-one fifty-two fifty-three fifty-four fifty-five fifty-six fifty-seven fifty-eight fifty-nine sixty sixty-one sixty-two sixty-three sixty-four sixty-five sixty-six sixty-seven sixty-eight sixty-nine seventy seventy-one seventy-two seventy-three seventy-four seventy-five seventy-six and seventy-nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and thirty-seven) entitled "An act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers" absolutely sections three four and five of said act in so far as they confer any powers to impose any duties on counties section one hundred and fifteen of said act in so far as it applies to counties and county officers

Sections seven eight and nine of the act approved the thirteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-one) entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" in so far as they affect county roads sections thirty-five thirty-six thirty-seven thirty-eight thirty-nine forty forty-one forty-two forty-four forty-five forty-six forty-seven and fifty-six of said act absolutely sections forty-three forty-eight forty-nine fifty fifty-one and fifty-two of said act in so far as they relate to county bridges

Sections ten and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the commencement of actions to appeals from county auditors and for other purposes" absolutely

Resolutions five nine ten and eleven of resolutions approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "Resolutions authorizing the clerk of the Orphans' Court of Berks County to record certain papers in his office and to perform certain other services and for other purposes" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relative to County Auditors and for other purposes" absolutely

Section six of the act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ten) entitled "An act relating to Executions and for other purposes" in so far as it relates to suits prosecutions or proceedings in which counties are parties or are interested

Sections one two four five six and seven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred entitled "An act relating to the Election of County Treasurers and for other purposes" absolutely

Section eleven of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-two (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty) entitled "An act to authorize the construction of a toll bridge over the river Schuylkill at or near Windsor Haven in Berks County and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges'" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-five) entitled "An act relating to sheriffs and coroners" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and six) entitled "An act to establish a uniform line along the river Delaware in front of the incorporated districts of the Northern Liberties and Kensington in reference to county bridges changing the name of Andrew Jackson Glarfke to Andrew G. Jackson to issuing subpeonas for witnesses by auditors exempting the real estate of the Pennsylvania society for promoting the abolition of slavery from taxation in reference to fees of constables in Schuylkill county in reference to the removal of the barn of Amos George in the

township of Blockley county of Philadelphia and to change the name of Dallas township Lehigh county to Washington and relative to the commissioners of Kensington and Richmond in Philadelphia County" absolutely

Sections five six seven eight and nine of the act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty-four) entitled "An act relative to the election of auditor general surveyor general and county surveyors by the people" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-three entitled "An act relating to County Prisons to the Foster Home Association and Cawanesque Plank Road Company to apportion the rent of wharves and docks in the port of Philadelphia and relative to the service of process on foreign insurance companies and other corporations" absolutely

The act approved the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing the several recorders of deeds to appoint deputies" absolutely

Sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-five) entitled "An act relating to official seals" in so far as it affects counties and county officers

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty) entitled "A further supplement to the act relating to County Rates and Levies and Township Rates and Levies and to the act relating to Counties and Townships and County and Township Officers" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty) entitled "An act relative to the Erection of Bridges over Canals and Railroads" in so far as it relates to county bridges

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight entitled "A supplement to the act providing for the Election of District Attorneys" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and thirty-five) entitled "An act relating to City County and Township Treasurers" in so far as it relates to county treasurers

Section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act to extend the power of Prothonotaries and Clerks to administer oaths" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventeen) entitled "An act relative to the Election of District Attorneys" absolutely

The act approved the third day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and fifty) entitled "An act regulating the Lien of Sheriffs' Recognizances," absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act fixing the commencement of the term of office of Sheriffs in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-eight) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to roads highways and bridges approved June thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six" in so far as it relates to county bridges

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred nine) entitled "An act authorizing commissioner's clerks to administer oaths and affirmation" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers approved April fifteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four relating to public buildings" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled " A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' approved June thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act relating to the offices of county treasurer and county auditors" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to the assessment of damage for the appropriation of land for public use" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twelfth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act relative to vacancies in the office of prothonotary or clerk of the several courts and in the office of register or recorder" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-four) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to sell at public sale any part of any lands reserved for public bulidings when the same is not needed therefor" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act relating to the assessment of damages arising from the opening of roads and highways and the construction of bridges" in so far as it relates to county roads and bridges

The act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment settlement and collection of compensation from railroad companies for railroads located or that may be located on county bridges and to empower county commissioners to make contracts relating thereto" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighteen entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a special detective officer in any of the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act to authorize the counties cities towns or townships of this state respectively to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their limits whereby said companies may re-locate change or elevate their railroads" in so far as it confers any power or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a special detective officer in any of the several counties of this Commonwealth' approved May nineteenth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four making said special detective officers general police officers with powers conferred on constables in cases of crime and criminal procedure and providing for their compensation" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled "An act to fix the amount of bail to be given by the sheriffs of the several counties in this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and twelve) entitled "A supplement to an act relating to roads and bridges approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six authorizing the re-construction of county bridges destroyed or partially destroyed and empowering the commissioners to borrow money for that purpose" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the

county of bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolution of tolls thereon" absolutely

The act approved the third day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the county bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolution of tolls thereon' approved the eighth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six designed to amend the third section of said act and also to amend the first proviso of the fifth section of said act so that not more than fifteen thousand dollars shall be paid by any one county for the purchase of any such bridge" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighteen) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to give bonds" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled "An act to regulate the erection of guards and barriers along highways" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the taxpayers to appeal from the reports of county auditors and to defend the county in appeals and suits" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled "An act directing county commissioners to procure a place for holding courts where a court house is destroyed or unsafe" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-six) entitled "A supplement to the act of assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erection of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges" so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (Pamphlet Laws sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges owned by corporations that may or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporation" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifty-eight) entitled "An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safe keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to appoint by deed chief deputies with power to act as sheriff in case of and during the temporary disability of the sheriff to act in person and fixing the salaries of such chief deputies in counties containing more than five hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and three) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to join with city authorities in improving streets or other highways in the vicinity of county buildings in said cities" in so far as it confers any power or imposes any duties on counties

Sections one and two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-seven) entitled "An act for the encouragement of forest culture and providing penalties for the injury and destruction of forests" absolutely

Sections one two three four five six seven eight nine and ten of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and six) entitled "An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll-gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws twenty-three) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to offer and pay rewards for the detection arrest and conviction of horse thieves" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish supplies and fuel for certain county offices" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safe keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three repealing the second proviso to the third section of said act and regulating the manner of procedure where there are adverse claimants to the ground condemned" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to employ detectives offer and pay rewards for the detection arrest and conviction of felons" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the preservation of order in and about county buildings and for the preservation of the same and their contents from defacement and defilement also fixing penalties for the violation of the same and authorizing the appointment of officers who shall have power to enforce this act and to make arrests when violated" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of deputy coroners in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-seven) entitled "An act to empower the chief clerks of county controllers to administer oaths and affirmations" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred) entitled "An act regulating the payment of traveling expenses of directors of the poor and county commissioners within this

Commonwealth" in so far as it applies to county commissioners

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled "An act regulating qualifications of clerks to county commissioners" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for the said approaches" absolutely

The act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act to enable the county commissioners of the several counties to sell any real estate which they may acquire and make deeds therefor" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled "An act making it the duty of county commissioners to furnish office and storage rooms for the use of the county superintendents of schools" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-five) entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll gates and the assessments upon the proper county of the damages which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' approved the second day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven amending the tenth section thereof by extending its provisions to the portions of turnpikes roads or highways lying within the limits of any incorporated borough" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act to amend an act entilted 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to rebuild bridges owned by corporations that may be or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporations' June eighth one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one" absolutely

Section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred two entitled "An act to provide for the immediate printing distribution filing and keeping of unbound copies of the laws of this Commonwealth as they are enacted from time to time" in so far as it imposes any duty on the prothonotary

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred five) entitled "An act authorizing and directing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to procure bind and preserve weekly newspapers published within their respective counties" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and thirty) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of one or more deputy coroners and defining their power and duties in the several counties of this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ninety-three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled "An act to regulate the erection of county buildings" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-nine entitled "An act to further amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act authoriing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuilt bridges owned by corporations that may be or have been destroyed by ice or otherwise and abandoned by such corporations' approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one as amended by an act approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amending that part of the same which applies to bridges which cross rivers or streams forming the boundary line between two counties or running between counties and providing for cost of reconstructing same in proportion to the population of the respective counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to actions brought to ascertain or recover damages for appropriation of rights of way or easements in lands by corporations invested with the right of eminent domain and empowering and authorizing owners of lands and corporations municipal or otherwise desiring to exercise the right of eminent domain in such lands to waive the assessment of damages by viewers and granting the right to either party to demand and have the jury engaged in trying such action visit and view said land and premises" so far as relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws ninety-six) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and one) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties in this Commonwealth to appoint a county solicitor fix his compensation and prescribe the term and duties of the solicitor" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-six entitled "An act providing for the employment and payment of janitors firemen engineers mechanics laborers and care takers of court houses and grounds" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and thirty-six) entitled "An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties and sections two to sixteen both inclusive of said act absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties" absolutely

The act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulaitng the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws four) entitled "An act to amend section four of an act approved July second eighteen hundred and thirty-nine entitled 'An act to provide for the election of prothonotaries clerks record-

ers and registers' providing the manner of filling such offices in case of death or vacancy" absolutely

Sections one two three and four of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-six) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and poor purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same" absolutely

Sections one and two of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act relating to prothonotaries and their duties and to their deputies and to enable said deputies to act for the said prothontaries in case of their sickness absence or other temporary disability" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and three entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to accept take charge of and enter upon the records as a county bridge any bridge over any stream or river running into or through any county and authorizing the county commissioners of any two adjoining counties to accept take charge of and enter upon the records of each of said counties as a joint county bridge any bridge over any stream forming the boundary line between the said counties such bridge in either case having been erected and constructed at the expense of private persons or by public subscriptions and opened to free public travel used by the public and become necessary and convenient for public use when the same is offered to be donated to such county or counties and providing the proper proceedings to determine the question of necessity and convenience of such bridge and for the payment of the costs of such proceedings" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act regulating the expenses of county commissioners in counties containing a population of one hundred and fifty thousand and over" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighteen) entitled "An act amending the first section of the act of Assembly approved the twenty-ninth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one' authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for the said approaches'" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to build or to furnish money to aid in building bridges in boroughs the erection of which would require more expense than it is reasonable that the borough wherein it is to be located should bear" in so far as it affects counties

Sections one to ten inclusive of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act supplementary to an act approved the second day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' extending its provisions so as to authorize the condemnation of any turnpike road or highway in whole or in part located upon the line dividing two counties and to assess the damages payable to the owner or owners thereof equitably between such two counties" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to purchase maintain use and condemn bridges erected and in use over rivers and streams separating or dividing any part or district of such counties and providing the manner in which compensation shall be made" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ten) entitled "An act providing for the vacation of any portion of any main or public road or highway the permanent improvement whereof has been authorized under an act of Assembly approved June twenty-sixth Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five and entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making said improved roads and highways county roads et cetera' and making the portions thereof so vacated township roads" except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty) entitled "An act to amend sections one and sixteen of an act entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said county approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five so as to make it apply to all counties containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and authorizing the Governor to fill vacancies" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-four) entitled "An act to amend an act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war so as to authorize said county commissioners under the same regulations to pay debts already contracted for and about the erection and maintenance of such a monument and for work done and material furnished thereof" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing appeals from the court of common pleas to the Supreme and Superior Courts in cases which are appeals from settlements or reports of county borough or township auditors" as to reports of county auditors

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same' approved the sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to construct any public road leading to either end of a county bridge across any river in this Commonwealth" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act to encourage county historical societies" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and one) entitled "An act authorizing change of location of new county buildings on public squares or commons" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts under the Constitution" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and twenty) entitled "An act to further amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same'" approved the thirteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties in pursuance of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation thereof and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes' approved June twenty-sixth Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and fifty) entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and repair in certain cases of abandoned turnpikes or parts thereof" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to provide ferries or temporary ways over streams where county bridges shall have been heretofore and shall hereafter be destroyed or rendered impassable by fire storm flood or other casualty and legalizing prior expenditures therefor by county commissioners" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "An act regulating the filing of reports of viewers or juries of view appointed by the courts of this Commonwealth to assess damages and benefits for the taking injury or destruction of private property in the construction or enlargement of public works highways or improvements" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections four five six eight and ten of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in cities and adjacent territory empowering the several cities of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private lands or over and across any of them for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the city limits authorizing said cities to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damages caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under any such viaduct or bridge without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-four) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act of Assembly approved the eleventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine entitled "A supplement to the act of Assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erecting of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges'" approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven further authorizing county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges or portions thereof in cities of the third class the erecting of which would require more expense than is reasonable for said cities of the third class should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the confirmation of the reports of viewers or juries of view appointed by the courts of quarter sessions to assess damages and benefits and for the collection of damages in such proceedings" in so far as it relates to public works and improvements in counties

The act approved the third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and thirty-six) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war' approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act to amend the forty-sixth section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' authorizing the construction of bridges on the line of adjoining counties or located within one-fourth of a mile from the county lines" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and twenty-three) entitled "An act authoriing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to accept take and thereafter maintain as a county bridge any public bridge used for public travel built or maintained by any borough or township or both or any two townships within such county over rivers when tendered to the county commissioners for any such county by the proper authorities of such borough or township free and without charge therefor" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "An act providing for the erection of county bridges over any river creek or rivulet forming the boundary betweeen

any borough and township of the first and second class where the same crosses a public highway and providing for the cost and maintenance of the same" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-one) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to repair all county bridges and to pay the expenses of such repairs out of the county treasury" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the running relocating changing fixing and marking of county lines" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act providing that all vacancies in the office of county treasurer in this Commonwealth shall be filled by appointment of the Governor until the next general election" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties in pursuance of the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may become necessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation thereof and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for said purposes" approved June twenty-six Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' approved July tenth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one by changing the restriction as to the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one year from one-tenth of one per cent to one-half of one per cent" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-seven) entitled "An act to provide for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter appropriated or condemned or any part thereof for public use free of tolls" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extensions and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any such road as may thereby become unnecessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damage resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for such purposes' approved June twenty-sixth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five providing that public roads and highways may be constructed improved and maintained by the several counties of the Commonwealth as county roads whether existing by other authority or laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act and providing that public roads and highways may be originally located laid out and established for the purpose of such construction improvement and maintenance by the several counties in the manner and by the procedure set out in the amended act and subject to the other provisions thereof providing for the laying out of a system of main thoroughfares to which the establishing construction improvement and maintenance of public roads by the counties shall be restricted after January one one thousand nine hundred and seven but providing for such establishing construction improvement and maintenance of roads not parts of said system upon parties interested paying not less than one-fourth of the original cost of construction and providing that the county commissioners of any county may provide rules regulating the use of roads constructed and maintained by the counties and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Section seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and forty-two) entitled "An act for the appointment and maintenance of a board to be known as the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania and for the payment of its expenses and for providing managing and caring for armories for the use of the National Guard of Pennsylvania throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the same authorizing the State Armory Board to receive from counties cities municipalities and other sources donations or contributions for the purpose of this act" in so far as it authorizes counties to make contributions for purposes of act

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws seventy-four) entitled "An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws seventy-five) entitled "An act regulating the building of county bridges and the letting of contracts therefor authorizing the borrowing of money to pay the same and providing for the punishing of persons who combine or conspire to stifle competition in bidding" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of February one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three) entitled "An act enlarging the powers of county commissioners to erect county bridges empowering them to erect and construct new bridges whenever the existing bridge or bridges are not sufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each Post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-four) entitled "An act fixing the pay of commissioners of roads viewers reviewers and re-reviewers of roads and bridges and commissioners appointed to run establish or re-establish township lines or to divide townships into election districts or boroughs into wards in this Commonwealth" in so far as it fixed the compensation of viewers reviewers and re-reviewers of county roads and bridges

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to contract for the drilling of gas-wells in lands owned by the particular county for the purpose of furnishing light and fuel for the county buildings of that county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter appropriated or condemned or any part thereof for public use free of tolls' approved the twentieth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five providing for the repair and maintenance or improvement by the proper county city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter abandoned or any part thereof and for the repair maintenance or improvement of any turn-

pike or part thereof where the company or association owning the same has been or may hereafter be dissolved" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the thirteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one entitled 'An act to amend the first and second sections of an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to rebuild bridges on sites owned by corporations or by private persons or built by public subscriptions over any stream or river forming the boundary line between two counties where the same have been destroyed by ice flood or otherwise at any time or which have been or may be abandoned by the owners thereof and rebuilt on another site and which were previously used exclusively for vehicles and foot purposes and providing for the cost of reconstructing the same" approved the sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven' striking therefrom the proviso that such bridge shall be used only for general public travel and shall not be occupied by any railway transportation company or private corporation" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the erection and maintenance of Memorial Halls at the county seats of counties of Pennsylvania which have a population of over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants authorizing and directing the county commissioners of said counties upon petition of fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries the court of quarter sessions and a majority vote of the qualified voters of said counties at a general election to increase the rate of taxation for county purposes to an amount sufficient to purchase a plot of ground in such county seat and erect thereon a Memorial Hall in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from said counties who served in the army and navy of the United States in the war for the suppression of the rebellion the Spanish-American war and all other wars in defense of the American flag designating committees to determine what relics records et cetera shall be placed in said Memorial Hall restricting the cost to one hundred and fifty thousand dollars and providing for a flagstaff and the display of the flag of the United States" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and requiring the county auditors in the several counties of this Commonwealth to publish their annual report of the accounts of the several officers whose accounts it is the duty of said county auditors to examine and settle providing the manner of publication of said auditors' report and providing for the payment of publication of said auditors' report by said county thereof" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seventy-two) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the condemnation of turnpikes roads or highways heretofore or hereafter constructed wholly or in part in any county of this Commonwealth for public use free from tolls and toll-gates and the assessment upon the proper county of the damages to which the owner or owners thereof may be entitled by a jury of viewers duly appointed by the court of quarter sessions of the proper county and providing for the maintenance of any such condemned turnpike road or highway by the proper city township or district' approved the second day of June Anno Dimini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven authorizing the court of quarter sessions of the proper county upon petition to appoint a second or subsequent jury of viewers after the lapse of five years from the final confirmation of an adverse report of a former jury of viewers" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the forty sixth section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" authorizing the construction of bridges on the line of adjoining counties or located within one-fourth of a mile from the county lines' approved the twenty-third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three so as to provide that nothing in this act shall prevent any county in this Commonwealth from erecting a bridge at any point wholly within the limits of said county without any view or other proceeding whatsoever in any adjoining county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-five) entitled "An act providing for the payment of the premiums on bonds of county city borough school-district and township employes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Sections four five six eight and ten of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and forty) entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in boroughs and adjacent territory empowering the several boroughs of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private land or over and across railroads and any of them or over and across railroads for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the borough limits authorizing said boroughs to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damage caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under or upon any such viaduct or bridge without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish supplies and fuel for certain county officers' approved the twenty-fifth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two so as to include certain additional articles of supply and to repeal the act of June eighteenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act providing a method to secure possession of lands buildings or other property acquired under the power of eminent domain" in so far as it confers any powers or impose any duties on counties

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-two entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county seat of each county in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of the late war" approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' and providing further 'That in counties having a population of over five hundred thousand and less than one million inhabitants said petition may pray for the erection of a memorial hall' approved the third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three to include counties having a population of fifty thousand or more" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-three) entitled "An act amending section thirty-five (35) of an act entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six extending the provisions of said section as to also authorize the construction of county bridges in cities and boroughs and providing for the erection of new bridges when any existing county bridge is insufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled

"An act empowering clerks designated by county controllers to administer oaths and affirmations" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws eighteen) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners in counties in which a merorial hall in honor of the soldiers sailors or marines from such county who served in the Army or Navy of the United States in the War of the Rebellion or in any other war has been or shall be hereafter erected under the laws of this Commonwealth to acquire by purchase or condemnation additional ground adjoining that upon which said memorial hall is erected in order to enhance and preserve the beauty and character of said memorial hall and the object had in its erection and also authorizing said commissioners to equip furnish and decorate said memorial hall limiting the cost thereof and providing for the paying of such cost by taxation or by issuing and selling bonds" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws thirty-three) entitled "An act relating to armories for the National Guard of Pennsylvania authoriing counties cities towns boroughs and other municipal divisions of the Commonwealth to provide and appropriate moneys or purchase and convey land owned by any county city town borough or other municipal division of the Commonwealth to assist the Armory Board in the erection of armories and to furnish free of cost to the Commonwealth water light fuel either or all for use in any armory" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eighteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-four) entitled "An act to authorize the district attorney of any county in this Commonwealth wherein no assistant district attorney is provided by existing law to appoint a nassistant to aid in the preparation and trial of any indictment for homicide or murder and to provide for the compensation of such assistant out of the treasury of the proper county" absolutely

Sections one and eight of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws sixty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to purchase condemn maintain and use public toll-bridges crossing rivers or streams within the limits thereof and to enter into a contract with the county commissioners of the proper county when said commissioners are duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions on petition of twenty or more tax-payers of such county whereby the said county shall pay a portion of the cost thereof and giving power to the municipalities to charge and collect tolls or rentals for the use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel and providing for the preservation of existing contracts with such persons and their assignment to such municipality" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) "An act authorizing counties to purchase or condemn public toll-bridges crossing rivers or streams within the limits thereof on petition of at least twenty taxpayers of such county and when duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions giving power to the counties to charge and collect tolls or rentals for the use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary public foot and vehicle travel and providing for the preservation of existing contracts with such persons and their assignment to such county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and seventy-one) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor to destroy remove or deface any sign erected on or near-by a highway for the guidance of the public and providing for the punishment of violations of this act" in so far as it relates to signs erected by or with the consent of counties

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty-four) entitled "An act providing for the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth where such office is not now in existence upon petition to the court of common pleas of said county of twenty-five per centum of the number of electors who voted at the November election in said county preceding the date of said petition prescribing the duties and fixing the salary of said controller and abolishing the office of county auditor where this act becomes operative" absolutely

The act approved the eight day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act providing the manner of locating erecting county bridges to take the place of existing bridges the change of location of such bridges and roads connecting therewith the vacation of old or existing bridges and roads connecting with the same" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and six) entitled "An act providing for the construction operation and maintenance of public highways bridges and tunnels in the several counties of this Commonwealth authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages teen hundred and five entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any such road as may thereby become necessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damage resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in such construction operation and maintenance and authorizing the levy of a tax and the issuance of bonds to provide a fund for said purpose" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-seven) entitled "An act amending an act approved the twenty-second day of April Anno Domini nineteen hundred and five entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth making such improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any such road as may thereby become necessary authorizing the taking of property for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damage resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in making such improvements and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said road and authorizing the levy of a tax to provide a fund for such purposes" approved June twenty-sixth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five providing that public roads and highways may be constructed improved and maintained by the several counties of the Commonwealth as county roads whether existing by other authority or laid out in whole or in part by virtue of this act and providing that public road sand highways may be originally located laid out and established for the purpose of such construction improvement and maintenance by the several counties in the manner and by the procedure set out in the amended act and subject to other provisions thereof providing for the laying out of a system of main thoroughfares to which the establishing construction improvement and maintenance of public roads by the counties shall be restricted after January one one thousand nine hundred and seven but providing for such establishing construction improvement and maintenance of roads not part of said system upon parties interested paying not less than one-fourth of the original cost of construction and providing that the county commissioners of any county may provide rules regulating the use of roads constructed and maintained by the counties and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof' and providing that public roads and highways located established constructed and improved by the several counties in the manner and by the procedure set out in the said act shall thereafter be township or borough roads and be maintained and improved by the proper township or borough" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to erect and maintain dykes banks causeways and sluiceways on any stream not navigable and affected by the tide or floods for the economical protection of public property in their charge" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act authorizing counties containing over eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand inhabitants to appropriate moneys for the investigation of the condition of such streams and rivers as may be wholly or partially within their boundaries for the purpose of controlling floods" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws fifty-three) entitled "An act to amend section one of an Act of Assembly approved the third day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county-seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war" approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of not less than eight hundred thousand nor more than one millions four hundred thousand" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the eighth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition by the several counties of this Commonwealth for the use of the county of bridges erected over rivers creeks and rivulets and for the abolition of tolls thereon' by fixing the number of the viewers at three" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousaid nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred nine) entitled "An act authorizing counties to purchase or condemn public toll-bridges crossing rivers rivulets streams or ravines within the limits of such county where the same connect different municipal divisions of such county when duly authorized thereto by the court of quarter sessions on petition of at least twenty taxpayers of such county and giving power to counties to charge and collect tolls or rentals for use of any such bridge from railway telephone and telegraph companies and other persons making a use thereof for other than ordinary foot and vehicle travel and providing for the preservation of existing contracts with such persons and their assignment to such county" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred nine) entitled "An act authorizing county auditors of the several counties of this Commonwealth to employ counsel to advise them in their official capacity and providing that the compensation of such counsel shall be paid out of the funds of the proper county" absolutely

Sections one two three four five six seven eight nine ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen sixteen seventeen and nineteen of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefore and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road" absolutely and section eighteen of said act in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties and section twenty of said act except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty six) entitled "An act creating a sinking-fund commission in any county now or hereafter containing not less than one hundred and fifty thousand nor more than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants prescribing its powers and duties and repealing acts inconsistent herewith" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty) entitled "An act to enable counties to borrow appropriate and expend money for the cleansing improvement regulation or control of streams and rivers and the prevention and control of floods and for such purposes to enter into contracts with other counties and other public authorities of this or other States or of the United States" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-five entitled "An act amending the first and second sections of an act approved the fourteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five entitled 'An act to provide for the running relocating changing fixing and marking of county lines' by changing the number of surveyors on the commission" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act providing for the erection of Memorial Halls at the county-seats in the different counties of Pennsylvania authorizing and directing the county commissioners of such counties upon petition of at least fifty citizens approved by two successive grand juries and the court of the quarter sessions to purchase a plot of ground in such county-seat and erect thereon a Memorial Hall in honor of the soldiers sailors and marines from such county who served in the army and navy in the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion and all other wars in defence of the United States flag and authorizing the levying of a tax to raise a fund to pay the purchase money of the ground and the expense of the erection of a Memorial Hall" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act creating a County Sinking Fund Commission in the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and prescribing its powers and duties" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to the act of Assembly approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six relative to roads and bridges to authorize county commissioners to build bridges or furnish money to aid in building bridges the erecting of which would require more expense than it is reasonable one or two adjoining townships should bear in cases where the county commissioners do not deem it advisable to enter such bridges on record as county bridges' approved the eleventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine extending the same to bridges over railroads and canals" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

Sections four five six eight and ten to the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the location construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in townships of the first class and adjacent territory empowering the board of commissioners of the several townships of the first class of this Commonwealth to construct or have constructed bridges or viaducts over rivers creeks streams railroads and private land or over and across railroads and any of them or over and across railroads for public highways and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings whether the same be wholly within or partly within and partly without the township limits authorizing said townships to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county and with railroad street railway and other companies and parties interested or with any of them for the erection construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges and for the payment of the damage caused by their location and erection and forbidding any railroad company to pass under or upon any such viaduct or bridge without contributing

to the cost of maintenance thereof" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three entitled 'An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county-seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of several officers of the county and for the reception and safe-keeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purpose of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' by fixing the number of the viewers at three" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners to erect a bridge for pedestrians only in lieu of a wagon-bridge legally authorized when in their judgment such bridge will sufficiently accommodate public travel" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighty-four) entitled "An act to amend the forty-seventh section of an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six' entitled 'An act relating to roads highways and bridges' providing that the cost of construction maintenance and repair of county bridges which cross rivers or streams forming the boundary line between two counties or running betweeen counties shall be paid for by said counties in proportion to the population of the respective counties Provided This shall apply to counties having a population of two hundred thousand and under and in such counties to bridges three hundred feet (300) in length and over" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred twelve) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to furnish on petition appropriate metal markers for the graves of soldiers and sailors who served with honor in the military forces of the United States' as amended by an act approved the tenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and five entitled 'An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to furnish metal markers for graves of soldiers and sailors" approved the twenty-fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three providing that the county commissioners of the several counties of this State shall furnish markers for certain deceased soldiers and sailors' by extending its provisions to widows of soldiers and sailors" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws ten) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties' approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five as amended by the act entitled 'An act to amend sections one and sixteen of an act entitled "An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said county" approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five so as to make it apply to all counties containing one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and authorizing the Governor to fill vacancies' approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred one by providing for the office of controller in all counties having over one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws thirteen) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring the county auditors in their several counties of this Commonwealth to publish their annual report of the accounts of the several officers whose accounts it is the duty of said county auditors to examine and settlte providing the manner of publication of said auditors' report and providing for the payment of publication of said auditors' report by said county thereof'" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act regulating the letting of certain contracts for the erection construction and alteration of public buildings" is so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the county commissioners and the county solicitor and the chief clerk of said commissioners of each county to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act authorizing counties to appropriate moneys for monuments or memorials in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of the Spanish-American War and soldiers sailors and marines who served on foreign soil prior to July fourth one thousand nine hundred and two" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing counties having a population of not less than eight hundred thousand and not more than one million four hundred thousand to purchase land when adjacent or contiguous to county roads for park purposes or for public comfort stations providing for the improvement and maintenance thereof authorizing the adoption of rules relating to the management and control of such property providing penalties for the breach thereof and limiting the amount to be expended for the purposes aforesaid" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act to amend section eighteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven by authorizing counties to contract with boroughs in the improvement of a borough street connecting with a county road providing for the cost thereof prescribing the method by which the contract for such improvement shall be made and imposing the cost of maintenance of such street on the borough" in so far as it concerns any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-seven) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improve roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method of improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini nineteen hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) extending the provisions of said act to provide for the location and construction of such public roads or highways by adjoining counties of this Commonwealth where such roads extend along and adjacent to county lines and from one adjoining county into another and defining the procedure and jurisdiction in such cases" absolutely

The Act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act giving to all owners or tenants of lands property or material abutting on or through which pass roads streets lanes or alleys injured by the laying out opening widening vacating extending or grading of said roads streets lanes or alleys or the changing of grades and lines thereof by cities counties boroughs or townships within this Commonwealth the construction and vacating by said cities counties boroughs or townships of bridges and the piers abutments approaches embankments slopes or causeways therefore or leading thereto which abut on or pass through or along said lands property or material and the construction by said cities counties boroughs or townships of sewers in over upon along or through said lands property or material the right to damages for said injuries directing all juries of view appointed or that shall hereafter be appointed under existing laws for assessing damages or benefits for taking using occupying or injuring lands property or material to assess said damages if any against said cities counties boroughs or townships as the case may be and the benefits if any in connection therewith granting the right of appeal to the proper court of common pleas from the report of said juries and the trial by jury in said court of common pleas and the right to file exceptions to said report and the right of appeal to the Superior Court or Supreme Court after disposal of exceptions or verdict and final judgment and providing that this act shall apply to all existing and future proceedings" as to counties

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nineteen) entitled "An act to authorize the display of the State county city borough or other municipal flags on public buildings in the Commonwealth" in so far as it relates to county buildings

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act requiring the sheriff prothonotary and all other county officers receiving moneys as such officers to be credited to others to give quarterly written notice to such party or parties of the amount standing to his or her or their credit during the preceding quarter" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-three) entitled "An act to permit viewers to award damages for the vacation of streets roads or highways to abutting owners where no land is actually taken" in so far as it relates to counties.

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighteen) entitled "An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary' approved the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-three) entitled "An act vesting in county commissioners certain powers relative to public monuments" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-six) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to encourage county historical societies' approved the twenty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one so as to provide that the commissioners' board in counties where the population exceeds one million may appropriate a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars annually to the chief historical society in said county" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixteen) entitled "An act to amend section eighteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven as the same was amended by an act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen by authorizing counties to contract with municipalities in the improvement of certain streets of such municipalities connecting with a county road providing for the cost thereof prescribing the method by which the contract for such improvement shall be made and imposing the cost of the maintenance of such streets on the municipalities" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act providing for the payment of judgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens on property affected by public improvements or appropriated by the exer-

cise of the right of eminent domain" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act relating to the competency of witnesses and to the rules of evidence in proceedings arising from the exercise of the right of eminent domain" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties and municipalities to unite in providing in the courthouse certain rest or waiting-rooms" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act relating to the bonds to be given by county officers the amount and conditions thereof the sureties for such bonds the payment of the premiums therefor and the recording and custody thereof in counties having over eight hundred thousand and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act providing for the alteration of the boundaries of counties in certain cases and for the adjustment of the indebtedness thereof" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to erect or complete and maintain a suitable monument at the county-seat of each county in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late war' approved the twenty-second day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five as amended to include the soldiers and sailors of the Spanish-American War" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to hospitals" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for the said approaches" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eleven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners of any county to close abandon and remove county bridges under certain circumstances with the consent of the grand jury and court of quarter sessions of the proper county" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act providing for the construction maintenance and operation of main or trunk sanitary sewers and of sewerage-disposal plants by the several counties of this Commonwealth making such main or trunk sewers and sewerage-disposal plants county sewers and county disposal plants for the formation of sewer districts in the several counties of this Commonwealth the preparation of separate copies of the assessed value for county purposes of the taxable properties included in such sewer districts authorizing the taking of property for the construction of such main or trunk sewers and disposal plants and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred in the constructing maintaining and operating of such main or trunk sewers and disposal plants and authorizing the levy of a tax upon said sewer districts to provide a fund for said purposes and providing for and regulating certain allowances and rebates to municipalities which have incurred or become liable for costs of construction" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections two and three of the act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred forty-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled 'An act providing for the payment of judgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens on property affected by public improvements or appropriated by the exercise of the right of eminent domain'" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twelve) entitled "An act providing for the location construction operation and maintenance of public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads anywhere within the several counties of this Commonwealth either wholly or partly within the territorial limits of cities boroughs and townships thereof authorizing the taking by the several counties of proprety for such improvement and providing for the compensation therefor and the damages resulting from such taking providing for the entry upon and appropriation by the several counties of highways streets and properties of cities and boroughs necessary for such improvements and for the supervision maintenance and control of said highways streets and properties by said counties after said entry and appropriation providing for the payment by the said several counties of the costs and expenses incurred and necessary in such construction operation and maintenance of such improvements providing for the contracting by the several counties with railway or transportation companies for the concurrent use of such public highways bridges tunnels subways and underground roads and authorizing the levy of a tax and the issuance of bonds by the several counties to provide a fund for said purposes" absolutely

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act vesting in the persons appointed by the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to inspect and repair county roads improved and maintained by such counties the power and authority now vested by law in the constables of the several cities boroughs and townships of this Commonwealth for the preservation of the peace in and along such roads and for the enforcement of acts of Assembly regulating the speed of automobiles and other vehicles thereon and for the enforcement of rules and regulations governing the use of such roads designating such persons county road caretakers and providing for badges evidencing their authority" absolutely

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection alteration addition and repair of public buildings" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to locate lay out open construct and maintain public bridges whether wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein across any river or stream dividing or separating any part of said county from any other part thereof together with the necessary bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches to conveniently connect the same with existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships authorizing the cities and boroughs wherein such bridges are located to share in the cost thereof and to provide approaches therefor authorizing the taking and appropriation of property and rights of property public or private for such purposes providing a method for making compensation for property taken injured or destroyed thereby authorizing the several counties to enter upon and over public streets or roads in cities boroughs or townships for said purposes authorizing the several counties to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness thereof and authorizing the several counties to charge and collect tolls and rentals for the concurrent use of such bridges and approaches by street-railway telegraph telephone or other corporations or persons making use thereof other than for

ordinary foot or vehicle traffic and to enter into contracts for such use" absolutely

Sections one two and four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road authorizing boroughs towns and townships to enter into contracts to aid in the construction and maintenance of such roads or highways" in so far as it confers powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-nine) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended by requiring the commissioners to make appropriations also to Memorial Day or similar organizations where there was heretofore an established post" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred four) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to prothonotaries and their duties and to their deputies and to enable said deputies to act for the said prothonotaries in case of their sickness absence or other temporary disability' approved the twenty-sixth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred ninety-seven by authorizing the appointment of an additional deputy to act in case of the disability of the principal deputy prothonotary" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred fifty) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled 'An act to amend an act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred fifteen entitled "An act providing for the payment of judgments and mortgages and other claims which are liens on property affected by public improvements or appropriated by the exercise of the right of eminent domain'" excepting proceedings to ascertain damages and benefits by reason of municipal street or sewer improvements" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys for the maintenance and rental of certain rifle-ranges the employment of instructors and employes in connection therewith and for the purchase of equipment and uniforms for members of rifle-clubs who volunteer for service in their counties or answer the call of the Governor" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred seventy-seven) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to roads highways and bridges" approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini eighteen hundred thirty-six' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven so as to provide for the construction change or alteration of parts of public roads in counties boroughs or townships without the formality of a view where the costs and expenses to such county borough or township including damages shall not exceed three hundred dollars" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act amending the first section of an act of Assembly approved the twenty-ninth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one "authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to purchase bridges already erected or to erect and maintain bridges or culverts with the necessary approaches joining cities and boroughs which are separated by a river creek or rivulet and providing for the condemnation of land necessary for said approaches"' approved the ninth day of July Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven by extending its provisions so that the same will apply to cases where a borough and township are separated by a river creek or rivulet" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend section four of an act entitled 'An act creating a County Sinking-fund Commission in the several counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and prescribing its powers and duties' approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand eighteen) entitled 'An act making it unlawful for the commissioners of any county in this Commonwealth to contract to repair build or rebuild any county bridges without due advertisement for sealed proposals excepting contracts not amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars' by excepting contracts for the repair building or rebuilding of any bridge or bridges that will cost less than five hundred dollars" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ninety) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred thriteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and four) entitled 'An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and one) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to encourage county historical societies' approved the twenty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one as amended by the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen so as to increase the sum that may be appropriated to such societies and providing for joint appropriations" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act providing for a State association of county controllers and for the meetings thereof and providing for the payment by the counties of the expenses thereof" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act requiring counties having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand to establish a pension fund for the employes of such counties and providing for the administration of such fund and payments therefrom" absolutely

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred

ninety-nine) entitled "An act making it lawful for twenty-five or more resident taxpayers of any county in this Commonwealth in which any turnpike road or highway is wholly or partly located upon which tolls are charged the traveling public to present their petition to the county commissioners of their county setting forth that it would be for the best interests of the people of their county that such turnpike road or highway or part thereof should be purchased and become a public road free from tolls and toll-gates and thereupon for the county commissioners of the petitioners' county to purchase the same for public use free from tolls and toll-gates if a price therefor can be agreed upon with the owners thereof and pay for the same out of the funds of their county not otherwise appropriated and if such county has not sufficient funds to issue bonds of said county for that purpose and providing that any turnpike road or highway or part thereof so purchased and made a public road shall thereafter be repaired maintained and improved by the county township borough or city in which the same or part thereof is located" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and twenty-eight) entitled 'An act authorizing and requiring county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to have the county bridges of their respective counties painted and the bolts of the same tightened as often as may be necessary' as amended absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties to appropriate money for and to erect monuments or memorials to commemorate the services of soldiers sailors and marines in the war with Germany and Austria and authorizing counties to appropriate moneys to assist in erecting such monuments or memorials" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fourteen) entitled "An act amending sections two four and fifteen of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to locate lay out open construct and maintain public bridges whether wholly or partly within any city borough or township therein across any river or stream dividing or separating any part of said county from any other part thereof together with the necessary bridge approaches viaduct or other approaches to conveniently connect the same with existing streets or public roads in such cities boroughs or townships authorizing the cities and boroughs wherein such bridges are located to share in the cost thereof and to provide approaches therefor authorizing the taking and appropriation of property and rights of property public or private for such purposes providing a method for making compensation for property taken injured or destroyed thereby authorizing the several counties to enter upon and over public streets or roads in cities boroughs or townships for said purposes authorizing the several counties to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor and authorizing the several counties to charge and collect tolls and rentals for the concurrent use of such bridges and approaches by street-railway telegraph telephone or other corporations or persons making use thereof other than for ordinary foot or vehicle traffic and to enter into contracts for such use' approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred seventeen" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred eleven) entitled "An act authorizing counties to widen straighten alter or change the course of unnavigable streams to insure the safety of county bridges conferring upon counties the right of eminent domain in connection therewith and providing for the assessment of damages for property taken injured or destroyed" absolutely

Section one of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend sections thirteen and twenty of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' providing for the repair maintenance and vacation of abandoned and condemned turnpikes" absolutely and section two thereof except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act empowering the several counties of this Commonwealth to contract with any city within such county for the payment by the county of a portion of the cost of the laying out and construction of any public highway bridge connecting different portions of said city or portions of said city and any township bordering thereon but separated therefrom by any intervening valley or ravine and empowering such county to appropriate money levy taxes and incur indebtedness therefor" except in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on cities

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to certain cities or borough to assist in the erection of comfort stations" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties cities and boroughs to furnish rooms in public buildings for meeting places for certain organizations" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes" absolutely

The act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eighteen) entitled "An act amending sections one three five and twelve of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or travers-

ing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-six) entitled "An act amending section two of an act entitled 'An act authorizing and empowering the county commissioners and the county solicitor and the chief clerk of said commissioners of each county to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof' approved the tenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen as amended by providing that the necessary expenses of the convention shall not be more than fifty dollars to any county per annum" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seventy-nine) entitled "An act requiring county commissioners of the counties of the sixth class to furnish the county officers with certain services equipment and supplies at the expense of the county" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws ninety-four) entitled "An act requiring the county commissioners in all counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class of this Commonwealth to provide an office at the county-seat for the district attorney and his assistants if any and to furnish supplies postage telephone fuel and light required for his and their use" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing removal of county jails prisons or workhouses from public parks squares or commons in counties of the fourth class and the erection of new county jails prisons or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said counties and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails prisons or workhouses and the ground upon which the same may be located" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventeen) entitled "An act providing for the repair by the county commissioners of bridges viaducts or subways carrying a public highway over or under any railroad street railway or other highway where a dispute exists between municipal authorities or between municipal authorities and public service corporations as to the responsibility for such repair and providing for the collection of the cost of such repairs and supervision of the work" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the assessment of benefits and award of damages by the viewers appointed in counties of the second class pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road" and providing for the filing reviving and collecting of liens arising from any assessment of benefits thereunder" in so far as it relates to county roads

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act to further amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy) entitled 'An act to amend revise and consolidate the law providing for the burial of certain honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines at the expense of the counties in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death to provide a system for effecting the burial of such soldiers sailors and marines to provide headstones and markers for the graves of such soldiers sailors and marines and to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties to purchase plots of ground for the burial of such soldiers sailors and marines' as amended" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifty-eight) entitled 'An act empowering and directing the county commissioners of any county to purchase ground at the county-seat for the erection thereon of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the accommodation of the courts and of the several officers of the county and for the reception and safekeeping of the records and other papers in charge of such officers and also such other building or buildings as may be necessary and proper for the purposes of a county jail or workhouse when occasion shall require the erection of such building or buildings and in case the said ground cannot be obtained by agreement with the owner or owners at a reasonable price in the estimation of said commissioners then to resort to condemnation' as amended by providing for the purchase and condemnation of ground at or near the county-seat" absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-four entitled "An act to provide separate accommodations for women jurors at the several courthouses and providing that the separation of jurors in certain cases shall not work mistrials" in so far as it imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term 'deceased service men' and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-seven) entitled "An act to further amend section twenty of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' as amended providing for the vacation of abandoned or condemned turnpikes" ex-

cept in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on townships

The act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to acquire lands by purchase gift or condemnation and to convey such lands to the Commonwealth for use of the National Guard" as to counties

The act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act to amend section nineteen of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provdie a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county roads lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' further relating to the repair of such roads and expressing the intent of the act" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand one hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties or the town councils of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth or both to appropriate annually a sufficient sum of money to each Post of the Grand Army of the Republic in their respective counties or boroughs to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended authorizing county commissioners to make additional appropriations for Memorial Day purposes" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eight) entitled "An act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty) entitled "An act relative to the burial of the bodies of deceased widows of soldiers sailors and marines at county expense" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to cooperate with the Department of Agriculture and to appropriate money from county funds for the purpose of suppressing and controlling dangerous infectious disease of live stock and poultry and dangerous plant diseases and insect pests" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seventy-seven) entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to appropriate county moneys to incorporated agricultural and horticultural societies and associations" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-five) entitled "An act to amend section six of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eighty-eight) entitled "An act to require counties to cause the graves of honorably discharged soldiers sailors and marines to be decorated with flags on Memorial Day" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled "An act authorizing any county separately or counties interested jointly to lease for a term of years from a bridge company or corporation any toll bridge spanning a river or stream when such bridge is used solely for highway purposes or jointly for highway railroad or street railway purposes discontinuing tolls on any such bridge during such lease and authorizing counties to appropria.. money levy taxes and incur indebtedness for such purposes" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-five) entitled 'An act providing for the payment of the premiums on bonds of county city borough school-district and township employes' extending the provisions thereof to officers" in so far as it applies to counties

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eleven) entitled "An act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred

and three) entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this Commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties'" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-eight) "An act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and ninety-four) entitled 'An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic' to include authorization of appropriations to each organization of ex-service men incorporated under the act of April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto" in so far as it confers any powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act creating regulating and defining the powers of a County Planning Commission and authorizing the creation of a county plan in counties of the second class requiring the county commissioners to furnish to the commission before passage resolution relating to county improvements to roads lands building or means of communications authorizing the commission to report suggestions to the county commissioners concerning improvements and to appear in court with reference thereto authorizing the making of a county map and plan including territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing proposed improvements in roads lands buildings and means of communication" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-five) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate money from the funds of the county to aid in the planting of trees and the establishment of tree nurseries in aid of the reforestation of woodlots of farms or any other lands denuded of timber trees which it is desired to reforest" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine) entitled 'An act to provide for the election of one person to fill the office of prothonotary one person to fill the office of clerk of the courts of general quarter sessions and oyer and terminer one person to fill the office of register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court and one person to fill the office of recorder of deeds in counties containing forty thousand inhabitants and hereafter created separate judicial districts under the Constitution' providing that said act shall be in effect only upon the acceptance thereof" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing probation officers of the various counties to attend the annual State Association or Conference of Probation and Parole and providing for the payment of their expenses and membership dues by counties" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-three) entitled "An act relative to the disposition of fines and forfeitures in counties of this Commonwealth of the fourth class and authorizing the expenditure of a portion of all of said fines for the support and maintenance of a law library in said counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act empowering any chief deputy appointed by deed of any sheriff in any county of this Commonwealth to perform any duty incumbent upon such sheriff until a written revocation of such appointment be recorded with like effect as if such official act had been done by the sheriff in person regardless of the ability or temporary disability of such sheriff to act while such sheriff continues in office" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to provide for the laying out altering and vacating roads lying partly in one county and partly in an adjoining county forming or intended to form a continuous highway from one county to another and providing for the location construction of a joint county bridge on said road" absolutely

The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "An act to amend sections two and five of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death'" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate money for the compilation and publication of a County War History" absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act relating to county bridges authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof and for the acquisition of toll bridges and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two), entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county' by providing for second like proceeding in certain cases and making it the duty of the county commissioners upon favorable result of a second election to erect such hall at some place designated in the question submitted on the ballot" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county'" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section five and six of an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' as amended authorizing the purchase of headstones of deceased service men buried in the county and regulating the purchase of markers" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred forty) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' by authorizing appropriations to each post of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War" in so far as it confers powers or imposes any duties on counties

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred forty-one) entitled "An act authorizing courts of common pleas of the several counties of the fifth sixth seventh and eighth class to order moneys received from fines penalties and forfeited recognizances and dedicated by law to law library purposes in excess of the amount required to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the district attorneys of each county to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding meetings and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof and of the district attorneys attending by the several counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-three) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service man" and authorizing county commissioners to provide headstones markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of the county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death' " absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand ninety-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled 'An act to regulate the erection of county buildings' by providing for the approval of plans of county buildings and the letting of contracts for the construction thereof by the body levying the taxes for general county purposes in certain counties" except in so far as it provides for the approval of plans of county buildings and the letting of contracts for the construction thereof by the body levying the taxes for general county purposes in certain counties

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of February one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Law three) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-seven) entitled 'An act authorizing the establishment of contagious disease hospitals in the several counties of the Commonwealth to be constructed and maintained out of county funds' providing for the establishment and maintenance of contagious disease hospitals by two or more counties jointly" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties to engage in health work and to appropriate moneys for such purposes" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-eight) entitled "An act for the promotion of the safety of the traveling public by authorizing counties and townships to purchase or condemn by the right of eminent domain property and lands along highways so as to eliminate dangerous curves and widen narrow highways" in so far as it relates to counties

Sections one to eleven inclusive of the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act authorizing and regulating the establishment and operation by counties of hospitals for the treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis providing for the acquisition of property for such hospitals by the power of eminent domain the incurring of indebtedness and the levying of taxes the appointment of an advisory board authorizing counties to pay for patients cared for in hospitals of other counties authorizing counties to receive gifts or trust funds for the erection and maintenance of such hospitals validating proceedings elections and erections under existing laws repealed by this act and all indebtedness incurred in connection therewith" absolutely

The act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) entitled "An act to further amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred ninety-four) entitled 'An act to amend an act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled "An act authorizing to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" by authorizing appropriations to each post of the American Legion Veterans of Foreign Wars and to each Naval Association and each post of the Grand Army of the Republic' by extending the provisions thereof to cities and boroughs and by authorizing appropriations for Armistice Day" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fourteen) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-one) entitled 'An act creating regulating and defining the powers of a County Planning Commission and authorizing the creation of a county plan in counties of the second class requiring the county commissioners to furnish to the commission before passage resolutions relating to county improvements to roads lands buildings or means of communications authorizing the commission to report suggestions to the county commissioners concerning improvements and to appear in court with reference thereto authorizing the making of a county map and plan including territory extending three miles beyond the county limits showing proposed improvements in roads lands buildings and means of communication' requiring certain plans of streets and highways and plans plots and replots of land to be submitted to and approved by the County Planning Commission before recording determining the effect of the approval and disapproval thereof and creating a presumption of law" in so far as it relates to County Planning Commissions

The act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighteen) entitled "An act providing for the appropriation of moneys by counties toward the expense of installing ornamental illumination upon streets in the county seat on which county buildings abut" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to amend sections four and six of the

act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws thirty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers sailors and marines of such counties providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes regulating the use of such halls and providing for the maintenance and care of the same by a board of control at the expense of the county' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty) entitled "An act empowering counties to take purchase or condemn property and to appropriate money for the erection thereon of public auditoriums libraries memorial buildings and monuments and providing for their operation and maintenance" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners in cases of emergency to construct or reconstruct county bridges upon the approval of the court of quarter sessions" absolutely

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled 'An act to authorize counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection alteration addition and repair of public buildings' " in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act conferring authority on the Department of Highways and any county or township to enter upon private property adjacent to any public road or highway and place thereon snow fence between December first and April first of the succeeding year and providing for the payment of damages by the authorities responsible for the maintenance of said public road or highway to the owner of adjacent property occasioned in the actual placing or removal of said snow fence" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act providing for the building or rebuilding of inter-county bridges by adjoining counties or by a county and a city in an adjoining county and providing for the assessment and payment of damages for lands taken for such purpose by any county" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy) entitled "An act authorizing departments and agencies of the Commonwealth the several counties municipalities and other subdivisions thereof to include in all contracts an agreement to arbitrate under the arbitration act of one thousand eight hundred thirty-six" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designed as 'deceased service men' defining the term 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" absolutely

The act approved the second day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventeen) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-six) entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the better and more impartial selection of persons to serve as jurors in each of the counties of this Commonwealth" approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven providing for a clerk to the jury commissioners and regulating his compensation' providing for the appointment of a clerk to the jury commissioners by the county commissioners in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-four) entitled "An act authorizing counties singly or two or more counties acting together to purchase land and erect buildings thereon or to erect or add to and improve buildings already erected on lands owned by a county for an institution for the detention of delinquent women sentenced to imprisonment for one year or less and regulating the establishment management and maintenance of such institutions and the reception treatment training employment and instruction of inmates therein and the transfer of delinquent women from county prisons thereto or to other institutions in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the seventeenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws thirty-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled 'An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges' providing for the establishment of lights on county bridges located partly in one county and partly in another county or counties and requiring lights on certain county bridges" absolutely

The act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eighty-four) entitled "An act empowering counties of the second class to acquire by condemnation or by purchase lease gift devise or otherwise private property for the purpose of establishing making enlarging extending operating and maintaining public parks authorizing county commissioners to govern manage operate lay out improve and maintain the same and to make rules and regulations for the government of said parks providing punishments penalties and liabilities for the violation of said rules and regulations authorizing the issue of bonds and the levy of taxes for such purposes and repealing an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties having a population of not less than eight hundred thousand and not more than one million four hundred thousand to purchase land when adjacent or contiguous to county roads for park purposes or for public comfort stations providing for the improvement and maintenance thereof authorizing the adoption of rules relating to the management and control of such property providing penalties for the breach thereof and limiting the amount to be expended for the purposes aforesaid' approved the twentieth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" absolutely

The act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to amend section ten of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and three) entitled 'An act creating the office of county controller in counties of this commonwealth containing one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and over prescribing his duties and abolishing the office of county auditor in said counties' which now applies to all counties having a population of one hundred thousand and over by changing the amount above which contracts must be advertised" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled 'An act relative to the eligibility of candidates for the office of district attorney' " absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act providing for the election of one person as register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court in counties of the fourth class" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty) entitled "An act authorizing the register of wills of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the

payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nineteen) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy-five) entitled 'An act relating to county bridges authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof and for the acquisition of toll bridges and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon' by providing for the payment from tolls collected of the expenses of operating and maintaining such bridge" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred) entitled 'An act authorizing removal of county jails prisons or workhouses from public parks squares or commons in counties of the fourth class and the erection of new county jails prisons or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said counties and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails prisons or workhouses and the ground upon which the same may be located' regulating the location of such jails prisons and workhouses and the acreage to be acquired therewith" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act to amend the title and sections one and two of an act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled 'An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors or marines designated as "deceased service men" defining the term "deceased service men" authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines'" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred five) entitled "An act to amend section fifteen of an act entitled 'An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of this Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such constructed or improved roads and highways authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road' approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) by adding to the purposes for which the annual tax may be expended" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-eight), entitled "An act requiring counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts when fixing rates of taxation in mills to express such rates also in dollars and cents" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred twelve) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day' as amended authorizing appropriations to organizations agreeing to decorate graves of Civil War veterans" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-one) entitled 'A supplement to an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing for the original location laying out and construction of public roads or highways in the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the permanent improvement of certain public roads or highways therein making such originally constructed or improved roads and highways county roads authorizing the relocation opening straightening widening extension and alteration of the same and the vacation of so much of any road as may thereby become unnecessary providing that the county commissioners of any county may prescribe rules regulating the use of roads constructed or maintained by the various counties and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing for the taking of property for such improvement the compensation to be paid therefor and the payment of damages resulting from such taking and the manner in which such damages may be determined providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such construction or improvement and in thereafter repairing and maintaining said roads authorizing the levy of a tax or the issuing of bonds to provide a fund for the expense thereof prescribing a method for improving a county road lying within or traversing a borough and apportioning the cost of such improvement and authorizing the vacation of any county road"' authorizing boroughs towns and townships to enter into contracts to aid in the construction and maintenance of such roads or highways'" in so far as it relates to counties

The act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fourteen) entitled "An act to authorize the incoming sheriff in any county to complete the official acts of his predecessor" absolutely

Section 1052 EFFECT AND OTHER LEGISLATION All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are repealed This act shall not repeal or modify any of the provisions of the Public Service Company Law nor the act entitled "An act to preserve the purity of the waters of the State for the protection of the public health" approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five nor shall this act repeal or modify any of the provisions of an act of assembly amendatory of law in force at the time of the passage of this act or otherwise adopted at the session of the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine whether such acts were adopted prior to the passage of this act or shall be adopted subsequent to the passage of this act nor shall this act repeal any such act or part thereof in force at the time of the passage of this act which is amended by an act of assembly approved at the Session of the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question.

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. D. GLENN MOORE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Article 5, by inserting on Page 126, after Line 22, the following:

(k) Advertising

Section 493 DESIGNATION OF NEWSPAPERS FOR COUNTY ADVERTISING The Board of County Commissioners in all Counties to which this Act applies shall during the first week of January in each year designate at least one and not more than four newspapers of general circulation and the legal newspaper or periodical if any designated by the rules of Court for the publication of Court and legal notices in which all notices and advertisements required to be published by or on behalf of the County shall be published during the ensuing year.

Section 497 Wherever under the provisions of this Act notice or advertisement is required to be given in one or more newspapers such notice shall be published in newspapers of general circulation printed within the limits of the county but if there be no newspaper of general circulation printed within the limits of the county then in a newspaper of general circulation printed in an adjacent county and circulating within the limits of the said county where such notice is required to be published.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1890, entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gochring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reader,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2133, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to construct dams of more than one hundred feet in height; declaring such dams, if built, to be a nuisance and abatable as such; and requiring applicants for permits to build certain dams, to furnish proof of their financial responsibility.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—174.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stark,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holmes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Howe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister	Schreck,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McClure,		

NAYS—4.

Brown, T. J., Evans, Turner, Wolfe,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1094, (Senate Bill No. 831), as follows:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 Employment of Convicts in Construction—Upon the completion of such building or buildings as may be necessary for the custody of prisoners the board shall transfer the convicts from the Eastern State Penitentiary in Philadelphia as rapidly as feasible until all such convicts are so transferred and such convicts may be assigned with the necessary guards to assist in any work connected with the improvement of said tract the preparation of building materials or the construction of the said buildings and improvements pertinent thereto or to engage in farming or dairying work for the purpose of supplying the prisoners at Graterford and at the Eastern State Penitentiary Philadelphia with food products For the labor of all such prisoners the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary shall enter into an agreement with the Department of Welfare and shall pay to the Department of Welfare Manufacturing Fund such wages for each prisoner employed as may be agreed upon in accordance with the laws regulating the employment of prison or inmate labor Wages paid hereunder for the labor of prisoners engaged in farming or dairying or cooking or other work in connection with the maintenance of prisoners at Graterford shall be charged to the counties as a part of the cost of keeping prisoners and all wages paid hereunder for the labor of prisoners engaged in the preparation of building materials or in improving the site of the new penitentiary or in the construction of buildings shall be paid out of any moneys appropriated by the General Assembly for the construction of the new penitentiary [with the necessary guards] The expense of keeping the convicts at the site of said new Eastern State Penitentiary shall be borne by the respective counties in which they shall be convicted and the said expense shall be paid [to the said board of trustees by orders to be drawn by them on the treasurers of the said counties who shall accept and pay the same] as provided by law in the case of convicts confined in the Eastern State Penitentiary at Philadelphia

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, W. E.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Soffel,
Barton,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bickett,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Pennock	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Hefner,	Perry,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Post,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Walker,
Burke,	Howe,	Purucker,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Reader,	Way,
Catania,	Kahle,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	King,	Reilly,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Klockner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Conner,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Davis,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Embardt,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	[illegible],
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	[illegible],
Evans,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	[illegible],
Fish,	McCann,	Shaffer,	[illegible],
Flynn,	McClure,	Sheely,	[illegible].

NAYS—1.

Eaches,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1493, (Senate Bill No. 196), entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 2, line 21, by adding after the word "simple" the following: "Provided, however, that no condemnation can be made under the provisions of this act of the lands now

owned by railroad or railway companies whether used exclusively for transportation purposes or otherwise"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?.

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1959, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the commissioning of policemen for corporations, associations, co-partnerships and individuals; defining the powers and liabilities of such policemen and their employes; and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker, I ask for a verification of the roll.

The roll was verified as follows:

YEAS—16.

Baldrige,	Dunn,	Howe,	[illegible],
Conner,	Emhardt,	Kahle,	[illegible],
Denne,	Grimes,	Linton,	Steedle,
Donnell,	Hoffman,	McDonald,	Wettach,

NAYS—135.

Adams, E. C.,	Erdley,	Leidich,	Root,
Adams, P. G.,	Evans,	Lockhart,	Royle,
Baily,	Fish,	Loucks,	Sautter,
Baker,	Flynn,	Lowe,	Schreck,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fockler,	Lucas,	Schrock,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,
Barton,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
Batchelor,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Bausher,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Bechtel,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Behm,	Greeby,	Millar,	Shellenberger,
Bell, F. A.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hart,	Myers,	Tahl,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Patterson, F. W.,	Way,
Bowers,	Haws,	Peelor,	Weaver,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Wells,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Perry,	Welty,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pethick,	White,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pierce,	Wike,
Burns,	Hermanson,	Pitts,	Williams, G. W.,
Catania,	Himes,	Post,	Wilson,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Witherspoon,
Clovis,	Huester,	Reader,	Wolfe,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reed,	Wood,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reilly,	Yeakel,
Dengler,	King,	Reyburn,	Yerg,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	Hess,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Rieder,	Speaker.
Ede,	Landis,	Renemus,	

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill falls.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I move that the order by which House Bill No. 2124, (Senate Bill No. 455), file folio 6365, entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto.

was directed to be laid over for printing, be reconsidered.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed on third reading, as amended, be reconsidered.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. REED. If in order, Mr. Speaker, I would ask that the amendments inserted by the gentleman from Washington, Mr. Moore, be withdrawn.

The SPEAKER. Does the gentleman from Washington withdraw the amendments which he offered?

Mr. D. GLENN MOORE. Yes, sir, Mr. Speaker.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E C.,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reed,	Wike,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wright,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Speaker,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2011, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Simon,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Soffel,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Sowers,
Barton,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muncy,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hart,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burke,	Hofman,	Post,	Way,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reader,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	Jones,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Katz,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Fiderer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witkin,
Fimhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fridley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheely,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2145, (Senate Bill No. 207), as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State-aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-one of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several

townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by the State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended by the act approved the twenty-eight day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-six) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 21 The several counties and townships of the Commonwealth except counties of the seventh and eighth class and townships within such counties or any of them either jointly as county and township or severally expressing a desire to the State Highway Department in manner hereinafter required for State aid shall from and after the passage of this act be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement and subsequent maintenance of any road or highway in any county or township of the Commonwealth not here in defined as a State Highway when complying with the provisions of this act governing same The State when granting the aid and cooperation desired shall not in any case pay more than fifty (50) per centum of the cost of any road improvement nor more than fifty (50) per centum of the maintenance thereafter and the remaining fifty (50) per centum of the cost and expense of improvement shall be paid to wit Twenty-five (25) per centum by the county and twenty-five (25) per centum by the township when the application for said aid is joint by county and township and thereafter the township shall pay fifty (50) per centum of the entire cost of maintenance Provided That counties or townships may agree between themselves to contribute their joint proportion of the fifty (50) per centum of the total expense of any improvement herein required to be borne by them in different proportions from that herein specified Where any township or county road or highway is desired to be improved by a county or township without the joint action or cooperation of the other then said county or township as the case may be shall pay the entire fifty (50) per centum of the cost of the road improvement and fifty (50) per centum of the cost of maintenance thereafter When any county of the seventh and eighth class or any township within any such county or any of them either jointly as county and township or severally express a desire to the Department of Highways in the manner hereinbefore provided for other counties and townships such county or township or county and township or township shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement and subsequent maintenance of any road or highway in the same manner as such other counties or townships are entitled to aid except that in such cases the State when granting the aid and cooperation desired may pay [sixty-five (35)] seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of any such improvement and the remaining [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost and expense of such aid and improvement shall be paid to wit [seventeen] twelve and one-half [(17½%)] (12½%) per centum by the county and [seventeen] twelve and one-half [(17½%)] (12½%) by the township when such application is joint by county and township or the counties or townships may agree between themselves to contribute their joint proportion of the [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the total expense of any improvement herein required to be borne by them in different proportions from that herein specified Where any township or county road in any county of the seventh or eight class is desired to be improved by a county or township without the joint action or cooperation of the other then said county or township as the case may be shall pay the entire [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of the road improvement five (25) per centum of the cost of the road improvement Provided That any township desiring the aid and cooperation of the State in the permanent improvement of any of its roads shall levy a cash road tax to meet the cost of such permanent improvement and shall levy annually thereafter such further road taxes in cash as are sufficient to pay the township's share of the annual maintenance of such highways And provided further It shall be lawful for any township or county of the Commonwealth to incur indebtedness or to issue bonds in the manner authorized by law for the payment of said township's or county's share of the cost of any permanent road improvement or maintenance undertaken under the provisions of this act

Section 2 That section twenty-two of said act as amended by said amending act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-six) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 22 The State shall not furnish any aid or cooperation in the permanent improvement or maintenance of any county or township road or highway to be improved as a State-aid highway until and unless the supervisors or commissioners of the township in which the road desired to be improved lies where the improvement is intended to be made jointly by township and county shall first petition the county commissioners of the county representing that any principal highway or section thereof lying within said township is in need of reconstruction and setting forth that the said township desires to take advantage of the provisions of this act to improve said highway It shall then be the duty of said county commissioners to adopt a resolution authorizing the assumption by the county of its share of said improvement and the said county commissioners shall then promptly petition the State Highway Department for the aid and cooperation of the State as desired for the particular road to be improved Said petition of the county commissioners shall be accompanied by the said township petition and it shall state the desire of both the township and county that said road or highway shall be improved and maintained as a State-aid highway according to such plans and specifications as shall be prepared by the State Highway Department that the county and township or townships agree to pay fifty (50) per centum of the cost and expense of such improvement and in case the petition is that of a county of the seventh or eighth class or a township or townships within such county then that such county and township or townships agree to pay [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost and expense of such improvement and in all cases that the township or townships will thereafter in consideration of the aid and cooperation of the State so granted pay fifty (50) per centum of the cost of repair and maintenance thereof Such roads to be at all times under the authority and supervision of the State Highway Department Said petition shall further state that petitioners upon approval hereof by the State Highway Department will enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth to be approved by the Attorney General or deputy as to form which shall embody and contain all matter of detail concerning the improvement maintenance and repair of the highway to be improved Provided When the aid and cooperation of the State in the improvement of any highway is desired by any county or township without the intervention of the other said county or township if it shall agree to pay one-half of the cost of the improvement and maintenance thereof shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in like manner as in cases of joint applications by county and township or when such aid and cooperation is desired by any

county of the seventh or eighth class or any township therein without the intervention of the other such county or township if it shall agree to pay [thirty-five (35)] twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of the improvement and one-half of the cost of maintenance thereof shall be entitled to receive the aid and cooperation of the State in like manner as in cases of joint applications by county and township And provided further That no State aid shall be paid or given nor shall any work be commenced in the improvement of any road or highway in any township or county of this Commonwealth until said agreement shall have been duly executed by the respective parties pursuant to due and legal municipal and corporate action of both township and county and the State Highway Commissioner shall then advertise for bids and let contracts for the improvement of the road desired to be improved in the manner herein provided in the case of improvement of State highways And provided further That the State Highway Commissioner may enter into contracts at any time in amounts equal to the State appropriation then available plus the respective shares of the counties or boroughs

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Black,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Burns,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Roncmus,	Witherspoon,
Fuehes,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Ide,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Zieseenheim,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker,
Fox,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2292, (Senate Bill No. 1252), as follows:

An Act to amend section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buidings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-eight) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and ot regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" is hereby amended to read as follows

The board of adjustment shall consist of [three] five members one of whom shall be a member of the city planning commission one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine [and] one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty and until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and one until the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve [three] five years Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Aston,	Gicking,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baily,	Goehring,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Grenet,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Mumford,	Stark,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Pennock,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Perry,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Post,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Reader,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reilly,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	White,
Davis,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wike,
Dengler,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lowe,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Ede,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Wood,
Emhardt,	McCallister,	Scott, J G.,	Wright,
Erdley,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McClure,	Sheely,	Yerg,
Fish,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Fockler,	Memolo,	Shortz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2283, (Senate Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four and to repeal section two of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 894), entitled "An act relating to and regulating the plotting by cities of the first class of parks and parkways in built-up sections thereof," by limiting the provisions thereof to parks.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of Notice in cases of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Griffith,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hermanson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.	Himes,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2031, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section one thousand two hundred and seven of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors

burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads.

Mr. WEIDEMANN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2281, (Senate Bill No. 970), entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McAlee,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Barton,	Grimes,	McKay,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stein
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pitts	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Clovis,	Howe,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	Huester,	Reader,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wells,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	King,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Root,	Within,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Yeager,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Zieseniheim,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts with counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. TURNER. The file folio as given on the calendar is 5075 which is not the last file folio. The bill that is on file

here does not have an amendment in it that appears in the last file folio, and I therefore move that this bill be placed on the postponed calendar.

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2323, (Senate Bill No. 1295), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Aston,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Greeby,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2328, (Senate Bill No. 1327), entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. I. 73), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended, providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law, nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.	Grimes,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldridge,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burke,	Howe,	Post,	Voltz,
Burns,	Huester,	Powell,	Walker,
Catania,	Jones,	Purucker,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Reader,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Cooke,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Davis,	Linton,	Rice,	Wettach,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Marcus,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
		Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2346, (Senate Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the third class in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—178.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Aston,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Harding,	Michel,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hart,	Miller H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Heffner,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Washington,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Zieseenhelm,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Speaker.
Goehring,	McCann,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2347, (Senate Bill No. 928), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—175.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Adams, P. G.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Aston,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B
Baker,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington
Cooke,	Howe,	Powell,	Way,
Davis,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Dengler,	Jones,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wells,
Ditter,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schwartz	Wright,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,	Zieseenhelm,
Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2339, (Senate Bill No. 1332), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county boards of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—143.

Aston,	Goehring,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Heffernan,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Munley,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Myers,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Nothnagle,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	O'Neill,	Turner,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Voltz,

Catania,	Howe,	Perry,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Peters,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pethick,	Way,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gicking,	McAlee,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—16.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Reader,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	McKay,	Schrock,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Shaffer,
Donnell,	Himes,	Peelor,	Stevenson,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1403, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Aston,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Baily,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Baldrige,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Barton,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Batchelor,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bausher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bechtel,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Behm,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Black,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Powell,	Voltz,
Burns,	Jones,	Purucker,	Walker,
Catania,	Kahle,	Reader,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reed,	Way,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Conner,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Davis,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Welty,
Dengler,	Lose	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Denne,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Lowe,	Riddle,	White,
Ditter,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Marcus,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Fockler,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McGregor	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,	Hess,
Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Griffith,	Metzinger,		

NAYS—3.

Braham,	Bickett,	Himes,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2154, (Senate Bill No. 979), entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work ad require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. HERMANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be referred back to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. ROOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—147.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Shutt,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Simon,
Baily,	Gicking,	McClure,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sowers,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Spangler,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	Meredith,	Stadtlander,
Baldrige,	Harding,	Metzinger,	Staudenmeier,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Millar,	Sterling,
Bausher,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Stevenson,
Bechtel,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Storb,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Sullivan,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Tahl,
Bicker,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Bickett,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Turner,
Bidelspacher,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Blumberg,	Himes,	Pennock,	Walker,
Boggs,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Weaver,
Bowers,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Wells,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Powell,	Welty,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Burns,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Catania,	Katz,	Reyburn,	White,
Cauffiel,	King,	Rice,	Wike,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Clark, M. S.,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Clovis,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Conner,	Leidich,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Davidson,	Linton,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Davis,	Lockhart,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Dengler,	Lose,	Schrock,	Wood,
Ede,	Loucks,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Emhardt	Lucas,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,

Evans,	Lynch,	Sheely,	Hess,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McAlee,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—21.

Aston,	Hefferon,	Moore, D. G.,	Rhodes,
Braham,	Jones,	O'Neill,	Root,
Denne,	McDonald,	Peck,	Schilling,
Dietrich,	Memolo,	Reed,	Steedle,
Donnell,	Mumford,	Reilly,	Way,
Dunn,			

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2322, (Senate Bill No. 1290), entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Purucker,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Reader,	Washington,
Burns,	Holmes,	Reed,	Way,
Catania,	Howe,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Rice,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Riddle,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rieder,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. WEIDEMANN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1563, (Senate Bill No. 272), entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any state of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. PERRY. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary Special.

Mr. GREEBY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, this is another one of the Crimes Commission bills known as the extra State subpoena bill. The Crimes Commission is of the opinion that this bill is necessary to the proper execution of the criminal laws of this Commonwealth. It is a part of a program and I ask you therefore to vote down this motion.

On the question recurring,:

Will the House agree to the motion?

The motion was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—142.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McAlee,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Griffith,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Grimes,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gwynne,	McDonald	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Hagmaier,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Haines,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hefferon,	Mumford	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Heffner,	Munley,	Soffel,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Myers,	Spangler,
Black,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Stark
Bowers,	Himes,	Pennock,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Post,	Storer,
Burke,	Howe,	Powell,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Huester,	Purucker,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Reader,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reed,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Voltz,
Davidson,	King,	Rhodes,	Walker,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Washington,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Way,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Weaver,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wells,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wettach,
Erdley,	Lose,	Ronemus,	White,
Fockler,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wike,
Fox,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Gelnett,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Gicking,	Marcus,		

NAYS—10.

Barton,	Dengler,	Musmanno,	Perry,
Catania,	Dunn,	Peck,	Steedle,
Conner,	Grenet,		

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2333, (Senate Bill No. 792), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended: by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Aston,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baily,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baker,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Batchelor	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Behm,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	King,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Denne,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Greeby,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration tion of House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—176.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baily,	Greeby,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Washington,

Burke,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Way,
Burns,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Catania,	Howe,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Reed,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,	
Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—2.

Barton, Davidson,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration tion of House Bill No. 2314, (Senate Bill No. 938), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—179.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Harthock,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffner,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Himes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Powell,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark M. S.,	Holmes,	Reader,	Wells,
Clovis,	Howe,	Reed,	Welty,
Conner,	Huester,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reyburn	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kahle,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Katz,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2332, (Senate Bill No. 596), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baily,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baker,	Haines,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hart,	Moore, D G.,	Soffel,
Barton,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haws,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Stein,
Black,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Storb,
Braham,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Huester,	Post,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Jones,	Powell,	Talbot,
Burke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Turner,
Burns,	Katz,	Reader,	Voltz,
Catania,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Kleckner	Reilly,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Conner,	Leidich,	Rice,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wells,
Davis,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lucas,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Wood,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,	Hess,
Greeby,			Speaker,

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2146, (Senate Bill No. 477), entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth, seventh and eighth classes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—160.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Flynn,	McAlee,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Fockler,	McCallister,	Shortz,
Baker,	Fox,	McCann,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Tahl,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peclor,	Washington,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Weaver,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Wells,
Burns,	Himes,	Pierce,	Wettach,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Wheeler,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Wike,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Reader,	Williams, G. W.,
Clovis,	Huester,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.,
Conner,	Jones,	Reilly,	Wilson,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Witherspoon,
Davis,	King,	Rhodes,	Witkin,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wood,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wright,
Ditter,	Linton,	Riddle,	Yeakel,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Yerg,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Ziesenheim,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Hess,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Erdley,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2316, (Senate Bill No. 1037), entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—173.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	Michel,	Simon,
Aston,	Gelnett,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baily,	Gicking,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Goehring,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Harter,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Peck,	Sterling,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Perry,	Storer,
Bickett,	Hefferon,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Bidelspacher,	Heffran,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Black,	Hermansen,	Pierce,	Turner,
Blumberg,	Himes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Bowers,	Hoffman,	Post,	Walker,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Washington,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Way,
Brown, E. P.,	Huester,	Reader,	Weaver,
Brown, T. J.,	Jones,	Reed	Weidemann,
Burns,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Wells,
Catania,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Cauffiel,	King,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,

Clark, M. S.,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	White,
Clovis,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wike,
Conner,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Cooke,	Lose,	Root,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wilson,
Dengler,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Witherspoon,
Denne,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Witkin,
Dietrich,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Wolfe,
Ditter,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Dunn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Eaches,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Ede,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	McCann,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	McClure.	Sheffer,	Hess,
Evans,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,	Speaker.
Fish,	Memolo,	Shortz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2298, (Senate Bill No. 783), as follows:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repeal existing laws" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The laws of every such society from and after five years from the date of the passage of this act shall provide that if the stated periodical contributions of the members are insufficient to pay all matured claims in full and to provide for the payment of its benefit fund obligations valued upon a valuation by one of the standards authorized in section twenty-three or section twenty-three B of this act and for the creation and maintenance of the funds required by its laws additional or increased rates of contribution [may] shall be collected from the members to meet such deficiency [Such laws may also provide that] or each certificate shall be charged with it proportion of any deficiency disclosed by the valuation [hereinafter] herein specified with lawful interest thereon

Section 2 That section ten of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 10 The funds from which benefits shall be paid and the funds from which expenses of the society shall be defrayed shall be derived from regular monthly or other periodical rates of contribution paid by the members of the society and accretions of said funds and no part of any funds set aside for the payment of benefits shall be used for expenses other than expenses incurred in investigating or defending claims against such benefits funds Except as herein otherwise allowed every domestic society shall invest its funds only in securities permitted by the laws of this Commonwealth for the investment of the reserves of life insurance companies Unless the approval of the Insurance Commissioner shall be first obtained in writing no domestic society shall keep or maintain at a place outside of this Commonwealth any securities or other assets except such as are necessary for the collection of current dues and to enable it to comply with the laws of any other State or foreign country for the purpose of transacting business therein

Section 3 That section twenty-two of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections seventeen twenty and twenty-two of an act approved the twentieth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixteen) entitled 'An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of morality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and apponting the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of this act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws by providing for the practice and procedure to be followed by the Insurance Commissioner in refusing to license any foreign society and in revoking the license of such society and providing for jurisdiction practice and procedure upon appeals from the action of the Insurance Commissioner in such cases" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 22 Before the Insurance Commissioner shall refuse to license any foreign society or shall revoke its authority to do business in this State he shall furnish to such society a concise statement of his reasons for such proposed refusal or revocation and give notice of a time and place of hearing at which such society may show cause why a license should be granted to it or why the license granted to it should not be revoked as the case may be

Upon request made to the Insurance Commissioner by such society he shall issue subpoenas to summon such witnesses as the society may desire to summon and upon the filing of a petition by such society duly verified by oath showing that the testimony of certain persons named therein is competent and relevant to the issues to be heard by the Commissioner and that such persons are outside the State of Pennsylvania he shall appoint a suitable person duly qualified by law to administer oaths as a commissioner to take the testimony of such persons at such place or places specified in the petition as the testimony of such witnesses may be obtained Such testimony shall be taken upon oral examination and cross examination or upon written interrogatories and cross interrogatories as the Insurance Commissioner may determine and when so taken shall be reduced to writing and certified to the Insurance Commissioner by the commissioner so appointed and shall be made a part of the record of such hearing before the Insurance Commissioner The cost of issuing said subpoenas shall be paid to the commissioner by the society

Any notice of hearing required by this act shall be sufficient if sent by registered mail addressed to the society or to its president at its principal office in its home state territory province or county A full and complete record shall be kept of all proceedings had before the Insurance Commissioner at any hearing and all testimony taken at such hearings shall be reported stenographically and the completeness and accuracy of the record shall be certified by the Insurance Commissioner

All decisions rulings and findings of the Insurance Commissioner made under this act together with a statement of his reasons therefor shall be reduced to writing and filed in his office and he shall serve a copy thereof upon the society by registered mail addressed to the society or its president at its principal office in its home state territory province or country and the action of the Insurance Commissioner shall be reviewable upon appeal to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County in the following manner

Any Society aggrieved by any decision ruling or finding of the Insurance Commissioner may file within thirty days thereafter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County a petition against the commissioner officially as defendant alleging therein in brief detail the action and decision complained of and praying for a reversal thereof Thereupon a summons shall issue returnable in ten days and shall be served with a copy of the petition upon the Insurance Commissioner On or before the return day the commissioner shall file an answer in which he shall allege by way of defense the grounds of his decision He shall also on or before the return day of such summons certify to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County the record of the proceedings to which the petition refers Such record shall include the testimony taken thereon the findings of fact and conclusions if any made by the commissioner based upon such testimony a copy of all notices and statements of reasons issued and served by the commissioner in the proceedings and a copy of the decision ruling or finding of the commissioner with his statement of reasons which the petition calls upon the court to reverse The cost of preparing and certifying such record shall be paid to the commissioner by the petitioner and taxed as part of the costs in the case to be paid as directed by the court upon the final determination of the case

Upon the filing of the commissioner's answer the case before the court of common pleas of Dauphin County shall be at issue without further pleadings and upon application of either party made thereafter the case shall be advanced and heard without further delay Mere technical irregularities in the procedure of the commissioner shall be disregarded

Such appeal shall not be supersedeas nor stay further proceedings by the Insurance Commissioner unless otherwise ordered by the court of common pleas of Dauphin County upon such terms and conditions as said court shall determine and then only in the case of an appeal from a decision ruling or finding of the commissioner revoking the authority of any such society to do business.

The case shall be heard upon the record certified to the court by the commissioner Additional testimony shall not be taken by the court but the court may in proper cases remit the record of the commissioner for the taking of further testimony

From the decision of the court of common pleas of Dauphin County an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania as in other cases

In the case of any appeal or other proceeding for review heretofore taken from the decision of the Insurance Commissioner refusing to license any such society or revoking its authority to do business and now pending and undetermined in any court of this Commonwealth the court may make an appropriate order remanding the decision ruling or finding appealed from the Insurance Commissioner with directions to proceed in conformity with the provisions of this act and the making of such order shall restore the status of the appellant society as it was before the making of the decision ruling or finding appealed from

[Nothing contained in this section or in sections sixteen or twenty of this act shall however be taken or construed as preventing any such society from continuing in good faith all contracts made in this Commonwealth during the time such society was legally authorized to transact business herein]

Upon the revocation of the authority of any such foreign society to do business in this Commonwealth for the reason that the valuation of its certificates as hereinbefore provided shall show that the present value of future net contributions together with the admitted asses is less than the present value of the promised benefits and accrued liabilities such society shall reinsure all its business and contracts then in force in this Commonwealth within a reasonable time thereafter in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Insurance Commissioner

Section 4 That section twenty-three of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23 Every society transacting business under this act shall annually on or before the first day of March file with the Insurance Commissioner in such form as may require a statement under oath of its president and secretary or corresponding officers of its transactions for the calendar year standing on that date and shall include therein all accrued liability under unpaid claims where notice was received by the society at its home office before the end of such calendar year No society shall be required to include in such report any claim or claims notice of which had not been received by the society at its home office before the end of such year. It shall also furnish such other information as the Insurance Commissioner may deem necessary to a proper exhibit of its business and plan of working. The commissioner may at other times require any further statement he may deem necessary to be made relating to such society

In addition to the annual report herein required each society shall annually report to the commissioner a valuation of its benefit fund obligations in force on December thirty-first last preceding excluding those entered into within the year for which the report is filed in cases where the contributions for the first year in whole or in part are used for current expenses Such report of valuation shall show as contingent liabilities the present mid-year value of the promised benefits provided in the constitution and laws of such society under certificates then subject to valuation at not more than the average rate of interest earned on its invested assets during five calendar years preceding the date of such annual report less such portion thereof as may have been assumed by other associations or companies and as contingent assets the present mid-year value at the same rate of interest of the future net contributions provided in its constitution and laws as the same are in practice actually collected

In lieu of the above valuation any society at its option may show the net value of its benefit fund obligations subject to valuation at the rate of interest as hereinbefore provided and said net value when computed in the case of monthly contributions may be the means of the terminal value for the end of the preceding and of the current certificate years from which said tabular values shall be deducted such portion thereof as may have been assumed by other associations or companies and in addition there may be deducted the present worth of the probable future annual savings in death losses as specified in the preceding paragraph

Every such valuation report shall include as a contingent liability an estimate made by or on behalf of the society of the probable future payments under unpaid claims notice of which was received by the society at its home office before the end of the calendar year covered by the annual report but which has not been approved for payment at the date of such report

Deferred payments or instalments of claims whether involving a life contingency or not shall be included in the valuation report as contingent liabilities on the happening of the contingency upon which such payments or instalments are thereafter to be paid All such liability shall be the present worth of such future payments or instalments at the average rate of interest earned by the society during the five calendar years preceding the date of such annual report

Each valuation report shall be certified by a competent accountant or actuary or at the request and expense of the society verified by the actuary of the department of insurance of the home State of the society and shall be filed with the Insurance Commissioner on or before the first day of June succeeding the submission of the last preceding annual report

The minimum standard of valuation for all benefit fund obligations except for disability and dependent benefits shall

be the National Fraternal Congress Table of Mortality hereinbefore referred to or at the option of the society by any other standard table or a table based upon the society's own experience of at least twenty years and covering not less than one hundred thousand lives with an interest assumption of not more than the average rate of interest earned on its invested assets during the five calendar years preceding such annual report

Every valuation report shall set forth clearly and fully the mortality and interest basis and the method of valuation Any society providing for disability benefits shall keep a separate account of the same in its said valuation report shall charge as a liability the balance to the credit of such fund or funds at the date of such valuation Where a combined contribution table is used by a society for both death and permanent and total disability benefits the valuation may be of death benefit only and in such case a separate accounting shall not be required

A report of such valuation with such explanation as the society may deem advisable shall be printed and mailed to each beneficial member of the society not later than July first of each year in lieu thereof may be published in the society's official paper and the issue containing the same mailed to each beneficial member of the society [The valuation herein provided for shall not be considered or regarded as a test of the financial solvency of the society but each society shall be held to be legally solvent so long as the funds in its possession are equal to or in excess of its matured liabilities]

Section 5 That section twenty-three B of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 23 B In lieu of the valuation heerinbefore required any society may value its certificates on a basis herein designated "accumulated basis" by crediting each member with the net amount contributed for each year and with interest at approximately the net rate earned and by charging him with his share of the losses for each year herein designated "cost of insurance" and carrying the balance if any to his credit The charge for the cost of insurance may be according to the actual experience of the society as applied to a table of mortality recognized by the law of this Commonwealth and shall take into consideration the amount at risk during each year which shall be the amount payable at death less the credit to the member

Unless specifically provided in its constitution or laws no charge shall be carried forward from the first valuation hereunder against any member for any past share of losses extending the contributions and credit If after the first valuation any member's share or losses for any year exceeds his credit including the contributions for the year the contributions shall be increased to cover his share of the losses

Any such excess share of losses chargeable to any member may be paid out of a fund or contributions especially created or required for such purpose Any member may transfer to any plans adopted by the society with net rates on which tabular reserves are maintained and on transfer shall be entitled to take such application of his credit as provided in the laws of the society Certificates issued rerated or readjusted on a basis providing for adequate rates with adequate reserves to mature such certificates upon assumption for mortality and interest recognized by the law of this Commonwealth shall be valued on such basis herein designated the "tabular basis" Provided That if on the first valuation under this section a deficiency in reserve shall be shown for any such certificate the same shall be valued on the accumulation basis

Whenever in any society having members upon the tabular basis and upon the accumulation basis the total of all costs of insurance provided for any years shall be insufficient to meet the actual death and disability losses for the year the deficiency may be met for the year from the available funds after setting aside all credits in the reserve or from increased contributions or by an increase in the number of assessments applied in the society as a whole or to classes of members as may be specified in its laws Savings from a lower amount of death losses may be returned in like manner as may be specified in its laws

If the laws of the society so provide the assets representing the reserves of any separate class of members may be carried separate for such class as if in an independent society and the required reserve accumulation of such class to set part shall not thereafter be merged with the assets of other classes of the society

A table showing the credits to individual members for each age and year of entry and showing opposite each credits the tabular reserve required in the whole life or other plan of insurance specified in the contract according to assumptions for mortality and interest recognized by the law of this Commonwealth and adopted by the society shall be filed by the society with each annual report and also be furnished to each member before July first of each year

In lieu of the aforesaid statement there may be furnished to each member within the same time a statement giving the credit for such member and giving the tabular reserve and level rate required for the transfer carrying out the plan of insurance specified in the contract No table or statement need be made or furnished where the reserves are maintained on the tabular basis For this purpose individual bookkeeping accounts for each member shall not be required and all calculations may be made by actuarial methods

Nothing herein contained shall prevent the maintenance of such surplus over and above the credits on the accumulation basis and the reserves on the tabular basis as any society may provide by or pursuant to its laws nor be construed as giving to the individual member any right or claim to any such reserve or credit other than in manner and as expressed in its constitution and laws

Section 6 That the said Act be and the same is hereby amended by adding after Section twenty-three B thereof the following new section

Section 23 C If the valuation of the certificates as herein before provided shall show that the present value of future net contributions together with the admitted assets is less than the present value of the promised benefits and accrued liabilities such society shall within five years from the date of the passage of this act either collect additional assessments or increase the rates of contribution from the members to meet such deficiency or classify its members according to the adequacy of the rates they are contributing and charge each class with its proportion of any deficiency disclosed by any such valuation

Section 7 That section twenty-five of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 Any person who shall solicit membership for or in any manner assist in procuring membership in any fraternal benefit society not authorized to do business in this Commonwealth shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than [fifty] five hundred nor more than [two hundred] one thousand dollars Any officer agent or employe of any society neglecting or refusing to comply with or violating any of the provisions of this act the penalty for which refusal or violation is not specified shall upon conviction thereof be fined not exceeding [two hundred] one thousand dollars

Section 8 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Grenet,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,

Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2173, (Senate Bill No. 1036), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulating examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Storb,
Black,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Burke,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Burns,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Ede,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2343, (Senate Bill No. 1238), entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six), entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of any the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sowers,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Storer,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Talbot,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Turner,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Voltz,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Walker,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Washington,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Way,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Weaver,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Wells,

Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Jones,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Marcus,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McAlee,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2182, (Senate Bill No. 1025), entitled:

An Act requiring all Title Insurance Companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof and regulating the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Storer,
Braham,	Himes,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Post,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McGregor,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2335, (Senate Bill No. 974), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Simon,
Barton,	Grenet,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hart,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Burke,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Catania,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Walker,
Clovis,	Himes,	Perry,	Washington,
Conner,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Way,
Cooke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Dengler,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Denne,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Donnell,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2317, (Senate Bill No. 1088), entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shutt,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2326, (Senate Bill No. 1303), entitled:

An Act relating to wards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—181.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendmen.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2334, (Senate Bill No. 794), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Roncmus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2331, (Senate Bill No. 1089), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Barton,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H J.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Starb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Conner,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Post,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reader,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, D.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Roncmus,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third readin gand consideration of House Bill No. 2303, (Senate Bill No. 523), entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in securities) defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,

Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Howe,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Huester,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Jones,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Kohr,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Leidich,	Reed,	White,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2297, (Senate Bill No. 717), entitled:

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violation of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Aston,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Root,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Zlesenheim,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2181, (Senate Bill No. 958), entitled:

An Act to amend section one sections three hundred and five three hundred and six and three hundred and seven as amended of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 738) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. BICKETT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Bill, page 6, by striking out lines 17 to 29, inclusive.
Amend Bill, page 7, by striking out lines 1 to 28, inclusive.
Amend Bill, page 8, by striking out lines 1 to 28, inclusive.
Amend Bill, page 9, by striking out lines 1 to 28, inclusive.
Amend Bill, page 10, by striking out lines 1 to 29, inclusive.
Amend Bill, page 11, by striking out lines 1 to 16, inclusive.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Aston,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,

Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lynch,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlee,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—1.

Emhardt,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2350, (Senate Bill No. 691), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shelly,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fich,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
		Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 917, as follows:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax in premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine ment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the pay-tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth as amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-four) entitled "'An act to amend the second section as amended of and to supplement an act entitled 'A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth' approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five amending the same to provide for the

payment of the net proceeds of the entire two per centum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement including townships among the distributees" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 On and after the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and nineteen and annually thereafter there shall be paid by the State Treasurer to the treasurers of the sevral cities townships and boroughs within the Commonwealth the entire net amount received from the two per centum tax paid upon premiums by foreign fire insurance companies The amount to be paid to each of the treasurers of the several cities townships and boroughs shall be based upon the return of said two per centum tax upon premiums received from foreign fire insurance companies doing business within the said cities townships and boroughs as shown by the [Insurance Commissioner's] report made to the Department of Revenue Each city borough or township receiving any payment from the State Treasurer hereunder shall forthwith pay the amount received to the Relief Fund Association of the fire department or of such fire company or fire companies paid or volunteer now existing or hereafter organized in such city borough or township as is or are engaged in the service of such city borough or township and duly recognized as such by the council or commissioners as the case may be of such city borough or township Warrants for the above purposes shall be drawn by the Auditor General payable to the treasurers of the several cities townships and boroughs in accordance with this act whenever there are sufficient funds in the State Treasury to pay the same

Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	Marcus,	Schreck,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scot, J. G.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller H. A.,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce	Washington,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Howe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Loucks,	Root,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lowe,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Hess,
Fox,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 130, as follows:

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act apeight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by adding thereto clause six authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand ninc hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of muncipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" is hereby amended by adding thereto clause six to read as follows follows

6 To regulate by ordinance sales of merchandise at public auction and to fix and enforce penalties for the violation of the provisions of such ordinances Provided however That such ordinances shall not apply to judicial sales to sales by executors or administrators or to sales by or in behalf of licensed pawnbrokers of unredeemed pledges in the manner provided by law

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shortz,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Simon,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Smith, H. J.,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Steedle,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stein,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sterling,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,

Fish,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Shecly,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Sheffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Shellenberger,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on nal passage of House Bill No. 930, as follows:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in this act unless the context otherwise require "association" means an association formed under this act the word "patron" means a person engaged in agriculture as hereinafter defined whose products are sold by or supplies purchased through the association or who has executed a contract with the association as hereafter provided in section ten "agricultural products" shall include all agricultural horticultural vegetable fruit and floricultural products of the soil live stock and meats wool hides poultry eggs dairy products nuts mushrooms and honey but shall not include timber products words import the singular or the plural as the case may demand

Section 2 Cooperative agricultural associations instituted for the purposes of mutual help having capital stock may be formed under the provisions of this act by any number of persons not less than five engaged in agriculture For the purposes of this act all persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations shall be deemed to be engaged in "agriculture"

Section 3 Associations incoroprated under the provisions of this act may engage in the buying and selling of agricultural products and take title to such products and may as agent for its stockholders or any of them perform for them services connected with the production preservation drying grading canning storing handling utilization marketing or sale of agricultural products produced by them and for the agricultural purposes of such stockholders may perform for them services connected with the purchase or hiring for or use by and the hiring of labor or any one or more of the kinds of service specified in this section

Section 4 The articles of association of an intended association must be subscribed by five or more persons three of whom must be citizens of this Commonwealth and shall set forth

I The name of the association which shall include the word "cooperative"

II The class of services to be performed by the association which services shall be one or more of those enumerated in section three of this act

III The principal place where its business is to be transacted which shall be within this Commonwealth

IV The term for which it is to exist

V The amount of its capital stock and the number and par value of shares into which it is divided the names and post-office addresses of the subscribers the number of shares subscribed by each and the amount of capital actually paid into the treasury which shall not be less than ten per centum of the capital stock

VI The number of its directors for the first year not less than five the names and residences of those who are chosen for directors for the first year and the name and residence of the treasurer

VII Any other provisions not inconsistent with law which the association may see fit to adopt governing the regulation and conduct of its affairs

Notice of the intention to apply for any such charter shall be inserted in one newspaper of general circulation printed in the county where the principal place of business is situated for one insertion setting forth briefly the character and purpose of said corporation and the kind of service to be performed by it such advertisement shall be at least three days before the application is laid before the Governor

The articles of association shall be acknowledged by not less than five of the subscibers thereto before any officer authorized to take acknowledgments and administer oaths and affirmations in this Commonwealth and they shall also make and subscribe an oath or affirmation before said officer that the statements contained therein are true

Said articles of association accompanied with proof of publication of the notice hereinbefore provided to be given shall then be presented to the Governor of this Commonwealth who shall examine the same and if he finds it in proper form and within the purpose mentioned in this act he shall indorse his approval thereon and direct letters patent to issue in form similar to those issued to corporations of the second class in this Commonwealth which letters patent shall incorporate the subscribers and their associates and successors into a body politic and corporate in deed and in law by the name chosen Said articles of association shall be recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth in a book to be by him kept for the purpose

The original articles of association together with all indorsements shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in and for the county where the principal place of business is situate From thenceforth the subscribers thereto their associates and successors shall be a body politic and corporate for the purposes and upon the terms named in the said articles of association Certified copies of the records thereof shall be competent evidence for all purposes in the courts of this Commonwealth

Section 5 Each association so formed under the provisions of this act and when so formed by virtue of its existence as such shall have the following powers

1 To have succession for the period limited in its articles of association and when no period is limited thereby to exist perpetually subject to the power of the General Assembly under the Constitution of the Commonwealth and unless sooner dissolved by operation of law or under the provisions of this act

2 To maintain and defend judicial proceedings by the name specified in the articles of association

3 To adopt and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure

4 To hold purchase and transfer such real and personal property as the purposes of the corporation require

5 To elect a board of directors which shall have power to appoint a president vice-president secretary treasurer and other officers agents and employes which may be deemed necessary to prescribe their duties to require bonds of them and to dismiss them and any of them in accordance with the by-laws of said association

6 To make by-laws not inconsistent with the law for the management of its property the regulation of its affairs and the conduct and management of the association

7 To perform for stockholders and other patrons the service described in the articles of association and authorized by this act

8 To make contracts necessary in the conduct of its operation and the transaction of its affairs

9 To borrow money necessary to the conduct of its operations and to issue notes bonds and other evidences of indebtedness therefor and to give security in the form of mortgage or otherwise for the payment thereof

10 To cooperate with any other such association or corporation whether formed under this act or otherwise for the purpose of promoting the objects for which it was incorporated or the objects for which any other similar association was formed Any such association may upon resolution adopted by its board of directors enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements and make all necessary and proper stipulations agreements contracts and arrangements with any

other cooperative corporation association or associations formed under the provisions of this act or otherwise for the cooperative and more economical carrying on of its business or any part or parts thereof or any two or more cooperative associations formed under the provisions of this act or otherwise may upon resolutions adopted by their respective boards of directors for the purpose of more economically carrying on their respective businesses by agreement between them unite in employing and using or several such associations may separately employ and use the same methods means and agencies which agencies may be another such association or associations for carrying on and conducting their respective business

11 To foster membership in the association and solicit patrons by advertising or by educational or other lawful means

12 To exercise such incidental powers as may be necessary in the conduct of its operations

13 To issue and sell its preferred and common stock but no person shall become the owner of more than five per centum of the outstanding common stock of the association

14 To purchase and hold stock of corporations engaged in the buying or selling of agricultural products as herein defined when such purchase and holding shall be in keeping with the purposes for which the association was formed

Section 6 Any association may transact or do business with or for patron stockholders or patrons not stockholders and may issue and sell its preferred stock to patrons or non-patrons of the association but common stock of the association shall be sold to patrons only and the certificate of common stock shall contain a provision that the asssociation shall have an option to redeem the stock at par value plus accrued dividends when the owner thereof has for a period of twelve months done no business with the association and shall contain a further provisions that no sale of stock shall be valid without the written consent of the association and if the association withhholds its consent to such sale then the association shall redeem such stock at par value plus accrued dividends Dividends on the common stock shall be paid only after dividends are paid on the preferred stock and the required surplus fund set aside and shall be not greater than six per centum per annum except as hereinafter provided dividends on preferred stock shall be not greater than six per centum per annum and shall be cumulative

After payment of the dividend on the preferred stock and after making provisions from its net earnings for the reserve fund as hereinafter provided the remainder of the net earnings of the association not required for dividends on the common stock may in the discretion of the directors be distributed as a patronage refund Patron stockholders shall be entitled to patronage refunds at double the rate of patronage refunds to which non-stockholder patrons shall be entitled Patronage refunds may be credited to the accounts of non-stockholders in the purchase of capital stock of the association

Section 7 Every common stockholder shall be entitled to one vote only and no vote by proxy shall be permitted provided however that an association with more than five hundred common stockholders may provide by its by-laws for voting by proxy Preferred stock shall be non-voting

Section 8 The officers and stockholders of an association organized under and accepting the provisions of this act shall not be individually liable for the debts of said association otherwise than in this act provided

Section 9 Each common stockholder of such association shall be liable in his individual capacity to the amount of stock held by him for all work and labor done to carry on the operations of said association the terms "work" and "labor" as used herein shall mean only such obligations incurred by the association for salary and wages for actual labor and services performed by individuals

Section 10 The association may engage in buying and selling agricultural products and supplies and take title thereto The association may make and execute contracts with its stockholders and other patrons requiring them to sell all or any specified part of their agricultural products or specified commodities exclusively to or through the association or any facilities to be created by the association If they contract a sale to the association it shall be conclusively held that title to the products passes absolutely and unreservedly to the association at the time of delivery or at any other time if expressly and definitely agreed in said contract The contract may provide that the association may sell or resell the products delivered by its stockholders and other patrons with or without taking title thereto and pay over to its stockholders and patrons the resale price after deducting all necessary overhead and other costs and expenses interest dividends on the preferred and common stock and other proper reserves Provided however That such contracts shall specify a reasonable period during each year during which the association or any stockholder or patron so contracting with the association may terminate the contract The association as agent for a stockholder or other patron may buy agricultural supplies for him and sell his agricultural or other kindred products

Section 11 Within thirty days after the recording of the articles of association in the office of the recorder of deeds as prescribed in section four of this act a call signed by not less than a majority of the directors shall be issued for a meeting of the common stockholders At such meeting or any adjourned session or sessions thereof by-laws regulating and conducting the management of the association shall be adopted Such by-laws shall within the limits of this act prescribe

1 The time place and manner of calling and holding meetings

2 The number of directors the time and manner of their election and removal and their powers and duties and the number not less than a majority necessary to the exercise of their powers and the method of fixing their compensation if any

3 The officers their terms of office the time and manner of their appointment and removal their powers and duties and the method of fixing their compensation if any

4 Regulations governing the sale transfer and redemption of common stock

5 Any other provisions proper and necessary to carry out the purposes for which the association was formed

Section 12 The by-laws may require a common stockholder to sell all or any part of their specifically enumerated agricultural or other similar products and to buy all or any part of their specifically enumerated supplies exclusively through the association but in such case shall specify a reasonable period in each year during which any such stockholder by giving notice prescribed in the by-laws may withdraw and be released from his obligation to employ the services of the association in respect to such products and supplies The by-laws and/or contracts may fix as liquidated damages specific sums to be paid to the association to reimburse it for any damages which it or the stockholders may sustain by the failure of any common stockholder or other patron to perform any obligation to the association under the articles of association the by-laws or any contract with the association and such provision shall be valid and enforceable in the courts of this State

Section 13 The board of directors of each association shall consist of not less than five members At the first regular meeting of the association a quorum as specified by the by-laws being present the common stockholders shall elect from among themselves directors one-third of whom or as nearly as may be for the term of one year one-third for two years and one-third for three years and at the expiration of the terms of any of the directors so elected an equivalent number shall be elected for a period of three years Directors shall hold office until their successors have been elected and qualified and until their successors shall enter upon the discharge of their duties Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired terms by the board of directors at any regular meeting or at any special meeting called for the purpose The board of directors shall manage the affairs of the association and shall perform such other duties as may be specifically imposed upon the board by this act

Section 14 Any director or officer of the association may for cause at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for the purpose be removed from office by vote of not less than two-thirds of the stockholders present Ten days' written notice of the time place and object of any such meeting shall be given in the manner prescribed in the by-laws to all the common stockholders and to the directors or officers against whom charges are to be presented Such directors or officers shall at the same time be informed of such charges and at such meeting shall have an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel and by witnesses in regard thereto

Section 15 The officers of every association shall include a president vice-president secretary and treasurer who shall be appointed annually by the board of directors The president and vice-president shall be appointed from among the

directors The secretary and treasurer may be non-stockholders The office of secretary and treasurer may be combined and one individual appointed thereto Vacancies in said offices shall be filled for the unexpired term by the board of directors in the manner provided for the original appointment of officers Such officers shall hold their offices until their successors are appointed and qualified and shall have entered upon the discharge of their duties The board of directors shall require the treasurer and may require such other officers agents and employes charged by the association with responsibility for the custody of funds or property to give bond with sufficient surety for the faithful performance of their duties as such the premium on such bond to be paid by the association

Section 16 Any such association after making provision for the payment of dividends on the preferred stock and before payment of dividends on the common stock or the distribution of any patronage refund or dividend shall set aside ten per centum of the total net earnings annually for a reserve fund until the reserve fund shall equal at least thirty per centum of the total net earnings annually for a reserve fund until the r serve reserve fund shall equal at least thirty per centum of the paid up capital stock

Section 17 At the close of each fiscal year a complete audit of the operations of the association shall be made by a qualified accountant or accountants employed by the board of directors the written report of whom shall include statements of services rendered by the association the balance sheet the receipts and disbursements and the assets and liabilities the total number of stockholders and other proper information and shall be submitted to the members at the next regular meeting Within three months after the expiration of the fiscal year for which made the Secretary of said association shall file one copy of said report of the audit with the Secretary of Agriculture of this Commonwealth and one copy with the Dean of the School of Agriculture of the Pennsylvania State College No person shall without consent of the association except in obedience to judicial process make or permit any disclosure whereby any information contained in said report may be identified as having been furnished by said association No person association copartnership or corporation or its or their agents employes or officers shall knowingly induce or attempt to induce any stockholder of an association organized hereunder to breach his marketing contract with the association nor maliciously and knowingly spread false reports about the finances or management thereof Any such person violating the prohibitions set forth in this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not more than three hundred dollars or imprisonment for not more than six months or both at the discretion of the court

Section 18 The articles of association may be amended pursuant to an affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the common stockholders in attendance at any regular meeting or at a special meeting called for the purpose due notice of the time place and object of which regular or special meeting shall have been given as prescribed in the by-laws A copy of such amendment signed and acknowledged by not less than three of the directors shall be presented to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania who shall examine the same and if he finds it in proper form he shall indorse his approval thereon Said amendment shall then be recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth in a book to be by him kept for the purpose The said amendment together with the indorsements thereon shall then be recorded in the office for the recording of deeds in the county where the principal place of business is situate

Section 19 Any association may cease to do business and be dissolved in the same manner as corporations are dissolved under the general corporation laws of the Commonwealth

Section 20 No association organized under the provisions of this act shall be liable for the payment of any State tax upon its capital stock or upon any scrip bonds certificates or other evidences of indebtedness issued by such corporation and all stocks bonds et cetera issued by such associations shall be exempt from all State taxation and such associations shall not be required to file with the Auditor General of this Commonwealth the reports relative to such taxes as are or may be by law required of corporations not exempt from the payment of such taxes

Section 21 Corporations already existing under the laws of this Commonwealth the purpose of which coincide with the purposes of associations incorporated under this act upon accepting the provisions of this act by writing under the seal of said corporation duly filed in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall be entitled to all of the privileges immunities franchises and powers conferred by this act upon associations to be created under the same and upon acceptance and approval thereof by the Governor he shall issue letters patent to said corporation reciting the same

Section 22 Cooperative agricultural association or corporations created by or under the laws of any other State doing business in this State and in which three or more of the stockholders are citizens of this State and organized and operating under laws similar to this act may become corporations of this State under the provisions of this act by preparing having approved and recorded a certificate in which shall be stated

First The name of the corporation which shall include or made to include the words cooperative"

Second Its purpose which shall include one or more of the class of services enumerated in section three of this act

Third The principal place where its business is to be transacted which shall be within this Commonwealth and at which it keeps a record of the names and residences of the stockholders and the number of shares held by each

Fourth The term for which it is to exist

Fifth The number of stockholders and the total number of shares of stock outstanding

Sixth The number of its directors and the names and residences of those elected for the current year and the name and residence of the treasurer

Seventh The amount of its capital stock and the number and par value if a stock with par value of the shares into which it is divided

Eighth The legislation under which it was originally created

Ninth Its financial condition at the date of the certificate showing capital stock paid in funded debt floating debt estimated value of property and cash assets if any

Said certificate shall be accompanied by a certificate under the seal of said corporation showing the consent of a majority in interest of such corporation to such application for a charter and to a renunciation of its original charter and of all privileges not enjoyed by corporations under this act under the laws of this Commonwealth

Section 23 Said certificates shall be acknowledged by at least three of the directors of said corporation before the recorder of deeds of the county in which the chief operations are to be carried on or in which the principal office is situated and said directors shall also make and subscribe an oath or affirmation before him to be endorsed on the said certificate that the statements contained therein are true The said certificate shall then be produced to the Governor of this Commonwealth who shall examine the same and if he find it to be in proper form and within the purposes named for associations under this act he shall approve thereof and endorse his approval thereon and direct letters patent to issue in the usual form incorporating said stockholders and their successors into a body politic and corporate in deed and in law by the name chosen and the said certificate shall be recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth in a book to be by him kept for that purpose and he shall forthwith furnish the Auditor General an abstract therefrom showing the name location amount of capital stock and name and address of the treasurer of such corporation the said original certificate with all its endorsements shall then be recorded in the office for the recording of deeds in and for the county where the chief operations are to be carried on

Section 24 From the date of said letters patent said corporation shall be and exist as a corporation of this Commonwealth under the provisions of this act and of its charter and all of the rights privileges powers immunities lands property and assets of whatever kind or character the same may be possessed and owned by the original corporation shall vest in and be owned and enjoyed by the said corporation so created as fully and with like effect as if its original charter had remained in force save as by general law and said certificate expressly stated otherwise and all suits claims and demands by said corporation in existence at the date of said new charter shall and may be sued prosecuted and collected under the laws governing the said corporation prior to its new charter and claims and demands of every nature and character

in c[illegible] at the date of said new charter may be collected from and of said new chartered corporation as fully and with like effect as if no change had taken place

Section 25 Corporations heretofore or hereafter organized under the laws of any other State the purpose of which coincide with the purposes of associatonis incorporated under this act shall be allowed to carry on any proper activities operations and functions in this State upon compliance with the legal requirements applicable to foreign corporationsi desiring to do business in this tSate with power to make any and all contracts which could be made by any association incorporated hereunder which contracts shall be legal and valid and enforcable in this State And such associations or corporations shall be entitled to all of the rights exemptions and remedies available for cooperative agricultural associatoins formed under the provisions set forth in this act

Section 26 If any clause sentence paragraph or part of this act shall for any reason be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid such judgment shall not affect impair or invalidate the remainder thereof but shall be confined in its operation to the clause sentence paragraph or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which said judgment shall have been rendered

Section 27 The act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" is hereby specifically exempted from repeal

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldi. J.F.M.,2d ,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay.	Simon,
Barton.	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell. F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown. E P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Henderson,	Perry.	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peters.	Walker,
Catania,	Himes.	Pethick,	Way.
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark. M. S.,	Holmes,	Post.	Wells,
Clovis,	Howe.	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Jones,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reed,	White,
Denne.	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	King,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn.	Kohr,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer.	Leidich,	Root.	Witkin,
Emhardt.	Linton.	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans	Lose.	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler.	Lucas.	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox.	Lynch,	Scott, J. C.,	Hess,
Fuller.	Marcus.	Scott. W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	Mathay,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2194, (Senate Bill No. 96), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars ($92,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children in Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of instruction operation and maintenance and such necessary equipment and repairs as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the Board of Trustees of said school

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi. C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Katz,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	King,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Derne.	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lose.	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler.	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,

Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett.			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2199, (Senate Bill No. 113), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School Downingtown Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School of Downingtown Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the following purposes

For the purpose of maintenance the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars ($56,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

For the renewal of stock and farming implements the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure.	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Beshtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brahahm,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	White,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Eble,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fish,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Flynn,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1142, Printer's No. 712, File Folio 5987, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1143, Printer's No. 715, File Folio 5999, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 1139, Printer's No. 728, File Folio 6063, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein includng securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1783.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1783, file folio 4781, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1783 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 10, line 8, by striking out after the word "on" and before the word "first" the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1655.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1655, file folio 6059, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1655 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 2, line 16, by inserting after the word "thereto" and before the word "a" the following, "at the end of Article Four."

Amend page 2, line 17, by striking out after the word "and" and before the word "to" the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Amend page 2, line 18, by striking out after the word "Section" and before the word "Exchange" the figures "415" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "420".

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1780, file folio 3759, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. WEIDEMANN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1780 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. NOTHNAGLE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. WEIDEMANN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. NOTHNAGLE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WEIDEMANN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 1, line 7 by striking out after the word "existing" the words [or hereafter]

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unaninmous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1594.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate, recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1594, file folio 3221, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1594 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "amount" and before the word "two" the words "not exceeding"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1597, file folio 6283, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1597 passed finally be reconsidered.

Miss GRIMES. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Miss GRIMES. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 2, line 4, by inserting after the word "pleas" and before the word "of", the word "and".

Amend page 2, line 5 by striking out after the word "terminer" and before the word "clerks", the word [and].

Amend page 2, line 7, by inserting at the end thereof, the words "county detectives and assistant district attorneys."

Amend page 3, line 3, by striking out near the end of the line, the word [twenty-eight] and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "twenty-eight."

Amend page 1, by striking out lines 9 to 29 inclusive.

Amend page 12, by striking out lines 1 and 2 inclusive.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1282.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1282, file folio 2745, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1282 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. YERG. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. YERG. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. RHODES. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time .

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows

Amend bill, section 1, page 2, line 20, by striking out the word "regraded" and insert in lieu thereof "regarded."

Amend bill, section 1, page 2, lines 24 and 25, by striking out "Director of the Bureau of Standards Weights and Measures of the Pennsylvania."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1723.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 15, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1723, file folio 6811, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI, Jr. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1723 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. J. F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI, Jr. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. J. F. M. BALDI, 2nd. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI, Jr. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 1, line 7 of the title, by striking out the word [increasing]

Amend page 1, line 8 of the title by striking out at the beginning of the line the words [the salaries thereof] and inserting in lieu thereof the following "authorizing the Secretary of Revenue to fix the number and compensation of State clerks in the office of the county treasurer"

Amend page 2, line 5, by striking out the word [June] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July"

Amend page 2, line 6, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "salaries" the words "Number and"

Amend page 2, line 6, by striking out after the word "salaries" the word [and] and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or other"

Amend page 2, line 7, by striking out after the word "the" and before the word "in" the words [State Department] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"

Amend page 2, line 10, by striking out after the word "be" the words [as follows]

Amend page 2, line 16, by striking out the words [First State clerk]

Amend page 2, by striking out lines 17 to 26 inclusive

Amend page 2, by striking out at the beginning of line 27, the following [$1,500) dollars per annum] and inserting in lieu thereof the following "fixed by the Secretary of Revenue with the approval of the Governor, but the compensation shall in all cases be in accordance with the classification adopted by the Executive Board."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILLS Nos. 1111 AND 1450.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 1111, file folio 1565, entitled: "An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings' providing for the entry of nolle prosequi in certain larceny cases".

House Bill No. 1450, file folio 4705, entitled, "A Supplement to the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled 'An Act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor district in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties' by providing for the regulating appeals from approvals and disapprovals by the Department of Internal Affairs of proceedings to incur or increase indebtedness and declaring the effect of the approvals by the Department".

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILL No. 1526.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed House Bill No. 1526, file folio 3509, entitled, "An Act to amend section two hundred and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled 'An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto.'"

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL No. 1501.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 12, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 1501, file folio 5587, entitled, "An Act defining the rights of life tenants and remaindermen in and to all stock dividends liquidation dividends conversion rights rights to subscribe to stock or any other right given because of ownership of stock in the estate of any grantor settlor or testator."

This bill provides that in any estate hereafter created, all stock dividends, liquidation dividends, conversion rights, rights to subscribe to stock, or any other rights acquired or given because of stock ownership, shall, as between life tenant and remainderman, be treated as principal and not as income, unless the grantor, settlor or testator shall have directed otherwise in writing.

The Courts of Pennsylvania have, in a number of cases, laid down the rule that whether stock dividends or rights shall be treated as principal or income must be determined in each instance after an investigation of the facts. The objection to this rule is that practically every estate which consists in whole or in part of stocks on which stock dividends are declared must be thrown into litigation for the purpose of determining whether the stock dividends are principal or income. It may be that legislation is desirable to establish a definite rule which would render litigation of this character unnecessary.

I am, however, not satisfied with the present bill, for the reason that it does not distinguish between income which properly belongs to the corpus of the estate, such as that arising from increment in value and liquidation, and income which unquestionably arises from earnings. I understand that the Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws is at the present time working upon a uniform bill covering this subject. I feel that this is a subject upon which uniform legislation is desirable, and I believe that it would be better to await the results of the work of the Conference before dealing with this subject by statute in Pennsylvania.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. WOOD. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL No. 800.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 800, file folio 4777, entitled, "An Act to amend Section three of the Act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled 'An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties.'"

This bill would amend Section 3 of the Act of March 31, 1927, P. L. 91, which gives to the Department of Internal Af-

fairs supervision over bond issues of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, townships and school districts, except those of the first class and poor districts.

The present bill would exempt from the provisions of the Act bonds, notes or certificates issued for public improvements and secured, or to be secured, by assessments or liens against property assessed or benefited.

No good reason has been brought to my attention for making this exception to the general operation of the Act of 1927.

The Bureau of Municipalities of the Department of Internal Affairs is of the opinion that the approval of this bill would interfere with its work under the Act of 1927 and cause confusion. After carefully considering the matter, I feel constrained to concur in this view.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

Mr. NOTHNAGLE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 674.

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by inserting after the word "operation" the following: "according to the terms of any agreement authorized by law".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stark,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	White,
Davis,	Katz,	Reed,	Wike,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Hess,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schreck,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 380.

An Act to amend Rule twenty-five of Article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

Th SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows·

Amend section 1, page 2, line 5, by inserting after the word "holes" the words "in any mine".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,

Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Boggs,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Braham,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Deugler,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Edcrer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Zieseenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Whereas, the consolidation and merging of banks and banking institutions and the results and effects of such consolidations and mergings are of interest to the public and should be investigated and studied for the protection of the interests of the public, therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur) That the Senate Committee on Banks and Bankings and Loan Associations is hereby authorized to investigate the consolidation and merger of all banks and other institutions doing a banking or building and loan association business within the Commonwealth, and to report its findings from time to the Attorney General with any suggestions it may have to make as to any action to be taken by or in behalf of the Commonwealth and to file a complete report to the Senate at the beginning of the Session of the Legislature of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee of Banks and Bankings and Loan Associations shall have power to sit and continue such investigation or investigations after the adjournment of the Legislature at such times and places as it may deem advisable, and shall have authority and power to issue subpoenas and compel the attendance of witnesses and production of books, vouchers and records deemed necessary in any matter they are investigating. If any person refuses to appear and testify or produce any books, vouchers or records, the Committee shall have power to bring the matter to the attention of the Court of Common Pleas of the County where the subpoena was served, which Court shall thereupon issue its subpoena to require such witness to attend before it and testify or to produce such books, vouchers or records, and be it further

Resolved, That the Attorney General of the Commonwealth shall furnish such legal aid and advice as may be necessary to assist the said Committee in making such investigation, and to pay any expense he may deem necessary and proper out of the funds of the Department of Justice, upon vouchers furnished by the Chairman of said Committee.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the Resolution be referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11:00 o'clock.

Mr. MILLAR. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 11:59 o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11:00 o'clock.

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SENATE.

TUESDAY, April 16th, 1929.

The Senate met at 12 o'clock noon.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Our merciful God, we are truly grateful to Thee for all the manifestations of Thy love and interest in us. We thank Thee for our great nation, and pray that Thou mayest guide it in all of its activities.

We invoke Thy blessing upon the President of our republic, upon the members of his cabinet, upon both houses of Congress and upon all those who occupy positions in the service of their country, either at home or abroad.

We pray that the special session of Congress may succeed in accomplishing the difficult tasks placed before it. May all its acts be guided by wisdom and the principles of equity.

We ask that Thou mayest likewise give direction to the members of our State Legislature and all those who are officially related to our State government.

We ask for these mercies in the name of our Lord. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. BUCKMAN, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations reported as committed, the following resolution:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

DELEGATES TO THE AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two Senators, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the House, as delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, to attend the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association. Said delegates shall make a full report of any action taken by said association to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one. The expenses of the said delegates in attending said meeting, shall be paid from an item inserted in the General Appropriation Law.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39, which requires concurrent resolutions reported from Committee to lie over one day be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the immediate consideration of the resolution just reported from the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Hous eof Representatives for concurrence.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1060 WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) That House Bill No. 1060, file folio 4051, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 1034), entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions," extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests.

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, that the Clerk inform the House of Representaives accordingly.

HOUSE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 891, (Senate Bill No. 1780), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, the American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 469 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 188), entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays, and for the payment, acceptance and protesting of bills, notes, drafts, checks, and other negotiable paper on such days," as amended.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 10, by striking out the words "which was" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "at last"; also page 2, line 9, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL NO. 464 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expense a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

with the information that the House had passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, lines 11 and 12, by striking out the words "if authorized by the county commissioners".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL NO. 196 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 196, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending, and consolidating the laws relating to borough," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 19, by inserting after the word "simple" the following: "Provided however that no condemnation can be made under the provisions of this Act of the lands now owned by railroad or railway companies whether used exclusively for transportation purposes or otherwise"; also line 22 by inserting after the word "purposes" the following: "for a period not to exceed ten years"; also page 3, line 8, by striking out the words "whenever said"; also by striking out lines 9 to 14 inclusive".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 435 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and nineteen, to add sections three hundred and fifty-two and three hundred and fifty-three to and to amend sections four hundred and ten five hundred and thirty-one and six hundred and nineteen subsection (a) of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the consurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 2, page 4, lines 21 and 22, by striking out the words: "in the benefits payable thereon or"; also lines 22 and 23 by striking out the words "thereof or on any manner whatsoever".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	aly,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx.	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 197.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

MOTION TO APPOINT COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments to the foregoing bill, and that a committee of conference be appointed to confer with a similar committee of the House (if the House shall appoint such committee) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 247.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 247, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending, revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee on Conference on House Bill No. 247,

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 247.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 247, entitled: "An Act affecting marital relations; prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages, and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

M. G LESLIE,
ALBERT DAVIS,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate

THOMAS B. WILSON,
JACOB MATHAY,
JOHN A. RHODES,
Committee on the Part of the House of Representatives

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending revising and consolidating the law relating thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the laws relating to and regulating divorce from the bonds of matrimony from bed and board and the annulment of bigamous marriages are hereby codified revised and consolidated as follows

GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE AND ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE

Section 10 GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE FROM BOND OF MATRIMONY 1 When a marriage has been heretofore or shall hereafter be contracted and celebrated between two persons it shall be lawful for the innocent and injured spouse to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony whenever it shall be judged in the manner hereinafter provided that the other spouse

(a) At the time of the contract was and still is naturally and incurably impotent or incapable of procreation or

(b) Has knowingly entered into a second marriage in violation of the previous vows he or she made to the former spouse whose marriage is still subsisting or

(c) Shall have committed adultery or

(d) Shall have committed wilful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation of the injured and innocent spouse without a reasonable cause for and during the term and space of two years or

(e) Shall have by cruel and barbarous treatment endangered the life of the injured and innocent spouse or

(f) Shall have offered such indignities to the person of the injured and innocent spouse as to render his or her condition intolerable and life burdensome or

(g) Shall have procured the marriage by fraud force or coercion and which has not been subsequently confirmed by the acts of the injured and innocent spouse or

(h) Shall have been convicted as principal or as accessory either before or after the fact within or without this Commonwealth of the crime of arson burglary embezzlement forgery kidnapping larceny murder either in the first or second degree assault with intent to kill voluntary manslaughter perjury rape robbery sodomy buggery treason or misprision of treason and be sentenced to imprisonment for any term of two years or more by a competent court having jurisdiction

2 When a marriage has been heretofore or shall hereafter be contracted and celebrated between two persons within the prohibited degrees of consanguinity or affinity according to the tables established by law it shall be lawful for either of said parties to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony in the manner hereinafter provided or

3 If any spouse upon any false rumor in appearance well founded of the death of the other when such other has been absent for the space of two whole years hath married or shall marry again the party who has not remarried may at his or her return have his or her own marriage dissolved by divorce on the ground of bigamy leaving the other party to remain with the second husband or wife Any such action shall be instituted within six months after such return

Section 11 GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE FROM BED AND BOARD Upon complaint and due proof thereof it shall be lawful for a wife to obtain a divorce from bed and board whenever it shall be judged in the manner hereinafter provided in cases of divorce that her husband has

(a) Maliciously abandoned his family or

(b) Maliciously turned her out of doors or

(c) By cruel and barbarous treatment endangered her life or

(d) Offered such indignities to her person as to render her condition intolerable and life burdensome or

(e) Committed adultery

Section 12 ANNULMENT OF BIGAMOUS MARRIAGES In all cases where a supposed or alleged marriage shall have been contracted which is absolutely void by reason of one of the parties thereto having a spouse living at the time the supposed or alleged marriage may upon the application of either party be declared null and void in accord with the principles and forms hereinafter prescribed for cases of divorce from the bond of matrimony

JURISDICTION

Section 15 JURISDICTION The several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth shall have original jurisdiction of cases of divorce from the bonds of matrimony from bed and board and in the annulment of marriages under the provisions of this act The said courts shall have power to grant divorces and to annul marriages notwithstanding the fact that the marriage of the parties and the cause for divorce occurred outside of this Commonwealth and that both parties were at the time of the occurrence of said cause domiciled without this Commonwealth and that the respondent has been served with the subpoena only by publication as provided by this act

All petitions or libels for divorce shall be exhibited to the court of the county where the libellant resides except where the husband and wife shall be resident in different counties of this Commonwealth and while so resident a cause of divorce shall arise in which cases the libellant may at his or her option institute and prosecute proceedings either in the county of his or her own residence or in the county wherein the respondent shall be resident and the cause for divorce shall have arisen

Petitions or libels for the annulment of bigamous marriages may be exhibited to the court of common pleas of the county where the marriage was contracted or in the county where either the libellant or respondent resides and in such cases residence of the libellant within the county or State for any period shall not be required

Section 16 RESIDENCE OF LIBELLANT No spouse shall be entitled to commence proceedings for divorce by virtue of this act who shall not have been a bona fide resident in this Commonwealth at least one whole year immediately previous to the filing of his or her petition or libel The libellant shall be a competent witness to prove his or her residence

Section 17 TIME WHEN LIBEL IN DESERTION CASES MAY BE EXHIBITED In cases of wilful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation without reasonable cause it shall be lawful for the injured and innocent spouse to exhibit his or her petition or libel to the court at any time not less than six months after such cause for divorce shall have taken place but the case shall not proceed to a hearing until after the expiration of two years from the time at which such desertion took place

Section 18 JURISDICTION WHERE RESPONDENT A LUNATIC In cases where a spouse is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the courts of common pleas shall have jurisdiction to receive a petition or libel for divorce in which such lunatic or person non compos mentis is made the respondent but only for a ground provided for in section ten of this act The proceedings except as otherwise expressly provided in this act shall in such cases be the same as in other the said husband and wife and for the mere purpose of being proceedings for divorce

LIBEL SUBPOENAS SERVICE

Section 25 PRESENTATION OF LIBEL CONTENTS AFFIDAVIT Any spouse may have his or her petition or libel in divorce presented to the court of common pleas when in session or during vacation to a judge thereof at chambers The petition or libel shall set forth therein particularly and specifically the cause of his or her complaint and shall be accompanied with an affidavit on oath or affirmation taken before one of the said judges or the prothonotary or clerk of the court of common pleas or any person in any county of the Commonwealth legally authorized to take acknowledgments that the facts contained in said petition or libel are true to the best of his or her knowledge and belief and that the said complaint is not made out of levity or by collusion between freed and separated from each other but in sincerity and truth for the causes mentioned

In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the fact of lunacy of the respondent and such circumstances as may be sufficient to satisfy the mind of the court as to the truth of the allegation shall be set forth in the petition or libel and affidavit required by this section shall be taken by the petitioner

In cases where the libellant is a minor the libel shall be presented by a relative or next friend and the affidavit thereto shall be taken by such minor libellant

Section 26 AWARDING SUBPOENA WHEN RETURNABLE Upon the presentation of the petition or libel a subpoena may be awarded by the said court signed by the prothonotary and directed to the party so complained against commanding him or her to appear which subpoena shall be returnable not less than thirty days after the award thereof either to the next or subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return day as shall have been or may be established for such court of common pleas either by statute or rule of court or both

Section 27 SERVICE AND RETURN OF SUBPOENA Upon due proof at the return of said subpoena that the same shall have been served personally upon the respondent or in the case of a minor upon such minor and upon his or her guardian within the Commonwealth and that a copy had been given to him or her on or before the return day of the same the said court shall and may make such preparatory rules and orders in the cause that the same may be brought to a hearing and determined at which hearing the court may determine the same ex parte if necessary

Section 28 AWARDING SERVICE AND RETURN OF ALIAS SUBPOENA If upon the return of said subpoena proof shall be made that the said respondent could not be

found an alias subpoena shall issue returnable not less than thirty days after the award thereof to the next or any subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return day as shall have been or may be established for such court either by statute or rule of the court or both which alias subpoena shall be served personally in the manner provided for the service of the subpoena and if so served the same proceedings shall be had as are directed after the personal service of a subpoena

Section 29 SERVICE BY PUBLICATION If on the return of the alias subpoena or any pluries subpoena proof shall be made that the respondent could not be found the sheriff of the county upon the filing of a praecipe in the office of the prothonotary shall cause notice to be published in one or more newspapers printed within or nearest to the said county and in the legal journal if any designated by the rules of court for the publication of legal notices once a week for three successive weeks requiring the said party to appear and to answer said complaint which publication shall be returnable not less than thirty days after the filing date of the praecipe to the next or subsequent term or to such next or subsequent monthly or intermediate return days as shall have been or may be established for such court either by statute or rule of court or both after which the same proceedings shall be had as directed after the personal service of a subpoena

Section 30 SERVICE WHERE RESPONDENT A LUNATIC In cases where the respondent is a hopeless lunatic or non compos mentis the service of the subpoena in divorce shall be made as provided in this act but such service shall be made upon the committee of such lunatic or person non compos mentis

Section 31 APPEARANCE ANSWER The respondent may in any case brought under the provisions of this act cause an appearance to be entered and file an answer to the petition or libel and the entry of a general appearance shall be equivalent to personal service of the subpoena and libel

JURY TRIAL REFERENCE TO MASTER

Section 35 JURY TRIAL After service on the respondent in the manner aforesaid or entry of a general appearance for the respondent if either of the parties shall desire any matter of fact that is affirmed by one and denied by the other to be tried by a jury he or she may take a rule upon the opposite party to be allowed by a judge of the court to show cause why the issues of fact set forth in said rule shall not be tried by a jury which said rule shall be served upon the opposite party or his or her counsel

Upon the return of said rule after hearing the court may discharge it or make it absolute or frame issues itself and only the issues as ordered by the court shall be tried accordingly but such rule shall not be made absolute when in the opinion of the court a trial by jury cannot be had without prejudice to public morals

Section 36 APPOINTMENT OF MASTER POWERS When neither of the parties takes a rule for a jury trial or when after hearing the rule is discharged the court may proceed to hear the cause or may upon motion of either party appoint a master to take testimony and return the same to the court

Section 37 ORDERS TO TAKE TESTIMONY OUTSIDE JURISDICTION The court may upon the application of either party and upon such terms as it may order authorize and direct the master to take testimony of witnesses in any other county State or territory subject to the jurisdiction of the United States or in any foreign country

Section 38 NOTICE TO CO-RESPONDENT In any case for divorce on the ground adultery the libellant shall cause to be served personally or by registered mail a notice on any co-respondent named and identified in the libel and where such co-respondent is named and identified first in the testimony then such notice shall be given before the testimony is closed and an opportunity afforded such co-respondent to be heard Such notice shall set forth that such person was named in the proceedings as co-respondent and designate the time and place of hearing and shall be served at least ten days previous to the hearing Proof of the service of such notice shall be filed in the office of the prothonotary

BILL OF PARTICULARS

Section 40 BILL OF PARTICULARS In any suit or action in divorce it shall be lawful for the respondent at any time after the return of the subpoena to enter a rule upon the libellant to furnish a bill of particulars of the cause of action as set forth in the libellant's petition filed and if the same be not furnished by the libellant within thirty days after service of notice of the rule entered unless the court shall upon cause shown extend the time the court shall enter a judgment of non pros

ALIMONY

Section 45 PERMANENT ALIMONY WHERE RESPONDENT INSANE In case of the application of a husband for divorce from an insane wife the court or the judge thereof to whom the application is made shall have power to decree alimony for the support of such insane wife during the term of her natural life by requiring the libellant to file a bond with surety or sureties if necessary in such sum as he or it may direct conditioned as aforesaid before granting the divorce

If the wife be the petitioner and have sufficient means the court or the judge may provide for the support of the insane husband as provided in this section for an insane wife if the insane husband has not sufficient estate in his own right for his support

Section 46 ALIMONY PENDENTE LITE COUNSEL FEES AND EXPENSES In case of divorce from the bonds of matrimony the court may upon petition in proper cases allow a wife reasonable alimony pendente lite and reasonable counsel fees and expenses

Section 47 ALIMONY IN DIVORCE FROM BED AND BOARD In cases of divorce from bed and board the court may allow the wife such alimony as her husband's circumstances will admit of but the same shall not exceed the third part of the annual profit or income of his estate or of his occupation and labor which allowance shall continue until a reconciliation shall take place or until the husband shall by his petition or libel offer to receive and cohabit with her again and to use her as a good husband ought to do and then in such case the court may either suspend the aforesaid decree or in case of her refusal to return and cohabit under the protection of the court discharge and annul the same according to its discretion and if he fail in performing his said offers and engagements the former sentence or decree may be revived and enforced and the arrears of the alimony ordered to be paid

When a decree of divorce from bed and board and the allowance of alimony has been made by any court the prothonotary shall enter the said decree on the record in his office The court shall have power and authority on satisfactory proof being made that the respondent is possessed of sufficient estate to decree and require that security such as shall be determined and approved by said court shall be given for the due payment of the said alimony according to the terms of said decree the said security to be by bond with sufficient surety taken in the name of the Commonwealth to the use of the party entitled to said alimony

The courts may enforce their decrees by attachment on the return of which they may make such order either to imprison or discharge the defendants as the facts of the case may justify

HEARING REPORT DECREE

Section 50 LIBELLANT A COMPETENT WITNESS In all proceedings for divorce the libellant shall be fully competent to prove all the facts though the respondent may not have been personally served with a libel subpoena or rule to take depositions and may not be residing within the Commonwealth but has been served only by publication

Section 51 RECORDS OF CONVICTION OF ADULTERY When the respondent in any action of divorce shall have been convicted and sentenced for adultery the records of the said conviction shall be received in evidence on any application for a divorce by the injured libellant

Section 52 DEFENSE TO CHARGE OF ADULTERY In any action or suit for divorce for the cause of adultery if the respondent shall allege and prove or it shall appear in the evidence that the libellant has been guilty of the like crime or has admitted the respondent into conjugal society or embraces after he or she knew of the criminal fact or that the said libellant (if the husband) allowed the wife's prostitution or received hire from it or exposed his wife to lewd company whereby she became insnared to the crime aforesaid it shall be a good defense and a perpetual bar against the same

Section 53 PROOF OF LUNACY OF RESPONDENT Upon the hearing of any case before the court a master or jury where the petition or libel sets forth that the respondent is a lunatic the question of lunacy shall be fully established by expert testimony together with every other matter of fact that is affirmed by one party and denied by the other No divorce shall be granted to the libellant in any such case unless it be proved beyond a reasonable doubt that the respondent is hopelessly insane but if any respondent has been for ten or more years an inmate of any asylum fir the insane it shall be conclusive proof of hopeless insanity

Section 54 REPORT OF MASTER Where a master has been appointed he shall make a report to the court of the proceedings had before him and his opinion of the case

Section 55 DECREE OF COURT It shall be lawful for the said courts after hearing any cause whether before the court or a master to determine the same as to law and justice shall appertain by either dismissing the petition or libel or sentencing and decreeing a divorce or separation from the nuptial ties or bonds of matrimony or from bed and board or that the marriage is null and void After a sentence nullifying or dissolving a marriage all and every the duties rights and claims accruing to either of the said parties at any time heretofore in pursuance of the said marriage shall cease and determine and the said parties shall severally be at liberty to marry again in the like manner as if they never had been married except where otherwise provided by law

Section 56 COSTS The court may award costs to the party in whose behalf the sentence or decree shall pass or may order that each party shall pay his or her own costs as to it shall appear to be just and reasonable

APPEALS

Section 60 APPEALS Either of the parties in any suit or action for divorce may appeal therefrom to the Superior Court in the manner provided by law for such appeals and the said appeal shall be prosecuted in the usual manner and the Superior Court shall transmit the record with their judgment thereon with all the proceedings as in other cases to the court below to be carried into effect

But where a respondent in any proceeding for divorce files with the prothonotary of the said court an affidavit that such appeal is not taken for the purpose of delay but because the appellant believes he or she has suffered injustice by the decree from which he or she appeals and that by reason of his or her poverty he or she is unable to furnish the required bail such respondent shall be entitled to take such appeal the same as if the required bail had been given

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 65 SHORT TITLE This act shall be known and may be cited as "THE DIVORCE LAW"

Section 66 RULES OF COURT The several courts of common pleas are hereby authorized to make and adopt such rules and practice as may be necessary to carry this act into effect and to regulate proceedings before masters and to fix their fees

Section 67 CONSTRUCTION PENDING PROCEEDINGS The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The provisions of this act shall apply to all cases whether the cause for divorce arose prior or subsequent to the passage of this act The provisions of this act shall not affect any suit or action pending but the same shall and may be proceeded with and concluded under the laws in existence when such suit or action was instituted notwithstanding the repeal of such laws by this act or may be proceeded with and concluded under the provisions of this act

Section 68 CONSTITUTIONALITY The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions thereof are held to be unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 69 EFFECTIVE DATE This act shall be in force from and after the first day of September one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

REPEALS

Section 75 The following acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed as respectively indicated

Sections one two three four seven eight eleven twelve and thirteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled "An act concerning divorces" absolutely and sections five and six so far as the same are supplied by this act

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws sixty-seven) entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning divorces'" absolutely

Section eight of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and thirty-three) entitled "An act to convey certain real estate and for other purposes" absolutely

The act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning divorces" absolutely

Sections five and six of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws five hundred ninety) entitled 'An act to authorize John Kauffman trustee of the German Reformed congregation worshipping at Kinnerling's Church of Lebanon county to sell and convey certain real estate and to authorize the rector church wardens and vestrymen of the Episcopal Church of St. Paul in the City of Philadelphia to sell and convey real estate authorizing the directors of the public schools of the first school district of Pennsylvania to appoint visitors of night schools relative to actions of ejectment extending the jurisdiction of courts in cases of divorce and fixing the time of holding the courts in Butler County" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-four) entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning divorces'" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-eight) entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty) entitled "A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce" passed the ninth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five absolutely

The act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to void marriages" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and thirty) entitled "A supplement to the several acts of Assembly now in force relating to divorces" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-six) entitled "An act relating to proceedings in divorce" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-five) entitled "An act allowing and providing the manner of taking appeals in cases of divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and seventy-one) entitled "An act further extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce and repealing an act approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce"' approved the eighth day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and five) entitled "An act authorizing notaries public prothonotaries and clerks of the courts to administer oaths and take affidavits in proceedings in divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and eight) entitled "An act amending section three of an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces' approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four

enlarging the same so as to include indignities to the person of the husband" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws nineteen) entitled "An act amending the act entitled 'A further supplement to an act concerning divorces' approved May eight one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four by providing that conviction for certain enumerated crimes only shall be cause for divorce and repealing the act of June first one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one relating to the same subject" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and twenty-six) entitled "A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce passed the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eleven) entitled "An act to amend section eight of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-three entitled 'An act to convey certain real estate and for other purposes' so as to extend its provisions to the husband or wife of a lunatic or non compos mentis and to further regulate the procedure in action for divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the presentation of libels in divorce to the several courts of common pleas and awarding of subpoenas thereon" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act providing that where a husband and wife are resident in different counties within this Commonwealth and a cause of divorce shall arise the injured party may institute and prosecute proceedings in divorce in either county" absolutely

The act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act amending the act entitled 'An act amending the act entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning divorces" approved May eighth one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four by providing that conviction for certain enumerated crimes only shall be cause for divorce and repealing the act of June first one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one relating to the same subject' approved the ninth day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three so as to provide that conviction of the crime and assault with intent to kill shall be cause for divorce" absolutely

The act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws sixty) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the twenty-eighth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'A supplement to an act extending the jurisdiction of the courts of this Commonwealth in cases of divorce passed the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty' by requiring the courts of common pleas to entertain jurisdiction in all cases of divorce and to enter a decree in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one) entitled "An act supplementing and amending section two of an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces' approved March thirteenth one thousand eight hundred and fifteen regulating the submission of issues of fact to a jury the appointment of masters in proceedings for divorce defining the powers of the court and the practice in relation thereto Repealing an act approved March tenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and twenty) entitled "An act enabling the libellant in all proceedings for divorce on the ground of desertion to testify to the fact of desertion and to the efforts made by him or her to induce the respondent to return and resume the marital relation" absolutely

The act approved the ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to divorce" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act enabling the libellant in all proceedings for divorce on the ground of desertion to testify to the fact of desertion and to the efforts made by him or her to induce the respondent to return and resume the marital relation' approved June eighth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred eleven by making the libellant a competent witness generally" absolutely

The act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-four) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen entitled 'An act concerning divorces" as amended" absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend section two of an act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' as amended by changing the time for making service of the subpoena upon the respondent and validating divorces heretofore granted where service was made personally at any time before the return day or where a return of non est inventus has been sworn to at any time prior to the return day" absolutely

The act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and ninety-nine) entitled "An act authorizing the prothonotaries to sign subpoenas in divorce cases" absolutely

The act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws twenty) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' as amended authorizing prothonotaries and clerks of the court of common pleas to take affidavits to petitions and libels and validating prior proceedings in which such affidavits were taken" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and eighty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty) entitled 'An act concerning divorces' making the degree of cruelty as a ground for divorce the same for husband and wife and to repeal section ten of the said act" absolutely

The act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and twenty-four) entitled "An act to further amend clause three section one of an act approved the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty-four) entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning divorces"' as amended by taking away the right of support or alimony in certain cases" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (Pamphlet Laws six hundred forty-seven) entitled 'An act relating to void marriages' enlarging the jurisdiction of courts to annual marriages on the ground of bigamy and discontinuing the requirement of residence of the libellant" absolutely

The act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and six) entitled "An act providing for the presentation of libels in divorce to the several courts of common pleas and the awarding of subpoenas thereon" absolutely

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,

Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

House Bill No. 1 entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties.

House Bill No. 12 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital, West College Avenue, York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 16 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 33 entitled:

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors except in cities of the first class and counties of the second class

House Bill No. 1723 entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eight day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-six), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over" by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 47 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, at Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 76 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital, at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 77 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital Franklin Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 88 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its hospital.

House Bill No. 100 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital Oil City Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 108 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M. Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 115 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital of Indiana County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 132 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, of Altoona, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 134 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 162 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Ridley Park Delaware County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 164 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 170 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital, West Chester, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 173 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital Kittanning Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 185 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 191 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital at Johnstown Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 205 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital, Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 206 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 235 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association, of Roaring Spring, Blair County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 239 entitled:

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective.

House Bill No. 240 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association, of the City of Pittston, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 243 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cannonsburg General Hospital Association at Cannonsburg Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 250 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association, of Monongahela City, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 255 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital Coatesville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 230 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital, at Columbia, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 275 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 277 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 286 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgome . Hospital at Norristown Montgomery County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 307 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital, Ellwood City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 326 entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

House Bill No. 335 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 345 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 352 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital, city of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 362 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 393 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 403 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association Incorporated of Allegheny County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 418 estitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital Chester Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 419 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 450 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 458 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 463 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 480 entitled

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon H. Barnes Memorial Hospital, at Susquehanna, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 484 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 485 entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions with capital stock heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested

House Bill No. 660 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 664 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 673 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 675 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, of Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 676 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 678 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 690 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 699 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 706 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 717 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 734 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 739 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 748 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital Braddock Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 762 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 779 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital at New Brighton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 784 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital, in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 807 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital of Reading Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 811 entitled:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerniing townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 846 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Samaritan Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 847 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and prior sessions

House Bill No. 870 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Garretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 879 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kensington Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 880 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 881 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 889 entitled

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 906 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 909 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital of New Kensington Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteeen, fifteen, seventeen, eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 466), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative argricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit, and defining agriculture, dairying, livestock raising, poultry raising, beekeeping, and horticulture," increasing the powers of each association in certain instances, and providing a penalty.

House Bill No. 980, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 986, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 996, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives located at Eagleville Montgomery County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1044, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association of Scranton Lackawanna County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1072, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital at Easton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1076, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located

House Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and forty-seven), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors

and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities,, accounts, discharge, and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audits and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds, transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended.

House Bill No. 1095, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof." as amended; providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

House Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital, Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School, at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1175, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital, Renovo, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital, Lock Haven, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1190, entitled:

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1209, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1231, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital located at Frankford Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 1240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital, Berwick, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1308, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1346, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and three (P. L. 50), entitled "a further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty, to the act, entitled "An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned,' passed the fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred ninety-one;" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors, officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

House Bill No. 1405, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

House Bill No. 1428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1431, entitled:

An Act to amend Sections one thousand seventeen and one thousand forty-seven of "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" approved May fourth one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 1457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1459, entitled:

An Act relating to licenses, permits, fees, fines, penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

House Bill No. 1467, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended, seventeen as amended, twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 458), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several town-

ships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State highways in boroughs; providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases; providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State-aid highbefore constructing State-aid highways; and authorizing the ways; requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases Secretary of Highways to change the width, lines and location of State-aid highways; and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

House Bill No. 1508, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1525, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren Genera Hospital of Warren Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1535, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hnudred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1554, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended

House Bill No. 1560, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital Waynesboro Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1561, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital at Chambersburg Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

House Bill No. 1588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital at McKees Rocks Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1589, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four section three article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business

House Bill No. 1630, entitled

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to fix regulate and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth" as amended

House Bill No. 1633, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital at Titusville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1637, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1675, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1744, entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 1767, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1772, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city and accepted and used by the city where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

House Bill No. 1793, entitled:

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 1842, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers and changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 979, entitled:

An Act to establish as a State highway a certain section of public road in the County of Somerset and providing for its construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital of Huntingdon Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital located at Bethlehem Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Punxsutawney Hospital Association of Punxsutawney Jefferson County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital Allentown Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital Carlisle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia and providing for the expenditure thereof

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital West Chester Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm Chester County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several Fire Companies of the City of Harrisburg

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the payment of the loan and transfer agent of the Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the state debt

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be used by said Commission in the payment of the cost of the construction, reconstruction, relocation, alteration, or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporations at, above, or below grade of public highways, exclusive of State highways designated as primary routes; and regulating the expenditures of the amount hereby appropriated.

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for medical education

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital Greenville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital of the city of Williamsport Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth and making an appropriation

Senate Bill No. 271, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital Sunbury Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital Clearfield Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission

Senate Bill No. 328, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital of Waynesburg Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 396, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital Butler Butler County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association New Castle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital Brownsville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 441, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital Germantown Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 446, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 447, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 448, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 456, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill Streets in the City of Philadelphia by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard.

Senate Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 475, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 481, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital located at Danville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital located at Torrance Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 577, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for hospital maintenance

Senate Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for diseases of the Stomach of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 677, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf at Mount Airy Philadelphia to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils

Senate Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 696, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums

Senate Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 844, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 843, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village at Laurelton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 851, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics

Senate Bill No. 853, entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 854, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 859, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 860, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees Allentown State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lancaster General Hospital Lancaster Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 957, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital at Shamokin Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 959, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury

Senate Bill No. 1019, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of said hospitals

Senate Bill No. 1027, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law

Senate Bill No. 1038, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital

Senate Bill No. 1255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Pennsylvania State College for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry and for the purchase of necessary equipment

Senate Bill No. 1258, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 581), entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges, the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries, investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents, under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled:

Regulating the audit of accounts of departments boards commissions and agencies of the Commonwealth and providing penalties

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and or including provisions for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups and or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation.

Senate Bill No. 336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty, two thousand five hundred and twenty-one, two thousand five hundred and twenty-two, and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Senate Bill No. 375, entitled:

An act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases

Senate Bill No. 377, entitled:

An act requiring the Auditor General to prepare lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and count tax on intangible personal property

Senate Bill No. 378, entitled:

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for co-operative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

Senate Bill No. 384, entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads, and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and inviding for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State corporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; prohighways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provision of this act."

Senate Bill No. 402, entitled:

An act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties counties

Senate Bill No. 407, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

Senate Bill No. 433, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine), entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders of the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

Senate Bill No. 434, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and con-

solidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

Senate Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns

Senate Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants tenants in common or co-parceners

Senate Bill No. 488, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 703), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of Common Pleas, and the judges of the Orphan's Court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property, included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township, Berks County, from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

Senate Bill No. 562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 564, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction improvement maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

Senate Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents, and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

Senate Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 599, entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee; and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence.

Senate Bill No. 601, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvana Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township Berks County, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor

Senate Bill No. 670, entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns and townships; providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth; fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

Senate Bill No. 679, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry; and abolishing the Department of Factory Inspection; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

Senate Bill No. 686, entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certain operators thereof; and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue, for violation of the provisions of the public service company law; authorizing the rescission of such suspension; and providing for the disposition of fees.

Senate Bill No. 687, entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the

institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain powers and duties on certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

Senate Bill No. 694, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Senate Bill No. 698, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the reassessment between the period of the triennial assessment, of property, and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation."

Senate Bill No. 705, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

Senate Bill No. 712, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 787, entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth; by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

Senate Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments become necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

Senate Bill No. 790, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 791, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class and fixing their salaries payable by the county

Senate Bill No. 808 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

Senate Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six as amended and sections seven hundred and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 810, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain, where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws, and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes for which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency for exercising the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 833, entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers composed of trust

companies or banking companies or both under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 834, entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers and composed of trust companies or banking companies or both to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

Senate Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

Senate Bill No. 922, entitled:

An Act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation

Senate Bill No. 924, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealtth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated town with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State Highway routes.

Senate Bill No. 927, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 932, entitled:

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes

Senate Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change, alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties. and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof", restricting the powers therein conferred in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record to the orphans' court of such counties.

Senate Bill No. 971, entitled:

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled, "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 352—proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

Senate Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to Insurance; establishing an Insurance Department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of Insurance Companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of Fire Insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of Insurance Agents and Brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign Insurance Companies, Associations or Exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 976, entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

Senate Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended further regulating the qualifications of members of council

Senate Bill No. 985, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

Senate Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 990, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class

Senate Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of Ma yone thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 490) entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the districts of certain counties"

Senate Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; providing for the enumeration of all deformed, crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

Senate Bill No. 1015, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

Senate Bill No. 1020, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

Senate Bill No. 1026, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

Senate Bill No. 1127, entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds, or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully taken, killed, or caught to be personal property and the subjects of larceny.

Senate Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 1141, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions.

Senate Bill No. 1146, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 48), entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary; and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary, and their imprisonment in the Penitentiary to which transferred; imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted; directing that certain notice of such trasnfer of a convict be given; and making appropriations"; providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurer's sales and sheriff's sales for the non-payment of taxes

Senate Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred

and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein ,and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefore; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

Senate Bill No. 1154, entitled:

An Act to authorize and require the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States circuit and district courts for the purpose of lien withon the several counties of this Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 1239, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county borough township school and poor taxes

Senate Bill No. 1246, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his term of appointment and salary' and the amendments thereto

Senate Bill No. 1249, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act authorizing the district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more. but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants. to appoint county detectives. defining their powers and duties. fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

Senate Bill No. 1253, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of townships or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks.

Senate Bill No. 1299, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

Senate Bill No. 1307, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 1344, entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (P. L. 756), entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify, amend, and revise the election and primary election laws; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 506.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 506, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings,' and or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces, appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL NO. 1082.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1082, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

with the information that the House has pssed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 32.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 92.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. [illegible]

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 492, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 667.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 667, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 746.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 746, entitled:

An Act making an ppropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 767.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 767, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1302.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1302, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18,) entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated

towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporatd towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of cimmissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) in the Chair.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of bills on second reading.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 519, (House Bill No. 305), entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class where such applications were refused but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury and making an appropriation therefor

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 759, (House Bill No. 340), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 953, (House Bill No. 1236), entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million

five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading andw consideration of Senate Bill No. 954, (House Bill No. 788), entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by sheriffs in this Commonwealth and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same" by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1103, (House Bill No. 884), as follows:

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" which was amended by section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ten) entitled "An act to amend and revise an act entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto' approved the twenty-seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen enlarging changing modifying and defining certain of the powers of cities of the third class" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 5 All stationary paper fuel supplies materials printing and advertising and all work required by the city or any department thereof except the ordinary repairs of highways sewers and other public improvements where the amount thereof exceeds two hundred and fifty-five hundred dollars shall be furnished and performed under contract to be given the lowest responsible bidder The council shall by ordinance provide for and regulate the award of all contracts the manner of hiring and discharge of employes and laborers and the fixing of their salaries or compensation when not otherwise fixed by ordinance the purchase of supplies and materials and the sale of personal property The council may also by ordinance provide a contingent fund or funds for necessary repairs and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for in the general appropriations and such funds may be expended without advertising for bids Cities of the third class may by ordinance provide for the establishment of a purchasing department which shall have supervision over the purchase and distribution of all supplies purchased to the amount allowed by the provisions of this act The said department shall be attached to the department of accounts and finance or such other department as council may determine The operation of the said department shall be in accordance with rules and regulations to be adopted by the city council the rules to include the manner in which quotations shall be secured on the supplies purchased It shall be the duty of the said department to assist the council at all times in eliminating waste and extravagance in the purchase and distribution of the city's supplies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1112, (House Bill No. 1184), entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1113, (House Bill No. 1194), entitled:

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein. to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1167, (House Bill No. 814), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 268) entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with:

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1264, (House Bill No. 1071), entitled:

An Act to amend section three as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1310, (House Bill No. 180), as follows:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three hundred and five of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 305 Each board of school directors may further appoint a solicitor and such other appointees clerks or employes as it may deem proper and in school districts of the second and third classes a clerk or clerks to keep a record of all taxable inhabitants taxable property and transfers thereof none of whom shall be a member of the Board and shall define their duties and fix their salaries

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1315, (House Bill No. 1043), as follows:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section five hundred and nine of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" and its amendment is hereby repealed

Section 2 That section five hundred and eleven of the said act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-two) entitled "An seven hundred and twenty and repeal section five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve seven hundred and nine and seven hundred and twenty and repeal sction fiv hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 511 Removal of Protection from Deer game birds and game and fur bearing animals—Special [Deer license] Licenses

In addition to the powers conferred on the board of game commissioners by other provisions of this act upon receipt of a petition signed by residents of any county giving their addresses and vocation setting forth that deer game birds game animals or fur bearing animals have become a nuisance in that county or any township thereof stating the manner in which such animals or birds are a nuisance or upon information otherwise obtained by the board indicating that deer game birds game animals or fur bearing animals have become destructive to property or that the herds flocks or coveys of such animals or birds should be reduced for any reason the board if satisfied that conditions warrant may declare any township county or section of the Commonwealth or the whole Commonwealth open to the killing of deer without visible antlers or horns or any such game birds game animals or fur bearing animals through the use of legal firearms as hereinafter provided by residents of the Commonwealth during [a special session of such length] such period of such bag limits and of such length of time as the board may [deem advisable either prior to or following the regular open season for male deer] by resolution determine During such [special] season the killing of [deer] such animals or birds shall be in accordance with such rules and regulations as the board by resolution may adopt and subject to the penalties for violation as prescribed by this act Provided That the Board shall not declare any portion of the Commonwealth open to the killing of adult anterless deer unless a petition therefor signed by at least two hundred residents of the county at least one-half of whom are holders of resident hunters licenses has been received by the Board Any such petition shall be filed not later than June twenty-fifth of any year and provided further That any season for the killing of adult anterless deer shall be during the open season for male deer

[Thirty or more days prior to the date of any such special open season at notice] The resolution of the board authorized by this act to be effective in any license year shall be adopted by the board on or before the fifteenth day of July preceding the license year to which it is to apply a copy of which resolution shall be published by the board in [at least] two newspapers of [the county] general circulation in each county affected or embraced within the resolution but if two such newspapers be not published in any county than in one such newspaper or if no such newspapers be published therein then in the newspapers of the next adjoining county one time each week for [three] two consecutive weeks [setting forth the date or dates of such special season and the conditions governing the same]

Within fifteen days after the date of the last publication of such resolution on petition of at least twenty-five citizens and

residents of any county affected by or embraced within the provisions of such resolutions praying the board for reasons stated in the petition to modify alter or rescind such resolution and having endorsed thereon a name and address to whom and where notice is to be given by the board of its action thereon the board shall fix a time and place of meeting at Harrisburg Pennsylvania or at any other place designated by the petitioners not later than the fifth day of August next following for a hearing thereon by and before the board or any members thereof or its executive secretary or other authorized representatives and shall notify the petitioners of such time and place at least five days before the time of such hearing On the day fixed for such hearing the board shall attend and hear the matters contained in all the petitions so presented to the board the petitioners and their witnesses and counsel The board shall within ten days after the close of the hearing render its decision thereon and give notice thereof to the petitioners' respective counsel or to a party named on the petion to receive such notice

If the board shall have modified its resolution it shall publish the same within fifteen days after its adoption in at least one newspaper in each county affected by or embraced within the modified resolution and by at least one insertion in each such newspaper.

Any of the petitioners aggrieved by the final decision of the board may appeal to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County or the Court of Common Pleas of any County affected by the decision with sufficient surety approved by the court to prosecute the same with affect and for payment of costs such court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of such complaint provided that such appeal be taken and within fifteen days from the date when notice was given the petitioners of the final decision of the board

No appeal made to said court shall operate as a supersedeas without special allowance by the Court upon terms prescribed by the Court nor upon appeal unless supersedeas is allowed either by the Appellate Court or Lower Court upon the terms prescribed by said Court but the resolution of the board shall be in effect until by the final decision of the court which shall be rendered before November first of that year it shall be determined to be invalid and no appeal shall be taken by any person or persons after the expiration of fifteen days following the date of the publication by the board of its final resolution Failure to take appeal to said court within the time hereinbefore specified shall be deemed a waiver of all objections to the validity of the resolution of the board as finally adopted and on appeal the court shall hear the cause de-novo

Provided that the board may also if satisfied that conditions warrant it kill remove or have removed by its officers or other responsible persons designated by the board any game animals birds or fur bearing animals from any section The board may dispose of such deer game animals or birds thus killed or removed in such manner as it may deem advisable And provided further that the board may declare or grant an extension of the open season or permit additional hunting or trapping or may change reduce or close seasons or bag limits and methods of taking and killing of deer game animals game birds or fur bearing animals and prescribe other regulations as the case in its judgment may require as set forth in its resolution or resolutions adopted and published by it in the manner above prescribed in this section and subject to like procedure jurisdiction and remedies regardless of the protection afforded or open seasons or bag limits otherwise fixed by law and subject to the penalties for violation as prescribed by this act

And provided also that the board may if satisfied that conditions warrant it at any time remove trap or dispose of in any manner they deem best either dead or alive any deer game animals birds beavers or other fur bearing animals Also should in the opinion of the board conditions warrant it they may furnish to other states or countries for re-stocking purposes deer or beavers which may be taken from surplus stock or which may be doing material damage In all cases where such sale or trade for other game is made the full market price shall be charged All monies derived therefrom shall be deposited with the State Treasurer for the use of the Game Fund

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1367, (House Bill No. 1870), entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1519, (House Bill No. 1464), as follows:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an Act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to borough" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six one thousand six hundred sixty-seven one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction opening dedication and drainage of highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 102 Excluded Provisions—This act does not include any provisions and shall not be construed to repeal any acts relating to

(a) The assessment of taxes
(b) The procedure for the collection of municipal claims by liens
(c) The amount and method of incurring or increasing indebtedness
(d) Election of officers and conduct of elections
(e) Poor districts
(f) Boards of health
(g) Common schools
(h) Borough and ward constables
(i) Justices of the peace
(j) The giving of municipal consent to public service corporations
(k) State roads State-aid roads and private roads
(l) Validations of elections bonds ordinances and acts of corporate officers
(m) Crimes and offenses by borough officers
(n) Zoning

Section 2 That article sixteen of said act is hereby amended by adding thereto sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six one thousand six hundred sixty-seven one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine to read as follows

Section 1666 No person shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any borough without first submitting suitable plans thereof to the borough council for its approval Such plans shall be prepared in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the borough council and shall show the profiles of such roads streets lanes or alleys the course structure and capacity of any drainage facilities and the method of drain-

age of the adjacent or contiguous territory and also any other or further details that may be required under the rules or regulations adopted by the borough council Before acting upon any such plans the council may at its discretion arrange for a public hearing after giving such notice as it may deem desirable in each case The council is authorized to alter such plans and to specify any changes or modifications of any kinds which it in its discretion may deem necessary with respect thereto and may make its approval of such plans subject to any such alterations changes or modifications Any plans when so approved shall be signed on behalf of the borough by such officer as the council may designate and shall be filed in the office of the borough engineer or other proper officer where the same shall be available to public inspection No road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans so approved by the council or with further plans subsequently approved by it in the same manner

Section 1667 In any case where the borough council shall refuse to approve any plans submitted to it in accordance with this section any person aggrieved by the action of such council may within thirty days after such action appeal from such action by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county which court shall hear the matter de novo and after hearing may enter decree affirming reversing or modifying the action of the council as may appear just in the premises The court shall designate the manner in which notice of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given to all parties interested The decision of the court shall be final

The action of the borough council or the court on appeal in approving any such plan and such approved plan shall be recorded by the person applying for such approval in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county

Section 1668 If any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans approved by the council as provided in section one thousand six hundred sixty-six hereof neither the borough council nor any public authorities shall place construct or operate any sewer drain water pipe or other facilities or do any work of any kind in or upon such road street lane or alley and neither the borough council nor any other public authorities shall have any responsibility of any kind with respect to any such road street lane alley or drainage facilities notwithstanding any use of the same by the public Provided however That nothing herein contained shall prevent the laying of trunk sewers drains water or gas mains if required by engineering necessity for the accommodation of other territory

Section 1669 The borough council its representatives and workmen may enter upon any land and property and maintain marks and monuments so far as the council may deem necessary in carrying out their powers and duties hereunder

Any person who shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any borough without having first complied with the provisions of this act and of any ordinances of such borough adopted pursuant hereto shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to suffer imprisonment not exceeding two years or to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or both in the discretion of the court

Nothing herein contained shall be held to restrict or limit the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth or any county in the exercise of any of its duties powers and functions under the provisions of any Act of Assembly now in force or hereafter to be enacted

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1544, (House Bill No. 1934), entitled:

An Act to further amend an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty), entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto; for the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages, and others interested in real estate, from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances; and of companies entitled to the benefits of, and companies having any of the powers of, companies entitled to the benefits of an act, entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity, insurance, safety deposit, trust, and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and of the supplements thereto,' approved June twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, commonly known as title insurance of trust companies," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with.

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1570, (House Bill No. 536), as follows:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans Courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Courts of Alleghany County.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' Courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County shall receive the compensation hereinafter provided

Section 2 The annual salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall be twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) and the annual salary of each of the associate judges of said court shall be nineteen thousand five hundred dollars ($19,500)

Section 3 The annual salary of the President Judge of the Superior Court shall be eighteen thousand five hundred dollars ($18,500) and the annual salary of each of the associate judges of said court shall be eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000)

Section 4 The annual salary of each of the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas of the first and fifth judicial districts shall be fourteen thousand dollars ($14,000)

The annual salary of each of the judges of the courts of Common Pleas learned in the law in judicial districts having a population of more than two hundred and fifty thousand and less than one million inhabitants shall be twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) in judicial districts having a population of one hundred thousand and more but less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants shall be twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) in judicial districts having a population of sixty-five thousand or more and less than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall be ten thousand dollars (10,000) in judicial districts having a population of less than sixty-five thousand inhabitants shall be nine thousand dollars ($9,000)

Section 5 The judges of the Courts of Common Pleas of Dauphin County shall receive three thousand dollars ($3,000) additional for trying civil cases for the Commonwealth

Section 6 In counties where separate Orphans' Courts are established the annual salary of each of the judges of said

courts shall be the same as is paid to the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas in the respective counties where such separate orphans' courts are established

Section 7 The annual salary of the President Judge of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia shall be ten thousand five hundred dollars ($10,500) and the annual salary of each of the other judges of said Court shall be ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

Section 8 The annual salary of the President Judge of the County Court of Allegheny County shall be ten thousand five hundred dollars ($10,500) and the annual salary of each of the other judges of said Court shall be ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

Section 9 When any judge learned in the law is called in as now provided by law to assist the judge or judges of any other judicial districts such judge so called in shall be entitled to receive for each day he is actually engaged in the performance of such duty the sum of thirty dollars ($30) per day and car fare

Section 10 The annual salaries hereinbefore provided for shall be paid monthly by warrant of the Auditor General on the State Treasurer

Section 11 The following acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed

The Act approved the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eight) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the courts of common pleas and the judges of the orphans' courts"

The Act approved the twenty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand sixty-five) entitled "An act to fix salaries of the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and of the county court of Allegheny County"

The Act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws twenty-nine) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court and the judges of the Suprerior Court"

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1576, (House Bill No. 1360), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 774) entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1578, (House Bill No. 1816), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1581, (House Bill No. 1977), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1590, (House Bill No. 1889), entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1616, (House Bill No. 1745), entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom; for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1618, (House Bill No. 1885) entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled

"An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1633, (House Bill No. 797), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July 17, 1919, (P. L. 1003), entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties," and its amendment of May 20, 1921, (P. L. 997), entitled "An act to amend section one of the act, approved and seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three), entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties,'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1634, (House Bill No. 2095), entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State Institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1639, (House Bill No. 324), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948), entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), the bill just read, be recommitto the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate B ll No. 1646, (House Bill No. 1378), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1647, (House Bill No. 1379), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1648, (House Bill No. 1380), entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1649, (House Bill No. 1410), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1651, (House Bill No. 1593), as follows:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or National banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" which was amended by section two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventeen) entitiitled "An act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' providing for reciprocity with other States in the taxation of the transfer of property of non-resident decedents" and which was again amended by the act approved the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and six) entitled "An act to amend section two of the act, approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended increasing the rate of the tax imposed by this act in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 All taxes imposed by this act [shall be imposed upon the clear value of the property subject to the tax and shall in each estate be equal to twenty-five per centum of the estate tax imposed upon the net estate of such decedent under the provision of section three hundred and one of the Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four of the United States but if said section of said Revenue Act is repealed or if no tax is imposed on such estate by said section of said act or if twenty-five per centum of the tax imposed by said section amounts to less than the following rates then in either event the taxes imposed by this act] shall be at the rate of two per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and also on the clear value of such property passing from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendant to such child his wife or widow and passing from an illegitimate child to his mother at the rate of one-half of one per centum upon the clear value of all property passing for exclusively public purposes to or for the use of any of the following bodies namely the United States or any agency bureau establishment or institution of the United States the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any city borough county township school district or other municipal or political subdivision of said Commonwealth and [with respect to] all property passing to or for the use of any corporation association foundation institution or establishment formed or organized or to be formed or organized (whether or not formed or organized operated or administered within or under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania) and operated exclusively for religious charitable scientific literary or educational purposes including the encouragement of art and the prevention of cruelty to children or animals and including [posts and similar institutions of veterans of wars of the United States no part of the net earnings of which] any post or similar institution of veterans of wars of the United States if no part of the net earnings of such corporation association foundation institution establishment or post or similar institution inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual or passing to or for the use of a trustee for the purposes aforesaid or any of them and at the rate of ten per centum upon the clear value of the property subject to such tax passing to or for the use of any other person or person bodies corporate or politic to be paid for the use of the Commonwealth In ascertaining the clear value of such estates the only deductions to be allowed from the gross values of such estates shall be the debts of the decedent reasonable and customary funeral expenses bequests or devises in trust in reasonable amounts the entire interest or income from which is to be perpetually applied to the care and preservation of the family burial lot or lots their enclosures and structures erected thereon reasonable expenses for the erection of monuments or gravestones grave and lot markers and the expenses of the administration of such estates and no deduction whatsoever shall be allowed for or on account of any taxes paid on such estates to the Government of the United States or to any other State or Territory [except as otherwise provided in section one of this act]

Section 2 That section sixteen of said act which was amended by section four of the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and seventy-eight) entitled "An act to amend an act approved June twentieth one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer [or] of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Com-

monwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national bank-ink association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 16 The executor or administrator or other trustee paying any legacy or share in the distribution of any estate of a resident decedent subject to the said tax shall deduct therefrom [at the rate of two per centum upon the whole legacy or sum paid to or for the use of father mother husband wife children lineal descendants born in lawful wedlock legally adopted children children of a former husband or wife or the wife or widow of the son of a person dying seized or possessed thereof and upon the whole legacy from the mother of an illegitimate child or from any person of whom the mother is a lineal descendant to such illegitimate child his wife or widow or from an illegitimate child to his mother and at the rate of ten per centum upon the whole legacy or sum paid to or for the use of any other person or persons or bodies corporate or politic or if] the tax imposed by this act at the rate applicable to such legacy or share under the foregoing provisions of this act provided that that if such legacy or share is not money he shall demand payment of a sum to be computed at the same rate upon the appraised value thereof No executor or administrator shall be compelled to pay or deliver any specific legacy or article to be distributed subject to tax except on the payment into his hands of a sum computed on its value as aforesaid In case of neglect or refusal on the part of such legatee to pay the same such specific legacy or article or so much thereof as shall be necessary shall be sold by such executor or administrator at public sale after notice to such legatee and the balance that may be left in the hands of the executor or administrator shall be distributed as is or may be directed by law Every sum of money retained by any executor or administrator or paid into his hands on account of any legacy or distributive share for the use of the Commonwealth shall be paid by him without delay

Section 3 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed but nothing herein contained shall repeal any of the provisions of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act providing that estates in buildings grounds books curios pictures statuary and other works of art passing by wil to any municipality corporation or unincorporated body for free exhibition within Pennsylvania shall not be subject to collateral inheritance tax and in certain instances the data when such tax shall become due" nor any of the provisions of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eleven hundred and forty-three) entitled "An act relating to free public non-sectarian libraries and branch libraries within this Commonwealth providing for their establishment maintenance and regulation and for the maintenance and regulation of such free public non-sectarian libraries as may have been already established by the several counties cities boroughs towns and townships and providing that all library property and all gifts devises grants or endowments for library purposes shall be exempt from taxation and providing that the several counties cities borcughs towns and townships may levy taxes condemn private property and borrow money for library purposes and imposing penalties for injuring a library property and for violations of library regulations and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1655, (House Bill No. 1925), entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1656, (House Bill No. 1931), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1660, (House Bill No. 2002), entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1601, (House Bill No. 2029), entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise, and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1663, (House Bill No. 2053), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideratoin of Senate Bill No. 1664, (House Bill No. 2059), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1665, (House Bill No. 2061), on second reading, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is the objection? The Chair hears none.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1666, (House Bill No. 2072), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1667, (House Bill No. 2076), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1668, (House Bill No. 2081), entitled:

An act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1669, (House Bill No. 2084), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1672, (House Bill No. 229), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 101) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation".

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1673, (House Bill No. 301), entitled:

An act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1674, (House Bill No. 925), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1676, (House Bill No. 1144), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1671, (House Bill No. 1163), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1678, (House Bill No. 1183), entitled:

An Act empowering the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1680, (House Bill No. 1504), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of additional State Buildings in Harrisburg and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five million eight hundred forty thousand dollars ($5,840,000) is hereby appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies to be used by it for the following purposes (a) For purchasing plans and causing specifications to be prepared for and erecting and constructing an additional office building in Capitol park to be located east of the South Office Building and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding such building when constructed

(b) For erecting constructing and completing a building together with the necessary grading and terracing on surrounding land to be known as the "Farm Show Building" to be located in the city of Harrisburg on such site or the property of the Commonwealth now under the control of the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital as the Governor shall select Upon the selection of such site the Governor shall certify the same to the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital and thereafter said site shall be under the control and jurisdiction of the Department of Property and Supplies until the Farm Show Building shall be completed and thereafter under the control of the State Farm Products Show Commission Such building shall be erected constructed and completed in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the Secretary of Property and Supplies and the Governor

Section 2 The Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized to purchase from the architects who prepared the same the plans for the aforesaid office building now in possession of the Department of Property and Supplies and to cause said architects to prepare specifications and such further detailed plans and drawings as may be necessary to enable contracts to be awarded and the building constructed The plans for the said building shall be approved by the Governor

Section 3 The Department of Property and Supplies shall pay for all plans specifications supervision and architectural and engineering fees required for carrying out the purposes of this act out of the appropriation made by this act.

Section 4 If the appropriation made by this act shall be insufficient for the completion of the office building authorized hereunder it shall be lawful for the Department of Property and Supplies to award a contract or contracts for the construction of as much of the building as can be paid for out of the appropriation made by this act but the arm Show Building shall be completed ready for furnishing

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1681, (House Bill No. 1583), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1684, (House Bill No. 1813), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and five of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 843) entitled "An act requiring employers to make report to the Department of Labor and Industry of accidents to employees and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1684, (House Bill No. 1813), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1687, (House Bill No. 1879), entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeals from the Public Service Commission.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1688, (House Bill No. 1884), entitled:

An act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act,"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading an deonsideration of Senate Bill No. 1690, (House Bill No. 1897), entitled:

An Act fixing the annual registration fees for motor busses and motor omnibuses having pneumatic tires.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1690, (House Bill No. 1897), the bill just read be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1691, (House Bill No. 1905), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law, to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed; providing for notice to owners, if known, and to the Department of Revenue; providing for the payment of charges of such seizure, advertising and sale, and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges, and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefor is made.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1695, (House Bill No. 2056), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

The first section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 495 The board of township commissioners in townships of the first class may enact ordain survey lay out widen straighten vacate and relay all roads streets lanes and alleys and parts thereof within the township upon the petition of a majority in interest of the owners of property through whose lands any such road street lane or alley passes or upon whose land it abuts or without petition of the owners of the abutting property if in the judgment of the board of commissioners it is necessary for the public convenience

The second section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 2 That section four hundred and ninety-eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 498 After such hearing and a consideration of the matter should the board of commissioners or a majority thereof decide in favor of [granting the prayer of the petition] exercising the power conferred by section four hundred and ninety-five of this article they shall make written report together with a draft or survey of the road street lane or alley fixing the width thereof and noting the improvement along the line thereof and the names of the owners of property through which the same shall pass or whereon it shall abut Such report and draft shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move to amend section 2, page 2, line 13, by striking out "proyer" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prayer"; also line 18, by striking out the word "improvement" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "improvements."

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title section of the bill was read as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the title?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move to amend the title page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "eight" and word "hundred."

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion

On the question.

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1698, (House Bill No. 2082), entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1724, (House Bill No. 1214), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1729, (House Bill No. 1478), entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1735, (House Bill No. 1600), as follows:

An Act exempting from taxation for state purposes and for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for state city and county purposes all bank accounts having interest

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That after the thirty-first day of December one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine all certificates of deposit and pass books issued by banks banking institutions and trust companies and all money deposited in such institutions and upon which interest is paid by them shall be exempt from taxation for State purposes and for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for State city and county purposes

Section 2 The provisions of this act shall in no way prevent or affect the collection of any tax which is or shall be collectible under the provisions of existing law

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed in so far as inconsistent with this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1735, (House Bill No. 1600), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1741, (House Bill No. 2060), as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railway companies

Whereas The Commonwealth requested the Harrisburg Railways Company and its lessors to vacate the State Street Bridge in the City of Harrisburg to enable the Commonwealth to erect and construct the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial bridge and

Whereas The Commonwealth has requested said Harrisburg Railways Company and its lessors permanently to abandon the franchise heretofore vested in it for the use of State Street between Thirteenth and Filbert Streets in the City of Harrisburg

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies is hereby authorized to grant a right-of-way to any or all the East Harrisburg Passenger Railway Company Harrisburg City Passenger Railway Company and Citizens Passenger Railway Company operated by Harrisburg Railway Company permitting said Companies or any of them to lay and maintain a double track street railway line with the necessary poles wires and other appliances in the center of Commonwealth Avenue and any extension thereof running through Capitol Park in the City of Harrisburg said right-of-way to continue as long as said Harrisburg Railways Company its successors or assigns continues to operate street railway cars over said tracks

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1743, (House Bill No. 2074), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1744, (House Bill No. 2077), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1745, (House Bill No. 2083), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1746, (House Bill No. 2039), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1747, (House Bill No. 2026), entitled:

An act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State Employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which state employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1748, (House Bill No. 2087), enttiled:

An act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the [guaranty] guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances return benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1749, (House Bill No. 2088), as follows:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all depositories of city funds in cities of the first class shall upon the receipt of notice of their selection as depositoriees of city funds furnish a bond to secure payment of deposits and interest to the city with a proper warrant of attorney to confess judgement in favor of the city secured by a surety company or individual sureties to be approved by the court of common pleas Such bonds shall in all cases be in the amount of the deposit to be made If a corporate bond is given no one surety company shall be approved in an aggregate amount in excess of five times the capital surplus and reserve Whenever individual sureties are presented for approval they shall qualify in an aggregate over and above their individual liabilities to three times the amount of the deposit No one person may qualify for more than one-fourth of the total amount of the bond required Provided That in lieu of surety bonds of surety companies or of individual sureties the deposit of city moneys may be secured by the deposit with the city treasurer of bonds of the United States or of any county municipality or municipal district of the Commonwealth equal to the deposit so secured and twenty per centum in addition thereto Said bonds shall be accompanied by a proper assignment or power of attorney to transfer the same and in any such deposit of securities shall be maintained to the full amount required in case of any depreciation in value thereof

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1751, (House Bill No. 2100), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 52) entitled "An act authorizing county commissioners to establish lights on county bridges" as amended providing for the payment of the cost of the construction erection and maintenance of lights on bridges between two or more counties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To to transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1751, (House Bill No. 2100), the bill just read be recommitted to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1752, (House Bill No. 1161), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1753, (House Bill No. 1473), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1755, (House Bill No. 1768), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1756, (House Bill No. 1915), as follows:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 18 (a) If the inspector or deputy shall find in or on any land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place plants plant products or other material infested or infected with any plant pest or has reason to believe that such infestation or infection exists he shall notify in writing the owner or person having charge of such land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place or both of them to that effect and shall state whether the infestation or infection be capable of successful treatment and the owner or person having charge shall within ten days after receipt of such notice or within such longer or shorter period as the notice may state cause the removal or destruction of such plants plant products or other material if incapable of successful treatment otherwise cause them to be treated as the inspector may direct From receipt of such notice and until destruction or treatment as specified has been completed to the satisfaction of the inspector such land premises building vehicle vessel car or other place shall be considered under quarantine No damages shall be awarded to the owner for the loss or destruction of such plants plant products or other material under this act Except as provided under (c) of this section Such plants plant products or other material shall be deemed to be a public nuisance

(b) In case the owner or person in charge shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of paragraph (a) of this section within the time specified he shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act and thereafter the inspector under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture may proceed to treat or destroy or cause to be treated or destroyed the plants plant products or other material The expense thereof or such portion of it as the Secretary of Agriculture may direct shall be collected or obtained from the person or persons so refusing or neglecting in an action or actions brought against him or them either jointly or severally in the same manner as the debts of like amount are now recoverable The amount of such expenses when collected shall be paid into the State Treasury Provided That such portion of the amount so collected and paid into the State Treasury as shall represent the expenditures thereon by the United States Government in cooperation with the Secretary of Agriculture as provided hereafter in this act shall be paid to the United States Government and for such purposes any such moneys paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated

(c) If under the provisions of this section the Secretary of Agriculture shall require or cause to be destroyed or removed any growing and living plant or plants of the common red cedar (Juniperus virginiana) or of the European barberry (Berberis vulgaris) or of cultivated currants and gooseberries (Ribes species) other than nursery stock upon any land the grower of which was in no way responsible for the existence of the condition which in the opinion of the Secretary of Agriculture or his representatives necessitated such destruction or removal the Secretary of Agriculture shall upon claim duly filed and approved by him pay to such grower or other person entitled thereto compensation for such plants so required or caused to be removed or destroyed in an amount not in excess of seventy per centum of the value of the plants so required or caused to be removed or destroyed as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture

Section 2 The sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of paying claims for plants destroyed in accordance with the provisions of this act

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1758, (House Bill No. 1972), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To to transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1759, (House Bill No. 2012), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bill to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1760, (House Bill No. 2013), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships;

and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1763, (House Bill No. 2090), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1764, (House Bill No. 993), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relaitng to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 601 Insurance Agents Defined An agent is an individual copartnership or corporation authorized in writing by a company association or exchange

(a) To solicit risks and collect premiums and to issue or countersign policies in its behalf or

(b) To solicit risks and collect premiums in its behalf

A person copartnership association or corporation not a duly authorized insurance broker who for or without compensation solicits insurance on behalf of any insurance company association or exchange or transmits for a person copartnership association or corporation other than himself or itself an application for a policy of insurance to or from such company association or exchange or offers or assumes to act in the negotiation of such insurance or in any manner aids in transacting the insurance business of any such company association or exchange by negotiating for or placing risks or delivering policies or collecting premiums for such company association or exchange shall be an insurance agent within the intent of this act and shall thereby become liable to all the duties requirements liabilities and penalties to which an agent of such company association or exchange is subject Provided however That the word "agent" shall not include nonresident salaried employes of foreign exchanges which maintain no offices in this Commonwealth and pay no commissions to such employes or officers or salaried employees of any insurance company association or exchange which is authorized to transact business in this Commonwealth who do not solicit negotiate or place risks

Section 2 Repealing All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1768, (House Bill No. 987), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof when such indebtedness was legally incurred

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed wtih,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1770, (House Bill No. 1551), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of publication and for those purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residental commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1—GRANT OF POWER—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purpose of promoting the health safety morals and general welfare of the community cities of the first class are hereby authorized and empowered to regulate and restrict by ordinance the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures the percentage of lot that may be occupied the

size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence or other purposes so that such uses may be permitted in or excluded from certain portions or sections of such cities or subject to special regulations

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 1, page 2, line 9, by inserting after the word "size" the words "or bulk"; also by inserting after the word "structures" the words "hereafter altered or erected"; also line 10, by inserting after the word "lot" the word "area"; also by inserting after the word "occupied" the words "by buildings or structures or material".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The second section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 2—DISTRICTS—For any or all of said purposes the Council may by ordinance divide the city into districts of such number shape size and area as may be deemed best suited to carry out the purposes of this Act and within such districts it may regulate and restrict the erection construction reconstruction alteration repair use or occupancy of buildings structures or All such regulations shall be uniform for each class or kind of building structures or land throughout each district but the regulations in one district may differ from those in other districts

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 2, page 2, line 25, by striking out the word "building" and inserting in place thereof the word "buildings"; also line 27 by adding after the word "districts" the following sentence: "The City Council with or without the recommendation of the Zoning Commission may exempt any class of buildings or structures in any industrial or commercial district of such City from any restrictions regarding the height or number of stories thereof except such as are necessary to protect public health, safety or morals".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The third section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

Section 3—PURPOSES IN VIEW—Such regulations shall be made in accordance with a comprehensive plan and designed to lessen congestion in the streets to secure safety from fire panic and other dangers to promote health and the general welfare to provide adequate light and air to prevent the overcrowding of land to avoid undue concentration of population to facilitate the adequate provision of transporation water sewage schools parks and other public requirements Such regulations shall be made with reasonable consideration among other things to the topography and character of the district and its peculiar suitability for particular uses with a view to conserving the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout such city

The fourth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 4—METHOD OF PROCEDURE—The Council of such city shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such districts shall be determined established and enforced and from time to time amended supplemented or changed However no such regulation restriction or boundary shall become effective until after a public hearing in relation thereto at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard At least fifteen (15) days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be published in an official paper or a paper of general circulation in such city

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 4, page 3, line 25, by striking out the words "an official paper or a" and inserting in place thereof the words "a morning and an evening".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The fifth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 5—CHANGES—Such regulations restrictions and boundaries may from time to time be amended supplemented modified or repealed In case however of a protest against any such change duly signed and acknowledged by the owners of twenty (20) per cent or more either of the area of the lots included in such proposed change or of those immediately adjacent in the rear or adjoining on the sides thereof extending one hundred (100) feet therefrom or of those directly opposite thereto extending one hundred (100) feet from the frontage of such opposite lots such change shall not become effective except by the favorable vote of three-fourths of all the members of the council of such city The provisions of the previous section relative to public hearings and official notice shall apply equaly to all changes or amendments

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 5, page 4. line 2, by striking out the words and figures "twenty (20)" and inserting in place thereof the following: "forty (40)"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "the" the word "street"; also line 9, by striking out the word "three-fourths" and inserting in place thereof "three-fifths"; also line 10, by inserting after the word "members" the following words: "of the Board of Adjustment and a majority vote".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The sixth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 6—ZONING COMMISSION—In order to avail itself of the powers conferred by this act the Mayor of any such city shall appoint a commission of seven or more members to be known as the Zoning Commission to recommend the boundaries of the various districts and the appropriate restrictions and regulations to be enforced therein and to include in such recommendation such maps charts or prints as it may deem necessary desirable or convenient to show the locations and boundaries of the respective districts in which

such regulations and restrictions shall apply The said recommendations shall be in the form of a proposed Zoning Ordinance and shall provide for a Board of Adjustment a Bureau of Zoning and the rules and regulations for the administration of said ordinance by the said Bureau in accordance with the provisions of this act The Zoning Commission shall make a preliminary report and hold public hearings thereon before submitting its final report and the Council of such city shall not hold its public hearings or take action until it has received the final report of such commission

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 6, page 4, line 16, by inserting after the word "City" the following words: "by and with the advice and consent of City Council"; also line 17, by inserting after the word "member" the words and figures "two (2) of whom shall be members of City Council"; also line 24, by inserting after word "apply" the following provision: "provided that no such regulations or restrictions shall be made concerning the location, construction, alteration, repair and maintenance of any church or school or other place of worship or education unless otherwise authorized by law".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The seventh section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 7—APPROVAL BY COUNCIL—The proposed bill or ordinance prepared by the Zoning Commission shall not become effective until it shall have been passed by the Council of such city in the manner required for the passage of other ordinances and subject to executive action as in other cases provided that before final action of the City Council shall be taken public hearings shall be held by the council or a committee thereof to which such proposed bill or ordinance may be referred whereat all persons interested in the subject matter be afforded an opportunity to be heard at specified time and place or times and places after due notice of such hearing or hearings published for six (6) consecutive days in two (2) daily morning and two (2) daily evening newspapers of general circulation in such cities

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 7, page 5, line 16, by striking out the word "an" before the word "opportunity."

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The eighth section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to

Section 8—BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT—If a city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act the Mayor of such city shall with the approval of Council appoint a Board of Adjustment and in the regulations and restrictions adopted pursuant to the authority of this act may provide that the said Board of Adjustment may in appropriate cases and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards make special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance in harmony with its general purposes and intent and in accordance with general or specific rules therein contained The Board of Adjustment shall consist of five (5) members one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January following the adoption of the zoning ordinance two until the first day of the second January thereafter and two until the first day of the third January thereafter Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve three years The members of the Board shall be removable for cause by the appointing authority upon written charges and after public hearing Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant The council may provide for the compensation of those members of the Board of Adjustment who do not hold any other office or position of profit under the city government or any department thereof or in or under the government of the United States or of this Commonwealth or of any county city or other public political subdivision thereof The Mayor of such city shall designate the chairman of the Board The Board shall adopt rules in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance adopted pursuant to this act Meetings of the board shall be held at the call of the chairman and at such other times as the board may determine The chairman or in his absence the acting chairman may administer oaths and compel the attendance of witnesses All meetings of the board shall be open to the public The board shall keep minutes of its proceedings showing the vote of each member upon each question or if absent or failing to vote indicating such fact and keep records of its examinations and other official actions all of which shall be immediately filed in the office of the board and shall be a public record

Appeals to the Board of Adjustment may be taken by any person aggrieved or by any officer department board or bureau of the city affected by any decision of the administrative officer Such appeal shall be taken within a reasonable time as provided by the rules of the board by filing with the officer from whom the appeal is taken and with the Board of Adjustment a notice of appeal specifying the grounds thereof The officer from whom the appeal is taken shall forthwith transmit to the board all the papers constituting the record upon which the action appealed from was taken

An appeal stays all proceedings in furtherance of the action appealed from unless the officer from whom the appeal is taken certifies to the Board of Adjustment after the notice of appeal shall have been filed with him that by reason of facts stated in the certificate a stay would in his opinion cause imminent peril to life or property In such case proceedings shall not be stayed otherwise than by a restraining order which may be granted by the Board of Adjustment or by a court of record no application and notice to the officer from whom the appeal is taken and on due cause shown

The Board of Adjustment shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing of the appeal given public notice thereof as well as due notice to the parties in interest and decide the same within a reasonable time Upon the hearing any party may appear in person or by agent or by attorney

The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers

1 To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there is error in any order requirement decision or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement of this act or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto

2 To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance upon which such board is required to pass under such ordinance

3 To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance from the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to the public interest where owing to special conditions a literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in unnecessary hardship and so that the spirit of the ordinance shall be observed and substantial justice done

In exercising the above-mentioned powers such board may in conformity with the provisions of this act reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the order requirement decision or determination appealed from and may make such order requirement decision or determination as ought to be made and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer from whom the appeal is taken

The concurring vote of four members of the Board of Adjustment shall be necessary to reverse any order requirement decision or determination of any such administrative official or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which it is required to pass under any such ordinance or to effect any variation in such ordinance

Any person or persons jointly or severally aggrieved by any decision of the Board of Adjustment or any taxpayer or any officer department board or bureau of the city may present to a court of record a petition duly verified setting forth that such decision is illegal in whole or in part specifying the grounds of the illegality Such petition shall be presented to the court within thirty (30) days after the filing of the decision in the office of the board

Upon the presentation of such petition the court may allow a writ of certiorari directed to the Board of Adjustment to review such decision of the Board of Adjustment and shall shall not be less than ten days and may be extended by the court The allowance of the writ shall not stay proceedings upon the decision appealed from but the court may on application on notice to the board and on due cause shown grant prescribe therein the time within which a return thereto must be made and served upon the appellant's attorney which a restraining order

The Board of Adjustment shall not be required to return the original papers acted upon by it but it shall be sufficient to return certified or sworn copies thereof or of such portions thereof as may be called for by such writ The return shall concisely set forth such other facts as may be pertinent and material to show the grounds of the decision appealed from and shall be verified The Board of Adjustment shall be respondent in said appeal with the right to appear in person or by counsel and defend said action The court may permit any person or persons claiming an interest to assert his or their right by intervention

If upon the hearing it shall appear to the court that testimony is necessary for the proper disposition of the matter it may take evidence or appoint a referee to take such evidence as it may direct and report the same to the court with his findings of fact and conclusions of law which shall constitute a part of the proceedings upon which the determination of the court shall be made The court may reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the decision brought up for review

Costs shall not be allowed against the board unless it shall appear to the court that it acted with gross negligence or in bad faith or with malice in making the decision appealed from

All issues in any proceeding under this section shall have preference over all other civil actions and proceedings

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 8, page 7, line 28 by striking out the words "given public" and inserting in place thereof the words "give public"; also page 9, line 21, by striking out the word "aplication" and inserting in place thereof the word "application".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The ninth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 9—BUREAU OF ZONING—If any city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act there shall be attached to the Department of Public Works of such city a Bureau of Zoning under the direction of a chief of said bureau and with such other officials clerks and employes as the council may determine All ordinances passed under the provisions of this act shall be enforced by the Bureau of Zoning subject to the right of appeal to the Board of Adjustment and to the courts as herein provided for

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. WOODWARD, Mr. President, I move to amend Section 9, page 10 lines 28 and 29, by putting line 29 ahead of line 28 and changing the numbers of said lines accordingly.

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The tenth section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 10—PENALTIES—If any building or structure shall be erected constructed reconstructed altered repaired converted or maintanied or any building structure or land used in violation of this act or of any ordinance or regulation made under authority hereof the person or persons artificial or natural knowingly so offending shall be subject to a fine of not more than one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars and not less than one hundred ($100.00) dollars as prescribed by the council of any such city to be recovered as fines and penalties of like amount are now recoverable by law The fact of such violation being committed shall be prima facie evidence that it was knowingly done In case of any such actual or threatened violation either the said city or the bureau officer or official designated for the enforcement of any ordinance passed by virtue of this act may institute any appropriate action or proceeding to prevent or abate such unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion maintenance use or occupation or to restrain or prevent any illegal act or business or use under this act or under any such ordinance or regulation

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move to amend section 10, page 11, line 10, by striking out the word "persons" before the word "or" and inserting in place thereof the word "person".

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The eleventh and twelfth sections of the bill were read as follows and agreed to.

Section 11—VALIDITY—If any section clause portion or provision of this act shall be unconstitutional or invalid it is hereby declared to be the true intent and meaning hereof that all of the provisions of this act shall be severable and that all the other provisions or portions thereof excepting those so held unconstitutional or invalid shall be and remain in full force and effect

Section 12—CONFLICT WITH OTHER LAWS—Wherever the regulations made under authority of this act require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required in any other statute or local ordinance or regulations the provisions of the regulations made under authority of this act shall govern Wherever the provisions of any other statute or local ordinance or regulation require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or a less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required by the regulations made under authority of this act the provisions of such statute or local ordinanec or regulation shall govern

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same are hereby repealed

The title section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the

density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1774, (House Bill No. 201), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1775, (House Bill No. 1890), entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution of process.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1776, (House Bill No. 2011), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug addict by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists vetreinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1778, (House Bill No. 332), entitled:

An Act relating to executions, providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any eexcution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof, preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1779, (House Bill No. 1463), entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of Section one thousand and six of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1779, (House Bill No. 1463), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1701, (House Bill No. 13), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1702, (House Bill No. 165), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1703, (House Bill No. 338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1705, (House Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1707, (House Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1708, (House Bill No. 464), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1709, (House Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time anw agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1710, (House Bill No. 753), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1711, (House Bill No. 809), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1712, (House Bill No. 887), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1713, (House Bill No. 888), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1714, (House Bill No. 890), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1715, (House Bill No. 952), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1716, (House Bill No. 973), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1717, (House Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act making an appropiration to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1718, (House Bill No. 1070), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1719, (House Bill No. 1123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading,

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1720, (House Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1721, (House Bill No. 1149), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1722, (House Bill No. 1170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1723, (House Bill No. 1172), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1725, (House Bill No. 1232), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home located at Wissinoming Philadelphia

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvaria in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Old Ladies' Home located at Wissinoming Philadelphia for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1726, (House Bill No. 1353), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1727, (House Bill No. 1365), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1728, (House Bill No. 1429), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1730, (House Bill No. 1480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1731, (House Bill No. 1489), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

The first section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children) for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I move to amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by removing the brackets before and after the words "five hundred"; also line 5 by striking out the figures "($8,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "$8,500)."

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1732, (House Bill No. 1507), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1733, (House Bill No. 1586), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1734, (House Bill No. 1591), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1737, (House Bill No. 1661), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women of Easton Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women located at Easton Pennsylvania for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1740, (House Bill No. 1927), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1742, (House Bill No. 2036), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children, Doylestown, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1754, (House Bill No. 2056), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula

Whereas On April first and second one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine one of the most severe storms of recent years raged on the Great Lakes inflicting unprecedented damage on Lake Erie and Presque Isle State Park and

Whereas The said Presque Isle State Park was inundated trees thereon uprooted and the concrete highway strewn with and covered by driftwood trees and rubbish and

Whereas Sand flood wood and uprooted trees completely block the highway and the entrance to the Park and the highway is undermined and made unsafe for travel therefore

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula

Section 2 The work of clearing repairing and reconstructing the said highway shall be done under the supervision of the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth in the same manner as State highways are repaired and reconstructed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1766, (House Bill No. 57), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1767, (House Bill No. 497), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1769, (House Bill No. 1112), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1771, (House Bill No. 2033), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital for the completion of the construction, and equipment of an addition to the Nurses' Home.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1771, (House Bill No. 2033), the bill just read, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1772, (House Bill No. 806), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1773, (House Bill No. 1155), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 415, on final passage recalled from the Governor, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to

adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

Senate Bill No. 781, on final passage recalled from the Governor, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists, and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties;" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs.

and Senate Bill No. 1033, (House Bill No. 1053), on final passage, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles, tractors, street cars, bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling including liens, encumbrances and legal claims, registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; owners of vehicles and garage keepers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, within the Commonwealth, liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation, and providing for refunds.

are not up from the printer and will go over in their order.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1120, (House Bill No. 1536), as follows:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailors and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

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ARTICLE I

SHORT TITLE AND PRELIMINARY PROVI

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Section 101 Short Title—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The Tractor Code"

Section 102 Definitions—The following words and phrases when used in this act shall for the purpose of this act have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this section except in those instances where the context clearly indicates a different meaning

"Cleat"—Any projection block stud flange or any other protuberance of any material other than rubber which projects beyond the outside surface of the periphery of the wheels of a tractor

"Dealer"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the business of manufacturing or in the purchase and sale of tractors or trailers and who has an established place of business

"Department"—The Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Guide Band"—Any flange affixed to the center line of the outside surface of the periphery of the front or guiding wheels of a tractor

"Highway"—Every way or place of whatever nature open to the use of the public as a matter of right for purposes of vehicular travel The term "highway" shall not be deemed to include a roadway or driveway upon grounds owned by private persons colleges universities or other institutions

"Magistrate"—A mayor burgess magistrate alderman justice of the peace or other officer having the powers of a committing magistrate

"Operator"—Every person who is in actual physical control of a tractor

"Operator's License"—The license issued to any person to operate a tractor

"Owner"—A person who is the legal owner of a tractor or trailer or in the event the tractor or trailer is subject to an agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof or other like agreement with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested by the conditional vendee or lessee shall be deemed the owner for the purpose of this act

"Peace Officer"—A sheriff deputy sheriff constable member of the Pennsylvania State Police State Highway Patrolman or other police officer vested with authority of arrest

"Person"—Every natural person firm co-partnership association or corporation

"Secretary"—The Secretary of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"State"—A state territory organized or unorganized or district of the United States of America

"Trailer"—Every vehicle wagon or truck drawn by a tractor for hauling material or freight of any kind excepting water and fuel tanks road-graders stone-crushers saw-mills concrete mixers and agricultural equipment not self-propelled

"Tractor"—Every vehicle which is self-propelled equipped with metal-tired wheels or crawlers operated or propelled by any form of engine motor or mechanical power excepting power shovels road rollers self-propelled engines which move or ar guided by an immovable track tractors abricultural implements such as grass mowers binders manure spreader hay loaders hay rakes grain drills or potato planters to be used exclusively by any person upon the farm or farms he owns or operates or upon highways connecting by the most direct route any farms or portions of farms under the single ownership or operation of such person

Section 103 Printed Matter—The secretary is authorized to order through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agent the printing of necessary forms bulletins

and other printed matter required for carrying out the provisions of this act and for the dissemination of information to the public Provided however That all bulletins or other publications for the dissemination of information to the public shall be distributed only by or with the consent of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 104 Construction of Act Generally—The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any act of Assembly or part thereof shall not revive any act or part thereof heretofore repealed or superseded The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested or affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

Section 105 Constitutional Construction—The provisions of this act shall be severable and if any of the provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining provisions of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

ARTICLE II

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Section 201 Registration of Tractors and Trailers Required—Except as hereinafter provided no tractor or trailer shall be operated or driven upon any highway in this Commonwealth until the said tractor or trailer shall have been registered with the department as hereinafter provided and the registration plate that has been issued for the vehicle for the current year is received and displayed as required by this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 202 Registrations Duplicates and Renewals—(a) Application for registration of a tractor or trailer shall be made upon a form furnished by the department and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall contain the actual or bona fide address and name of the owner together with a brief description of the tractor the name manufacturer's number character of the motive power and the gross maximum weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of a trailer the gross weight of the chassis and body and also such other description of the tractor or trailer as the secretary may require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the case where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same and shall be accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(b) Upon receipt of the application and the fee provided in this act the secretary shall register the tractor or trailer herein described and the owner thereof in suitable books or in index cards maintaining suitable records of all registrations issued

(c) The secretary upon registering a tractor or trailer shall issue to the owner a registration card which shall bear thereon the registration number assigned to the owner and to the tractor or trailer the name and address of the owner also a description of the vehicle and such other statement of facts as may be determined by the secretary The owner upon receiving the registration card shall sign the usual signature or name of such owner with pen and ink in the space provided

(d) In the event of a lost destroyed or illegible registration card application shall be made to the department within forty-eight (48) hours of the discovery of the loss of such registration card for a duplicate registration card upon a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act Thereupon the department shall issue a duplicate registration card to the owner

(e) No owner or operator of a tractor or trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that registration card is missing if the owner or operator makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new registration card was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required in this section

(f) The registration card issued for a tractor or trailer required to be registered shall at all times while the vehicle is being operated upon a highway be in the possession of the operator thereof or carried in the tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (c) (d) or (f) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 203 Classification—Tractors for the purpose of this act shall be divided into two classes

(a) First Class—Tractors used exclusively for agricultural purposes road grading and transporting machinery and appliances which when at rest operate with their own power and shall exclude tractors used for hauling of freight of any kind

(b) Second Class—Tractors used for freighting which shall include all hauling upon the public highway excepting such as is specified in sub-section (a) of this section

Section 204 Registration of Dealers—(a) Tractors or trailers owned or kept by dealers shall be exempt from individual registration if said dealer registers with the department in the "Dealer's Class"

(b) Application for such registration shall be made to the department upon a form furnished by the department The application shall contain the full name and business address of the applicant and such other information as the department shall require Upon receipt of the application accompanied by the fee provided in this act for each registration card and registration plate desired the department shall issue to the applicant as many registration cards and registration plates as may have been applied for

(c) No tractor or trailer shall under any circumstances be operated under the dealer's registration unless the registration card for the registration plate displayed is carried by the operator and bears the signature of the dealer to whom issued

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 205 Registration by Non-Residents—Non-Residents of this Commonwealth except as otherwise provided in this act will be exempt from the provisions of this act as to the registration of tractors and trailers for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under the laws of the foreign country or state of their residence relative to the registration of tractors and trailers and shall conspicuously display the registration plates as required thereby and have in their possession the registration card issued for such tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 206 Registration Shall Be Refused—The department shall not accept an application for the registration of a tractor or trailer in any of the following events

1 When the applicant therefor is not entitled thereto under the provisions of this act

2 When the applicant has neglected or refused to furnish the department with the information required in the appropriate official form or reasonable additional information required by the department

3 When the fees required therefor by law have not been paid

4 When the vehicle is not constructed or equipped as required by this act

Section 207 Registration Suspended—(a) The secretary may suspend any registration with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative in any of the following cases

1 When tractor or trailer is unsafe or unfit for operation or is not equipped as required by this act

2 When the owner shall make or permit to be made any unlawful use of a tractor or trailer or registration plate or permit the use thereof by a person not entitled thereto

3 When the owner has been convicted of using a false or fictitious name or giving false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

4 Upon certification or request or order of any court duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certifications requests or orders

5 When check submitted in payment of any registration is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) The secretary upon suspending any registration shall require the registration plate and registration card to be surrendered immediately to the department and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to seize such registration plate and registration card

(c) Any person whose registration has been suspended shall not be entitled to apply for or receive new or duplicate registration until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

(d) No tractor or trailer the registration of which has been suspended shall be operated on the highway during the period of suspension

(e) Whenever the secretary suspends any registration the secretary shall immediately notify the owner and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not been already held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the registration for a further period

(f) Any person whose registration has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act

Section 203 Transfer of Registration—(a) Upon transfer of ownership or the destruction of any tractor or trailer the registration shall expire

(b) Upon transfer of registration from one tractor or trailer to another tractor or trailer application shall be made immediately to the department upon a form furnished by the department upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act when the tractor or trailer is of equal or lower classication than that originally registered or upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the tractor or trailer be properly registered in a higher classification

(c) The application shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number in the case of tractors the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer in the case of trailers the gross weight of the chassis and body as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the tractor or trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same

(d) When a transfer of registration is made the owner shall be given a transfer registration card and new registration number if transfer is made to another classification

(e) When a transfer of registration is made after a vehicle has been registered for the succeeding year and the transfer application has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year the transfer fee provided in this act shall not be required

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 209 Expiration of Registration—All registrations shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but registration cards for the succeeding year may at the option of their holders be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

ARTICLE III

REGISTRATION PLATES

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Section 301 Registration Plates to be Furnished by Department

(a) The department shall furnish to every owner whose tractor or trailor has been registered and for each registration issued to a dealer one (1) registration plate

(b) Every registration plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number assigned to the vehicle and to the owner thereof also the name of the Commonwealth which may be abbreviated and the year number for which it is issued and any other identification the department may deem necessary The required letters and numerals on such plates shall not be more than five (5) inches in height

(c) The registration plate shall be kept reasonably clean and shall not be defaced in any manner and shall be displayed conspicuously on the front or rear of the tractor and on the rear of the trailer in such a way that they may be easily read

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 302 Use of Dealer's Registration Plates—Registration plate issued under dealer's registration may be used on any tractor or trailer owned by such dealer and operated by such dealer or the employe of such dealer when such tractor or trailer is used (a) in the tractor or trailer business of such dealer (b) for testing tractors or trailers in the possession of such dealer (c) for demonstrating tractors or trailers in the possession of such dealer and such tractors and trailers may be operated by a prospective purchaser when licensed as an operator and when accompanied by the dealer or an employe of such dealer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 303 Use of Registration Plates Restricted—(a) No person shall operate a tractor of trailor under any other registration plates than that of its own registration

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs

of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 304 Lost or Defaced Registration Plates—(a) In the event of the loss of registration plate or if a plate becomes so defaced that the numbers thereon are illegible it shall be the duty of the owner of the tractor or trailor for which the same were issued to apply to the department for new registration plate within forty-eight (48) hours of his discoverey of the loss or defacement of such plate

(b) Applications for such replacements shall be made upon a form furnished by the department on which shall be set forth the loss defacement or destruction of such plate and be accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths Thereupon the department shall cancel the original registration and shall replace the original plate with plate of number other than that originally issued also a correct registration card

(c) Upon the receipt of new registration plate it shall be the duty of the owner to immediately return to the department for cancellation the old registration plate unless lost or destroyed

(d) No owner or operator of a tractor or trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that registration plate is missing if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new plate was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 305 Transfer of Registration Plate—(a) Upon the transfer of ownership or destruction of any tractor or trailer the owner shall remove the registration plate therefrom

(b) In the event of the transfer of registration plate to a tractor or trailer of the same classification as that originally registered the owner shall be assigned the registration plate previously issued to him unless such registration plate has been lost or destroyed

(c) If transfer of registration plate is from one tractor or trailer classification to another tractor or trailer classification the owner shall be issued a new registration plate Upon receipt of new registration plate the original registration plate shall be returned to the department immediately for cancellation unless such registration plate has been destroyed or lost

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) or (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 306 Temporary Use of Registration Plate Pending Transfer of Registration—After the transfer of registration plate from a tractor or trailer to another tractor or trailer owned by the same owner the owner or operator shall not for a period of twenty (20) days be subject to a fine for the operation of the latter tractor or trailer without the proper transfer registration card provided he shall have made application to the department as required in this act for transfer of the registration and provided he shall upon prosecution make an affidavit or testify under oath to that effect

Section 307 Illegal Transfer of Registration Plate—No person shall give or lend tractor or trailer or dealer's registration plate to another

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 308 Return of Dealer's Registration Plate—Registration plate or plates and registration card or cards issued in the dealer's class shall be returned to the department for cancellation when the dealer discontinues tractor or trailer business

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 309 Expiration of Registration Plates—(a) All registration plates shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but the registration plate for the succeeding year may at the option of the owner be used on and after December fifteen of the current year

(b) No tractor or trailer shall be operated on any highway after December thirty-first with registration plates for the previous year nor without registration plate on claim by the owner or operator that registration plate for the current year has been applied for but not received

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE IV

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Section 401 Operators Must be Licensed—No person except those expressly exempted under this act shall operate any tractor upon a highway in this Commonwealth unless such person upon application has been licensed or authorized to operate tractors under the laws of this Commonwealth or is licensed as an operator under the provisions of this Act

Penalties—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 402 Persons Exempt from License—(a) Every person in the service of the Federal Government when furnished with a driver's permit and when operating an official tractor in such service shall be exempt from operator's license under this act

(b) Every person operating a tractor not required to have registration under this act shall be exempt from operator's license under this act

Section 403 Persons Not to be Licensed—The secretary may in his discretion refuse to issue an operator's license to any applicant because of lack of physical or mental ability or of prior improper conduct in the operation of a motor same were issued to to apply to the department for new regis- vehicle or tractor or who is under the age of sixteen (16) years

Section 404 Application for Operator's License—(a) The department upon receiving from any person sixteen (16) years of age or over an application for an operator's license may in its discretion issue such license entitling the applicant while having such license in his possession to operate a tractor upon the highways

(b) Application for operator's license shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths on a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall state the name age sex actual or bona fide address of the applicant together with any other information the secretary may desire

Section 405 Examination of Operators—The secretary may at his discretion require any licensed operator or applicant for

an operator's license under the provisions of this act to submit to an examination to determine the ability and fitness of such operator or applicant

Section 406 Register of Operators—(a) The department shall file each application for operator's license and index same by name and number and maintain suitable records of all licenses issued also a record of all licenses which have been suspended

(b) The secretary may cause the applications for operators' licenses and records in connection therewith to be destroyed two (2) years after the year for which issued

Section 407 Operator's License Cards—(a) The department shall issue to every person licensed as an operator an operator's license card

(b) Every such operator's license card shall bear thereon the operator's license number the name residence address and such other such information as may be required also a space for the signature of the licensee

Section 408 Duplicate License Cards—(a) In the event that an operator's license card issued under the provisions of this act shall be lost or destroyed or become illegible the person to whom the same was issued shall obtain a duplicate thereof upon application to the department and upon payment of the fee provided in this act

(b) No operator of a tractor shall be subject to a fine for the reason that an operator's license card is lost if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within a period of twenty (20) days preceeding and that application for duplicate operator's license card was made within forty-eight (48) hours of discovery of same

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 409 License to be Signed and Carried—(a) Every person licensed as an operator shall write his usual signature with pen and ink in the space provided for that purpose on the operator's license card issued to the operator immediately upon receipt of such card

(b) The operator shall have such operator's license card in his immediate possession at all times when operating a tractor

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 410 Expiration of Operator's License—All operators' licenses shall expire on the last day of February of each year unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but operators' licenses for the succeeding year may at the option of their owners be used on and after February fifteenth of the current year

Section 411 Suspension of License—(a) The secretary may suspend the license of any operator with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative for (1) lack of physical or mental ability or improper conduct in operating a tractor or (2) when check submitted in payment of fees is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) No person whose license to operate a tractor has been suspended shall operate a tractor on the highways during the period of such suspension

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 412 Right to Appeal to Court from Suspension—Any person whose operator's license has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of operator's license under the provisions of this act

Section 413 New Operator's License after Suspension—Any person whose operator's license is suspended under the provisions of this act shall not be entitled to apply for or receive any new operator's license until suspension is lifted by the secretary

Section 414 Owner Liable for Negligence of Certain Minors—Every owner of a tractor causing or permitting a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to operate a tractor upon a highway and any person who knowingly gives or furnishes a tractor to a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years shall be jointly and severally liable with such minor for any damages caused by the negligence of such minor in operating such tractor

Section 415 Violation of License Provisions—It shall be unlawful for any person to commit any of the following acts

(a) To display or cause or permit to be displayed or to have in possession any operator's license knowing the same to be fictitious or to have been cancelled revoked suspended or altered

(b) To lend to or knowingly permit the use of by one not entitled thereto any operator's license issued to the person so lending or permitting the use thereof

(c) To display or to represent as one's own any operator's license not issued to the person so displaying the same

(d) To fail or refuse to surrender to the department upon demand any operator's license or registration card or registration plate which has been suspended or cancelled as provided in this act

(e) To make use of or operate any tractor without the knowledge or consent of the owner or custodian thereof

(f) To operate a tractor while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic drug or permit any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug to operate any tractor owned by him or in his custody or control

(g) To operate any tractor upon the highways of this Commonwealth after operator's license is suspended or revoked

(h) To operate any tractor upon the highways of this Commonwealth after its registration has been suspended by the secretary

(i) To use a false or fictitious name or give a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly make a false statement or knowingly conceal a material fact or otherwise commit a fraud in any application

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) (b) (c) or (d) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (e) (f) (g) (h) or (i) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 416 Unlawful to Permit Violations of Act—No person shall authorize or permit a tractor owned by him or under his control to be operated by any person who has no legal right to do so or in violation of any of the provisions of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 417 Counties and Municipalities Liable for Negligence of Their Employes—Every county city borough incorporated town or township within this Commonwealth employing any person shall be jointly and severally liable with such person for any damages caused by the negligence of such person while operating a tractor upon a highway in the course of their employment

Section 418 Rights of Operators on Highways—Operators of tractors shall have the same rights upon the highways as the drivers of other vehicles and no highway open to other

vehicles shall be closed to tractors except as otherwise provided in this act

ARTICLE V.

FEES

Section 501 Tractors
Section 502 Trailers
Section 503 Dealers
Section 504 Metal Tires
Section 505 Reduction of Registration Fees in Certain Cases
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Section 512 Exemptions From Fees
Section 513 No Other Taxes or Fees to be Imposed
Section 514 Motor License Fund

Section 501 Tractors—The fee for the annual registration of a tractor of the first class shall be five ($5) dollars and for the annual registration of a tractor of the second class shall be fifty ($50) dollars

Section 502 Trailers—Trailers whether equipped with pneumatic cushion rubber or solid rubber tires shall be divided into seven (7) classes and the fee for annual registration of such trailers in each of the respective classes based on the gross weight of chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Weight of Trailer in Pounds	Fee
A	Less than 1000	$ 5.00
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	8.00
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	15.00
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	25.00
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	30.00
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	45.00
G	6000 and over	75.00

Section 503 Dealers—The fee shall be twenty-five ($25) dollars for the first annual registration and two ($2) dollars for each additional annual registration issued to persons registered as dealer in tractors or trailers

Section 504 Metal Tires—The fee for annual registration of any trailer equipped with metal tires shall be double the regular fee for a trailer

Section 505 Reduction of Registration Fees in Certain Cases—The fee for registration of a tractor or trailer when registration is issued on or after August first shall be one-half (½) of the fee for annual registration Provided That the fee for registration of any tractor or trailer when registration is issued on or after November first shall be one-fourth (¼) of the fee for annual registration herein specified

Section 506 Operator's Licenses Duplicate Registration of Operator's License Card—(a) The fee for issuing an operator's license shall be two ($2) dollars

(b) The fee for a duplicate operator's license card or duplicate registration card shall be fifty (50) cents

Section 507 Replacement of Registration Plates The fee for replaced tractor trailer or dealer's registration plate shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 508 Transferring Registration—The fee for transfer of registration shall be two ($2) dollars when tractor or trailer is of equal or less horse power or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of a fee of two ($2) dollars and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the tractor or trailer be properly registerable in a higher classification

Section 509 Certified Copies of Records—The fee for a certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 510 Uncollectible Checks—Whenever any check issued in payment of any fee or for any other purpose shall be returned to the department as uncollectible the secretary shall charge a fee of five ($5) dollars plus all protest fees to the person presenting such check to him to cover the cost of its collection

Section 511 Special Hauling Permits—The fee for a special hauling permit shall be five ($5) dollars payable to the authorities issuing such permit

Section 512 Exemptions From Fees—(a) No fee shall be charged for the registration of tractors and trailers owned and used by (a) The Federal Government (b) any state other than Pennsylvania which issue registrations to this Commonwealth without charge (c) the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (d) any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of the Commonwealth (e) hospital or any duly authorized volunteer fire force but all such vehicles except those owned and used by the Federal Government shall be registered and shall display registration plates as this act provides for privately owned tractors and trailers

(b) No fee shall be charged for operator's licenses issued to employes of this Commonwealth engaged in the operation of tractors owned by this commonwealth

(c) No fee shall be required for replacement or substitution of registration card registration plate or operator's license when satisfactory proof is furnished the secretary of loss of same in the mails

(d) No fee shall be charged for certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record furnished to Federal state county or municipial authorities

(e) No fee shall be charged for special hauling permits issued to this Commonwealth or any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth

(f) No fee shall be required for transfer of registration for the succeeding year when such transfer has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year

Section 513 No other Taxes or Fees to be Imposed—The fees herein set forth shall be in lieu of any other fees or taxes to be imposed by this Commonwealth or any sub-division thereof and no city borough incorporated town township or county shall require or collect any registration or operator's license fee or tax for any tractor trailer or license from any operator thereof

Section 514 Motor License Fund—The department shall collect all fees payable under this act and all other monies received in connection with the administration of this act and transmit them to the State Treasury where they shall be kept in the "Motor License Fund" separate and from all other monies in the State Treasury

ARTICLE VI.

EQUIPMENT SIZE AND WEIGHT

Section 601 Lights
Section 602 Cleats Guide Bands et cetera
Section 603 Spark Arresters and Fire Prevention
Section 604 Red Light Visible From in Front of Tractor or Trailer
Section 605 Brakes
Section 606 Limitations
Section 607 Size of Vehicles and Load
Section 608 Weight of Tractor Trailer and Load
Section 609 Officers May Weigh Tractors and Trailers
Section 610 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight
Section 611 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways
Section 612 Regulating Weight of Tractors and Trailers on Bridges

Section 601 Lights—(a) Every tractor upon a highway within this Commonwealth during the period from one (1) hour after sunset to one (1) hour before sunrise and at any other time when there is not sufficient light to render clearly discernible any person on the highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead shall be equipped with two (2) headlamps and no less at the front of and on opposite sides of the tractor and shall also carry at the rear a lamp which exhibits a red light plainly visible to the rear except that tractors of the first class may display a white light in front and a white or red light in the rear

(b) Every trailer attached to a tractor shall during the time specified in sub-section (a) of this section exhibit a white or red light to the rear of said trailer

(c) Whenever a tractor or trailer is parked or stopped upon a highway whether attended or unattended during the time

when lights are required by this act it shall display a white light in front and a white or red light in rear visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front and to the rear of such tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsecton (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of two ($2) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than one (1) day

Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 602 Wheels Cleats Guide Bands et cetra—(a) A steam tractor shall not be operated upon any highway equipped with cleats less than one (1) inch in width at the surface at the point of contact with the highway nor more than two (2) inches in height all other tractors shall not be operated upon highways equipped with cleats less than three-eighths (⅜) inch in width or more than one-half (½) inch in width at the surface at the point of contact with the highway or more than two (2) inches in height The front or guiding wheels shall be equipped with guide bands not less than two (2) inches in width nor more than one and one-half (1½) inches in height

(b) The drivers or driving wheels of all tractors of the second class may be smooth-faced or with flat cleats not less than two and one-half (2½) inches wide at point of contact with the highway and not over two (2) inches high When placed diagonally across the entire face of the driver or when placed in two (2) sections similar to the letter "V" the cleats shall not be spaced over nine (9) inches apart from the center to center measured at right angles to the cleats When the cleats are placed on the drivers in two (2) sections known as the standard type of cleat they shall not be spaced over fifteen (15) inches apart from center to center measured at right angles to the cleats

(c) No boltheads nuts or rivet heads shall be allowed to project either on the guide wheels or on the drivers and ice picks or spuds projecting beyond the cleats shall be prohibited except on roads which are not macadamized or paved

(d) The caterpillar or crawler type of tractors may be operated with such modifications as the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth may prescribe with cleats at right angles to the axis of the machine five (5) or more cleats to be in road contact at the same time The height of cleats must not be more than two (2) inches and the base width not less than two and one-half (2½) inches and the point of contact with the highway to have either a flat surface equal to the base with rounded edges or a rounded surface with a radius of not less than one-half (½) inch

The provisions of this act as to cleats and guide bands shall not apply to any tractor of the first class in use in this Commonwealth prior to January first one thousand nine hundred twenty

Provided however That if upon examination of any tractor requiring registration or exempt from registration under this act it is found that it is doing unusual damage in the opinion of the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth the secretary shall have power to compel such alterations as to him may seem expedient

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 603 Spark Arresters and Fire Prevention—(a) No steam tractor shall be operated within three hundred (300) feet of any building unless such tractor is equipped with an efficient spark arrester

(b) No steam tractor using wood for fuel shall be operated unless said tractor be equipped with a bonnet spark arrester having an oval top of number ten (10) mesh twenty-two (22) gauge wire and sides composed of number six (6) mesh sixteen (16) gauge wire

(c) Every steam tractor shall at all times carry and be equipped with proper fire extinguishers

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 604 Red Light Visible from in Front of Tractor or Trailer—No person shall operate or move any tractor or trailer upon a public highway with a red light displayed on the front thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 605 Brakes—Every tractor when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with brakes adequate to control the movement of and to stop and to hold such vehicle All such brakes shall be maintained in good working order

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 606 Limitations—The regulations prescribed by this act or made by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth in pursuance of its provisions shall not permit the owner or operator of any tractor to use the highway in an unusual or unreasonable manner and shall not exempt the owners or operators of such tractors from indictment for nuisance or prevent the granting of injunctions against unusual or unreasonable use of the highways of the Commonwealth Nor shall these regulations relieve the owner or operator of any tractor from liability for damages to the highways by reason of the careless negligent reckless or wanton operation of such tractor

Section 607 Size of Vehicles and Load—(a) No tractor shall exceed a total maximum width including any load thereon of one hundred and ten (110) inches

(b) No trailer except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum width including load thereon of ninety-six (96) inches except that the limitations as to size of trailers in this act shall not apply to such vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk

(c) No tractor or trailer except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum length including load thereon of three hundred and ninety-six (396) inches and no combination of vehicles coupled together shall exceed a total maximum length of eight-five (85) feet

1 No tractor of the second class shall be operated upon any highway drawing or having attached thereto more than one (1) other vehicle

2 The draw-bar or other connection between a tractor or trailer shall not exceed fifteen (15) feet in length from tractor to the trailer Whenever the connection consists of a chain rope bar or cable there shall be displayed upon such connection a flag not less than twelve (12) inches both in length and width

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 608 Weight of Tractor Trailer and Load—(a) Tractors shall not be operated or moved upon any highway with gross weight in excess of twenty-eight thousand (28,000) pounds

(b) The width of tires on the wheels of tractors or trailers shall be sufficient so that including the load on the tractor or trailer the weight shall not be in excess of eight hundred (800) pounds on any wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on each wheel

(c) Trailers shall not be operated or moved upon any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	2000
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	6000
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	10000
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	16000

E.....4000 and over but less than 5000 20000
F.....5000 and over but less than 6000 24000
G.....6000 and over 26000

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 609 Officers May Weigh Tractors and Trailers—Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority having reason to believe that the weight of a tractor or trailer and it or its load is unlawful is authorized to weigh the same either by means of portable or stationery scales or may require that such vehicle be driven to the nearest stationery scales in the event that such scales are within a distance of two (2) miles The peace officer may then require the operator to unload immediately such portion of the load as may be necessary to decrease the gross weight of such vehicle to the maximum gross weight specified in this act except as herein provided for special hauling permits and further provided That no arrests shall be made in cases where the maximum gross weights provided in this act are not exceeded by more than ten (10) per centum thereof

Penalty—Any person refusing to unload excess weight when so ordered shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereto shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 610 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities in their respective jurisdictions may at their discretion upon application in writing accompanied by the fee provided in this act and good cause being shown therefor issue a special permit in writing authorizing the applicant to operate or move a tractor or trailer of a size and weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the authorities granting the permit are responsible Every such permit shall be issued for a single trip and shall designate the route to be traversed and contain any other conditions or restrictions deemed necessary by the authorities granting such permit Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any peace officer or person having collision with the tractor or trailer

Penalty—Any person operating or moving a tractor or trailer and its load of a size or weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act without first having obtained a permit or permits so to do shall upon summary conviction before a magis- default of the pay- ten (10) days

Section 611 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities may by ordinance or resolution or ruling impose such reasonable restrictions as may be necessary to prevent extraordinary damage to the roads by reason of hauling when the roads are soft because of weather conditions

(b) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities enacting or making any such ordinance or resolution or rule shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained signs designating the provisions of the ordinance or resolution or rule and the ordinance resolution or rule shall not be effective or unless such signs are erected and maintained

Section 612 Regulating Weight of Tractors and Trailers on Bridges—Where any bridge causeway or viaduct owned or maintained whether owned in whole or in part by this Commonwealth or local authorities other than interstate bridges as now provided by law shall have a sign properly posted in a conspicious place at the entrance thereto stating the gross maximum weight permitted thereon it shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any such bridge causeway or viaduct any tractor or trailer which together with its load shall be of greater gross maximum weight than is mentioned in such sign Provided however That restriction as to maximum weight mentioned in such signs shall not apply for a period exceeding one (1) year from the date of posting of such signs unless a further extension of time is authorized by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE VII.

ENFORCEMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Section 701 Information for Arrest
Section 702 Proceedings by Information and Warrant
Section 703 Arrests on View
Section 704 Appeals Waiving Hearings
Section 705 Record of Magistrates
Section 706 Report of Convictions
Section 707 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures
Section 708 Civil Actions for Damages
Section 709 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendant
Section 710 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen
Section 711 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence
Section 712 Powers of Local Authorities

Section 701 Information for Arrest — (a) Information charging violations of any of the provisions of this act except in cases where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor shall be brought within fifteen (15) days after the commission of the alleged offense and not thereafter except that where an information is filed against a person prima facie guilty of an offense and it subsequently appears that a person other than the person named in the information was the offender an information may be filed against such other person within fifteen (15) days after his or her identity shall be discovered

(b) Prosecutions for offenses defined in this act except as otherwise herein provided shall be brought under this act and not under any local ordinance rule or regulation

(c) Prosecutions brought under any local ordinance rule or regulation which are based on a violation for which there is a specific penalty provided in this act shall be deemed and considered as having been brought under this act

Section 702 Proceedings by Information and Warrant—(a) Summary proceedings under this act or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereinafter provided shall be commenced by the filing of information which information must be filed in the name of the Commonwealth and within the period of seven (7) days after information has been lodged the magistrate shall send by registered mail to the person charged at the address shown by the records of the department at a notice in writing of the filing of information together with a copy thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice

1 If the person named in the information shall not voluntarily appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice a warrant shall then issue and may be served by a peace officer having authority to serve warrants

If the person charged cannot be served within such county then the magistrate shall deputize a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county wherein the person charged resides or may be found to serve such warrant

2 The peace officer serving such warrant shall take the defendant before the nearest available magistrate of the county in which the defendant is found who shall take bail either for the defendant's appearance before the magistrate who issued the warrant or for his appearance for trial in the proper court if a summary hearing is waived

Section 703 Arrests on View or With Warrant—(a) Peace officers may arrest when in uniform and displaying a badge or other sign of authority upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person and such officers shall forthwith make and file with the magistrate before whom the arrested person is taken an affaidavit setting forth in detail the offense complained of and a tonce furnish a copy thereof to the person arrested When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or

contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law

(b) If the defendant is unable to give bail as provided in this act for a hearing or for his appearance at court the magistrate shall accept as bail any article of sufficient value or if the defendant is the owner thereof shall hold in custody the tractor or trailer found in his possession and the court or magistrate after the trial of the defendant or when bail according to law has been given shall make such order as to the disposition of such tractor or trailer or other articles accepted as bail as shall seem just and proper

Section 704 Appeals Waiving Hearings—(a) Any person convicted in any summary proceeding under this act shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction

(b) Any person accused of violating any of the provisions of this act other than felonies and misdemeanors may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the fine that might be imposed for appearance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter sessions or in the county court or in the municipal court in counties wherein such courts exist and thereupon the magistrate shall within fifteen (15) days return the complaint or information to the said court

(c) If any person so accused having waived a hearing shall be convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be sentenced to pay the fine and costs of prosecution or suffer imprisonment provided in this act for the offense committed If on a waived hearing or the hearing of an appeal from a summary conviction under this act before a judge of such court the defendant is found not guilty and the defendant has paid a fine or fine and costs following the sentence on which he appealed such court upon acquitting the defendant shall decree a restitution of the said fine or fine and cost to the defendant and upon presentation of a certified copy of said decree it shal lbe the duty of the magistrate or other officer to whom such fine or fine and costs has been paid to refund same to the defendant provided however if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the treasurer of any city or borough or incorporated town or township such treasurer shall refund to the defendant such fine upon presentation of claim and further provided That if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the department refund shall be made as provided in article VIII of this act In no case where the defendant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be imposed upon him in a summary proceeding under this act whether heard by a magistrate or a court of record

Section 705 Record of Magistrates—(a) Every magistrate shall in every case arising under this act make and preserve for the period of three (3) years an exact record of the proceedings showing the sub-section section and article violated and the fine and costs paid or bail forfeited if any which shall be subject to inspection on demand of any person

(b) The magistrate shall deliver without charge to the defendant a receipt showing in detail the sub-section section and article violated and the amount of fine and costs imposed upon and paid by him

(c) The magistrate shall not divide fees of his office with any peace officer or with any person who may assist in making an arrest or furnish evidence in any case arising under this act

Penalty—Any magistrate violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 706 Report of Convictions—(a) Every magistrate in this Commonwealth shall keep a full report of every case in which a person is charged with a violation of any provision of this act and in the event that such person is convicted or that his bail is forfeited an abstract of such report shall be sent upon request of the secretary by the magistrate to the department but this requirement shall not be deemed to make such court a court of record Abstracts required by this section shall be made upon forms prepared by the department and shall include all necessary information as to the parties to the case the nature of the offense the date of hearing the plea the judgment the amount of the fine or forfeiture and other information deemed necessary and every such abstract shall be certified by the magistrate as a trust abstract of the record of the court

(b) The clerk of any court of record of this Commonwealth shall within ten (10) days after final judgment of conviction of any of the provisions of this act send to the department a certified copy of such judgment of conviction Certified copies of the judgment shall also be forwarded to the department upon conviction of any person of manslaughter or other felony or misdemeanor in the commission of which a tractor was used

(c) The department may keep such records in its office for at least five (5) years and they shall be open to the inspection of any person during reasonable business hours

Penalty—Failure refusal or neglect to comply with any of the provisions of this section shall constitute misconduct in office and shall be ground for removal therefrom

Section 707 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures—(a) All fines and penalties collected under the provisions of this act for violations of the same and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the department and transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund" except those collected for violations of the provisions as to weight which fines and penalties and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the treasurer of the city borough incorporated town or township wherein the violation occurred to be used by such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

(b) Sworn statements of all fines and penalties so collected and all bail forfeited shall also be made by the magistrate and other officer imposing or receiving the same to the secretary upon forms furnished by the department such reports shall be made monthly not later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month

Penalty—Any magistrate or other officer who shall fail to make such monthly reports and returns or either of them shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 708 Civil Actions for Damages—All civil actions for damages arising from the use and operation of any tractor or trailer may at the discretion of the plaintiff be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace in the county wherein the alleged damages were sustained if the plaintiff has had said damages repaired and shall produce a receipted bill for the same properly sworn to by the party making such repairs or his agent or said action may be brought in the court of common pleas of said county and service of process in either case may be made by the sheriff of the county where the suit is brought deputizing the sheriff of the county wherein the defendant or his registered agent resides or where services may be had upon him under the existing laws of this Commonwealth in like manner as process may now be served in the proper county No action involving more than one hundred ($100) dollars shall be brough before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace

Section 709 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendant—Whenever any peace officer whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this act shall in good faith bring suit for any violation for such provisions and for any reason shall fail to recover the costs of record such costs shall be a charge upon the proper county as shall such costs in the event the defendant is imprisoned for failure to pay fine or costs or both and shall be audited and paid as are costs of like character in said county

Section 710 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen—Such employes of the Commonwealth as are designated as "State Highway Patrolmen" are hereby declared to be peace officers and are hereby given police power and authority throughout the Commonwealth to arrest on view when in uniform without writ rule order or process any person violating any of the provisions of this act

Section 711 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence—Any certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any records books papers documents and rulings of the Secretary when certified by the Secretary under the seal of the department shall be acceptable as evidence in the courts of this Commonwealth with the same force and effect as the originals in all cases where such original records book

papers documents and rulings would be admitted in evidence

Section 712 Powers of Local Authorities—Local authorities except as expressly authorized by this act shall have no power or authority to enact enforce or maintain any ordinance rule or regulation contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of this act

ARTICLE VIII

REFUNDS

Section 801 Refunds

Section 801 Refunds All monies erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunded by the Board of Finance and Revenue as provided by law

ARTICLE IX

REPEALS

Section 901 Acts of Assembly Repealed
Section 902 Documents
Section 903 Pending Proceedings
Section 904 Rules and Regulations
Section 905 Current Registration and Licenses to Remain Effective
Section 906 Time of Taking Effect

Section 901 Acts of Assembly Repealed—The following act and parts of acts of Assembly are hereby repealed as particularly set forth

(a) The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-six) entitled "An act relating to and regulating self-propelled traction-engines or tractors equipped with metal-tired wheels and vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the State Highway Department prohibiting the operation of any traction-engine or tractor by any person when intoxicated forbidding the passage of any law laying a tax upon or requiring the registration of traction-engines or tractors by any county city borough or incorporated town or township establishing the rights of traction-engines or tractors upon the public highways with relation to other vehicles providing for their equipment and for the width of tires to be used upon vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions of damages arising therefrom providing for arrest and for service of process and proceedings for violation of this act prescribing the penalties therefor and provisions for the disposition of fees and fines imposed thereunder" absolutely

(b) The act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen entitled 'An act relating to and regulating self-propelled traction-engines or tractors equipped with metal-tired wheels and vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the State Highway Department prohibiting the operation of any traction-engine or tractor by any person when intoxicated forbidding the passage of any law laying a tax upon or requiring the registration of traction engines or tractors by any county city borough or incorporated town or township establishing the rights of traction-engines or tractors upon the public highways with relation to other vehicles providing for their equipmnet and for the width of tires to be used upon vehicles trailing after or propelled by traction-engines or tractors regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions of damages arising therefrom providing for arrest and for service of process and proceedings for violation of this act prescribing the penalties therefor and providing for the disposition of fees and fines imposed thereunder'" absolutely

(c) The act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act making unlawful the operation in certain cases of steam traction and steam portable engines unless equipped with spark arresters and providing penalties for violation of its provisions" in so far as it relates to tractors

And all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed

Section 902 Documents—All books papers records and other documents or equipment relating to the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act which are now in the possession of the Department of Highways shall be delivered to the Department of Revenue on the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All questions arising under this section shall be referred to and determined by the Governor

Section 903 Pending Proceedings—All applications petitions hearings and other proceedings pending before the Department of Highways and all prosecutions and other legal proceedings of every kind and description and investigations begun by the said department and not completed when this act becomes effective shall continue and remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the passage of this act and may be completed before or by the Department of Revenue

Section 904 Rules and Regulations—All orders rules and regulations made by the Department of Highways in connection with the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act shall remain in full force and effect until revoked or modified by the Department of Revenue

Section 905 Current Registrations and Licenses to Remain Effective—All registrations and operators' licenses issued by the Department of Highways for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall remain in full force and effect for the period for which issued unless and until revoked or suspended by the Department of Revenue for any reason for which the Department of Revenue is by this act given the power to revoke or suspend and for the purpose of revoking or suspending registrations and operators' licenses heretofore issued by the Department of Highways the Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the same power which it has under this act to revoke or suspend

Section 906 Time of Taking Effect—The provisions of this act except as hereinafter provided shall be in force on July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine provided however that Section five hundred two of Article V shall be in full force and effect from and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and provided further That all operators' licenses for the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall be good and valid until the first day of March one thousand nine hundred thirty

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1345, (House Bill No. 155), as follows:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the

purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealer and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combusion engines for the generation of power and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naptha benzol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm co-partnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company

Section 2 (a) All dealers and consumers of liquid fuels in this Commonwealth engaged in such business at the time this act shall go into effect within thirty days thereafter and all dealers and consumers of liquid fuels engaging in the transaction of such business hereafter shall prior to the commencement of such business file a duly acknowledged certificate with the department on a form prescribed prepared and furnished by it which shall set forth the name under which such dealer or consumer transacts or intends to transact such business and the place of business of such dealer or consumer if such dealer or consumer has more than one place of business within the State the address of the principal place of business within the State and if such dealer or consumer is a firm copartnership or association the name and addresses of such persons constituting such firm copartnership or association and if a corporation the names and addresses of the principal officers thereof and any other information demanded by the department for the purposes of identification shall be set forth in said certificate Within ten (10) days of the approval of the certificate by the department it shall be the duty of such dealer or consumer to file a surety bond in an amount to be approved by the department said surety bond not to be less than five hundred dollars ($500) conditioned upon the faithful compliance by the dealer or consumer with the terms of this act No dealer or consumer as herein defined shall after the date this act becomes effective sell or use any liquid fuels until such certificate and surety bond are filed as required by this act nor shall any dealer or consumer engaging in such business subsequent to the passage of this act commence such business without first filing such certificate and surety bond with the department

(b) Upon approval of the certificate and surety bond provided for in this section the department shall issue to each such dealer or consumer a "Liquid Fuel Permit" for each place of business of such dealer or consumer within this Commonwealth Such liquid fuel permits shall not be assignable and shall be valid only for the dealer or consumer in whose name issued and for the transaction of business at the place designated therein Such permit shall be conspicuously exposed by such dealer or consumer at each place of business maintained by him or it within the Commonwealth and shall authorize such dealer or consumer to engage in the sale or use of liquid fuels upon condition that the tax imposed by this act is assessed collected reported and paid into the State Treasury as provided by this act

It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels at any place within this Commonwealth without having on public display a liquid fuel permit issued to him for such place

(c) All liquid fuel permits issued under the provisions of this act shall be revocable by the department upon proof furnished to it that the holder thereof has violated any of the provisions of this act or has failed or neglected to collect or report or pay over any tax imposed by this act It shall be unlawful for any dealer or consumer to sell or use liquid fuels after any such permit has been revoked

(d) Whenever any dealer or consumer in liquid fuels shall cease to sell or use liquid fuels within this Commonwealth he shall within ten days thereafter notify the department thereof make the report required by this act pay the tax due as shown by said report and surrender to the department all liquid fuel permits in his possession

(e) Nothing contained in this section shall require the filing of any certificate or the necessity of having a liquid fuel permit for such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State

(f) Any dealer or consumer or any of his or its agents or employes violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days nor more than six months

Section 3 Until the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirty a State tax of four cents a gallon or fraction thereof and thereafter a State tax of three cents a gallon or fraction thereof is hereby imposed and assessed upon all liquid fuels sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale and upon all liquid fuels used within this Commonwealth by consumers when no such tax has been collected thereon by a dealer except liquid fuels purchased received or consumed by the United States or any department board commission or other agency or instrumentality thereof Duplicate taxation is not intended but the tax hereby imposed shall apply to all liquid fuels sold or used within this Commonwealth excepting such transactions in interstate or foreign commerce as are not within the taxing power of the State The taxes on sales hereby provided for shall be collected by the dealers selling liquid fuels to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale and the taxes on use shall be paid by the consumers who use liquid fuels upon which the tax has not been paid and said taxes shall be paid by such dealers and consumers in the State Treasury through the Department in the manner and within the times herein specified For and in consideration of the filing of the certificate and bond as provided for in this act and for and in consideration of the collection of the aforesaid tax the dealer shall be allowed a commission of one per centum on the first two thousand dollars or any part thereof tax paid by him to the Department of Revenue and one-half of one per centum on all sums in excess thereof The commission may be deducted by the dealer in making his payments The commission shall be allowed only on the aggregate of the tax paid by a dealer for any period whether his report of sales and use of liquid fuels are combined in one report or made in separate reports

Section 4 For the purpose of ascertaining the amount of the taxes it shall be the duty of every such dealer and consumer to transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the department a statement or return under oath or affirmation of the liquid fuels purchased sold or used by such dealer or consumer during the preceding month such statement or return shall show the number of gallons of such liquid fuels purchased sold or used within the State during the month for which it is made from the respective places of business of such dealer or consumer with such further information as the department shall prescribe Upon such statement or return the Department shall make a determination of the taxes owing to the Commonwealth If any such dealer or consumer shall neglect or refuse to make such statement or return as herein required and provided an additional ten

per centum of the amount of the tax shall be added by the Department and collected as hereinafter provided and in addition thereto the liquid fuel permit of such dealer may be revoked by the department

Section 5 Every dealer and consumer at the time of making every statement or return required by section four of this act shall pay to the State Treasurer through the Department the amount of the tax due for the month covered by such statement or return The amount of all taxes determined by the Department under the provisions of this act shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date they are due and payable until paid

Section 6 The department or any agent appointed in writing by it is hereby authorized to examine the books and papers of any dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act to verify the accuracy of any statement or return made under the provisions of this act but any information gained by the department or any other person as a result of the reports investigations or verifications herein required to be made shall be confidential and any person divulging such information shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars or to undergo imprisonment of not more than one year or both

Section 7 (a) If the department is not satisfied with the statement or return made by any dealer or consumer under the provisions of this act it is hereby authorized and empowered to determine the tax due by such dealer or consumer based upon the facts contained in the statement or return or upon any information within its possession or that shall come into its possession

(b) Promptly after the date of any such determination the department shall send by mail or otherwise a copy thereof to such dealer or consumer Within thirty days after the date of any such determination such dealer or consumer may file with the department a petition for redetermination of such tax Every petition for redetermination shall fully state the reasons which the petitioner believes entitle him to such redetermination It shall be the duty of the department within three months after the date of any determination to dispose of any petition for redtermination Notice of the action taken upon any petition for a redetermination shall be given to the petitioner promptly after the date of redetermination by the department

(c) Within thirty days after notice by the department of the action taken on any petition for redetermination filed with it the dealer or consumer against whom such determination was made may by petition request the Board of Finance and Revenue to review such action Every petition for review filed hereunder shall state specifically the reasons upon which the petitioner relies The petition shall be supported by affidavit that it is not made for the purpose of delay and that the facts therein set forth are true If the petitioner be a limited partnership association or corporation the affidavit must be made by one of the principal officers thereof The Board of Finance and Revenue shall dispose of such petitions filed with it within ninety days after they have been received and in the event of the failure of said Board to dispose of any such petition within ninety days the department's action taken upon the petition for redetermination shall be deemed sustained The Board of Finance and Revenue may sustain the action taken on the petition for redetermination or it may redetermine the tax due upon such basis as it shall deem according to law and equity Notice of the action of the Board of Finance and Revenue shall be given by mail or otherwise to the department and to the petitioner

(d) The department or any person aggrieved by the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or by the Board's failure to act upon his petition for review within ninety days may within sixty days thereafter appeal to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County from the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue or from the decision of the department as the case may be in the manner now or hereafter provided by law for appeals in the case of tax settlements

(e) If any dealer or consumer or other person shall neglect or refuse to make the statement or return required by this act the department may estimate the tax due by such dealer or consumer and determine the amount due by him for taxes interest and penalty thereon as prescribed herein from which determination there shall be no right of review or appeal

Section 8 Any dealer or consumer who shall fail neglect or refuse to make the statements or returns or pay the tax as herein prescribed or who shall refuse to permit the department or any agent appointed by it in writing to examine the books or papers of any such dealer or consumer pertaining to the business made taxable by this act or who makes any incomplete false or fraudulent statement or return hereunder or who does or who attempts to do anything whatsoever to avoid a full disclosure of the amount of such business done or liquid fuels consumed or to avoid the payment of the whole or any part of the tax due shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars or in the case of an individual or the officer or employe charged with the duty of making such statement or return for a person firm copartnership association or corporation to undergo imprisonment not exceeding six months or both Such penalty shall be in addition to the penalty imposed by any other section of this act

Section 9 The tax imposed by this act shall be paid by the person firm copartnership association or corporation purchasing liquid fuels from dealers for his own use and not for the purpose of resale or by the person firm copartnership association or corporation using liquid fuels upon which no tax has been collected by a dealer and every person firm copartnership association or corporation required by this act to collect the tax herein specified shall state the amount of such tax separately from the price of the said liquid fuels on all liquid fuel price display signs sales or delivery slips bills statements et cetera and any one failing so to state separately the tax and price of the said liquid fuels shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

Section 10 One-half cent per gallon of the tax collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund of the State Treasury and shall on the first days of August and February of each year be paid to the respective counties in which the tax was collected and shall be used by them only for the purpose of the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of roads and highways and for the payment of the interest on county bonds issued for road purposes The remainder of the net tax and penalties imposed by the provisions of this act and all interest earned on deposits of the Liquid Fuels Tax Fund shall be paid into the motor license fund and such moneys so paid into said fund are hereby specifically appropriated for the same purposes for which moneys in the said motor license fund are appropriated by law

Section 11 Every person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which sells liquid fuels for the purpose of resale within the Commonwealth shall transmit to the department on or before the fifteenth day of each month upon a form prescribed prepared and furnished by the Department a statement under oath or affirmation of the number of gallons of liquid fuels sold within the State for the purpose of resale during the preceding month such statement shall show the name and business address including the county of each dealer to whom such liquid fuels were sold and the amount sold to each such dealer Such name and address shall correspond to the name and address of the dealer as shown in his or its liquid fuel permit It shall be unlawful for any person firm copartnership association or corporation to fail neglect or refuse to make the statement required by this act and any person firm copartnership or corporation failing or neglecting to file such statement shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than three hundred dollars and in default of the payment of such fine and costs shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than thirty days or more than six months

Section 12 All taxes collected by a dealer or consumer for the Commonwealth shall be considered a public account after being determined in the manner herein prescribed and as such shall be a lien upon the franchises or property both real and personal of any dealer or consumer after the same has been entered and indexed of record by the prothonotary of the

county where the dealer's or consumer's franchises or property are situated

Section 13 Whenever such taxes interest or penalties forming the public account herein provided are not paid within thirty days from the date of their determination if no petition for redetermination has been filed or from the date of redetermination if no petition for review has been filed or within ninety days from the date of the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for review or the expiration of the Board's time for acting upon such petition if no appeal has been filed and in all cases of judicial sales assignments or bankruptcies the department shall call upon the Department of Justice to collect such account The Department of Justice may employ counsel to collect the same and such counsel is authorized and directed to add to the amount of such public account and to collect from such dealer or consumer for the purpose of compensating such counsel so employed a counsel's commission based on the amount of such collection at the following rates viz ten per centum on the first five hundred dollars ($500.00) any part thereof five per centum on the next two thousand dollars ($2,000) any part thereof two and one-half per centum on any amount in excess of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) which commissions together with costs shall be paid by such dealer or consumer and shall have the same priority and lien as such public account provided for herein Provided That the Department of Justice shall not so employ counsel as aforesaid until it shall have first given ten days' notice in writing of its intention so to do to such dealer or consumer

Section 14 (a) Whenever such taxes interest or penalties forming the public account herein provided are not paid within thirty days from the date of their determination if no petition for redetermination has been filed or from the date of redetermination if no petition for review has been filed or within ninety days from the date of the decision of the Board of Finance and Revenue upon a petition for review or the expiration of said Board's time for acting upon such petition if no appeal has been filed and if such public account has become a lien upon the goods chattels and effects of such dealer or consumer in the manner provided in Section twelve hereof the department may issue its warrant to the sheriff or any constable of the appropriate county or to any deputy of the department authorizing and directing such officer to collect such public account by distraint and sale in the manner hereinafter provided of the goods chattels and effects including liquid fuels of such dealer or consumer

(b) When distraint is made as aforesaid the officer making the same shall make or cause to be made an account of the goods chattels and effects distrained a copy of which signed by the officer making such distraint shall be left with the owner or possessor of such property or at his dwelling or usual place of business with some person of suitable age and discretion if any such can be found with a note of the sum demanded and the time and place of sale and the said officer shall forthwith cause notice of the time and place of the said sale to be publicly posted upon the premises in which the distrained goods chattels or effects are located and in two other public places in the vicinity The time of sale shall not be less than ten nor more than twenty days from the date of such notification to the owner or possessor of the property The place proposed for the sale shall not be more than five miles distant from the place of making such distraint Said sale may be adjourned from time to time by said officer if he deems it advisable but not for a time to exceed in all thirty days It shall be unlawful for the owner or possessor to remove molest or otherwise intermeddle with the goods chattles and effects so distrained at any time after such distraint and before the sale thereof It shall be the duty of the officer making such distraint to prevent any such removal molestation or intermeddling therewith and if necessary he may appoint a watchman or watchmen therefor

(c) Upon any sale under a distraint as hereinabove provided the amount of the public account herein provided for shall after deducting the expenses of such sale and all prior liens upon the property be first appropriated out of the proceeds thereof to the payment of the said public account in any case of distraint for the payment of a public account herein provided for the goods chattels or effects so distrained shall be restored to the owner or possessor if prior to the sale payment of the amount due is made to the proper officer charged with the collection together with his fees and the other charges Upon any such sale the bill of sale of the officer conducting the same shall be prima facie evidence of the right of the officer to make such sale and conclusive of the regularity of his proceedings in making the sale and shall transfer to the purchaser all right title and interest of such delinquent in and to the property sold

(d) The sheriff constable or other officer making the collection by distraint shall promptly pay into the State Treasury through the department all taxes interest and penalties collected by him and for his services he shall receive a fee or commission based on the amount of such collection at the following rates viz five per cent on the first one thousand dollars and two per cent on any amount in excess of one thousand dollars which commission together with the compensation of watchmen if any and other expenses of the sale shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the goods chattels and effects distrainted before the amount of the said public account is paid therefrom

Section 15 All fines imposed under this act shall be payable by the magistrate alderman justice of the peace or officer collecting the same to the State Treasurer through the Department The State Treasurer shall deposit the same to the credit of the motor license fund

Section 16 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of its provisions shall be held unconstitutional the decision of the court shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions of the act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included herein

Section 17 This act shall become effective the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed from and after the effective date of this act

PROVIDED However that nothing herein contained shall be taken or construed to relieve any person or persons firms copartnerships associations or corporations whatsoever from the payment of any tax interest or penalty due or owing to the Commonwealth under any laws in force at the time this Act becomes effective

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, it seems to me that the members of this Senate, in considering this bill, ought to take into consideration what it means in regard to the road program. A great deal of the road program hinges upon this money, because the revenues that come out of the licenses—the drivers' licenses, the buses and trucks,—their applications are in for this year,—now, if this comes in the first of June of this year and lasts until the first of June next year it allows this program to come in at this time and go on continuously.

I do not need to say to the members of this Senate that, since the passage of the Sproul bill, back in 1911, this bill as a revenue bill is more important, more far reaching, and means more to the State than any other bill that has ever been passed, as far as our roads are concerned.

I believe that with the passage of this bill and the other bills that have gone on ahead Pennsylvania will have a system of roads that will far surpass that of any other State.

Personally, as I said last night, my people are opposed to an increase of the gasoline tax; but when they understand fully just what this program means, it seems to me that we can sacrifice the cost that it will be to us by paying the gasoline tax for a single year. And I am going to justify myself to my constituents, if I can justify myself, by pointing out the great good it will mean to our Commonwealth.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I should like to interrogate the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, certainly.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, can the Senator from Potter County, Mr. Baldwin, inform the Senate what the gasoline tax rates are in the States surrounding Pennsylvania? Does Ohio have a four-cent tax?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, Ohio just put a four-cent tax on.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, what is the tax in New York?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, New York has a two-cent tax.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, what is the tax in New Jersey?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I am not certain. I think it is three cents,—two or three cents. But the gentlemen of this Senate have got to consider that if we take off all of our revenues,—last night we took off a pretty liberal slice,—the rank and file of our people bear this and they believe that when your big corporations are having hard times it simply comes on to them. I believe that this bill ought to pass this Senate unanimously.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, when the various bond issues were before the public last fall we were told by those in authority that we did not need the bond issues, we had plenty of money to meet the necessities,—which, of course, include a liberal road program. The bond issues were all defeated, and there is arising a conflict as to how much money is needed. Many of the people are in doubt as to whether there will be a superabundance of funds, an excess, or whether there will finally have to be a curtailment of some of the appropriations that have been made, from time to time, to maintain the institutions supported by the Commonwealth.

The people of my district are very much opposed to the four-cent gasoline tax. Perhaps they were misled last fall by the statement that there would be plenty of money to meet the necessities of the situation. Be that as it may, they are strongly opposed to their members supporting the four-cent gasoline measure. I could not be true to the people I represent, by supporting this bill.

It was well known by the powers that be that very probably the coal tax would be repealed; and last night the session of this Senate passed the repeal of the coal tax, keeping the pledge made to the anthracite regions. Now we are asked to deputiate the pledges made to the people of the Commonwealth last fall on the eve of the general election, by increasing the gasoline tax. No one in the State was told, to my knowledge, that when the Legislature would convene in 1929 there would be a raise in the gas tax, a raise in the fees charged for motor licenses or truck licenses; but here we are confronted by this bill, and we are asked to pass it. My people do not want it, and I am opposed to this measure.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, there has been some objection among my constituents about this particular charge, but I am inclined to believe that is largely due to their feeling that every time a tax has been imposed supposedly temporarily it has been made permanent; and from the very beginning of this discussion I have been most anxious, if there were any increase in taxation, to see it so written that it would automatically repeal itself before the next Legislature meets. And that has been done in this bill. It is not a question for the next Legislature to repeal it. It will be repealed before that time.

Furthermore, I feel that the argument the Senator from Potter, Mr. Baldwin, advanced should be convincing and reasonable to our constituents at home. We need this temporary revenue in order to go ahead with the work now, until the increase of the license fees shall become effective; and when that has been done, then there is no further reason for this four-cent tax. I shall support this measure.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, the greatest evidence that we need roads is the program which was placed on our desks this morning. Although I come from a city I find we receive less than they do in the country districts. The program laid out by the Highway Department for the next biennium is probably "the most comprehensive and constructive road program since the enactment of the original Sproul Highway Law in 1911.'

"This sevenfold program, prepared from the point of view of the Commonwealth as a whole, 'not in the interest of any one, two or three counties but in the interest of sixty-seven counties of the State,' may be summarized briefly as follows:

"1. All State Highways in boroughs to be constructed, reconstructed and maintained one hundred per cent. by the State.

"2. All State-aid roads and all concrete township reward roads heretofore or hereafter improved to be maintained one hundred per cent. by the State as part of the State Highway System.

"3. All roads heretofore or hereafter improved under township reward to be maintained fifty per cent. by the State up to a maximum cost to the State of $100.00 per mile.

"4. Adoption of a definite program for the completion of the State Highway System with allocation of $23,500,000.00, out of current revenues, to counties throughout the State on the basis of unimproved State Highway mileage within maximum and minimum limits of $600,000.00 and $200,000.00 respectively. The amount allocated leaves a necessary surplus for emergency projects.

"5. Appropriation of $2,000,000.00 for construction, reconstruction and maintenance of city streets on State Highway Routes in cities of the second class, second class A, and third class.

"6. Appropriation of $750,000.00 for city streets on State Highway routes in cities of the first class.

"7. All county bridges on State Highways to be taken over by the State as of June 1, 1930, with the provision that such bridges may be taken over prior to June 1, 1930.

"8. Appropriation of $6,000,000.00 for township reward with new classification of townships for allocation purposes, requiring poorer townships to pay only twenty-five per cent. of the cost instead of fifty per cent., as at present. This sum of $6,000,000.00 is double the appropriation of two years ago, and is subject to still further increase if finances should permit.

It is unnecessary to say here that good roads do pay dividends in the form of cheaper operating costs and saving of time for the motorist, in the increase of property values, in the employment of labor and materials, in very real farm relief, in the betterment of life in country communities. It is well to point out that of the $13,000,000.00 which, it is estimated this program will cost in the next two years, $10,000,000.00 is directly returnable in relief from the burden of taxation where the burden is heaviest, i. e., in local taxation in every city, county, town, township and borough of the Commonwealth."

I think that, with such an argument, every member, if he insists on having good roads, should vote for this bill; and I ask the Senate to take this into consideration, regardless of what they hear from home or abroad. It is necessary to have money to build roads,—just as necessary as it is to have money to build your homes.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, this four-cent gasoline tax in another illustration of the hit or miss system that we have in Pennsylvania; and we complain about it but we know in the bottom of our hearts that the real solution is a State income tax,—and everybody hates the sound of "income tax"; but if you will look upon the statute books you will see so many taxes that are not paid-one of the most glaring examples, and not very much attention has been paid to it, is that of the private banks. They are supposed to pay one per cent. gross on all their revenues. You can imagine the private banks in Philadelphia, doing the enormous business they do, if they were to pay one per cent. on their income, or receipts, as recorded in the Audtior General's office,— it would be well over $16,000 a year; it would be $60,000 or $70,000. Now, that is an example of a very unjust tax,—so unfair it is not paid.

Any temporary tax is a confession of weakness. If the Senate will allow me just to read these figures for a minute: In 1915 the Commonwealth's budget for the biennium was $62,000,000, —in 1915. The budget for this biennium is $317,000,000. According to the Budget Officer, for the next biennium it will be $340,000,000. No wonder you have to scratch gravel to get more money to pay the budget—what the budget calls for. But this is a very clumsy, awkward device, and also temporary.

I have not made up my mind,—the Secretary of the Senate was impolite enough to ask me yesterday how I was going to vote. I told him I did not know that it was any of his business, it was my business. But I have not made up my mind yet. Senator Williamson says he will vote "no", and Senator Weingartner says he will vote "aye"; between Williamson and Weingartner I have to make up my mind.

Mr. SALUS. On the question of this gasoline tax I imagine there are a good many people in Philadelphia who do not want to pay this extra one cent, and their reason is that the major part of this money, possibly 60% of it, will be paid by those living in and around Philadelphia; yet I feel that all our Philadelphia Senators are going to vote for this bill, and we are going to vote for it on the theory of brotherhood, we are going to vote for it on the theory that we are going to help our country members to get new roads in order that they may enjoy life and drive to and from their homes and enjoy themselves and get all the benefits of life.

And maybe, when we get those new roads, and get them in good shape, when you come down to Philadelphia some night on a hunting trip some of the gunmen in Philadelphia may hold up some of our country members that would not support the firearms bill; and we are particularly anxious to give them the opportunity to go to Philadelphia or Pittsburgh or some other of our big cities—that have been praying for the passage of this firearms bill—so that they may get down there and get a dose of really what is coming to them.

But in the meantime we in Philadelphia are going to be big enought and sportsmen enough—and I feel that is where the real sportsmanship, is concerned, because we are going to take the worst of it in order to see that our country members are going to be happy and contented; and I am going to ask them to stay home after seven o'clock at night.

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I think when my constituents in West Philadelphia, who have been writing me in great volume to oppose this bill, realize that we are going to have $750,000 for the State Highways running through Philadelphia—and knowing that the Lincoln Highway runs through my district, as it would run; and when they come to a realization that probably I am one of the poorest in the district, and am going to pay the extra tax on my automobiles,—because I konw that it will only amount in the year, on each machine, to probably four or five dollars, which means if we cannot afford it we must stay home from a pleasure ride only one Sunday,—but the spending of this vast amount of money which the State anticipates spending on the improvement of roads,—I thing, as a matter of fact, if someone would scientifically analyze it, it would mean that instead of this extra tax for a year being an expense to them—and especially because we could get increased use of our tires, increased mileage from our gas and longer life to our machines by having many of these ruts and bumps we have to go over taken out of our highways;—I think when the citizens of Pennsylvania come to a realization of what this means, this very strenuous opposition will go up in smoke. I am therefore going to vote for this bill.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—36.

Apple,	Coyne,	Heaton,	Painter,
Aron,	Daix,	Homsher,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Salus,
Baumer,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Scott,
Bell,	Fay,	Krause,	Sordoni,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Kunkle,	Weingartner,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Woodward,
Brandt,	Gelder,	McClure,	Schantz,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCreesin,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Clark,			

NAYS—12.

Earnest,	Huffman,	Mansfield,	Roberts,
Einstein,	Lamb,	Norton,	Sones,
Harris,	Lanius,	Prince,	Williamson,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1780, (House Bill No. 891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, The American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BALDWIN, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1058, (House Bill No. 1103), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class, and granting power to employ a solicitor.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1353, (House Bill No. 1663), on final passage, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

and Senate Bill No. 1490, (House Bill No. 1942), on final passage, entitled;

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

are not up form the printer and will go over in their order.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed consideration of Senate Bill No. 1492, (House Bill No. 1955), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the admission of patients thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine to be used for the development of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives as follows

For remodeling a house or houses now on the site of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives so as to provide suitable quarters for keeping patients for constructing a kitchen and dining room for providing a water supply for sewers and sewage disposal and for the erection of a unit of permanent cell blocks and of an administrative rotunda Providing that on the completion of one or more buildings suitable for the care of patients the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives shall admit patients to said institution by commitment or transfer as provided by law

As much of the appropriation hereby made as may be necessary shall be used for paying architects' fees and the expenses of supervision

Section 2 The plans and specifications for the construction work to be done hereunder shall be prepared under the supervision of the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives subject to the approval of the Department of Welfare as provided by law and the specifications shall in addition thereto be subject to the approval of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 3 Contracts for construction work shall be awarded as provided by law

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1520, (House Bill No. 1483), on final passage, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine gun and providing penalties

Senate Bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), on final passage, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same, authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1605, (House Bill No. 701), on final passage, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation.

and Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), on final passage, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Com-

mission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation

are not up for the printer and will go over in their order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 714, entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1179, (House Bill No. 1548), as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and thirty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 432 That the Commonwealth offers rewards as hereinafter provided for the construction and improvement of township roads and the erection and construction of township bridges in townships of the second class

All moneys appropriated by the General Assembly from time to time for the payment of rewards to townships of the second class for the construction and improvement of roads and the erection and construction of bridges as in this act provided for shall be apportioned by the State Highway Department among the several counties of this Commonwealth in proportion to the number of miles of township road located in townships of the second class

Of the amount apportioned to the several counties for road and bridge improvements in townships of the second class under the provisions of this act not more than fifteen per centum of such appropriation shall be available in any one township in any such county In case any excess in the amount set aside for use in the county remains after all applications from the several townships in the county have been considered the township commissioner of the State Highway Department shall apportion the excess amount among the townships that have applications on file for State reward for more than fifteen per centum Should there be not enough applications from all the townships in a county filed on or before May first of the year next succeeding the appropriation to exhaust the apportionment of the State reward fund made to a county then such excess shall be apportioned to the counties where the applications of the townships call for the expenditure of a sum greater than the amount originally apportioned to said county

Application for rewards for the construction and improvement of township roads and for the erection and construction of township bridges shall be made by the township supervisors of townships of the second class on or before May first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and annually thereafter to the State Highway Department on blanks furnished by the department which applications shall be considered by the department by counties in their order of filing [Applications not granted by reason of a lack of funds shall be given first consideration in the following year or years]

Section 2 That section four hundred and thirty-four of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating threreto'" and by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 434 Rewards shall be granted by the Commonwealth for improvements only of the character herein set forth namely (a) For grading and draining a section of road not less than one-fourth mile in length (b) for graveling or cindering or using other approved materials on a graded and drained road not less than one-fourth mile in legth (c) for constructing a road with broken stone base and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved material top not less than one-fourth mile in length (d) for macadamizing a road or for constructing a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (e) for a bituminous surface-treated macadam road (f) for constructing a concrete brick or bituminous surface road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (g) for the erection and construction of bridges o fthree feet or more span constructed of concrete or stone or a combination of concrete and stone or a steel bridge with a floor constructed of a material approved by the State Highway Department (h) for the purpose and installation of culvert and drain pipes

Whenever any improvements of the character mentioned in this section have been completed by any township of the second class the State will pay as a reward the following sums namely One—[For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars per mile Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) fifty (50) per

centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars per mile Seven—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and no tin any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provision for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payments are made under clause one] For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road [between ten thousand] or more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000) per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ($2,250) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in sub-division (c) in case of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000) per mile Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars ($4,000) per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvements not to exceed six thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($6,750) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed nine thousand ($9,000) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile Seven—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) in case of townships having an assessed valuaion of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed seventy-five (75) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors and in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed and in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed

The aforesaid rewards shall be based upon roads the improvements of which shall be of a width of not less than sixteen feet and corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of reward shall be made as the width of the improved road is reduced or increased but no reward shall be paid for the improvement of any road of less width than twelve feet

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—45.

Apple,	Davis,	Homsher,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Huffman,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Hunsicker,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kitts,	Salus,
Bell,	Fay,	Krause,	Scott,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Kunkle,	Sones,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lamb,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Lanius,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Williamson,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—3.

Leslie,	McClure,	Painter,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1314, (House Bill No. 982), entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the expenses of the commission.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,

Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1323, (House Bill No. 1741), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 954), entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety; by regulating the erection, alteraton, repair, use, occupancy, maintenance, sanitation, and condemnation of dwellings, two-family dwellings, rooming houses and tenements; by regulating the use, maintenance, and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same, the adjoining buildings, and all vacant land, in cities of the first class; providing for their inspection, the abatement of nuisances, the vacating of uninhabitable houses, and the filing of liens; creating a Division of Housing, and Sanitation; and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof, and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1366, (House Bill No. 1862), entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 849) and its supplements and amendments.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1488, (House Bill No. 1939), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three, four, five, six and seven and section eight as amended, of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-five), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers, bill brokers, note brokers, exchange brokers, merchandise brokers, factors or commission merchants, real estate brokers and agents, and pawnbrokers, whether persons, firms, limited partnerships, or corporations; providing for the collection of said tax, and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers incuding all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil

Senate Bill No. 1564, (House Bill No. 261), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1565, (House Bill No. 1531), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth including fixtures and heating or sewerage system and service lines for the accommodation of buildings

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of ten million seven hundred ninety-four thousand two hundred and one dollars ($10,794,201) or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and for altering adding to or replacing existing buildings of the Commonwealth namely

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for State normal schools State Teachers' colleges and Cheyney Training School for Teachers the sum of two million dollars ($2,000,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Pennsylvania the sum of one hundred ten thousand dollars ($110,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School at Scotland Pennsylvania the sum of sixty thousand dollars ($60,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School Lancaster Pennsylvania the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

For the erection and construction of armories and stables for the use of the Pennsylvania National Guard the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additons and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Department of Military Affairs at Mount Gretna the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the State sanatoria operated by the Department of Health the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000)

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the State Hospital for Crippled Children at Elizabethtown operated by the Department of Health the sum of one hundred thirteen thousand six hundred dollars ($113,600)

DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE

For the erection and construction of inexpensive emergency buildings to relieve overcrowding in certain Hospitals for the Insane and Penal and Correctional Institutions and Schools for Mental Defectives or Epileptics the sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000)

HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Allentown State Hospital at Allentown Pennsylvania the sum of three hundred and thirty thousand dollars ($330,000)

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Danville State Hospital at Danville Pennsylvania the sum of three hundred and seventeen thousand dollars ($317,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Farview State Hospital at Farview Pennsylvania the sum of five hundred and ten thousand dollars ($510,000)

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Harrisburg State Hospital at Harrisburg Pennsylvania the sum of six hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($615,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Norristown State Hospital at Norristown Pennsylvania the sum of one hundred forty-nine thousand two hundred and fifty-one dollars ($149,251)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Torrance State Hospital Torrance Pennsylvania the sum of four hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars ($485,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Warren State Hospital at Warren Pennsylvania the sum of two hundred and ninety-four thousand dollars ($294,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Wernersville State Hospital at Wernersville Pennsylvania the sum of three hundred twenty thousand three hundred and fifty dollars ($320,350)

PENAL AND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon Pennsylvania the sum of two hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars ($265,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alteration to or replacement of existing buildings for the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza Pennsylvania the sum of two hundred and sixty-four thousand dollars ($264,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing build-

ings for the State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy Pennsylvania the sum of two hundred and seventy-six thousand dollars ($276,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Western State Penitentiary at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania the sum of ninety-five thousand dollars ($95,000)

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the New Western State Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania the sum of three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars ($345,000)

INSTITUTIONS FOR FEEBLE-MINDED OR EPILEPTICS.

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacements of existing buildings for the Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics at Selinsgrove Pennsylvania the sum of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($650,000)

For the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Laurelton State Village at Laurelton Pennsylvania the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven thousand dollars ($157,000)

For the erection and construction and new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Pennhurst State School at Pennhurst Pennsylvania the sum of six hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars ($685,000)

For the acquisition of land the erection and construction of new buildings and for additions and alterations to or replacement of existing buildings for the Polk State School at Polk Pennsylvania the sum of two hundred and three thousand dollars ($203,000)

Section 2 Within the meaning of this act the erection and construction of or alterations or additions to buildings shall include the installation or replacement of fittings and equipment affixed to buildings and the installation or replacement of heating systems and heating sewage and other service lines within the grounds of an institution armory or stable for the accommodation of a building or buildings and the foregoing appropriations be and the same are hereby made available for the payment of the cost of necessary plans specifications supervision and architectural and engineering fees required for the purpose of this act

Section 3 The amount of any of the foregoing appropriations to be expended for or upon any building or buildings for any particular institution shall be determined with the approval of the Governor by the Department of Property and Supplies and the department of the State Government operating such institution or with which the board of trustees of such institution is connected and the amount of the foregoing appropriation to be expended for any particular armory or stable shall be determined with the approval of the Governor by the Department of Property and Supplies and the Armory Board of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 4 In the event of condemnation the Department of Property and Supplies shall follow the procedure prescribed by law for the condemnation of lands by said department

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1536, (House Bill No. 1522), as follows:

BILL ON THIRD READING.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of four hundred and sixty-seven thousand one hundred dollars ($467,100) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania namely

Department of Agriculture

For the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Department of Agriculture at Summerdale Cumberland county Pennsylvania the sum of nine thousand one hundred dollars ($9,100)

Department of Forests and Waters

For the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for State parks the sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000)

Department of Military Affairs

For the purchase or condemnation of additional lands to be used for or in connection with the State Military Reservation at Mount Gretna the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000) but no expenditures shall be made for this purpose except with the approval of the Department of Military Affairs and the State Military Reservation Commission

Department of Welfare

For the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)

For the purpose of condemnation of additional lands now owned by Joseph P Moran and Myrtle M Moran adjacent to the site of the New Eastern State Penitentiary at Gratersford the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500)

Section 2 The amount of the foregoing appropriation for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for State parks to be expended for land for any particular park shall be determined with the approval of the Governor by the Department of Property and Supplies and the Department of Forests and Waters

Section 3 In the event of condemnation the Department of Property and Supplies shall follow the procedure prescribed by law for the condemnation of lands by said department

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fry,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed

the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1612, (House Bill No. 1357), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing said Commission and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1621, (House Bill No. 1930), entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1636, (House Bill No. 136), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1637, (House Bill No. 150), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1640, (House Bill No. 436), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home at Chester Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1642, (House Bill No. 799), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1643, (House Bill No. 808), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1653, (House Bill No. 1750), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes"; by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation as active trustee, agent, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title, line 11, page 1 by striking out the word "by"; also by striking out all of lines 12 to 19, on page 1; also page 2, by striking out all of lines 1 to 10, inclusive.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1654, (House Bill No. 1902), entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm; providing for the confinement, detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs, who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth, and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment; providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes; and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare, the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1657, (House Bill No. 1958), entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1670, (House Bill No. 2098), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Huffman,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1671, (House Bill No. 156), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,

Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1675, (House Bill No. 992), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1679, (House Bill No. 1444), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1682, (House Bill No. 1623), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) is hereby specifically appropriated out of the Motor License Fund for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the construction and improvement of State-aid highways in accordance with existing law and in locations to be finally approved by the Secretary of Highways

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate bill No. 1683, (House Bill No. 1812), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1686, (House Bill No. 1861), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the [State Aeronautics Commission] Department of Property and Supplies.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1689, (House Bill No. 1891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1696, (House Bill No. 2063), entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman	Lanius,	Sones,

Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1699, (House Bill No. 2104), entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1700, (House Bill No. 2126), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. McCROSSIN from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 681, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. GELDER from the Committee on Forestry reported as committed, Senate Resolution No. 20, as follows:

Relating to cooporeation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the Federal Government in making affective the provisions ofthe Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Act

Whereas The Congress of the United States passed on February eleventh one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and President Coolidge approved on February eighteenth the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill thereby adopting for the entire nation a policy for the conservation of wild-life supported initially by an appropriation of eight million dollars on a ten-year program

Whereas the policy thus made national has long been notable by reason of its successful development in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the Board of Game Commissioners in wisely administering acts of the General Assembly

Whereas Pennsylvania's representatives in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress gave their full support to the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill and Seth E Gordon former Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners now Conservation Director of the Izaak Walton League of America rendered distinguished service to the cause of Conservation as Secretary of the National Committee on Wild-Life Legislation in definitely committing the Federal Government to the establishment of a system of inviolate refuges at Federal expense therefore be it

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That the Board of Game Commissioners the State Forestry Commission the Department of Forests and Waters the Water and Power Resources Board the Board of Fish Commissioners and any and all other officers departments boards or commissions whose advice consent or cooperation may be necessary or of value are hereby urged to take without delay such steps as are advisable in conjunction with the United States Department of Agriculture the Bureau of the Biological Survey or President Herbert Hoover or others to make effective as soon as possible the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Act in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39, which requires concurrent resolutions reported from Committee to lie over one day be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the resolution just reported from the Committee on Forestry.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RECESS.

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to.

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 414 WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), that Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATES TO THE AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two Senators, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two Members of the House, as delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, to attend the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association. Said delegates shall make a full report of any action taken by said association to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty one. The expenses of the said delegates in attending said meeting, shall be paid from an item inserted in the General Appropriation Law.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 174.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 174, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 440.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 440, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 977.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 977, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 763.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 763, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1620

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1620, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Polk State School

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 934.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 998.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 998 entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1482.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1482, entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth and city streets connecting such highways suspending in part State-aid highway construction providing for State-aid to certain cities and for the assessment of benefits in certain cases against owners of real estate in such cities authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1434.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1434, entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by arcraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 395.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 395, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1140.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all or part of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 671.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 671, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 176.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 176, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital, Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 266.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 266, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 267.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 267, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldier' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania (replacements improvements and new construction) and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 314.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 314, entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement, construction, reconstruction and / or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A, and third class; and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement; and making an appropriation.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 897.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred

in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 897, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough ,or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent fected by provisions of this act "providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1970.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1970, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including he appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof dowment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions an dthe substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foregn fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1432.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1432, entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and impsoing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and imposing penalties

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1881.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1881, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1086.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1086, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five, and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1746.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1746, entitled·

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1171.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1171, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 789.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1237.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1237, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the County of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 113.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended; allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 757.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 757 entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 520.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE NON-CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 520.

He also informed the Senate that the House has non-concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon the amendments made by the Senate to the foregoing bill and that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (if such committee shall be appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. QUIGLEY, SONES and SCOTT be said committee on the part of the Senate, and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1229, (House Bill No. 1674), entitled:

An Act to amend route numbers five hundred and forty-six, five hundred and forty-nine, five hundred and fifty-six, five hundred and sixty-four, five hundred and sixty-seven, five hundred and seventy-one, five hundred and seventy-two, five hundred and seventy-three, five hundred and seventy-five, five hundred and seventy-eight, five hundred and eighty, five hundred and eighty-one, five hundred and eighty-two, five hundred and eighty-three, five hundred and eighty-four, five hundred and eighty-six, five hundred and eighty-nine, five hundred and ninety-one, five hundred and ninety-four, five hundred and ninety-five, five hundred and ninety-eight, five hundred and ninety-nine, six hundred and two, six hundred and three, six hundred and eight, six hundred and nine, six hundred and ten, six hundred and eleven, six hundred and fourteen, six hundred and sixteen, six hundred and twenty, six hundred and twenty-one, six hundred and twenty-two,

six hundred and twenty-three, six hundred and twenty-four, six hundred and twenty-seven, six hundred and twenty-eight, six hundred and twenty-nine, six hundred and thirty-one, six hundred and thirty-two, six hundred and thirty-three, six hundred and thirty-four, six hundred and thirty-five, six hundred and thirty-nine, six hundred and forty, six hundred and forty-one, six hundred and forty-four, six hundred and fifty, six hundred and fifty-one, six hundred and fifty-three, six hundred and fifty-six, six hundred and fifty-eight, six hundred and sixty, six hundred and sixty-one, six hundred and sixty-two, six hundred and sixty-three, six hundred and sixty-four, six hundred and sixty-six, six hundred and sixty-nine, six hundred and seventy-one, six hundred and seventy-three, six hundred and seventy-four, six hundred and seventy-five, six hundred and eighty-one, six hundred and ninety-three, six hundred and ninety-four, six hundred and ninety-seven, six hundred and ninety-eight, seven hundred, seven hundred and one, seven hundred and three, seven hundred and five, seven hundred and ten, seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fifteen, seven hundred and seventeen, seven hundred and nineteen, seven hundred and twenty-one, seven hundred and twenty-two, seven hundred and twenty-six, seven hundred and twenty-eight, seven hundred and twenty-nine, seven hundred and thirty, seven hundred and thirty-one, seven hundred and thirty-two, seven hundred and thirty-four, seven hundred and thirty-five, seven hundred and thirty-six, seven hundred and thirty-seven, seven hundred and thirty-eight, seven hundred and thirty-nine, seven hundred and forty-nine, seven hundred and fifty-two, seven hundred and fifty-four, and seven hundred and sixty, of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 490, (House Bill No. 49), entitled:

An Act to amend route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two, route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixty-nine route for hundred and fifty-one route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 192) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An act to amend State Highway routes numbers (fifty-four) one hundred and eighteen as amended, one hundred and seventy as amended, one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or repair the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of proprety, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act".

Also, from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, re-reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), entitled:

An act to amend routes numbers three hundred, three hundred and forty, three hundred and fifty-nine as amended, and three hundred and sixty-one (and sixty-six) of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth".

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT, from the Committee on Finance, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1736, (House Bill No. 1638), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisement in such estates.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), on yesterday's calendar, entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the

manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

was defeated.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I voted "no".

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I voted "no".

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, in order that this may be understood, this bill is going to be amended to the satisfaction of many of the Senators who voted against it; and I think for that reason the motion was made.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, the sponsors of this bill have stated to me that the objectionable feature would be taken out of it. My objection to it was that it gave the Sheriff undue power. It is now proposed to amend this in such a way that I think it will not be objectionable.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I voted "no".

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I voted "no".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 3, lines 20 and 21 by striking out the words [without being considered in default in compliance with the order to destroy the same] and inserting in place thereof the following "with the consent of the court making such order to which a return of such sale shall be made."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1665 (House Bill No. 2061), on second reading, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1665, (House Bill No. 2061), entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

The first section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the owner or operator of motor vehicle or motor vehicles which are operated over any highways in this Commonwealth for the purpose of transporting persons and property for compensation from a point outside the Commonwealth to another point outside the Commonwealth or from a point outside the Commonwealth to a point within the Commonwealth or from a point within this Commonwealth to a point outside this Commonwealth shall annually on or before the first day of March file with the Department of Revenue on forms prescribed and furnished by said department a sworn report setting forth the name and address of such owner or operator the number of motor vehicles so operated within this Commonwealth during the preceding year the number of miles of highway in the Commonwealth over which such motor vehicles have been operated during the last preceding calendar year a copy of the schedule if any on which such motor vehicle were operated and such other such other information as the Department of Revenue may require

The second section of the bill was read as follows:

Section 2 Upon the filing of such sworn report the said owner or operator shall pay to the Department of Revenue an excise on the use of such highway of two cents for each mile so used which excise shall be covered into the State Treasury and the State Treasurer shall thereupon pay the same into the Motor License Fund

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to amend Section 2, page 2, line 10, by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one"; also Section 2, page 2, line 11, by striking out the word "cents" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "cent"

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title section of the bill was read as follows and agreed to.

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none

Mr. KITTS from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1119, (House Bill No. 1521), entitled:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes and persons to secure employment providing for the licensing registration bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth and of said Department and prescribing penalties

RECESS.

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 9 o'clock this evening.

Mr. KUNKLE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed consideration of Senate Bill No. 415, as follows:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants townships or parts of townships or outlying lots of cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That any borough having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants township or part of a township or outlying lots in any township contiguous to any city of the third class whether wholly or partially within the same or different counties may become annexed to any such city of the third class in the following manner

In the case of a borough the borough council may pass an ordinance for such annexation whenever three-fifths of the voters of such borough shall present a petition accompanied with the written consent of a majority in number and interest of property owners of the borough asking for such annexation and in the case of a township or part of a township whenever three-fifths of the voters of such township or part of a township shall present a petition to the council of said city accompanied with the written consent of a majority in number and interest of property owners of such township or part of a township asking for such annexation or if there are no voters residing in a part of a township then whenever three-fifths of the owners in number and interest of property shall present a petition to the council of said city asking for such annexation

Before any such petition is circulated or signed notice thereof shall be given by advertisement once a week for four weeks in two newspapers published in or circulated throughout the territory to be annexed Such notice shall state the purpose of the petition and the date it will be ready for signing All such petitions shall be accompanied by a plot or plots of the territory to be annexed showing all streets and highways municipal improvements and public buildings provided that nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to require any city of the third class to annex any borough township or part of a township

Section 2 Upon presentation to the council of such city of a certified copy of the ordinance in case of a borough or of the petition in the case of a township or part of a township together with the required plots in any case said council of said city may by ordinance annex such borough township or part of a township to the said city and certified copies of the borough and city ordinances and the petition and the plans shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the said county

Section 3 After thirty days from the filing of the said annexation ordinance by the said city council such ordinance and the action of the said city council shall be finally conclusive unless a referendum petition be filed as is provided by the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) its supplements and amendments or unless an appeal therefrom is taken within the said thirty days by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county in which the city is located

If an appeal is taken by any person aggrieved by such annexation ordinance within thirty days of the filing thereof the court shall fix a day for hearing the same Notice shall be given to all parties interested in such manner as the court shall direct After such hearing the court shall decide whether the proceedings are in conformity with this act making an order or decree dismissing the appeal and approving the annexation or sustaining the appeal and dismissing the annexation From any such final order or decree any party in interest aggrieved by such order or decree may have an appeal to the Supreme Court as in other cases Upon final determination and approval of the annexation ordinance by the court of quarter sessions or by the supreme court the annexation shall take effect immediately

Section 4 Upon application by petition signed by a majority or more of the taxable inhabitants accompanied by the written consent of a majority of the property owners in number and interest of any outlots of sections of land in a township containing not more than one hundred acres of land lying adjacent to any city of the third class and being part of the county in which the same is situated and upon application by petition of the council of any such city for the annexation of any out lots or sections of land as aforesaid to the court of quarter sessions of the respective county stating that they desire the same to be annexed to said city the necessity therefor and describing the lots or land to be annexed with a map or draft of the same which petition shall be sworn to by one or more of the petitioners and accompanied by a resolution of the council of said city approving the annexation the said court shall thereupon appoint three viewers who shall be non-residents of the city or of the territory to be annexed to inquire into and investigate the allegations and facts stated in the said petition Notice of the first hearing of the said viewers shall be given to the city and to at least one of the petitioners as the court may direct The said viewers or a majority of them shall make report to said court at its next session after their appointment If they report that they find the statements and facts of said petition to be true and recommend the annexation as prayed for and if no appeal is taken within thirty days therefrom the said court shall thereupon make an order or decree to carry the annexation into effect

If within thirty days after filing of such report any person aggrieved thereby shall take an appeal by petition to the court of quarter sessions setting forth their complaint the court shall fix a day for hearing the same Notice thereof shall be given to all parties interested in such manner as the court shall direct After such hearing the court shall decide whether the proceedings are in conformity with this act and make an order or decree either dismissing the appeal and approving such annexation or sustaining the appeal From any such final order or decree any party in interest aggrieved by such order or decree may have an appeal to the supreme court as in other cases When the court of quarter sessions makes an order to carry such annexation into effect where no appeal is taken and upon final determination and approval of the annexation ordinance by the court of quarter sessions or by the supreme court where an appeal has been taken the said outlots or sections of land shall at once and thereafter be a part of said city as fully as if the same had been originally a part thereof

The viewers herein provided for shall be allowed five dollars per day for each and every day actually spent by them in the performance of their duties together with their actual

necessary expenses The costs of the proceedings in all cases shall be paid by the city

Section 5 Within thirty days from the effective date of any such annexation the city council shall cause a petition to be presented to the court of quarter sessions of the county in which the said city is located praying for the distribution of the annexed territory among the wards of the said city or for the creation of a new ward or wards out of the same as is provided by law and the said court shall in case of the creation of a new ward or wards appoint the election and other officers of the same and name the place or places of holding the first election in the said ward or wards for ward officers and for that purpose may order a special election if said court shall deem the same necessary to be conducted in the manner provided by law for conducting municipal elections The officers elected at such special election shall hold their respective offices until their successors who are hereby required to be elected at the municipal election held on the Tuesday following immediately after the first Monday of November in the odd numbered year next succeeding the same shall be duly qualified

Section 6 All the indebtedness of each borough or township annexed to a contiguous city under the provisions of this act as well as the indebtedness of the city to which the same is annexed shall be paid by the city as enlarged by such annexation and all territory included within the limits of the same shall be liable for the payment of the floating and bonded indebtedness and the interest thereon of all the territory included within such enlarged city and all taxes thereafter levied therefor shall be uniform throughout the territorial limits of such enlarged city

Section 7 All of the public property owned by any borough or township hereinafter annexed to any city of the third class shall become and remain the public property of the said city

Section 8 Where any part of any township is hereinafter annexed to any city of the third class the township officers of that part of the said township not annexed and the city council of the said city shall make a just and proper adjustment and apportionment of all public property owned by the said township at the time of said annexation both real and personal including funds as well as indebtedness if any to and between the said township and the city in making such adjustment and apportionment of the property and indebtedness the township and the city shall be entitled respectively to share in a division of the property and indebtedness in the proportion that the assessed valuation of the land remaining in the township bears to the assessed valuation of the land annexed The adjustment and apportionment as made shall be reduced to writing in proper form and duly executed and acknowledged by the proper officials and filed in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions in the county in which said city is located

Section 9 In case the said council of the said city and the township authorities cannot make such amicable apportionment and adjustment of their property and indebtedness in compliance with this act within six months after any such annexation then in that case the said council or any officer of the said township may present a proper petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county in which the said city is located whereupon the said court shall appoint three disinterested commissioners residents and taxpayers of said county not residing in the said city nor in the said township who after hearing due notice of which shall be given to the city and township interested as the court may direct shall make report to the court making an apportionment and adjustment according to the provisions of this act of all the property as well as indebtedness if any to and between the said city and the said township said report to state the amount if any that shall be due and payable from the city to the township or from the township to the city as well as the amount of indebtedness if any that shall be assumed by the city or township or both of them

Section 10 The aforesaid commissioners shall give the said city and the said township at least five days notice of the filing of their report and unless exceptions are filed thereto by the city or by the township within thirty days after filing thereof the same shall be confirmed by the court absolutely and any sum awarded by said report to the said city or to the said township shall be a legal and valid claim in its favor against the city or township charged therewith and the amount of debt if any apportioned to any city or township shall be a legal and valid claim against such city or township charged therewith and any property real or personal given and adjudged to the city or the township shall become and be the property of the city or the township to whichever one the same is given and adjudged and upon such report being confirmed such claim or indebtedness charged against any city or township may be collected in the same manner as a judgment is collected against any city or township Such commissioners shall be allowed five dollars per day for each day actually spent by them in the performance of their duties together with their actual necessary expenses All costs and expenses of such proceedings shall be apportioned by the court to and between the said city and the said township as it shall deem proper

Section 11 In case exceptions are filed to the report of such commissioners the court shall dispose of the same taking testimony therein if deemed advisable and the decision of the court thereon shall be final and binding on the several cities and townships unless an appeal is taken within thirty days to the Superior or Supreme Court as in other cases

Section 12 In cases in which such cities or townships are situated in two or more counties the court of quarter sessions of the county in which the city is located shall have exclusive jurisdiction over the matter but the same shall be heard by a judge not a resident of either of the judicial districts affected who shall be called to preside specially in the matter and in such case the court shall appoint the commissioners hereinbefore provided for from both or all of such counties

Section 13 The following acts and parts of acts are repealed so far as they relate to annexation to cities of the third class

The act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and thirty-two) entitled "An act for the annexation of any city borough township or part of a township to a contiguous city and providing for the indebtedness of the same"

The act approved the nineteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixteen) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act for the annexation of any city borough township or part of a township to a contiguous city and providing for the indebtedness of the same' approved the twenty-eighth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three providing for percentage of petitioners"

The act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and one) entitled "An act to amend section six of an act entitled 'An act for the annexation of any city borough township or part of a township to a contiguous city and providing for the indebtedness of the same' approved April twenty-eighth one thousand nine hundred and three"

The act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three entitled 'An act for the annexation of any city borough township or part of a township to a contiguous city and providing for the indebtedness of the same, by providing that any city heretofore or hereafter enlarged by any annexation under the terms of said act shall be liable for and shall pay the indebtedness of such city and the territory so annexed and providing for the levying of a uniform tax upon all the territory included within such city as enlarged by such annexation for the payment of such indebtedness"

The following acts and parts of acts are repealed absolutely

The act approved the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-nine) entitled "An act for the annexation of boroughs or townships or parts of townships to adjacent cities"

Article three of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto"

The act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and

forty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections one three and five of article three of an act entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto' approved the twenty-seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen"

The act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-one) entitled "An act to amend section one of article three of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto"

Sections three and four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and ten) entitled "An act to amend and revise an act entitled 'An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto' approved the twenty-seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen enlarging changing modifying and defining certain powers of cities of the third class"

The act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-seven) entitled "An act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships to cities of the third class regulating the proceedings pertaining thereto and repealing inconsistent legislation"

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 31 as follows:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended by the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and fifty-eight) entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties' regulating the age of users of drugs providing for an annual report by public institutions and giving certain powers to inspectors in the Bureau of Drug Control" shall hereby be further amended to read as follows

Section 8 No physician or dentists shall sell dispense administer distribute give or prescribe any of said drugs to any person known to such physician or dentist to be an habitual user of any said drugs unless said drug is prescribed administered dispensed or given for the cure or treatment of some malady other than the drug habit Provided however That if any physician desires to undertake in good faith the cure of the habit of taking or using opium or any of its derivatives in any form such physician may prescribe or dispense opium or its derivatives to a patient provided such opium or its derivatives are prescribed or dispensed in good faith for the purpose of curing such patient of such habit and not merely for the purpose of satisfying a craving for the drug In every such case the physician shall himself make a physical examination of the patient and shall report in writing to the [State] Department of Health the name and address of such patient together with his diagnosis of the case and the amount and nature of the drug prescribed or dispensed in the first treatment When the patient leaves his care such physician shall report in writing to the [State] Department of Health the result of his said treatment

Any person divulging any information contained in any such report except for the purpose of enforcing this act or to a physician who may in the opinion of the [Commissioner] Secretary of Health be entitled to such information for the purpose of enabling him to comply with the provisions of this act shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year or both in the discretion of the court

Provided that it shall be lawful for the Department of Health to advise the Department of Revenue upon its request in writing or not any offender against the laws to the operation of motor vehicles is listed with said Department of Health as an habitual user of narcotic drugs

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, v

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter	Woodward,
Davis			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1033, (House Bill No. 1053), as follows:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars trackless trolley omnibuses bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

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ARTICLE 1

SHORT TITLE AND PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

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Section 101 Short Title Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as "The Vehicle Code"

Section 102 Definitions—The following words and phrases when used in this act shall for the purpose of this act have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this section except in those instances where the context clearly indicates a different meaning

"Approved"—Having been favorably passed upon by the Secretary as suitable for the purpose designed

"Auxiliary Driving Lamp"—A complete road illuminating device in addition to or supplementing the head lamps located upon the front of a motor vehicle

"Bicycle with Motor Attached"—Every vehicle except a motorcycle as herein defined which is self-propelled by an engine not exceeding four (4) horse power

"Business District"—The territory contiguous to a highway when fifty (50) per cent or more of the frontage thereon for a distance of three hundred (300) feet or more is occupied by buildings in use for business

"Chassis"—The chassis of a motor vehicle to be propelled by an internal combustion or steam engine shall consist of an assembly of all essential parts with protective housings ready for operation on the highway including as minimum equipment a set of tires attached to wheels driver's seat including cab front wheel fenders running board or mounting step tool compartment priming coat on all parts to be painted pair of front lamps and one rear lamp license brackets jack and a set of tools commonly used for making adjustments and minor repairs on the highway water oil and fuel

"Clearance Lamp"—A lamp or lamps so arranged to show white or green to the front and red to the rear

"Commercial Motor Vehicle"—Shall include all motor vehicles designed for carrying freight or merchandise Provided however that a motor vehicle originally designed for passenger transportation with a removable box body shall not be deemed a "commercial motor vehicle" for the purpose of this act

"Crosswalk"—That portion of a highway ordinarily included within the prolongation of curb and property lines at intersections or any portion of a highway clearly indicated for pedestrian crossing by lines or other markings on the surface

"Cushion Rubber Tire"—A tire molded on a steel base having a longitudal cavity running circumcerentially at the center line o fthe tire extending from its base with a height of no less than one half the overall standing height of the tire such tires when new being no less than four and one-half (4½) inches high overall including steel base

"Dealer"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the purchase and sale of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and who has an established place of business

"Department"—The Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Emergency Brake"—The means of applying braking effort to at least two (2) wheels on a motor vehicle normally operated by the operator's hand Provided however that where there are two (2) brakes both designed to be operated by the foot the one (1) equipped with a rachet or other device for holding the brake in the applied position shall be considered the "Emergency Brake" and the requirements shall be the same as herein set forth

"Essential Parts"—All integral parts and body parts the removal alteration or substitution of which will tend to conceal the identity or substantially alter the appearance of the vehicle

"Explosives"—Any chemical compound or mechanical mixture that is commonly used or intended for the purpose of producing an explosion that contains any oxidizing and combustible units or other ingredients in such proportions quantities or packing that any ignition by fire by friction by concussion by percussion or by detonator of any part of the compound or mixture may cause such a sudden generation of highly heated gases that the resultant gaseous pressures are capable of producing destructive effects on contiguous objects or of destroying life or limb

"Foreign Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer which shall be brought into this Commonwealth otherwise than in ordinary course of business by or through a manufacturer or dealer and which has not been registered in this Commonwealth

"Gross Weight"—The combined weight of the vehicle or combination of vehicles and its or their maximum allowable load or loads or any fractional parts thereof

"Headlamp"—A complete road illuminating device located upon the front of a motor vehicle the rays from which are projected forward other than a sidelight auxiliary driving lamp searchlight or spot lamp

"Highway"—Every way or place of whatever nature open to the use of the public as a matter of right for purposes of vehicular travel The term "highway" shall not be deemed to include a roadway or driveway upon grounds owned by private persons colleges universities or other institutions

"Intersection"—The area embraced within the prolongation of the lateral curb lines or if none then the lateral boundary lines of two or more highways which join one another at an angle whether or not one such highway crosses the other

"Jobber"—Any person firm corporation or association engaged in the purchase and sale of new motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers and their resale directly to dealers

"Learner's Permit"—A permit issued to any person to learn to operate a motor vehicle or tractor

"Local Authorities"—Every county municipal and other local board or body having authority to adopt local police regulations under the Constitution and laws of this Commonwealth

"Magistrate"—A mayor burgess magistrate alderman justice of the peace or other officer having the powers of a committing magistrate

"Manufacturer"—Every person engaged in the business of manufacturing motor vehicles trailers semi-trailers motors or bodies of such vehicles

"Mechanical Signal"—A movable device operated mechanically or by the driver and so constructed and arranged as to give a cautionary or direction signal to the rear

"Metal Tires"—All tires the surface of which in contract with the highway is wholly or partly of metal or other hard non-resilient material

"Motor Bus"—Shall include all motor vehicles operated for the carriage of passengers for hire by individuals associations copartnerships or corporations required under the laws of this Commonwealth to obtain certificate of public convenience from the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania before engaging in the carriage of passengers for hire or by individuals associations co-partnerships or corporations who or which were engaged in the business of carrying passengers for hire as common carriers prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen

"Motor Cycle"—Every motor vehicle designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground except any such vehicle as may be included within the term "tractor"

"Motor Omnibus"—Shall include all motor vehicles operated for the carriage of passengers for hire by individuals associations co-partnerships or corporations who or which were not engaged in the carriage of passengers for hire as common carriers prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and who or which are not required under the laws of this Commonwealth to obtain from the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certificate of public convenience for the carriage of passengers for hire Provided that this definition shall not include or apply to any motor vehicle operated under contract with any School district of this Commonwealth for part time transportation of school children such motor vehicles to come within the definition under this section within which such motor vehicle would come were it not used or operated for the transportation of school children

"Motor Vehicles"—Every vehicle as herein defined which is self-propelled except tractors power shovels road rollers agricultural machinery and vehicles which move upon or are guided by a track or travel through the air

"New Motor Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle which is not defined as a reconstructed rebuilt or used motor vehicle

"Non-Resident"—Any resident of any state or country who has no regular place of abode or business in this Commonwealth for a period of more than thirty (30) consecutive days in the year except as otherwise provided in Section 409 and Section 603 of this act

"Obscured Registration Plate"—Every registration plate the characters on which are not legible in daylight at a distance of fifty (50) feet from the front or rear of the motor vehicle on the line of the axis of the vehicle on an approximately level stretch of highway

"Operator"—Every person who is in actual physical control of a motor vehicle or tractor upon a highway

"Operator's License"—The license issued to any person to operate a motor vehicle or tractor

"Owner"—A person or persons holding the legal title of a vehicle or in the event a vehicle is the subject of an agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof or other like agreement with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or lessee then such conditional vendee or lessee shall be deemed the owner for the purpose of this act

"Parking"—Every vehicle standing or waiting on any highway not actually engaged in taking up or setting down passengers or merchandise

"Parking Lamp or Clearance Lamp"—A lamp or lamps so arranged to show white or green to the front and red to the rear

"Passenger Seat"—Each sixteen (16) inches of seating capacity in any motor omnibus or motorbus

"Peace Officer"—A sheriff deputy sheriff constable member of the Pennsylvania State Police State Highway Patrolman or other police officer vested with authority of arrest

"Pedestrian"—Any person afoot

"Person"—Every natural person firm co-partnership association or corporation

"Pneumatic Tires"—All tires inflated with compressed air

"Private Road or Driveway"—Every road or drive not open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel

"Railway Grade Crossing"—Any set of tracks or rails of any steam gasoline or electric railway line which intersects or crosses any highway at the same level or grade of such highway except electric railway lines within cities boroughs or incorporated towns

"Rear Lamp"—A lamp located upon the rear of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer so arranged as to show red to the rear and illuminate the rear registration plate

"Rebuilt Motor Vehicle"—Every motor vehicle which shall have been assembled by using new parts and used parts derived from other motor vehicles of the same make and rebuilt by the manufacturer thereof

"Reconstructed Motor Vehicle"—Any motor vehicle which shall have been assembled or constructed largely by means of essential parts new or used derived from other motor vehicles or makes of motor vehicles of various names models and types or which if originally otherwise constructed shall have been materially altered by the removal of essential parts or by the addition or substitution of essential parts new or used derived from other motor vehicles or makes of motor vehicles

"Residence District"—The territory contiguous to a highway not comprising a business district when the frontage on such highway for a distance of three hundred (300) feet or more is closely built up with dwellings or by dwellings and buildings in use for business

"Right of Way"—The privilege of the immediate use of the highway

"Safety Zone"—The area of space officially set aside within a highway for the exclusive use of pedestrians and which is so plainly marked or indicated by proper signs as to be plainly visible at all times while set apart as a safety zone

"Secretary"—The Secretary of Revenue of this Commonwealth

"Semi-trailer"—Every vehicle of the trailer type so designed and used in conjunction with a motor vehicle that some part of its own weight and that of its own load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle

"Service Brake"—The means of applying braking effort to at least two (2) wheels on a motor vehicle normally operated by the operator's foot

"Sidelights"—Any lights upon a motor vehicle other than headlamp or auxiliary driving lamp or searchlight or spot lamp the rays of which project forward

"Sign"—Any device mark marker board plate or other contrivance designed for the purpose of guiding traffic or informing of a traffic regulation

"Signal Lamp"—A lamp located upon the side or rear of a motor vehicle so arranged to show red green or yellow to the rear as a cautionary signal

"Solid Rubber Tire"—Every tire made of rubber other than a pneumatic tire or a cushion rubber tire

"Specially Constructed Vehicle"—Any vehicle which shall not have been originally constructed under a distinctive name make model or type by a generally recognized manufacturer of vehicles

"Spot Lamp"—An auxiliary illuminating device either fixed or movable intended to project a powerful concentrated beam of light

"State"—A state territory organized or unorganized or district of the United States of America

"Street Car"—Every device travelling exclusively upon rails when upon or crossing a highway other than cars or trains propelled or moved by steam

"Tractor"—Every vehicle which is self-propelled equipped with metal-tired wheels or crawlers operated or propelled by any form of engine motor or mechanical power excepting power shovels road rollers self-propelled engines which move or are operated upon or are guided by an immovable track excepting tractors agricultural implements such as grass mowers binders manure spreaders hay loaders hay rakes grain drills or potato planters to be used exclusively by any person upon the farm or farms he owns or operates or upon highways connecting by the most direct route any farms or portions of farms under the single ownership or operation of such person

"Traffic"—Pedestrians vehicles and street cars either singly or together while using any highway for purposes of travel

"Traffic Signal"—Any device using words or colored lights or a combination thereof either manually or electrically controlled by which traffic is alternately directed to stop and go

"Trailer"—Every vehicle without motive power designed to carry property or passengers wholly on its own structure and to be drawn by a motor vehicle

"Truck Tractor"—Every motor vehicle designed and used primarily for drawing other vehicles and not so constructed as to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle and load so drawn

"Used Motor Vehicles"—Every motor vehicle which has been sold bargained exchanged given away or title transferred from the person who first acquired it from the manufacturer or jobber or dealer and so used as to have become what is commonly known as "secondhand" within the ordinary meaning thereof

"Vehicle"—Every device in upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway excepting tractors agricultural machinery devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks Provided That for the purpose of Article X of this act a bicycle or a ridden animal or a tractor shall be deemed a vehicle

Section 103 Printed Matter—The secretary is authorized to order through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agent the printing of necessary forms bulletins and other printed matter required for carrying out the provisions of this act and for the dissemination of information to the public Provided however That all bulletins or other publications for the dissemination of information to the public shall be distributed only by or with the consent of the Department of Property and Supplies

Section 104 Construction of Act Generally—The provisions of this act so far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments The repeal by this act of any act of Assembly or part thereof shall not revive any act or part thereof heretofore repealed or superseded The provisions of this act shall not affect any act done liability incurred or right accrued or vested or affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of such repealed laws

Section 105 Constitutional Construction—The provisions of this act are severable and if any provision thereof is held to be unconstitutional the decision so holding shall not be construed as affecting or impairing any other provision of this act or the act as a whole It is hereby declared as the legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

ARTICLE II

CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

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Section 201 Certificate of Title Required—(a) No person who is a resident of this Commonwealth shall own a motor vehicle in this Commonwealth unless a certificate of title therefor shall have been obtained as provided in this act

(b) Provided That manufacturers and jobbers shall not be required to obtain certificate of title for new motor vehicles when consigned by such manufacturers or jobbers to dealers And further provided That dealers need not obtain certificate of title for new motor vehicles until and before sale thereof

Penalty—Any person violating the provision of sub-section (a) this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 202 Application for Certificate of Title—Application for a certificate of title shall be made upon a form furnished by the department and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and shall be accompanied by the fee prescribed in this act and shall contain a full description of the motor vehicle the actual or bona fide address and name of the owner together with a statement of the owner's title and of any liens or encumbrances or legal claims upon said motor vehicle and whether possession is held under a lease contract of conditional sale or other like agreement The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same. The secretary shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining whether or not the facts stated in said application are true and if satisfied that the applicant is the lawful owned of such motor vehicle or is otherwise entitled to have the same titled in his name the department shall issue a certificate of title bearing the signature or facsimile signature of the secretary or such officer of the department as he shall designate and sealed with the seal of the department.

Section 203 Contents Delivery and Life of Certificate of Title—(a) A certificate of title shall contain such description and other evidence of identification of the motor vehicle for which it is issued as the secretary may deem necessary together with a statement of any liens or encumbrances or legal claims which the applicant may show to be thereon together with the name and address of the holder or holders of any such liens encumbrances or legal claims

(b) Where there are no liens encumbrances or legal claims upon the motor vehicle the certificate of title shall be delivered to the owner but otherwise the certificate of title shall be delivered to the person holding the first lien encumbrance or legal claim upon said motor vehicle and be retained by such person until the entire amount of such first lien encumbrance or legal claim is fully paid by the owner of said motor vehicle when the said certificate of title shall be delivered to said owner by the person who held the first lien encumbrance or legal claim with proper evidence of satisfaction of same A corrected certificate of title without statement of liens encumbrances or legal claims shall be issued by the secretary upon

request of the owner when original certificate of title is returned with proper evidence that all said liens encumbrances or legal claims have been satisfied or when the original certificate of title cannot be returned and proper evidence is produced that all said liens encumbrances or legal claims have been satisfied

(c) A certificate of title shall not have to be renewed when record of certificate of title has been cancelled by the department.

Section 204 Issuance of Certificate of Title—It shall be lawful for the secretary to issue in the name of the first owner of a new or rebuilt motor vehicle a certificate of title if such owner presents to the secretary an application for certificate of title duly made and acknowledged by the manufacturer jobber or dealer and assigned to such owner accompanied by the fees prescribed in this act

Section 205 Correction of Certificate of Title—Wher it is shown by proper evidence upon investigation and good cause appearing therefor that any certificate of title has been issued bearing incorrect information due to any cause the secretary shall require the return of such certificate of title together with any other information necessary for the adjustment of the department records and the secretary shall thereupon issue a corrected certificate of title without fee

Section 206 Duplicate Certificate of Title—In the event of a lost destroyed or illegible certificate of title application may be made to the department for a duplicate upon a form furnished by the department which shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and accompanied by the fee provided in this act Thereupon the department shall issue a duplicate certificate of title to the owner or person entitled to receive same under the provisions of this act

Section 207 Assignment of Certificate of Title—(a) In the event of the sale or transfer of the ownership of a motor vehicle for which certificate of title has been issued the owner of such motor vehicle shall execute an assignment of the certificate of title to the purchaser or transferee with warranty of title with a statement of all liens encumbrances or legal claims on said motor vehicle the name and address of the holder of said liens encumbrances or legal claims sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths and deliver the same to the purchaser or transferee at the time of the delivery to him of such motor vehicle

(b) The owner or transferee shall within ten (10) days of such assignment or reassignment of certificate of title on a reassignment form furnished by the department present to the secretary such assigned certificate of title or reassignment form sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths with the assigned certificate of title attached thereto together with a statement of all liens encumbrances or legal claims on said motor vehicle with application for certificate of title and accompanied by the fee prescribed in this act whereupon a new certificate of title may be issued in the name of the owner

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 208 Change of Ownership by Operaiton of Law and Judicial Sale—In case of the transfer of ownership or possession of a motor vehicle by operation of law as upon inheritance device or bequest order in bankruptcy insolvency replevin or execution sale or whenever a motor vehicle is sold at public sale to satisfy storage or repair charges or repossession is had upon default in performance of the terms of a lease contract of conditional sale or other like agreement it shall thereupon become the duty of the person from whose possession such motor vehicle was taken and without prejudice to his rights in the premises immediately to surrender the certificate of title for such motor vehicle to the person to whom possession of such motor vehicle has so passed The secretary upon surrender of prior certificate of title or when that is not possible upon presentation of satisfactory proof to the secretary of ownership and right of possession to such motor vehicle and upon payment of the fee prescribed in this act and presentation of application for certificate of title may issue to the applicant to whom possession of such motor vehicle has so passed a certificate of title thereto

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 209 Records of Stolen Motor Vehicles (a) It shall be the duty of the secretary whenever he receives report of the theft of a motor vehicle whether the same has been registered or not and whether owned in this or any other State together with the name and manufacturer's serial number thereof to make a distinctive record thereof and file the same in numerical order of the manufacturer's serial number with the records of the vehicles of such name already titled

(b) In the event of the receipt of an application for a certificate of title of such motor vehicle the secretary shall immediately notify the rightful owner thereof and shall withhold the issuing of such certificate of title until the proper investigation shall have been made

(c) In the event of the recovery of a stolen motor vehicle of which the secretary has been notified it shall be the duty of the owner to notify the secretary immediately

(d) It shall be the duty of every peace officer having knowledge of a stolen motor vehicle immediately to furnish the secretary with full information in conection therewith

(e) The secretary shall prepare a report listing motor vehicles stolen and recovered as disclosed by the reports submitted to him to be distributed as he may deem advisable

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 210 Destruction and Cancellation of Records of Certificates of Title Notice of Junking Motor Vehicles — (a) The secretary shall maintain a record of certificates of title issued and may after five (5) years from year of issue at his discretion destroy such records

(b) The owner of a motor vehicle shall notify the secretary within ten (10) days of the destruction or junking of any motor vehicles and return certificate of title to the department for cancellation of record

(c) Any owner who sells a motor vehicle as scrap or to be destroyed or junked shall assign the certificate of title thereto to the person to whom the motor vehicle is sold but shall return such assigned certificate of title to the department immediately with an application for a certificate of junk whereupon the department shall issue to the person shown as the assignee a certificate of junk which shall authorize the holder thereof to possess transport or by endorsement transfer ownership in such junked motor vehicle and a certificate of title shall not again be issued for such motor vehicle

(d) The secretary upon receipt of notification from another State or foreign country that a certificate of title issued by the department has been surrendered by the owner in conformity with the laws of such other State or foreign country may cancel such record of certificate of title

(e) The secretary upon receipt of certification from the clerk of the courts showing conviction for a mis-statement of facts on an application for certificate of title or duplicate thereof or any assignment of certificate of title shall forthwith cancel the record of such certificate of title assignment or duplicate certificate and require that the certificate of title be returned immediately to the department for cancellation of record

(f) The secretary may cancel any record of certificate of title when check received in payment of fee therefor is not paid on demand

(g) The secretary may cancel the certificate of title issued for a new motor vehicle in the possession of a dealer when it is shown by satisfactory evidence that the motor vehicle has been returned to the manufacturer jobber or dealer from whom obtained

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in de-

fault of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 211 Other Penalties—Any person who shall be convicted of any of the following offenses shall be guilty of a felony and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay the following fines and costs of prosecution or to undergo imprisonment for the terms indicated or both for each offense

(a) Altering or forging any certificate of title to a motor vehicle or any assignment thereof or possessing or using any such certificate or assignment knowing the same to have been altered or forged not more than one thousand ($1000) dollars or not more than two (2) years or both such fine and imprisonment

(b) Procuring or attempting to procure certificate of title to a motor vehicle or passing or attempting to pass certificate of title or any assignment thereof to a motor vehicle knowing or having reason to believe that such motor vehicle has been stolen not more than one thousand ($1000) dollars or not more than two (2) years or both such fine and imprisonment

ARTICLE III

DEFACED ENGINE AND MANUFACTURER'S SERIAL NUMBER

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Section 301 Possession or Operation of a Motor Vehicle with Defaced Numbers It shall be unlawful to have possession of or to operate a motor vehicle on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced Provided however this shall not affect those persons authorized by law to have in their possession motor vehicles on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 302 Registration When Number Defaced—(a) No motor vehicle on which the manufacturer's serial number or engine number has been omitted obliterated or defaced shall be titled without special permit from the secretary

(b) Before issuing a certificate of title for any such motor vehicle the owner shall apply to the secretary for a special number plate on a form furnished by the department which shall contain the full name and actual bona fide address of the owner the date of purchase of such motor vehicle the name and address of the person from whom it was purchased together with satisfactory evidence that the engine or manufacturer's serial number was not removed for the purpose of concealing the identity of such vehicle and shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths The secretary shall furnish a special number plate which shall be immediately placed on the component part from which the original number was destroyed removed covered altered or defaced and the certificate of title will not be valid until this special number requirement has been complied with Such special number shall be preceded by the letter "S" and followed by "Pa"

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 303 Replacing Engines on Which the Number is Defaced—(a) Where the engine of a motor vehicle is replaced by a new or used engine on which the engine number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced it shall be the duty of the owner of such motor vehicle to apply to the secretary on a form furnished by the department for a special number plate to be placed on such engine Such form shall be accompanied by the certificate of title issued for said motor vehicle upon receipt of which a corrected certificate of title shall be issued without additional fee

(b) The application shall contain a description of such motor vehicle and facts pertaining thereto as the secretary may require which description and facts shall be sworn to by the owner before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths Upon receipt of such application the secretary shall issue to the owner a special number plate for such motor vehicle and when such special number plate has been placed on the engine it shall become and thereafter be the lawful engine number of such motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 304 License to Transfer Engine Numbers—(a) The secretary may in his discretion issue license to manufacturers or manufacturers' authorized representatives or authorized dealers to remove engine numbers on engines being replaced by new rebuilt or used engines and transferring the engine numbers from the engines being removed to the new rebuilt or used engines Such licenses issued to manufacturers' authorized representatives or authorized dealers shall automatically expire with the termination of the contract or agreement with the manufacturers

(b) Every such license must be posted in a conspicuous place in the manufacturer's or manufacturer's authorized representative's or dealer's place of business and such place of business and the records thereof shall be open for inspection by any peace officer or department employee who shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority

(c) The manufacturer or manufacturers authorized representative or authorized dealer shall file with his application for such license a satisfactory bond Such bond to be renewed annually and proof of renewal to be filed with the department and in addition thereto in the case of a manufacturer's authorized representative or authorized dealer an affidavit from the manufacturer certifying that such applicant is his authorized representative or authorized dealer Manufacturers or manufacturer's authorized representatives or authorized dealers so licensed shall maintain and keep records for a period of not less than five (5) years of all changes of engines on forms prescribed by the secretary

(d) Such licensed manufacturer or manufacturer's authorized representative or authorized dealer shall file with the department immediately after each change of engine and engine number on form furnished by the department such information as the secretary may require

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 305 Officer to Seize Motor Vehicle Having Defaced Numbers Authority to Dispose of Same—(a) It shall be the duty of every peace officer having knowledge of a motor vehicle on which the engine number or manufacturer's number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced to immediately seize and take possession of such motor vehicle and arrest or file information for the arrest of the supposed owner or custodian thereof It shall be the duty of the court to retain in custody the seized motor vehicle pending prosecution of the person arrested and in case such person shall be guilty said motor vehicle shall remain in the custody of the court until the fine and costs of prosecution shall be paid Provided however if ninety (90) days have elapsed after judgment has been rendered and such fine and costs have not been paid the court shall proceed to advertise and sell said motor vehicle in the manner provided by law for the sale of personal property under execution

The proceeds from such sale shall be used to pay the fine and costs of prosecution and the balance if any shall be for-

warded to the department and same shall be transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund"

(b) If ownership to such motor vehicle is not established to the satisfaction of the court said motor vehicle shall be confiscated by the court and sold immediately and the proceeds thereof shall be used to pay the cost of proceedings and the balance if any shall be forwarded to the department and same to be transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund"

Section 306 Sale of Motor Vehicle With Defaced Number Any person selling or offering for sale in this Commonwealth a motor vehicle on which the engine number or manufacturer's serial number has been destroyed removed covered altered or defaced with knowldge of said destruction removal covering alteration or defacement of said engine number or manufacturer's serial number shall be guilty of a felony and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of five thousand ($5000) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

ARTICLE IV

REGISTRATION

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Section 401—Registration of Motor Vehicles Trailers and Semi-Trailers Required—Except as in hereinafter provided no motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated upon any highway in this Commonwealth until such motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall have been properly registered with the department as hereinafter provided and the registration plate or plates that have been issued for the vehicle for the current year are received and displayed as required by this act and no motor vehicle shall be registered until a certificate of title has been obtained therefor

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 402—Application for Registration—(a) Application for the registration of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be made to the department upon a form furnished by the department The application shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner or owners together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number the character of the motive power and the horsepower or seating capacity and in the case of commercial motor vehicles the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of electric commercial motor vehicles the gross maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of trailers and semi-trailers the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same and shall be accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(b) Applicants for registration who are not residents of this Commonwealth shall by their application in addition to the above requirements designate the secretary as their authorized agent upon whom process may be served

(c) Annual renewals of the registration of a motor vehicle shall be made in such manner as the department may require upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act The department shall mail such form to the last address of the owner as it appears on the department records

Provided That annual renewal forms will not be mailed to owners of motor vehicles not registered by such owners during the previous year Such renewal forms may however be obtained upon presentation of certificate of title or such other information as the secretary may deem satisfactory

Section 403—Calculations of Horsepower—The horsepower of motor vehicles except those propelled by steam or electricity shall be computed by the following formula Diameter of bore in inches squared times the number of cylinders times four tenths (.4) The accepted horsepower for the registration of motor vehicles propelled by steam or electricity shall be that given and certified to by the manufacturer

Section 404—File of Applications—(a) Upon receipt of each application when the department is satisfied as to the genuineness and regularity thereof and that the applicant is entitled thereto the department shall register the vehicle therein described and the name of the owner thereof in suitable books or in index cards as follows

1 Under a distinctive registration number assigned to the vehicle and to the owner thereof hereinafter referred to as the registration number

2 Alphabetically under the name of the owner

3 Numerically and alphabetically under the manufacturer's serial number and name of the vehicle

(b) The secretary may cause the application for registration and records in connection therewith to be destroyed two (2) years after the year for which issued

Section 405—Registration Cards—(a) The department upon registering a vehicle shall issue to the owner a registration card which shall contain the registration number assigned to the owner and to the vehicle the name and address of the owner also a description of the vehicle including the engine and manufacturer's serial numbers thereof and such other statement of facts as may be determined by the department

(b) The owner upon receiving the registration card shall sign the usual signature or name of such owner with pen and ink in the space provided

(c) In the event of a lost detroyed or illegible registration card it shall be the duty of the owner to apply to the department for a duplicate within forty-eight (48) hours of his discovery of the loss or defacement of such registration card upon a form furnished by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act

(d) No owner or operator of a vehicle shall be subject to a fine or failure to have registration card if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of the twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new registration card was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating the provisions of sub-sections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 406—Registration Card to be Carried—The registration card issued for a vehicle shall at all times while the vehicle is being operated upon a highway be in the possession of the operator thereof or carried in the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 407—Proof of Certificate of Public Convenience—Before registering any motor vehicle to be used as a motor bus the secretary shall require evidence that a certificate of public convenience has been issued by the Public Service Commission which certificate shall not have been revoked or shall not have expired by reason of limitations therein con-

tained or that public service was begun prior to the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and fourteen

Section 408—Registration of Manufacturers Jobbers and Dealers—(a) Motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers owned or in the possession of manufacturers jobbers or dealers shall be exempt from individual registration if said manufacturer jobber or dealer registers with the department in the "Dealer's Class"

(b) Application for such registration shall be made upon a form provided by the department and shall set forth the full name and business address of the applicant and such other information as the department shall require and shall be signed by such manufacturer jobber or dealer Upon receipt of the application accompanied by the fee provided in this act for each registration desired the department shall register the manufacturer jobber or dealer in the "Dealer's Class"

(c) No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall under any circumstances be operated under a manufacturer's jobber's or dealer's registration unless the registration card for the registration plate or plates displayed is carried in the vehicle or is in the immediate possession of the operator and bears the signature of the manufacturer jobber or dealer to whom issued

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 409—Registration by Non-Residents—(a) Non-residents of this Commonwealth except as otherwise provided in this act will be exempt from the provisions of this act as to the registration of motor vehicles trailers semi-trailers for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under laws of the foreign country or state of their residence Provided That they shall have complied with the provisions of the law of the foreign country or state of their residence relative to the registration and equipment of their motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and shall conspicuously display the registration plates as required thereby and have in their possession the registration certificate issued for such vehicle

(b) The owner of a foreign vehicle operated within this Commonwealth for the transportation of persons or property for compensation either regularly according to schedule or for a period exceeding thirty (30) days shall register such vehicles and pay the same fees therefor as are required for like vehicles owned by residents of this Commonwealth

(c) Every non-resident including any foreign corporation carrying on business within this Commonwealth and owning and regularly operating in such business any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer exclusively within this Commonwealth shall be required to register each such vehicle and pay the same fee therefor as is required with reference to like vehicles owned by residents of this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 410—Registration Shall Be Refused—The department shall not accept an application for the registration of a vehicle in any of the following events

1 When the applicant therefor is not entitled thereto under the provisions of this act

2 When the applicant has neglected or refused to furnish the department with the information required in the appropriate official form or reasonable additional information required by the department

3 When the fees required therefor by law have not been paid

4 When the vehicle is not constructed or equipped as required by this act

Section 411—Transfer of Registration—(a) Upon transfer of ownership or the destruction of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer the registration shall expire

(b) When transfer is made from one registration classification to another registration classification application shall be made immediately to the department upon a form furnished by the department upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act when the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is of equal or less horsepower or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of the transfer fee provided in this act and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer be properly registered in a higher class

(c) The application shall contain the full name and the actual or bona fide address of the owner together with the name manufacturer's serial number engine number the character of the motive power and the horsepower or seating capacity and in the case of a commercial motor vehicle the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of electric commercial motor vehicles the gross maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer and in the case of trailers and semi-trailers the gross weight of the chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer and also such description of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer including lamps and other equipment as the secretary shall require The application shall be signed by the owner if a natural person and in the cases where the owner is a corporation co-partnership or association by an executive officer thereof or some person specifically authorized by said corporation co-partnership or association to sign the same.

(d) When transfer of registration is made the owner shall be given a transfer registration card and new registration number if transfer is made to another classification

(e) When a transfer of registration is made after a vehicle has been registered for the succeeding year and the transfer application has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year the transfer fee provided in this act shall not be required

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 412—Registration Suspended—(a) The secretary may suspend any registration with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative in any of the following cases

1 When vehicle is unsafe or unfit for operation or is not equipped as required by this act

2 When the owner shall make or permit to be made any unlawful use of a vehicle or registration plate or plates or permit the use thereof by a person not entitled thereto

3 When the owner has been convicted of using a false or fictitious name or giving a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

4 Upon certification or request or order of any court or the Public Service Commission duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certificates requests or orders

5 When check submitted in payment of any registration is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand

(b) The secretary upon suspending any registration shall require the registration plate or plates and registration card to be surrendered immediately to the department and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to seize such registration plate or plates and registration card

(c) Any person whose registration has been suspended shall not be entitled to apply for or receive new or duplicate registration until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

(d) Whenever the secretary suspends any registration the secretary shall immediately notify the owner and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not been already held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind

his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the registration for a further period

(e) Any person whose registration has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 413—Expiration of Registration—All registrations shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary and immediately upon the transfer of ownership or the destruction of the vehicle but registration cards for the succeeding year may at the option of their holders be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

Section 414—Police Departments to have Registration Bulletins—The secretary shall issue bulletins giving the registration number name and address of the owner of each vehicle registered to such police departments as he deems necessary and such police departments are hereby prohibited from disposing of such bulletins or parts of such bulletins for other than information as to violations of the motor vehicle laws

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 415—Sale of Copy of Registrations or Learner's Permits—(a) The secretary is authorized to dispose of after advertisement and competitive bidding to the highest bidder an official copy of vehicle registrations or learner's permits as issued No other copy of said registrations or learner's permits shall be disposed of by the secretary except as herein provided

(b) The purchaser of the official copy of vehicle registrations or learner's permits is authorized to reprint and use the same for commercial purposes

ARTICLE V

REGISTRATION PLATES

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Section 501 Registration Plates to be furnished by Department ment—(a) The department shall furnish to every owner whose notor vehicle is registered and for each registration applied for by a manufacturer jobber or dealer in motor vehicles trailers r semi-trailer two registration plates and to every owner of a egistered trailer semi-trailer motorcycle or bicycle with motor ttached and for each registration applied for by a manufacurer jobber or dealer in motorcycles or bicycles with motor ttached one registration plate

(b) Every registration plate shall have displayed upon it the egistration number assigned to the vehicle the name of the ommonwealth which may be abbreviated the year number for hich it is issued and any other identification the department ay deem necessary. The required letters and numerals on such plate or plates shall be not more than five (5) inches in height to be plainly legible from a distance of one hundred (100) feet during daylight except that the required letters and figures on motorcycle motorcycle dealer and bicycle with motor attached plates shall be not more than three and one-half (3½) inches in height

(c) It shall be unlawful to display on any vehicle an altered defaced or forged registration plate

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 502 Use of Manufacturer's Jobber's and Dealer's Registration Plates Limited—Registration plate or plates issued in the "Dealer's Class" may be used on any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned or in the possession of a manufacturer jobber or dealer and operated by such manufacturer jobber or dealer or the employe of such manufacturer jobber or dealer when such motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is used (a) in the motor vehicle business of such manufacturer jobber in the motor vehicle business of such manufacturer jobber or dealer (b) for the personal pleasure of such manufacturer jobber or dealer or the members of his family when operated by such manufacturer jobber or dealer or an immediate member of his family (c) for teaching a new operator how to operate a motor vehicle if such new operator has procured a learner's permit and for such new operator to take an examination for an operator's license or (d) for testing motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers in the possession of such manufacturer jobber or dealer or (e) for demonstrating motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers in the possession of such manufacturer jobber or dealer and such vehicles may be operated by a prospective purchaser when licensed as an operator or permittee and when accompanied by the manufacturer jobber or dealer or an employe of such manufacturer jobber or dealer

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 503—How Registration Plates Carried on Motor Vehicles—Every registration plate shall at all times be securely fastened to the vehicle to which it is assigned one on the front the other on the rear except for motorcycles bicycles with motor attached trailers and semi-trailers the single plate shall be on the rear

No plate shall be attached at a height less than twelve (12) inches from the ground measuring from the bottom of such plate nor shall any plate be obscured

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 504 Use of Registration Plates Restricted—No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated under any other registration plates than those of its own registration except as provided in this act Except as is provided in this act for non-residents no registration plate or plates shall be displayed on any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer other than those issued by the department nor shall there be displayed upon any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned by a resident of this Commonwealth while operating upon any highway in this Commonwealth any registration plate or plates issued by any other state or foreign country but a resident of this Commonwealth may display in addition to the Pennsylvania registration plate or plates registration plate or plates of one or more states

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 505 Lost Defaced or Substituted Registration Plates (a) In the event of the loss of one or both registration plates or if a plate or plates become so defaced that the numerals or letters thereon are illegible it shall be the duty of the

owner of the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer for which the same were issued to apply to the department for new plates within forty-eight (48) hours of his discovery of the loss or defacement of such plate or plates

(b) The Department may issue substitute or duplicate registration plate or plates in exchange for plate or plates already issued

(c) Applications for such replacements or substitutions or duplications shall be made upon a form furnished by the department on which shall be set forth the loss defacing or destruction of or reasons for substitution or duplication of such plate or plates and be accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall be signed by the owner and sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to adminster oaths Thereupon the department shall cancel the original registration and shall replace the original plate or plates with duplicate plate or plates or with plate or plates of number other than that originally issued also a correct or duplicate registration card

(d) Upon the receipt of new plate or plates it shall be the duty of the owner to return immediately to the department for cancellation the old registration plate or plates unless lost or destroyed

(e) No owner or operator of a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be subject to a fine for the reason that one or both registration plates are missing if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of the twenty (20) days preceding and that application for new plate or plates was made within forty-eight (48) hours as required herein

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 506 Transfer of Registration Plates—(a) Upon the transfer of ownership or the destruction of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer the owner shall remove the registration plate or plates therefrom immediately

(b) In the event of the transfer of registration plate or plates to a vehicle of the same vehicle classification as that originally registered the owner shall be assigned the registration plate or plates previously issued to him unless such registration plate or plates have been lost or destroyed

(c) If transfer of registration plate or plates is from one vehicle classification to another vehicle classification new registration plate or plates shall be issued to the owner Upon receipt of new registration plate or plates the registration plate or plates previously issued shall be returned to the department immediately for cancellation unless such registration plate or plates have been lost or destroyed

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 507—Temporary Use of Registration Plates Pending Transfer—After the transfer of registration plate or plates from a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer to another motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer owned by the same owner the owner or operator shall not for a period of twenty (20) days be subject to a fine for the operation of the latter motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer without the proper transfer registration card for the registration plate or plates displayed provided he shall have made application to the department as required in this act for transfer of the registration and provided he shall upon prosecution make an affidavit or testify under oath to that effect

Section 508 Illegal Transfer of Registration Plates—No person shall give or lend registration plate or plates or manufacturer's jobber's or dealer's registration plate or plates to another

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 509 Return of Manufacturer's Jobber's or Dealer's Registration Plates—Registration plate or plates and registration cards issued in the dealer's class shall be returned to the department for cancellation when the manufacturer jobber or dealer discontinues motor vehicle business

Penalty—Any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 510—The Expiration of Registration Plates—(a) All registration plates shall expire December thirty-first of the year for which they are issued unless sooner suspended for cause by the secretary but the registration plate or plates for the succeeding year may at the option of the owner be used on and after December fifteenth of the current year

(b) No motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be operated after December thirty-first with registration plates for the previous year nor without registration plates on claim by the owner or operator that registration plates for the current year have been applied for but not received

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

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Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 602 Persons Exempt from License—Every person in the service of the Federal Government when furnished with a driver's permit and when operating an official motor vehicle in such service shall be exempt from license under this act

Section 603 Non-Residents when Exempt from License—(a) A non-resident who has been duly licensed as an operater under a law requiring the licensing of operators in his home state or country and who has in his immediate possession a valid operator's license issued to him in his home state or country shall be permitted without examination or operator's license under this act to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of

this Commonwealth under the laws of the foreign state or country as provided in this act

(b) It shall be unlawful for any non-resident whose home state or country does not require the licensing of operators to operate any motor vehicle upon any highway in this Commonwealth without first making application for and obtaining a license as an operator as required under this act except that any said unlicensed non-resident who is the owner of a motor vehicle which has been duly registered for the current calendar year in the state or country of which the owner is a resident may operate motor vehicles upon the highways of this Commonwealth for the same time and to the same extent as like exemptions are granted residents of this Commonwealth under the laws of the state or country of the non-resident without making application for or obtaining an operator's license under this act upon condition that the non-resident owner has in his immediate possession a registration card evidencing such ownership and registration in his home state or country

(c) Provided that non-resident operators operating motor vehicles within this Commonwealth for the transporation of persons or property for compensation either regularly according to a schedule or for a period exceeding thirty (30) days shall be required to obtain a Pennsylvania operator's license

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 604 Persons Not to be Licensed—(a) An operator's license or learner's permit shall not be issued to any person under the following conditions

1 When less than sixteen (16) years of age

2 When operating privilege is suspended

3 When operating privilege is revoked

4 When applicant's name appears upon department's prohibitory list

5 To an habitual drunkard or addict to the use of narcotic drugs

6 When adjudged insane or an idiot imbecile epileptic or feeble-minded until restored to competency by judicial decree or released from a hospital for the insane or feeble-minded upon certification by the superintendent or medical director that such person is competent nor then unless the secretary is satisfied such person competent to operate a motor vehicle with safety to persons and property

7 When afflicted with or suffering from a physical or mental disability or disease which in the opinion of the secretary will prevent such person from exercising reasonable and ordinary control over a motor vehicle

8 When unable to understand warning or direction signs in the English language

(b) Physical disability includes the following

1 Loss of the use of both hands

2 Less than fifty (50) per centum of normal vision with the aid of glasses (To possess fifty (50) per centum of normal vision one must be able with one eye to read all the letters on the seventy (70) line of the Standard Snellen Type Chart at a distance of twenty (20) feet)

3 Less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing (To possess two (2) per centum of normal hearing one must respond when addressed in a natural tone of voice by another standing one (1) foot behind)

(c) The Secretary may issue an operator's license or learner's permit to a person having less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing upon the receipt of such evidence or demonstration as shall satisfy him that such person has had sufficient experience in the operation of a motor vehicle to enable him to do so without endangering the safety of the public and provided that such person shall not operate a motor vehicle unless same is equipped with a mirror so located as to reflect to the operator a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear

Section 605 Age Limits for Drivers of School Busses and Public Passenger Carrying Motor Vehicles—It shall be unlawful for any person who is under the age of twenty-one (21) years to operate a motor vehicle while used in the transporation of pupils to or from school or to operate a motor bus or motor omnibus

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 606 Learner's Permits—(a) The department upon receiving from any person sixteen (16) years of age or over an application for a learner's permit may in its discretion issue such a permit entitling the applicant while having such permit in his immediate possession to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways for a period of sixty (60) days from date of issue when accompanied by a licensed operator who is actually occupying a seat beside the hloder of the learner's permit except that permittees operating motorcycles or bicycles with motor attached need not be so accompanied

(b) Every application for learner's permit shall be sworn to before a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths on a form provided by the department and accompanied by the fee provided in this act and shall state the name age sex and actual or bona fide address of the applicant together with any other information the secretary may desire and whether or not the applicant has herctofore been licensed as an operator and if so when and by what state and whether or not such license has ever been revoked or suspended and if so the date of and reason for such suspension or revocation

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 607 Renewal of Operator's License—Annual renewals of operator's license shall be made in such manner as the secretary may require upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act Provided That renewals may be made in the same manner as annual renewals of any operator's license issued during any of the three (3) years preceding application for renewal when applicant furnishes satisfactory proof of having had a Pennsylvania operator's license issued to him or her during any of the three (3) immediate preceding license years The department shall mail such form to the last address of the operator as it appears on the department records

Section 608 Examination of Applicants—(a) Before issuing an operator's license to any person except as otherwise provided the secretary shall require the applicant to demonstrate personally to him or his representative in such a manner as the secretary may direct that such applicant is a proper person to operate a motor vehicle has sufficient knowledge of the mechanism of motor vehicles to insure their safe operation and a satisfactory knowledge of the laws and regulations concerning motor vehicles and their operation

(b) The secretary may issue an operator's license either unlimited or containing certain restrictions or limitations as the secretary may deem advisable

(c) The secretary may in his discretion waive the examination of any person applying for the renewal of an operator's license issued under this act

(d) The secretary may in his discretion issue an operator's license under this act without examination to any person applying therefor who is of sufficient age as required by this act to receive the license applied for when the secretary is satisfied that the applicant is fully qualified as an operator of motor vehicles and to any person who at the time of such application has a valid unrevoked license of like nature issued to such person in another state under a law requiring the licensing and examination of operators

(e) Following any examination and pending the issue of the operator's license the secretary's representative may authorize any applicant who has qualified as an operator to operate a motor vehicle with his learner's permit card and without being accompanied by a licensed operator provided such learner's permit card is properly approved for such purpose

Section 609 Register of Operators and Learners—The secretary shall file every application for an operator's license and learner's permit and index the same by name and number and maintain suitable records of all licenses and permits issued

and all applications for licenses denied also a record of all licenses and permits which have been revoked or suspended The secretary may cause the applications for operator's licenses and learners' permits and records in connection therewith to be destroyed three (3) years after the year for which issued

Section 610 Licenses Issued to Operators—(a) The department shall issue to every person licensed as an operator an operator's license card

(b) Every such card shall bear thereon the operator's license number the name residence address and such other information as may be required also a space for the signature of the licensee

Section 611 Duplicate License Cards—(a) In the event that an operator's license or learner's permit shall be lost or destroyed or become illegible the person to whom the same was issued shall make application to the department upon a form furnished by the department accompanied by the fee provided in this act for a duplicate thereof

(b) No owner or operator of a motor vehicle shall be subject to a fine for the reason that an operator's license or learner's permit is lost if he makes affidavit that the same was lost or stolen within the period of twenty (20) days preceding and that application for duplicate operator's license or learner's permit was made within forty-eight (48) hours of discovery of loss of same

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 612 License to be Signed and Carried—(a) Every person licensed as an operator or learner shall write his usual signature with pen and ink in the space provided for that purpose on the operator's license or learner's permit card issued to him immediately upon receipt of such card

(b) The licensee or permittee shall have such operator's license or learner's permit in his immediate possession at all times when operating a motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 613 Expiration of Licenses—All operator's licenses shall expire on the last day of February of each year unless sooner revoked or suspended for cause by the secretary but operator's licenses for the succeeding year may at the option of their owners be used on and after February fifteenth of the current year

Section 614 Revocation of Licenses—(a) The secretary shall forthwith revoke for a period of one (1) year from date of revocation the operator's license or learner's permit of any person upon receiving a certified record from the clerk of the court of the conviction of such person of any of the following crimes

1 Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic or habit producing drug or permitting any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic or habit producing drug to operate any motor vehicle owned by him or in his custody or control

2 Using a false or fictitious name or giving a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly making a false statement or knowingly concealing a material fact or otherwise committing a fraud in any application

3 Any crime punishable as a felony under the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth or any other felony in the commission of which a motor vehicle is used

4. Conviction of an operator of a motor vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property upon the charge of failing to stop and render assistance or disclose his identity at the scene of the accident

(b) The secretary upon receiving a certified record from the clerk of the court of the conviction of any person upon a charge of operating a motor vehicle while the operator's license or learner's permit of such person is revoked shall immediately extend the period of such first revocation for an additional like period

(c) The secretary upon revoking any operator's license or learner's permit shall require that such license of any operator whose license or permit is so revoked shall immediately be surrendered to and retained by the department

Section 615 Suspensions of Licenses or Operating Privileges—(a) The secretary may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative and without receiving a record of conviction of such person of crime whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence

1 That such person is incompetent to operate a motor vehicle or is afflicted with mental or physical infirmities or disabilities rendering it unsafe for such person to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways

2 That such person has bee nconvicted of or forfeited bail upon three (3) charges of reckless driving all within the preceding twelve (12) months

3 That such person has been convicted of a misdemeanor or has forfeited bail upon such a charge in the commission of which a motor vehicle was used

4 That such person has been convicted of manslaughter resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle

(b) The secretary may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person after a hearing before the secretary or his representative o rupon failure of the said person to appear at such hearing whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence

1 That such person has committed any offense for the conviction of which mandatory revocation of license is provided in this act

2 That such person is an habitual reckless or negligent operator of a motor vehicle or has committed any violation of the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth

3 That such persn has failed to file a report with the department of a motor vehicle accident as required by this act

(c) The secretary may suspend any operator's license or learner's permit when check submitted in payment is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or is not paid on demand and may delegate authority to any department employe or peace officer to lift operator's license or learner's permit card so cancelled

(d) The secretary is hereby authorized to suspend the privilege of any non-resident to operate a motor vehicle in this Commonwealth for any cause for which the license of a resident operator may be suspended or revoked The secretary is further authorized upon receiving a record of the conviction in this Commonwealth of a non-resident operator of a motor vehicle of any offense under the motor vehicle laws of this Commonwealth to forward a report of such conviction to the Motor Vehicle Administrator in the State wherein the person so convicted is a resident

(e) The secretary is hereby authorized after a hearing before the secretary or his representative to suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person licensed in this Commonwealth upon receiving notice of the conviction of such person in another state of an offense therein which if committed in this Commonwealth would be grounds for the suspension or revocation of the license of an operator

(f) The secretary may suspend any operator's license or learner's permit upon certification or request or order of any court or commission duly authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth and empowered by such laws to make such certifications requests or orders

(g) The secretary upon suspending any operator's license or learner's permit shall require that such licenses of any operator whose license or permit is so suspended shall be surrendered immediately to and retained by the department

(h) Whenever the secretary suspends the operator's license or learner's permit of any person the secretary shall immediately notify such person and afford him an opportunity of a hearing before said secretary or his representative provided such hearing has not already been held and after such hearing the secretary shall either rescind his order of suspension or good cause appearing therefor may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of such person for a further period

Section 616 Right of Appeal to Court from Suspension—Any person whose operator's license or learner's permit ha/

been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of operator's license or learner's permit under the provisions of this act

Section 617 New Operator's License after Revocation or Suspension—Any person whose operator's license or learner's permit has been revoked under the provisions of this act shall not be entitled to apply for or receive any new operator's license or learner's permit until the expiration of one (1) year from the date of revocation or in the event of suspension no new operator's license or learner's permit until the suspension is lifted by the secretary

Section 618 Owner Liable for Negligence of Certain Minors—Every owner of a motor vehicle causing or knowingly permitting a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to operate a motor vehicle upon a highway and any person who knowingly gives or furnishes a motor vehicle to a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years shall be jointly and severally liable with such minor for any damages caused by the negligence of such minor in operating such vehicle

Section 619 Counties and Municipalities Liable for Negligence of Their Employes—Every county city borough incorporated town or township within this Commonwealth employing any person shall be jointly and severally liable with such person for any damages caused by the negligence of such person while operating a motor vehicle upon a highway in the course of their employment

Section 620 Violation of License Provisions—It shall be unlawful for any person to commit any of the following acts

(a) To display or cause or permit to be displayed or to have in possession any operator's license or learner's permit knowing the same to be fictitious or to have been cancelled revoked suspended or altered

(b) To lend to or knowingly permit the use of by one not entitled thereto any operator's license or learner's permit issued to the person so lending or permitting the use thereof

(c) To display or to represent as one's own any operator's license or learner's permit not issued to the person so displaying the same

(d) To fail or refuse to surrender to the department upon demand any operator's license learner's permit registration card registration plates certificate of title or duplicates thereof which have been suspended cancelled or revoked as provided in this act

(e) To make use of or operate any motor vehicle without the knowledge or consent of the owner or custodian thereof

(f) To operate a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any narcotic drug or permit any person who may be under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug to operate any motor vehicle owned by him or in his custody or control

(g) To turn off any or all the lights on a motor vehicle for the purpose of avoiding identification or arrest

(h) To operate any motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth after operator's license or learner's permit is suspended or revoked

(i) To operate any motor vehicle upon the highways of this Commonwealth after its registration has been suspended by the secretary

(j) To use a false or fictitious name or give a false or fictitious address in any application or form required under the provisions of this act or knowingly make a false statement or knowingly conceal a material fact or otherwise commit a fraud in any application

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) (b) (c) or (d) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) or (j) of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred ($200) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 621 Unlawful for Minor to Operate Motor Vehicle as a Paid Employe—It shall be unlawful for any person under the age of eighteen (18) years to operate a motor vehicle upon any highway as a paid employe or for any person to cause or permit any such operation

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 622 Unlawful to Permit Violations of Act—No person shall authorize or permit a motor vehicle owned by him or under his control to be operated by any person who has no legal right to do so or in violation of any of the provisions of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

ARTICLE VII

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Section 702 Motor Vehicles—The fee for annual registration of motor vehicles except as provided in this act shall be at the rate of forty (40) cents for each horse power or fractional part thereof Provided That the minimum fee payable for such annual registration shall be ten ($10) dollars

Section 703 Commercial Motor Vehicles and Truck Tractors with Pneumatic Tires—Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires other than those electrically operated shall be divided into nine (9) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross chassis weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
R.....	Less than 2000	$16.50
S.....	2000 and over but less than 3000	26.00

T	3000 and over but less than 4000	35.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	45.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	63.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	90.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	110.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	155.00
ZZ	12000 and over	225.00

Section 704 Commercial Motor Vehicles and ruck Tractors with Solid Rubber or Cushion Rubber Tires Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires approved by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth other than those electrically operated shall be divided into nine (9) classes and the fee for the annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross chassis weight as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
	(Solid Rubber Tires)	
R	Less than 2000	$28.00
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	45.00
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	60.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	75.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	105.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	150.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	190.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	300.00
ZZ	12000 and over	350.00

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
	(Cushion Rubber Tires)	
R	Less than 2000	$25.00
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	35.00
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	50.00
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	60.00
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	85.00
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	125.00
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	150.00
Z	9000 and over but less than 12000	200.00
ZZ	12000 and over	275.00

Section 705 Electrically Operated Commercial Motor Vehicles and Truck Tractors—Electrically operated commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors shall be divided into eight (8) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the [illegible] maximum weight of chassis battery body and load as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Weight of Chassis Battery Body and load in Pounds	Fee
R	Less than 5001	$13.50
S	5001 and over but less than 7001	23.00
T	7001 and over but less than 11001	35.00
U	11001 and over but less than 15001	45.00
V	15001 and over but less than 18001	68.00
W	18001 and over but less than 22001	90.00
Y	22001 and over but less than 23001	110.00
Z	22001 and over but less than 23000	155.00

Section 706 Trailers and Semi-Trailers—Trailers and semi-trailers whether equipped with pneumatic cushion rubber or solid rubber tires shall be divided into seven (7) classes and the fee for annual registration of such vehicles in each of the respective classes based on the gross weight of chassis as given and certified to by the manufacturer shall be as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Fee
A	Less than 1000	$5.00
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	8.00
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	15.00
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	25.00
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	30.00
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	45.00
G	6000 and over	75.00

Section 707 Motor Busses and Motor Omnibusses with Pneumatic Tires—The fee for annual registration of each motor bus and motor omnibus with pneumatic tires shall be according to seating capacity and the following classes

Class	Seating Capacity	Fee
A	Five (5) Passenger or less	$25.00
B	More than five (5) passengers and less than (8) passengers	30.00
C	More than seven (7) passengers and not more than twenty-six passengers	$40.00 plus $4.00 for each seat over seven seats
D	In [illegible] (twenty-six (26) passengers	$40.00 plus $4.00 for each seat over seven seats to and including twenty-six seats plus $10.00 for each seat over twenty-six

Section 708 Motor Busses and Motor Omnibusses with Solid Rubber Tires—The fee for annual registration of each motor bus and motor omnibus with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires shall be according to seating capacity and the following classes

Class	Seating Capacity	Fee
A	Five (5) passengers or less	$37.50
B	More than five (5) passengers and less than eight (8) passengers	$45.00
C	More than seven (7) passengers and not more than twenty-six (26) passengers	$50.00 plus $5.00 for each seat over seven seats
D	In excess of twenty-six (26) passengers (except as otherwise provided in Class E)	$50.00 plus $5.00 for each seat over seven seats to and including twenty-six seats plus $12.50 for each seat over twenty-six
E	In excess of fifty-three (53) passengers when operated exclusively in cities	$400.00

Section 709 Metal Tires—The fee for annual registration of any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer equipped with metal tires shall be double the regular fee of a similar vehicle equipped with solid rubber tires

Section 710 Reduction of Registration Fees in Certain Cases—The fee for registration of a motor vehicle trailer and semi-trailer when registration is issued on or after August first but prior to November first shall be one-half (½) of the fee for annual registration Provided That the fee for registration of any such vehicles when registration is issued on or after November first shall be one-fourth (¼) of the fee herein specified

Section 711 Manufacturers Jobbers and Dealers—The fee shall be five ($5) dollars for each registration issued to manufacturers jobbers or dealers in motorcycles and bicycles with motor attached registered in the "Dealer's Class"

The fee shall be twenty-five ($25) dollars for each of the first two registrations and five ($5) dollars for each additional annual registration issued to manufacturers jobbers or dealers in motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers registered in the "Dealer's Class"

Section 712 Lighting Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of head lamps and auxiliary driving lamps shall be one hundred and fifty ($150.00) dollars for each type approved

The fee for approval and registration of rear lamps signal lamps and mechanical signal devices shall be fifty ($50.00) dollars for each type approved

The fee for approval and registration incident to the renewal of a certificate of approval for headlamps shall be fifty ($50.00) dollars

The fee for approval and registration incident to the renewal of a certificate of approval for auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps signal lamps and mechanical signal devices shall be twenty-five ($25.00) dollars

Section 713 Operator's Licenses Duplicate Registration or Operator's License Card—The fee for issuing an operator's license to a person unable to produce satisfactory proof of

having held a Pennsylvania operator's license during any one of the three (3) years preceding application shall be three dollars which fee shall entitle the applicant for such license to receive a learner's permit valid for sixty (60) days from date of issue and if the examination shall have been passed during the sixty (60) day period an operator's license for the current year

The fee for renewal of an operator's license shall be two ($2.00) dollars

The fee for a duplicate operator's license card or duplicate registration card shall be fifty ($.50) cents

Section 714 Replacement or Substitution of Registration Plates—The fee for replaced or substituted or duplicated motor vehicle trailer semi-trailer and manufacturer's jobbers or dealers' registration plate or plates shall be one ($1.00) dollar and except that the fee for replaced or substituted or duplicated motorcycle or bicycle with motor attached registration plates shall be fifty ($.50) cents

Section 715 Transferring Registration—The fee for transfer of registration shall be two ($2.00) dollars when motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is of equal or less horse-power or classification than that originally registered or upon payment of a fee of two ($2.00) dollars and the difference between the fee originally paid and that due if the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer be properly registerable in a higher classification

Section 716 Certificates of Title Duplicate Certificates of Title—The fee for each certificate of title shall be two ($2.00) dollars except in the case of a manufacturer jobber or dealer when the fee shall be fifty ($.50) cents The fee for a duplicate certificate of title shall be fifty ($.50) cents

No fee shall be required when a certificate of title or assigned certificate of title is returned to the department for cancellation

Section 717 Certified Copies of Records—The fee for a certified copy or certified photostat copy of any department record shall be one ($1) dollar

Section 718 Uncollectible Checks—Whenever any check issued in payment of any fee or for any other purpose shall be returned to the department as uncollectible the secretary shall charge a fee of five ($5) dollars plus all protest fees to the person presenting such check to him to cover the cost of its collection

Section 719 Special Hauling Permits—The fee for a special hauling permit shall be five ($5) dollars payable to the authorities issuing such permit

Section 720 Mechanical Brake Testing Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of a mechanical brake testing device shall be one hundred ($100) dollars for each type approved

Section 721 Headlamp Testing Equipment—The fee for approval and registration of a headlamp testing device shall be one hundred ($100) dollars for each type approved

Section 722 Exemptions From Fees—(a) No fee shall be charged for a certificate of title or registration of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and used by (a) the Federal Government (b) any state other than Pennsylvania which issues titles or registrations to this Commonwealth without charge (c) the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (d) any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth (e) any duly authorized volunteer fire force hospital humane society or anti-cruelty society in this Commonwealth (f) by the American Red Cross (g) by churches (h) Girl Scouts of America (i) Boy Scouts of America (j) Salvation Army (k) Mine or industrial ambulances (l) Ambassadors Ministers Consular Representatives and other diplomatic representatives who are entitled to exemption under the terms of a treaty but all such vehicle except those owned and used by the Federal Government shall be titled and registered and shall display registration plates as is now provided for privately owned motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers

(b) No fee shall be charged for operator's licenses issued to employes of this Commonwealth engaged in the operation of motor vehicles owned by this Commonwealth

(c) No fee shall be charged for replacement or substitution of registration card registration plates operator's license card learner's permit card or certificate of title when satisfactory proof is furnished the secretary of loss of same in the mails

(d) No fee shall be charged for certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any department record furnished to Federal State County or Municipal authorities

(e) No fee shall be charged for special hauling permits issued to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania any city borough incorporated town township county poor or school district of this Commonwealth

(f) No fee shall be charged for transfer of registration for the succeeding year when such transfer has been received and completed by the department prior to January first of such succeeding year

(g) No fee shall be charged for a certificate of junk issued to any person

(h) No fee shall be charged a manufacturer jobber or dealer for a certificate of title to a new motor vehicle when assignment of certificate of title accompanies the application for certificate of title

Section 723 No Other Taxes or Fees to be Imposed Exception—The fees herein set forth shall be in lieu of any other fees or taxes to be imposed by this Commonwealth or sub-division thereof and no city borough incorporated town township or county shall require or collect any registration or license fee or tax for any motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer or license from any operator thereof except motor busses and motor omnibusses transporting passengers for pay or hire within the limits of any city or from points within such city to points outside of the city limits

Section 724 Motor License Fund—The department shall collect all fees payable under this act and all other moneys received in connection with the administration of this act and transmit them to the State Treasury where they shall be kept in the "Motor License Fund" separate and from all other moneys in the State Treasury

ARTICLE VIII

EQUIPMENT

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Section 801 Required Lighting Equipment—(a) When Vehicles Must Be Equipped—Every vehicle upon a highway within this Commonwealth during the period from one (1) hour after sunset to one (1) hour before sunrise and at any other time when there is not sufficient light to render clearly

discernible any person on the highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead shall be equipped with lighted front and rear lamps as in this section respectively required for different classes of vehicles

(b) Head Lamps on Motor Vehicles—Every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle or bicycle with motor attached shall be equipped with two (2) head lamps and no less at the front of and on opposite sides of the motor vehicle which headlamps shall comply with the requirements and limitations set forth in this act and except as to acetylene headlamps approved by the secretary

(c) Head Lamps on Motorcycles—Every motorcycle shall be equipped with at least one (1) head lamp which shall comply with the requirements and limitations set forth in this act and except as to acetylene head lamps shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

(d) Rear Lamps and Illumination of Rear Registration Plate—Every motor vehicle and every trailer or semi-trailer attached to a motor vehicle shall carry at the rear a lamp of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary and which exhibits a red light plainly visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear of such vehicle and so constructed and placed that the number plate carried on the rear of such vehicle shall under like conditions be so illuminated by a white light as to be read from a distance of fifty (50) feet to the rear of such vehicle

(e) Clearance Lamps—Every motor vehicle having a width at any part in excess of ninety (90) inches shall carry at least one (1) clearance lamps on the left side of such vehicle and displaying a white or green light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of the vehicle and displaying a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear of the vehicle Provided That motorcycles having more than two (2) wheels or with side car equipment shall display a clearance lamps in such a manner as to indicate the right lateral extension of the vehicle

(f) Lamps on Bicycles—Every bicycle and every bicycle with motor attached shall be equipped with a lighted lamp on the front thereof visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet in front of such bicycle or bicycle with motor attached and shall also be equipped with a reflex mirror or lamp on the rear exhibiting or reflecting a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of such bicycle or bicycle with motor attached

(g) Lights on Other Vehicles—All vehicles not required in this act to be equipped with specific lighted lamps shall carry one (1) or more lighted lamps or lanters displaying a white light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of not less than five hundred (500) feet to the front and rear of such vehicles except for vehicles other than motor vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk.

(h) Lights on Parked Motor Vehicles—Whenever a motor vehicle is parked or stopped upon a highway whether attended or unattended during the time when lights are required by this section may in lieu of the lighting equipment specified show one (1) white or green light carried on the left side of the motor vehicle visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of such vehicle and projecting a red light visible under like conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear Provided That local authorities may by ordinance or rule or regulation establish zones within which motor vehicles may remain standing without lights

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) or (f) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (g) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of two (2) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than one (1) day

Section 802 Additional Permissible Lights—(a) Spot Lamps—Any motor vehicle may be equipped with not to exceed two (2) spot lamps except that a motorcycle shall not be equipped with more than one (1) spot lamp and every lighted spot lamp shall be so aimed and used upon approaching another vehicle that no part of the beam will be directed to the left of the center of the highway nor more than one hundred (100) feet ahead of the vehicle

(b) Auxiliary Driving Lamps—Any motor vehicle may be equipped with not less than two (2) auxiliary driving lamps mounted on the front which lamps shall comply with requirements and limitations set forth in this act and shall be of types which at the time of their use are approved by the secretary

(c) Signal Lamps and Mechanical Signal Devices—1 Whenever a motor vehicle is equipped with a signal lamp the signal lamp shall be so constructed and located on the vehicle as to give a signal yellow or red or green in color which shall be plainly visible in normal sunlight from a distance of one hundred (100) feet to the rear of the vehicle but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light and shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

2 When a vehicle is equipped with a mechanical signal the mechanical signal shall be so constructed and located on the vehicle as to give a signal plainly visible from a distance of one hundred (100) feet to the rear of the vehicle and shall be of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 803 Requirements as to Head Lamps and Auxiliary Driving Lamps—(a) The head lamps or head lamp of motor vehicles shall be so constructed arranged adjusted and attached that except as provided in this act they will at all time mentioned in this act and under normal atmospheric conditions and on a level road produce a driving light sufficient to render clearly discernible all vehicles persons or substantial objects one hundred sixty (160) feet ahead but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of such head lamps or head lamp Provided That for motorcycles the distance at which vehicle persons or substantial objects shall be clearly discernible shall be one hundred fifteen (115) feet

(b) Head lamps or head lamp shall be deemed to comply with the foregoing provisions prohibiting glaring and dazzling lights if no part of the main bright portion of the head lamp beam rises above a horizontal plane passing through the lamp centers parallel to the level of the highway upon which the loaded vehicle stands and in no case higher than forty-two (42) inches at a distance seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the vehicle

(c) Whenever a motor vehicle is being operated upon a highway or a portion thereof which is sufficiently lighted to reveal vehicles persons or substantial objects on such highway at a distance of two hundred (200) feet ahead of motor vehicle it shall be permissable to dim the headlamps or headlamp or to tilt the beams or beam downward or to substitute therefor the light from side lights or auxiliary driving lamps subject to the restrictions as to tilted beams and auxiliary driving lamps as provided in this act

(d) Restrictions on Lamps Bulbs and Reflectors—Any device other than headlamps spot lamps or auxiliary driving lamps which project a beam of light of an intensity greater than twenty-five (25) candlepower shall be so directed that no part of the beam will strike the level of the surface on which the vehicle stands at a distance of more than fifty (50) feet from the vehicle

Every electric lamp or bulb used in any head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp on any motor vehicle shall not exceed the mean spherical candlepower designated in certificate of approval as issued by the secretary

Every electric lamp or bulb used in any side light shall not exceed four (4) mean spherical candlepower

Every reflector which is used as a part of any head lamp shall have a highly polished silvered or glass or other reflecting surface and shall be free from dents rust and other imperfections

(e) Whenever a motor vehicle meets another vehicle on any highway it shall be permissable to tilt the beams or beam of the headlamps or headlamp downward or to substitute therefor the light from auxiliary driving lamps subject to the requirement that the tilted beams or beam or the beams from the auxiliary driving lamps shall give sufficient illumination under normal atmospheric conditions and on an approximately level highway to render clearly discernible vehicles persons or substantial objects seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the motor vehicle but shall not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of the motor vehicle Provided That at all times required in this act at least two (2) lights shall be displayed on the front of and on opposite sides of every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle which shall display at least one (1) light as provided in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 804 Acetylene Lights Motor vehicles may be equipped with two (2) acetylene headlamps of approximately equal candlepower when equipped with clear plain glass fronts bright spherical or Mangan mirrors not to exceed six (6) inches in diameter and standard acetylene five-eights (5/8) foot burners not more and not less and which do not project a glaring or dazzling light into the eyes of approaching persons except that motorcycles may be equipped with one (1) acetylene headlamp of these specifications

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 805 Use Test and Approval of Lamps— (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to use upon a motor vehicle upon a highway any electric headlamp lens reflector or headlight control device or any electric auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechnaical signal device or signal lamp unless of a type which has been submitted to the secretary for test and for which a certificate of approval has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect as provided in this act

(b) The secretary is hereby authorized to adopt and enforce rules and uniform standard specifications as to the amount color and direction of light to be emitted by headlamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps mechanical signal devices and signal lamps and the secretary is authorized and required to determine whether any headlamps auxiliary driving lamps signal lamps mechanical signal devices and rear lamps submitted will comply with such rules and uniform standard specifications and the secretary may approve such headlamps auxiliary driving lamps signal lamps mechanical signal devices and rear lamps and to publish lists of such devices by name and type together with the permissible candlepower rating of the electric lamps or bulbs as he shall determine are lawful thereunder

(c) Any person desiring approval of any lighting device or mechanical signal device herein provided shall submit to the secretary two (2) sets of each type of device upon which approval is desired together with the fee provided in this act The secretary shall upon notice to the applicant submit such device to the United States Bureau of Standards or to such other recognized testing laboratory he may elect for a report as to the compliance of such device with the rules and uniform standard specifications adopted by the secretary Such devices will also be subject to any road tests or other tests as the secretary may deem necessary to determine that each type of headlamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device and signal lamp they and their component parts are so constructed and mounted as to render them readily and universally adjustable to conform to the requirements as adopted by the secretary The secretary is authorized to refuse approval of any lighting device or mechanical signal device certified as complying with the specifications and requirements which the secretary determines will be in actual use unsafe or impracticable or would fail to comply with the provisions of this act or such requirements as may be adopted by the secretary

(d) The secretary shall request the testing agency to submit a report of each type of device to the secretary in duplicate For those which are found to comply with the specifications and requirements the report shall include any special adjustments required and the candlepower rating of the bulbs for such conformance Reports of all tests shall be accessible to the public and a copy thereof shall be furnished by the secretary to the applicant for the test

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 806 Illegal Sale of Lighting Devices—It shall be unlawful for any person to sell or to offer for sale either separately or as a part of the equipment of a motor vehicle any head lamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp or signal lamp unless such device is approved by the secretary and bears the trade mark or name under which it is approved so as to be legible when installed and is accompanied by printed instructions as to the candlepower of bulbs to be used therewith as approved by the Secretary and any particular methods of mounting or adjustment as to focus or aim necessary for compliance with the requirements of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 807 Revocation of Certificates of Approval of Lighting Devices—(a) Any certificates of approval however heretofore or hereafter issued may be revoked by the secretary after a hearing before the secretary or his represntative of which the person named therein or his successor in interest shall be given reasonable notice or opportunity to hear or be heard upon the grounds that the lighting device or mechanical signal device does not comply with the provisions of this act regulations adopted or is not being supplied in production in accordance with specifications original blue print assemblies or sample devices originally submitted However revocation of certificates of approval of devices heretofore or hereafter approved shall not take effect until three (3) months after decision of the secretary revoking same

(b) The secretary may adopt uniform standard specifications for head lamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps signal lamps and may promulgate certain rules and regulations not inconsistent with this act to govern his decision in approving any lighting device or mechanical signal device or revoking any certificate of approval issued for such devices

(c) Certificates approving each type of head lamp device hereafter issued by the secretary will expire and be void after two (2) years from date of issue unless the manufacturer has prior to the expiration date made application for renewal of such certificate furnishing two (2) pair of samples for test purposes in accordance with this act together with the fee provided in this act and new certificate of approval has been issued

(d) Certificates approving each type of auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device and signal lamp hereafter issued by the secretary will expire and be void after two (2) years from date of issue unless the manufacturer has prior to the expiration date made application for renewal of any such certificate furnishing two (2) samples for test purposes in accordance with this act together with fee provided in this act and new certificate of approval has been issued

(e) When no renewal application is made and when an application for renewal of certificate of approval is refused the head lamp auxiliary driving lamp rear lamp mechanical signal device or signal lamp will become illegal for use on motor vehicles after two (2) years from date of expiration of certificate Provided however new motor vehicles will not be titled unless the lighting devices are of an approved type for application for title

Section 808 Enforcement and Authority to Refuse Title or Registration—(a) A head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp will be presumed to project a glaring or dazzling light if the top of any main beam of light projected by it is at a distance of twenty-five (25) feet ahead of the motor vehicle on an ap-

proximately level stretch of highway projected on the body of a person or on a motor vehicle or on any object at a height greater than the distance of the centers of the lamps from the highway A head lamp or auxiliary driving lamp mounted on a motor vehicle at a height higher than forty-two (42) inches above the highway will be presumed to project a glaring or dazzling light if the top of the beam of light projected by it on an approximately level stretch of highway be higher than forty-two (42) inches above the highway seventy-five (75) feet ahead of the vehicle

(b) The owner or operator of any motor vehicle equipped with approved headlamps auxiliary driving lamps rear lamps or signal lamp who is notified by a peace officer that such lamps are improperly adjusted or are equipped with bulbs of a candle-power not approved for use therewith shall be allowed forty-eight (48) hours within which to adjust and equip such lamps to conform with the requirements of this act To submit a certificate to the peace officer giving notification issued or executed by an official headlight adjusting station showing that within forty-eight (48) hours after such notification the lamps have been adjusted or equipped to conform with the requirements of this act shall relieve the owner or operator from arrest Unless such certificate is received by the peace officer within five (5) days from the date of notification showing that the lamps have been adjusted or equipped as required in this act information for arrest shall be made

(c) Any non-resident not required to register a motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer shall be exempt from the provisions of this act with regard to lighting equipment for the same period during which such person is exempt from registration under this act if the lighting equipment of such vehicles conforms to the requirements of the laws of the foreign country or state in which the motor vehicle trailer or semi-trailer is registered

(d) The secretary may refuse to title or issue registration for any motor vehicle the lighting equipment of which is not approved for use in this Commonwealth

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) or (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 809 Red Light Visible From in Front of Vehicle—No person shall operate or move any vehicle upon a highway with a red light displayed on the front thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 810 Official Headlight Adjusting Stations—(a) The secretary is authorized to designate furnish instruction to and to supervise official stations for adjusting head lamps and auxiliary driving lamps to conform with the provisions of this act The establishment of official headlight adjusting stations shall mean the designation of any place which shall comply with the requirements for a test station as determined by the secretary When headlamps and auxiliary driving lamps have been adjusted in conformity with the instructions issued by the secretary a certificate of adjustment shall be issued to the owner or operator of the motor vehicle on a form prescribed by the secretary and showing date of issue registration number of the motor vehicle owner's name name of vehicle and official designation of the adjusting station

(b) The secretary shall approve methods of headlamp and auxiliary driving lamp tests Approval of the use of head lamp testing equipment may be given by the secretary When necessary the United States Bureau of Standards or such other recognized testing agency may be called upon to assist the secretary in determining whether the headlamp testing equipment shall be approved for the purposes set forth in this act

(c) If the secretary finds that the business of any official adjusting station is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of such station

(d) It shall be unlawful for any person to display or cause or permitted to be displayed any sign mark or advertisement as an Official Headlight Adjusting Station unless certificate of appointment has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect or to furnish a certificate of Headlight Adjustment when not authorized to do so

(e) It shall be unlawful for the owner or any employe of an Official Headlight Adjusting Station to violate rules adopted by the secretary governing the correction adjustment or repair and inspection of lamps

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (d) or (e) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 811 Brakes—(a) Every motor vehicle titled or registered in this Commonwealth and when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with brakes adequate to control the movement of and to stop and to hold such vehicle including two (2) separate means of applying the brakes each of which means shall be effective to apply the brakes to at least two (2) wheels If these two (2) separate means of applying the brakes are connected in any way they shall be so constructed that failure of any one (1) part of the operating mechanism shall not leave the motor vehicle without brakes on at least two (2) wheels

(b) Every motorcycle and bicycle with motor attached titled or registered in this Commonwealth and when operated upon a highway shall be provided with at least one (1) brake which may be operated by hand or foot

(c) All such brakes shall be maintained in good working order and shall conform to regulations further provided in this act

(d) On and after July first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one all new motor vehicles titled or registered in this Commonwealth shall be equipped with brakes as respectively required in this act for different classes of motor vehicles capable of conforming to braking requirements further provided in this act

(e) On a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material the service brake shall be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance.

(f) On a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material the emergency brake shall be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance

(g) Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with semi-trailers attached exceeding seven thousand (7000) pounds gross weight shall be capable of stopping on a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material within the following distances or at rates corresponding in each instance to the several performances specified

Within fifty (50) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon simultaneous application of the service and emergency brakes

Within seventy-five (75) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon application of the service brake alone

Within seventy-five (75) feet from twenty (20) miles per hour upon application of the emergency brake alone

(h) When any motor vehicle with trailer attached is operated in combination the application of brakes shall be construed to mean the application of all brakes on the motor vehicle and trailer which are normally capable of being operated simultaneously by the operator

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provision of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 812 Brake Enforcement—(a) The brakes on a motor vehicle will be presumed to be unsafe and to require immediate attention if on a dry approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material the service brake will not be capable of stopping the motor vehicle from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet and the emergency brake under the same conditions within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which cor-

responds to such performance except that the brakes on commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with semi-trailers attached exceeding seven thousand (7000) pounds gross weight will be presumed to be unsafe and to require immediate attention if on a dry hard approximately level stretch of highway free from loose material both brakes applied simultaneously will not be capable of stopping such vehicles from a speed of twenty (20) miles per hour within a distance of fifty (50) feet and the service and emergency brakes applied separately under the same conditions within a distance of seventy-five (75) feet or at a rate which corresponds to such performance Or when on a descending grade not exceeding ten (10) per centum motor vehicle will drift with either service or emergency brake applied singly.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle without required number of brakes in good working condition The owner or operator of any motor vehicle who is notified by a peace officer that such brake or brakes are improperly adjusted or are unsafe or unfit or in need of correction adjustment or repairs shall be allowed forty-eight (48) hours within which to correct adjust or repair such brakes to conform with the requirements of this act To submit a certificate to the peace officer giving the notification issued or executed by an official brake adjusting station showing that within forty-eight (48) hours after such notification the brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired to conform with the requirements of this act shall relieve the owner or operator from arrest Unless such certificate is received by the peace officer within five (5) days from the date of notification showing that the brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired as required in this act information for arrest shall be made Provided that when service and emergency brakes applied together will not stop a motor vehicle within distances defined in this act or hold a motor vehicle on a descending grade not exceeding ten (10) per centum the owner or operator may be required to make temporary correction adjustment or repairs before being permitted to proceed with the motor vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 813—Official Brake Adjusting Statons—(a) The secretary is authorized to designate furnish instructions to and to supervise Official Stations for correction adjustment repairs and inspection of motor vehicle brakes The establishment of Official Brake Adjusting Stations shall mean the designation of any place which shall comply with the requirements for a test station as determined by the secretary When brakes have been corrected adjusted or repaired and inspected and found to conform with the instructions issued by the secretary only then shall a certificate of adjustment be issued to the owner or operator of the motor vehicle on a form prescribed by the secretary showing date of issue registration number of the vehicle owner's name and address name of vehicle and offical designation of the adjusting station

(b) If the secretary finds that the business of any Official Brake Adjusting Station is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of such station

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to display or cause or permit to be displayed any sign mark or advertisement as an Official Brake Adjusting Station unless Certificate of Appointment has been issued by the secretary and is then in effect or to furnish certificate of brake adjustment when not authorized to do so

(d) The secretary shall approve methods of Brake Tests Approval of the use of mechanical brake testing equipment may be given by the secretary When necessary the United States Bureau of Standards or such other recognized testing agency may be called upon to assist the secretary in determining whether the mechanical brake testing equipment shall be approved for the purposes set forth in this act

(e) It shall be unlawful for the owner or any employe of an official Brake Adjusting Station to violate rules adopted by the secretary governing the correction adjustment repair or inspection of brakes

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (c) or (e) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 814 Horns and Warning Devices—(a) Every motor vehicle when operated upon a highway shall be equipped with a horn or other warning device in good working order capable of emitting sound audible under normal conditions from a distance of not less than two hundred (200) feet and it shall be unlawful except as otherwise provided in this act for any vehicle to be equipped with or for any person to use upon a vehicle any siren bell compression or sparkplug whistle or for any person at any time to use a horn or other warning devices otherwise than as a reasonable warning or to make any unnecessary or unreasonably loud or harsh sound by means of a horn or other warning device

(b) Every police and fire department and fire patrol vehicle and every ambulance may be equipped with a bell siren compression or sparkplug whistle of a type approved by the secretary

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 815 Mirrors—No person shall operate a motor vehicle on a highway which motor vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent the operator from obtaining a view of the highway to the rear by looking backward from the operator's position unless such vehicle is equipped with a mirror so located as to reflect to the operator a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of such vehicle Provided That persons who have less than two (2) per centum of normal hearing to whom an operator's license has been issued shall be required to have any motor vehicle which they may operate equipped with a mirror attached and adjusted to enable them to see traffic approaching from the rear

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrat be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 816 Windshields Must Be Unobstructed and Equipped with Wipers—(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any motor vehicle upon a highway with any sign poster or other non-transparent material upon the front windshield side wings side or rear windows of such motor vehicle other than a certificate or other paper required by law or so directed by the secretary to be displayed Provided however that signal lamps of a type approved by the secretary shall not be considered a violation of this section

(b) Every permanent windshield on a motor vehicle shall be equipped with a device for cleaning rain snow or other moisture from the windshield which device shall be so constructed as to be controlled or operated by the operator of the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 817 Obscene or Vulgar Signs or Markings—It shall be unlawful for any vehicle to be operated upon any highway having on any part of such vehicle or its legal attachments thereto any plates cards tags letterings or markings of an obscene or vulgar nature

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days.

Section 818 Flag or Light at End of Load—Whenever the load on any vehicle shall extend more than four (4) feet beyond the rear of the chasis bed or body thereof there shall be displayed at the end of such load in such position as to be clearly visible at all times from the rear a red flag not less than twelve (12) inches both in length and width except that between one (1) hour after sunset and one (1) hour before sunrise there shall be displayed at the end of any such

load a red light plainly visible under normal atmospheric conditions at least two hundred (200) feet from the rear

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 819 Prevention of Noise—(a) No person shall operate a motor vehicle on a highway unless such motor vehicle is equipped with a muffler in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise

(b) It shall be unlawful to use a muffler cut-out on any motor vehicle upon a highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 820 Chains and Tires—(a) Every solid rubber tire on a vehicle moved on any highway shall have rubber on its entire traction surface at least one (1) inch thick above the edge of the flange of the entire periphery

(b) Every cushion rubber tire on a vehicle moved on any highway shall have rubber on its entire traction surface at least two and one-quarter (2¼) inches thick above the edge of the flange of the entire periphery

(c) No tire on a vehicle moved on a highway shall have on its periphery any block stud flange cleat or spike or any other protuberances of any material other than rubber which projects beyond the tread of the traction surface of the tire except that it shall be permissible to use tire chains consisting of not less than five (5) cross chains or which do not project more than one (1) inch upon the outside surface of the periphery of the wheel of any vehicle when required for safety because of snow ice or other conditions tending to cause a vehicle to slide or skid

(d) The width of rubber tires for the purpose of this act shall be ascertained by measuring the width of tire at the base of channel or between the flanges of the metal rim except pneumatic tires the width of which shall be determined by measuring the greatest width of tire casing The width of metal tires shall be determined by measuring the width of contact of tire with the road surface

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (a) (b) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a megistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 821—Sifting or Leaking Loads—No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any highway unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent its contents from dropping sifting leaking or otherwise escaping therefrom

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 822 Transportation of Explosives—Vehicles when used for transporting explosives over the highways must be marked or placarded on both sides and the rear with the word "Explosives" in letters not less than three (3) inches high or conspicuously display on the rear of vehicle a red flag not less than twenty-four (24) inches square marked with the word "Danger" in white letters six inches high

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 823—Official Inspection Stations—(a) It shall be the duty of the secretary upon proclamation by the Governor to compel every resident owner of a motor vehicle being operated in this Commonwealth except motorcycles and bicycles with motor attached to submit the motor vehicle to such inspection of its mechanism and equipment as may be designated by the secretary

(b) If such inspections disclose the necessity for adjustments corrections or repairs in order to bring the motor vehicle in conformance with the provisions of this act it shall be compulsory upon the owner to have such adjustments corrections or repairs made within the period designated in the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation

(c) The secretary is hereby authorized to designate furnish instructions to and supervise Official Inspection Stations for the purpose of such inspections

(d) Such Official Inspection Stations when duly authorized shall issue Official Certificates of Inspection for every motor vehicle so inspected on a form furnished by the department but no such Certificates of Inspection shall be issued the duty of the Secretary upon proclamation by the Governor or displayed on any motor vehicle or by the owner or operator of any motor vehicle until and unless the motor vehicle for which it is issued has been brought into conformance with the requirements of the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation and this act

(e) It shall be the duty of such designated Official Inspection Stations to report all such inspections to the secretary on forms furnished by the department and in the event of refusal on the part of any owner or operator to have the necessary adjustments corrections and repairs made the secretary after investigation may invoke the provisions of section four hundred eleven sub-section (a) of this act

(f) If the secretary finds that the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation or the driections of the secretary are not being complied with or that the business of such stations in connection with such inspections is being poorly or badly conducted he may revoke the designation of any such stations

(g) During the period designated in the hereinbefore mentioned proclamation any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority may stop any motor vehicle and require the owner or operator to display an Official Certificate of Inspection for the motor vehicle being operated It shall be unlawful for any such certificate to be displayed on a motor vehicle or by the owner or operator unless an Official Inspection of its mechanism or equipment shall have been made and the motor vehicle conforms to the provisions of this act

(h) For a further period of thirty (30) days after the expiration of the inspection period it shall be unlawful to operate any motor vehicle on a highway unless the motor vehicle has been inspected and a certificate furnished and displayed or other satisfactory proof of inspection furnished

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsections (g) or (h) of this section, shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE IX

SIZE WEIGHT AND CONSTRUCTION

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Section 901 Scope and Effect of Regulations—It shall be unlawful for any person to operate or move or for the owner to cause or knowingly permit to be driven or moved on any highway any vehicle or vehicles of a size or weight exceeding the limitations provided in this act or any vehicle or vehicles which are not so constructed or equipped as required in this act or the rules and regulations of the secretary adopted pursuant thereto and the maximum size and weight of vehicles herein specified shall be lawful throughout this Commonwealth and the secretary and local authorities shall have no power or authority to alter said limitations except as express authority may be granted in this act

Section 902 Size of Vehicles and Loads—(a) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum width including any load thereon of ninety-six (96) inches except that the limitations as to size of vehicles stated in this act shall not apply to vehicles loaded with hay or straw in bulk

(b) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum height including any load thereon of

one hundred and seventy-four inches but nothing herein contained shall be construed to require the public authorities to provide vertical clearance to permit the operation of such vehicles

(c) No vehicle except fire department equipment shall exceed a total maximum length including any load thereon of three hundred ninety-six (396) inches and no combination of vehicles coupled together shall exceed a total maximum length of eighty-five (85) feet

1 No motor vehicle shall be operated upon a highway drawing or having attached thereto more than one other vehicle except that a truck tractor with semi-trailer attached may draw in addition thereto one (1) other vehicle

2 The distance between any two vehicles one of which is towing or drawing the other shall not exceed fifteen (15) feet from one vehicle to the other except when the load on the towed vehicle is coupled directly to and is not more than five (5) feet from the towing vehicle Whenever the connection consists of a chain rope bar or cable there shall be displayed upon such connection a flag not less than twelve (12) inches in length and width

(d) No vehicle except a trailer or semi-trailer shall carry any load or part thereof extending more than five (5) feet beyond the front extremity

(e) No vehicle except as herein provided shall carry any load extending beyond the line of the fenders on the left side of such vehicle nor extending more than six (6) inches beyond the line of the fender on the right side thereof

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 903 Weight of Vehicles and Loads—(a) Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors other than those electrically operated shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
R	Less than 2000	5000
S	2000 and over but less than 3000	7000
T	3000 and over but less than 4000	11000
U	4000 and over but less than 5000	13000
V	5000 and over but less than 6000	18000
W	6000 and over but less than 7500	22000
Y	7500 and over but less than 9000	25000
Z	9000 and over but less than 120000	26000
ZZ	12000 and over	33000

(b) Electrically operated commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes as follows

Class	Gross Weight in Pounds
R	5000
S	7000
T	11000
U	15000
V	18000
W	22000
Y	25000
Z	33000

(c) Trailers shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	3000
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	6000
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	10000
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	16000
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	20000
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	24000
G	6000 and over	26000

(d) Semi-trailers shall not be used or operated on any highway with gross weight exceeding those specified for the several classes and weights of chassis as follows

Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds	Gross Weight in Pounds
A	Less than 1000	3000
B	1000 and over but less than 2000	6000
C	2000 and over but less than 3000	10000
D	3000 and over but less than 4000	12000
E	4000 and over but less than 5000	15000
F	5000 and over but less than 6000	18000
G	6000 and over	19500

(e) No four-wheeled vehicle except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highways wiht a gross weight in excess of twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds or in excess of nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) pounds on any axle or in excess of eight hundred (800)pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel

(f) No six or more wheeled vehicle except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highway with a gross weight in excess of thirty-six thousand (36000) pounds or in excess of eight thousand (8000) pounds on the front axle and in excess of fourteen thousand (14000) pounds on each of the rear axles or in excess of eight (800) pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel and the two rear axles shall be parallel and shall not be less than thirty-six (36) inches apart

(g) No truck tractor and semi-trailer combined except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highway with a gross weight in excess of thirty-nine thousand (39,000) pounds or in excess of nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) pounds on any axle or in excess of eight hundred (800) pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel axle or axles of semi-trailer shall not be less than ninety-six (96) inches from the axle of the truck tractor

(h) Maximum gross weights provided in this section are permissible only under conditions where no other restrictions are provided in this act or in any other laws regulating the gross maximum weight of vehicles

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 904 Officers May Weigh Vehicles and Require Removal of Excess Load—Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority having reason to believe that the weight of a vehicle and load is unlawful is authorized to weigh the same either by means of portable or stationary scales or may require that such vehicle be driven to the nearest stationary scales in the event such scales are within a distance of two (2) miles The peace officer may then require the operator to unload immediately such portion of the load as may be necessary to decrease the gross weight of such vehicle to the maximum gross weight specified in this act except as herein provided for special permits And further provided That no arrests shall be made in cases where the maximum gross weights provided in this act are not exceeded by more than ten (10) per centum thereof

Penalty—Any person refusing to unload excess weight when so ordered shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 905 Permits for Excessive Size and Weight—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities in their respective jurisdictions may in their discretion upon application in writing accompanied by the fee provided in this act and good cause being shown therefor issue a special permit in writing authorizing the applicant to operate or move a vehicle of a size and weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the authorities granting the permit are responsible Every such permit shall be issued for a single trip and shall designate the route to be traversed and contain any other restrictions or conditions deemed necessary by the authority granting such permit Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any peace officer or employe of the Department of High-

ways of this Commonwealth or person having collision with vehicle

(b) In the event of a catastrophe or accident affecting the public safety or convenience it shall be lawful to operate or move a vehicle of a size or weight in excess of that permitted by this act if a report thereof is immedaitely made in writing to the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities In such cases a permit shall issue subsequent to the movement

Penalty—Any person operating or moving a vehicle or load of a size or weight exceeding the maximum specified in this act without first having obtained a permit or permits so to do shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 906 Special Limitations—(a) No vehicle shall be operated upon any highway where such operation has been prohibited or restricted by the Secretary of Highways or local authorities as set forth in section one thousand one hundred and one (1101) of this act when appropraite signs are erected and maintained

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any bridge causeway or viaduct any vehicle which together with its load exceeds the maximum weight permitted and mentioned in the posted signs erected and maintained in accordance with the requiremcnts as set forth in section one thousand one hundred and two (1102) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE X

TRAFFIC

OPERATION OF VEHICLES RULES OF THE ROAD

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Section 1001—Reckless Driving—Reckless driving is unlawful and for the purpose of this act is construed to include the following

(a) Any person who drives any vehicle upon a highway carelessly and wilfully or wantonly disregarding the rights or safety of others or in a manner so as to endanger any person or property

(b) If investigation into an accident arising from the use and operation of a motor vehicle discloses that the accident occurred due to the front seat of the motor vehicle having been occupied by more than three (3) persons Provided that this provision shall not apply to a motor vehicle the front seat of which has been constructed to accommodate more than three (3) persons and further provided that there is sixteen (16) inches of seating capacity for each passenger or occupant so accommodated on said front seat

(c) Any person who shall participate in any physical endurance test or any race or speed contest with a motor vehicle on any highway

Penalty—Any person charged with reckless driving shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten ($10) dollars nor more than twenty-five ($25.00) and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1002—Restrictions as to Speed—(a) Any person driving a vehicle on a highway shall drive the same at a careful and prudent speed not greater than nor less than is reasonable and proper having due regard to the traffic surface and width of the highway and of any other restrictions or conditions then and there existing and no person shall drive any vehicle upon a highway at such a speed as to endanger the life limb or property of any person nor at a speed greater than will permit him to bring the vehicle to a stop within the assured clear distance ahead

(b) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section speeds in excess of the maximum limits hereinafter provided shall be unlawful

1 Ten (10) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles when passing any interurban or street car taking on or discharging passengers at an intersection where a safety zone has been established or where traffic is controlled by a peace officer or a traffic signal

2 Fifteen (15) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when passing a school building during school recess or while children are going to or leaving school during opening or closing hours

3 Twenty (20) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds within business or residence districts where signs erected by the proper authorities on the right hand side of the highway facing the traffic to be controlled are displayed bearing the words "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height This limit shall be observed for a distance beyond said sign for not more than one-eighth (⅛) of a mile An additional sign shall be placed at intervals not greater than one-eighth of a mile and any extension of such limited zone shall be marked by additional signs in like manner At the end of such limited zone there shall be a sign similarly placed as to traffic bearing the words "END OF TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height

All vehicles except those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when approaching within two hundred (200) feet of a railway grade crossing where sign erected by the proper authorities is displayed bearing the words "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" in letters not less than four (4) inches in height

All vehicles except those being operated on Through Highways and those restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds when approaching within fifty (50) feet and in traversing an intersection of highways within a business or residence district when the driver's view is obstructed except on highways controlled at intersections by peace officer or traffic signal A driver's view shall be deemed to be obstructed if during the last fifty (50) feet of his approach to such intersection he does not have a clear and uninterrupted view of such intersection and of the traffic upon all of the highways entering such intersection for a distance of two hundred (200) feet from such intersection

4 Forty (40) miles an hour speed limit

All vehicles except those otherwise restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds

(c) Subject to the provisions of sub-sections (a) and (b) of this section it shall be unlawful for the following kinds types and classes of vehicles to exceed the maximum speed limits hereinafter provided

1 Ten (10) miles an hour speed limit

Tractors

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class Z and ZZ

2 Twelve (12) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class Y

3 Fifteen (15) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class V and W

4 Eighteen (18) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires Class U

5 Twenty (20) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires Class S and T

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class W Y Z and ZZ

6 Twenty-four (24) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with solid rubber tires—Class R

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class Y Z and ZZ

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class U and V

7 Thirty (30) miles an hour speed limit

Motor busses and omnibusses with solid rubber or cushion rubber tires—Class B C D and E

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class V and W

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class R S and T

8 Thirty-five (35) miles an hour speed limit

Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class R S T and U

Motor busses and omnibusses with pneumatic tires—Class C and D

(d) When the rate of speed of any vehicle is timed on a measured stretch of any highway within a business or residence district where "TWENTY MILE SPEED LIMIT" signs are erected as provided in this section for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the operator of such vehicle is violating a speed provision of this act such time shall be taken by not less than two (2) peace officers one of whom shall have been stationed at each end of such measured stretch and no conviction shall be had upon the unsupported evidence of one (1) peace officer except as hereinafter provided and no such measured stretch shall be less than one-eighth (⅛) of a mile in length Under all other conditions the rate of speed may be timed for a distance of not less than one quarter (¼) mile by a peace officer using a motor vehicle equipped with a speedometer tested for accuracy within a period of thirty (30) days prior to the alleged violation

(e) In every information charging violation of this section reference shall be made to this section and sub-section alleged to have been violated specifying the speed at which the defendant is alleged to have driven

(f) The speed limitations set forth in this section shall not apply to vehicles when operated with due regard for safety under the directions of the police in the chase or apprehension of violators of the law or of persons charged with or suspected of any such violation nor to fire department or fire patrol vehicles when traveling in response to a fire alarm nor to ambulances when traveling in emergencies The exemption shall not however protect the driver of any such vehicle from the consequences of a reckless disregard of the safety of others

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1003—Railroad Warning Signals Must Be Obeyed—Whenever any person driving a vehicle approaches an interurban or steam railway grade crossing and a clearly visible and positive signal gives warning of the immediate approach of a railway train or car it shall be unlawful for the driver of the vehicle to fail to bring the vehicle to a complete stop before traversing such grade crossing

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1004—Drive on Right Side of Highway—Upon all highways of sufficient width except upon one way streets the driver of a vehicle shall drive the same upon the right half of the highway and shall drive a slow moving vehicle as closely as possible to the right-hand edge or curb of such highway unless it is impracticable to travel on such side of the highway and except when overtaking and passing another vehicle subject to the limitations applicable in overtaking and passing set forth in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1005 Keep to the Right in Crossing Intersections or Railway Grade Crossings—In crossing an intersection of highways or in crossing a railway grade crossing the driver of a vehicle shall at all times cause such vehicle to travel on the right half of the highway unless such right half is obstructed or impassable

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1006 Meeting of Vehicles—Drivers of vehicles proceeding in opposite directions shall pass each other to the right of each giving to the other at least one-half (½) of the main traveled portion of the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1007—Overtaking a Vehicle—(a) The driver of any vehicle overtaking another vehicle proceeding in the same direction shall pass at a safe distance to the left thereof and shall not again drive to the right side of the highway until safely clear of such overtaken vehicle except when such overtaken vehicle is stopped in the lane for traffic to the right of and nearest to the centre line of the highway for the purpose of making a left hand turn then the overtaking vehicle may pass such stopped vehicle to the right

(b) The driver of an overtaking motor vehicle not within a business or residence district as herein defined shall give audible warning with his horn or other warning device before passing or attempting to pass a vehicle proceeding in the same direction

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1008—Limitations on Privilege of Overtaking and Passing—(a) The driver of a vehicle shall not drive to the left side of the center line of a highway in overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction unless such left side is clearly visible and is free of oncoming traffic for a sufficient distance ahead to permit such overtaking and passing to be made in safety

(b) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass another vehicle proceeding in the same direction when approaching the crest of a grade nor upon a curve in the highway where the driver's view along the highway is obstructed within a distance of three hundred (300) feet ahead

(c) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass any other vehicle proceeding in the same direction at any railway grade crossing nor at any intersection of highways unless such intersection or crossing is controlled by traffic signal or unless permitted so to do by a watchman or peace officer

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate

be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1009—Driver to Give Way to Overtaking Vehicle—The driver of a vehicle about to be overtaken and passed by another vehicle approaching from the rear shall give way to the right in favor of the overtaking vehicle on suitable and audible signal being given by the driver of the overtaking vehicle and shall not increase the speed of his vehicle until completely passed by the overtaking vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1010—Following Too Closely—(a) The operator of a motor vehicle shall not follow another vehicle more closey than is reasonable and prudent having due regard to the speed of such vehicle and the traffic upon and condition of the highway

(b) The operator of any commercial motor vehicle truck tractor or tractor when traveling upon a highway outside of a business or residence district shall not follow another such vehicle within one hundred (100) feet but this shall not be construed to prevent one such vehicle overtaking and passing such vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1011—Turning at Intersections—(a) The driver of a vehicle intending to turn to the right at an intersection shall approach such intersection in the lane for traffic nearest to the right-hand side of the highway and in turning shall keep as closely as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the highway

(b) The driver of a vehicle intending to turn to the left shall approach such intersection in the lane for traffic to the right of and nearest to the centre line of the highway and in turning shall pass to the left of the center of the intersection keeping as close as shall be practicable to the center of the intersection except that upon streets laned for traffic and upon one-way streets a left turn shall be made from the left lane of traffic in the direction in which the vehicle is proceeding

(c) For the purpose of this section the center of the intersection shall mean the meeting point of the medial lines of the highways intersecting one another

(d) Local Authorities when proper signs are erected may prohibit turning at intersections

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1012—Signals on Starting Stopping or Turning—(a) The driver of any vehicle upon a highway before starting stopping or turning from a direct line shall first see that such movement can be made in safety and if any pedestrian may be affected by such movement shall give a clearly audible signal by sounding the horn and whenever the operation of any other vehicle following may be affected by such movement shall give a signal as required in this section plainly visible to the driver of such other vehicle of the intention to make such movement

(b) The signal herein required shall be given either by means of the hand and arm in the manner herein specified or by an approved mechanical or electrical signal device except that when a vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent the hand and arm signal from being visible to the rear the signal shall be given by a device of a type which at the time of its use is approved by the secretary

1 Whenever the signal is given by means of the hand and arm the driver shall indicate his intention to start stop or turn by extending the hand and arm horizontally from and beyond the left side of the vehicle or if he is driving a closed vehicle by his hand and arm in such a way as to be visible through the window in the rear of the vehicle

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1013—Right of Way—(a) When two vehicles approach or enter an intersection at approximately the same time the driver of the vehicle on the left shall yield the right of way to the vehicle on the right except as otherwise provided in this act The driver of any vehicle traveling at an unlawful speed shall forfeit any right of way which he might otherwise have hereunder

(b) The driver of a vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus approaching but not having entered an intersection shall yield the right of way to a vehicle within such intersection and turning therein to the left across the line of travel of such first mentioned vehicle provided the driver of the vehicle turning left has given a plainly visible signal of intention to turn as required in this act

(c) The driver of any vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus upon a highway within a business or residence district shall yield the right of way to a pedestrian crossing such highway within a crosswalk except at intersections where the movement of traffic is being regulated by a peace officer or traffic signal Every pedestrain crossing a highway within a business or residence district at any point other than a crosswalk shall yield the right of way to vehicles upon the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1014—Exceptions to the Right of Way Rule—(a) The driver of a vehicle entering a highway from a private road or drive shall yield the irght of way to all vehicles approaching on such highway

(b) The driver of a vehicle upon a highway shall yield the right of way to police and fire department vehicles and ambulances when such vehicles are operated upon official business and the drivers thereof sound audible signal This provision shall not operate to relieve the driver of a police or fire department vehicle or ambulance from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of all persons using the highway nor shall it protect the driver of any such vehicle from the consequence of an arbitrary exercise of such right of way

(c) The driver of a vehicle entering a Through Highway which has been established as such under section one thousand one hundred and twelve (1112) of this act shall yield the right of way to all vehicles approaching in either direction on such Through Highway This provision shall not operate to relieve the driver of any vehicle being operated on a Through Highway from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of vehicles entering such Through Highway nor shall it protect the driver of any vehicle on a Through Highway from the consequence of an arbitrary exercise of such right of way

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1015—What to do on Approach of Police or Fire Department Vehicle—(a) Upon the approach of any police or fire department vehicle or ambulance giving audible signal the driver of every other vehicle shall immediately drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right-hand edge or curb of the highway celar of any intersection of highways and shall stop and remain in such position unless otherwise directed by a peace officer until the police or fire department vehicle or ambulance shall have passed

(b) It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle other than one on official busines to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a firm alarm closer than five hundred (500) feet or to drive into or park such vehicle within the block where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1016—Vehicles Must Stop at Certain Through Highways It shall be unlawful for the driver or operator of any vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus before entering

a Through Highway to fail to come to a full stop within a reasonable distance before entering the intersection on such Through Highway when "THRU TRAFFIC STOP" sign has been erected in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand one hundred and twelve (1112) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1017 Passing Street Cars—(a) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass upon the left any interurban or street car proceeding in the same direction whether actually in motion or temporarily at rest when a travelable portion of the highway exists to the right of such street car even though such portion of the highway is occupied or obstructed Provided however this provision shall not apply to one way streets

(b) No operator of a vehicle who meets or overtakes a street passenger car that has stopped for the purpose of taking on or discharging passengers shall pass said car on the side on which the passengers get on or off until the car has started and until any passengers who may have alighted have reached the side of the highway except that where a safety zone has been established or at an intersection where traffic is controlled by a peace officer or a traffic signal a vehicle need not be brought to a full stop before passing any such railway interurban or street car but may proceed past such car at a speed not greater than is reasonable or proper and in no event greater than ten (10) miles an hour and with due caution for the safety of pedestrians

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1018 Driving Through Safety Zone Prohibited— (a) No person shall drive a vehicle through or over a safety zone as defined in this act

(b) No person shall drive a vehicle to the left of a safety zone where appropriate sign has been erected as provided in this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1019 Stopping on Highway—(a) No person shall park or leave standing any vehicle whether attended or unattended upon the paved or improved or main traveled portion of any highway outside of a business or residence district when it is practicable to park or leave such vehicle standing off the paved or improved or main traveled portion of such highway Provided in no event shall any person park or leave standing any vehicle whether attended or unattended upon any highway unless a clear and unobstructed width of not less than fifteen (15) feet upon the main traveled portion of said highway opposite such standing vehicle shall be left for free passage of other vehicles thereon nor unless a clear view of such vehicle may be obtained from a distance of two hundred (200) feet in each direction upon such highway and further provided no person shall park or stand any vehicle whether attended or unattended in any no parking area where "No Parking" signs have been erected in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand one hundred and thirteen (1113) of this act

(b) Whenever any peace officer shall find a vehicle standing upon a highway in violation of the provisions of this section he is hereby authorized to move such vehicle or require the driver or person in charge of such vehicle to move such vehicle to a position permitted under this section

(c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the driver of any vehicle which is disabled while on the paved or improved or main traveled portion of a highway in such manner and to such extent that it is impossible to avoid stopping and temporarily leaving such vehicle in such position

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-section (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1020 Parking in Front of Fire Hydrant Fire Station or Private Driveway—No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended upon a highway in front of a private driveway or within fifteen (15) feet in either direction of a fire hydrant or the entrance to a fire station nor within twenty-five (25) feet from the intersection of curb lines or if none then within fifteen (15) feet of the intersection of property lines at an intersection of highways

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1021 Motor Vehicle Left Unattended Brakes to be Set and Engine Stopped—No person having control or charge of a motor vehicle shall allow such vehicle to stand on any highway unattended without first effectively setting the brakes thereon and stopping the motor of said vehicle and when standing upon any grade without turning the front wheels of such vehicle to the curb or side of the highway

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1022 Driving on Mountain Highways—The operator of a motor vehicle traversing mountain highways shall hold such motor vehicle under control and as near the right-hand side of the highway as reasonably possible

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1023 Persons Tampering with Vehicles—(a) No unauthorized person shall sound the horn handle the levers or set in motion or in any way tamper with or damage or deface any motor vehicle standing upon any public highway

(b) No person shall hang on to or ride on the outside or the rear end of any vehicle and no perso non a bicycle roller skates or any similar device shall hold fast to or hitch on to any moving vehicle

(c) No person shall throw any missile circular or pamphlet at the occupants of any vehicle or throw or place any substance upon any public highway injurious or damaging to a vehicle or the tires thereof

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of sub-sections (a) or (c) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Any person violating any the provisions of sub-section (b) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1024 Coasting Prohibited—The operator of a motor vehicle when traveling upon a down grade upon any highway shall not coast with the gears of such vehicle in neutral or clutch disengaged

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1025 Duty to Stop in Event of Accident—(a) The driver of any vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property shall immediately stop such vehicle at the scene of such accident

(b) The driver and owner if present of any vehicle involved in any accident resulting in injury or death to any person or damage to property shall upon request give his name and address and the registration number of his vehicle and exhibit his operator's license to the person struck or the driver or occupants of any vehicle collided with and shall render to any person injured in such accident reasonable assistance including the carrying of such person to a physician or surgeon

for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that such treatment is necessary or is requested by the injured person

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than two hundred ($200.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1026 Traffic Signal Interpretations—(a) It shall be unlawful for the driver or operator of any vehicle or street to disobey the directions of vehicle street car or trackless trolley omnibus to disobey the directions of any traffic signal placed in accordance with the provisions of section eleven hundred and ten (1110) of this act unless otherwise directed by a peace officer

(b) Whenever traffic at an intersection is alternately directed to stop and go by the use of traffic signals the words or colored lights or combinations thereof shall indicate as follows except as otherwise provided in this section

1 Green or "Go"—Traffic facing the signal may proceed straight ahead and make right or left turns except where no such turns are permitted when so indicated by proper signs Vehicular traffic shall yield the right of way to pedestrians and vehicles lawfully within a crosswalk or the intersection at the time such signal was exhibited

2 Yellow or "Caution"—when shown alone—Traffic facing the signal shall stop before entering the intersection and no movement of traffic shall be made except that then within the intersection and a "U" turn on a two-way street back of the intersection when so indicated by proper signs but local authorities may provide for left turns on yellow or "Caution" when so indicated by proper signs in which case there shall be no left turns on green or "Go" as above provided

3 Red or "Stop"—Traffic facing the signal shall stop before entering the intersection and remain standing until green or "Go" is shown alone No movement or turns shall be lawful on red or "Stop" except that "U" turns may be made on a two-way street back of the intersection when so indicated by proper signs

(c) Where signs indicate turns as above provided they shall be attached to the traffic signals or immediately adjacent thereto and the letters shall be at least two (2) inches in height and they shall be clearly illuminated at night

(d) The traffic signal interpretations set forth in this section shall not apply to vehicles when operated with due regard for safety under the direction of the police in the chase or apprehension of violators of the law or of persons charged with or suspected of any such violation nor to fire department or fire patrol vehicles when traveling in response to a fire alarm nor to ambulances when traveling in emergencies This exemption shall not however protect the operator of any such vehicle from the consequences of a reckless disregard of the safety of others

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and cost of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) days

Section 1027 Certain Vehicles to Stop at Railway Grade Crossing—All motor omnibuses engaged in the transportation of passengers for compensation and all motor vehicles used in the transportation of school children either on contract with the school district authorities or owned by school districts and vehicles transporting explosives shall come to a complete stop immediately before crossing a railway grade crossing

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1028 Driving over Fire Hose—No vehicle or street car shall be driven over any unprotected fire hose when same is laid down on any highway or street car track to be used at any fire or alarm of fire without the consent of the fire department or peace officers in command

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten ($10.00) dollars nor more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1029 Regulating Speed on Bridges—No person shall drive any vehicle upon any public bridge causeway or viaduct other than interstate bridges as now provided by law at a speed which is greater than the maximum speed which can with safety to such structure be maintained thereon when such structure is sign-posted as provided in section one thousand one hundred and eleven (1111) of this act

Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1030 Soliciting Sale of Goods Merchandise Tickets and Contributions No person or persons shall stand on a highway to stop impede hinder or delay the progress of any vehicle for the purpose of soliciting the purchase of goods merchandise or tickets or for the purpose of soliciting contributions for any cause whatsoever and the only question of law and fact in determining guilt under this section shall be whether goods merchandise or tickets were tendered or offered for sale or whether a contribution was solicited

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

ARTICLE XI

HIGHWAYS AND POWER TO REGULATE USE

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Section 1101 When Authorities May Restrict Right to Use Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities may by ordinance or resolution or ruling prohibit the operation of vehicles upon any highway or impose restrictions as to the weight of vehicles and their loads for a total period not to exceed ninety (90) days in any one (1) calendar year when operated upon any highway under the jurisdiction of and for the maintenance of which the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities are responsible whenever any said highway by reason of deterioration rain snow or other climatic conditions will be seriously damaged or destroyed unless the use of vehicles thereon is prohibited or the permissible weights thereof reduced the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities enacting or making any such ordinance or resolution or rule shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained signs designating the provisions of the ordinance or resolution or rule at each end of that portion of any highway affected thereby and at intersections thereof and the ordinance or resolution or rule shall not be effective until or unless such signs are erected and maintained The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or local authorities may also by ordinance or resolution or rule prohibit the operation of motor vehicles trailers or semi-trailers on designated highways as to the weights and loads thereon which prohibitions and limitations shall be designated by appropriate signs placed on such highways and their intersections

Section 1102 Regulating Weight of Vehicles on Bridges—Where any bridge causeway or viaduct owned or maintained whether owned in whole or in part by this Commonwealth or local authorites other than interstate bridges as now provided by law shall have a sign properly posted in a conspicuous place

at the entrance thereto stating the gross maximum weight permitted thereon it shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven upon any such bridge causeway or viaduct any vehicle which together with its load shall be of greater gross maximum weight than is mentioned in such sign Provided however that the restrictions as to the maximum weight mentioned in such signs shall not apply for a period exceeding one (1) year from the date of posting of such signs unless a further extension of time is authorized by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

Section 1103 Powers of Local Authorities—Local Authorities except as expressly authorized by this act shall have no power or authority to alter any speed limitations declared in this act or to enact or enforce any ordinance rule or regulation contrary to the provisions of this act except that local authorities shall have power to provide by ordinance for the regulation of traffic by means of peace officers or traffic signals on any portion of the highway where traffic is heavy or continuous and may regulate or prohibit parking stopping or loading of vehicles or prohibit other than one-way traffic upon certain highways and may regulate the use of the highways by processions or assemblages and may regulate the kinds and classes of traffic and its turning on certain highways at all or certain hours and may regulate the thansportation by motor vehicles of passengers for compensation within the limits of a city or from points in the city to points beyond the city limits and make and enforce regulations for the operation of such vehicles not inconsistent with this act and designate certain streets upon which such vehicles may be operated

Section 1104 Right of Operators on Highways Operators of motor vehicles shall have the same right upon the highways as the drivers of other vehicles and no highway open to other vehicles shall be closed to motor vehicles except as otherwise provided in this act

Section 1105 Uniform Marking of and Erection of Signs on Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized to classify and mark state highways and to provide a uniform system of marking and sign posting such highways and such system of marking and sign posting shall correlate with and so far as possible conform to the system adopted in other states

Section 1106 Local Traffic Signs Local authorities in their respective jurisdiction may cause signs to be erected and maintained as may be appropriate to give notice of legal parking and other local ordiances rules and regulations shall not be enforceable against an alleged violator if at the time and place of the alleged violation an appropriate sign giving notice thereof is not posted conspicuously by the municipalities making the same at points where any highway affected thereby joins other highways

Section 1107 Other than Official Signs Prohibited No unauthorized person shall erect or maintain upon or along any highway any warning or direction sign marker signal or light in imitation of or similar to any official sign marker signal or light erected under the provisions of this act and no person shall erect or maintain upon any highway any traffic or highway sign or signal bearing thereon any commercial advertising provided nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the erection or maintenance of signs markers or signals bearing thereon the name of an organization authorized to erect the same by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or any proper local official

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1108 Defacing Signs It shall be unlawful for any person to deface damage knock down or remove any sign posted as provided in this act

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1109 Establishment of Safety Zones—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdiction are hereby authorized to establish safety zones The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth and local authorities when establishing a safety zone shall erect and maintain signs bearing the words "SAFETY ZONE" illuminated at night or so designed to reflect light from head lamps

Section 1110 Erection of Traffic Signals—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdiction are hereby authorized to erect and maintain traffic signals Before local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class shall erect or cause to be erected traffic signals on a state highway they must first obtain the approval of the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

(b) Traffic signals electrically operated shall conform to the following

1 Where a three color system is used the yellow light following the red light shall not exceed three (3) seconds in length The timing of all lights shall be determined by the volume of traffic and other conditions

2 Where three colored lights are used the yellow shall be in the center

3 The light shall be of such power as to cause the signal to be visible for at least three-hundred (300) feet

4 Traffic signals of the pedestal type shall be placed at a height of not less than eight (8) feet above the pavement to the bottom of the signal if on a mast arm or if suspended the bottom of the signal shall clear the pavement by at least fifteen (15) feet Provided that the requirements as to height of traffic signals shall not apply to such signals installed and in operation prior to January the first nineteen hundred thirty except that replacement of present signals made in the interim shall conform to these provisions

(c) Traffic signals manually operated or commonly known as semaphores shall conform to the following

1 There may be four vanes or sides the stop vanes having a red filed with the word "STOP" plainly visible thereon and the go vanes a green field with the word "GO" plainly visible thereon

2 When used at night they shall be equipped with red and green lights corresponding with the vanes or sides and with the same visibility as electrically operated signals

(d) All traffic signal shall be so located as to be plainly visible to all traffic to be regulated

Penalty—Any official of any city borough incorporated town or township of the first class who shall erect or cause to be erected and operated a traffic signal in violation of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of one nundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1111 Regulating Speed on Bridges—The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or other proper State body or any local authority shall upon request or upon their own initiative may conduct an investigation of any public bridge causeway or viaduct under their respective jurisdictions and if it or they shall thereupon find that such structure cannot with safety to itself withstand vehicles traveling at the speed otherwise permissible under this act the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth or other State body or local authorities shall determine and declare the maximum speed of vehicles which such structure can withstand and shall cause or permit suitable signs stating such maximum speed to be erected and and maintained thereon at each end of such structure facing approaching traffic The provisions of this section shall not apply to interstate bridges as now provided by law

Section 1112 Establishment of Thru Highways—(a) The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth with reference to State highways and local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class with reference to highways under their jurisdictions are hereby authorized to designate Through Highways by erecting at the entrance thereto from intersecting highways signs bearing the words "THRU TRAFFIC STOP" the word "STOP" to be in letters at least six (6) inches in height and the letters of the words "THRU" and "TRAFFIC" shall be of the form and size approved by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth notifying operators of vehicles and street cars to come to full stop before entering or crossing such designated highway Pro-

vided however that vehicles street cars and trackless trolley omnibuses shall not be subject to the provisions of this section at an intersection during the hours when a traffic signal is actually in operation or where a peace office is actually on duty directing traffic

(b) Before local authorities in cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class shall designate any highway as a Through Highway which will intersect a state highway approval of such designation must first be obtained from the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth

(c) All signs shall be of the size form design and coloring as the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth shall direct and shall be illuminated at night or so placed as to be illuminated by the head lamps of an approaching vehicle or by street lights or the ford "STOP" may be illuminated at night or may be luminous

Section 1113 Parking Restriction on State Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized to designate certain sections of State highway routes under his jurisdiction as "No Parking Areas" and to erect and maintain the necessary signs to carry out this provision

ARTICLE XII

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Section 1220 Garage Keeper to Report Abandoned Motor Vehicle
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Section 1201 Information and Prosecutions—(a) Informations charging violations of any of the provisions of this act except in cases where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor shall be brought before the nearest available magistrate within fifteen (15) days after the commission of the alleged offense and not thereafter except that where an information is filed against a person prima facia guilty of an offense and it subsequently appears that a person other than the person named in the information was the offender an information may be led against such other person within fifteen (15) days after his or her identity shall have been discovered

(b) Prosecutions for offenses defined in this act except as otherwise herein provided shall be brought under this act and not under any local ordinance rule or regulation

(c) Prosecutions brought under any local ordinance rule or regulation which are based on a violation for which there is a specific penalty provided in this act shall be deemed and considered as having been brought under this act

Section 1202 Proceedings by Information and Warrant

(a) Summary proceedings under this act or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereinafter provided shall be commenced by the filing of information which information must be filed in the name of the Commonwealth and within the period of seven (7) days after information has been lodged the magistrate shall send by registered mail to the person charged at the address shown by the records of the department a notice in writing of the filing of the information together with a copy thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice

1 If the person named in the information shall not voluntarily appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice a warrant shall then issue and may be served by a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county in which the alleged violation has been committed

If the person charged cannot be served within such county then the magistrate shall deputize a peace officer having authority to serve warrants in the county wherein the person charged resides or may be found to serve such warrant

2 The peace officer serving such warrant shall take the defendant before the nearest available magistrate of the county in which the defendant is found who shall take bail either for the defendants appearance before the magistrate who issued the warrant or for his appearance for trial in the proper court if a summary hearing is waived

Section 1203 Arrests on View or With Warrant

(a) Peace officers when in uniform and displaying a badge or other sign of authortiy may arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person and such peace officers shall forthwith make and file with the magistrate before whom the arrested person is taken an information setting forth in detail the offense and at once furnish a copy thereof to the person arrested When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law

(b) If the defendant is unable to give bail as provided in this act for a hearing or for his appearance at court the magistrate shall accept as bail any article of sufficient value or if the defendant is the owner thereof shall hold in custody the vehicle found in his possession and the court or magistrate after the trial of the defendant or when bail according to law has been given shall make such order as to the disposition of such vehicle or other articles accepted as bail as shall seem just and proper

Section 1204 Appeals Waiving Hearings

(a) Any person convicted in any summary proceeding under this act shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction

(b) Any person charged with violating any of the provisions of this act other than felonies and misdemeanors may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the fine and costs that might be imposed for appearance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter sessions or in the county court or in the municipal court in counties wherein such court exists and thereupon the magistrate shall within fifteen (15) days return the information to the said court

(c) If any person so accused having waived a hearing shall be convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be sentenced to pay the fine and costs of prosecution or suffer imprisonment provided in this act for the offense committed If on a waived hearing or the hearing of an appeal from a summary conviction under this act before a judge of such court the defendant is found nit guilty and the defendant has paid a fine or fine and costs following the sentence on which he appealed such court upon acquitting the defendant shall decree a restitution of the said fine or fine and costs to the defendant and upon presentation of a certified copy of said decree it shall be the duty of the magistrate or other officer to whom such fine or fine and costs has been paid to refund same to the defendant provided however if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the Treasurer of any city or borough or incorporated town or township such treasurer shall refund to the defendant such fine upon presentation of claim and further provided that if the fine shall have been returned by such magistrate according to this act to the department refund shall be made as provided in Article XIII of this act In no case where the defendant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be imposed upon him in a summary proceeding under this act whether heard by a magistrate or court of record

Section 1205 Record of Magistrates

(a) Every magistrate shall in every case arising under this act make and preserve for the period of three (3) years an exact record of the proceedings showing the sub-section section and article violated and the fine and costs paid bail forfeited if any or commitment to prison which shall be subject to inspection on demand of any person

(b) The magistrate shall deliver without charge to the defendant a receipt showing in detail the sub-section section and article violated and the amount of fine and costs imposed upon and paid by him

(c) The magistrate shall not divide fees of his office with any peace officer or with any person who may assist in making an arrest or furnish evidence in any case arising under this act

Penalty Any magistrate violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or under imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1206 Report of Conviction (a) Every magistrate in this Commonwealth shall keep a full report of every case in which a person is charged with a violation of any provision of this act and in the event that such person is convicted or that his bail is forfeited an abstract of such report shall be sent upon request of the secretary to the department but this requirement shall not be deemed to make such court of record Abstracts required by this section shall be made upon forms prepared by the department and shall include all necessary informaton as to the parties to the case the nature of the offense the date of hearing the plea of judgment the amount of the fine or forfeiture and other information deemed necessary and every such abstract shall be certified by the magistrate as a true abstract of the record of the court

(b) The clerk of any court of record of this Commonwealth shall within ten (10) days after final judgment of conviction of any of the provisions of this act send to the department a certified copy of such judgment of conviction Certified copies of the judgment shall also be forwarded to the department upon conviction of any person of manslaughter or other felony or misdemeanor in the commission of which a motor vehicle was used

(c) The department may keep such records in its offices for at least five (5) years and they shall be open to the inspection of any person during reasonable business hours

Penalty Failure refusal or neglect to comply with any of the provisions of this section shall constiute misconduct in office and shall be ground for removal therefrom

Section 1207 Disposition of Fines and Forfeitures (a) All fines and penalties collected under the provisions of this act for violations of the same and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the department and transmitted to the State Treasury and credited to the "Motor License Fund" except those collected for violations of the provisions of section nine hundred and three (903) nine hundred and five (905) one thousand and two (1002) one thousand and eleven (1011) one thousand and fifteen (1015) one thousand and eighteen (1018) one thousand and twenty (1020) one thousand and twenty-six (1026) one thousand and twenty-eight(1028) of this act committed within cities borough incorporated towns and townships of the first class which fines and penalties and all bail forfeited shall be paid to the treasurer of the city borough incorporated town or township wherein the violation occurred to be used by such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

(b) Sworn statements of all fines and penalties so collected and all bail forfeited shall also be made by the magistrate or other officer imposing or receiving the same to the secretary upon forms furnished by the department such reports shall be made monthly not later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month

Penalty Any magistrate or other officer who shall fail to make such monthly reports and returns or either of them shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in office and upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall be sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred ($500.00) dollars and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1208 Civil Actions for Damages All civil actions for damages arising from the use and operation of any vehicle may at the discretion of the plaintiff be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace in the county wherein the alleged damages were sustained if the plaintiff has said damages repaired and shall produce a receipted bill for the same properly sworn to by the party making such repairs or his agent or said action may be brought in the court of common pleas of said county and service of process in either case may be made by the sheriff of the county where the suit is brought deputizing the sheriff of the county wherein the defendant or his registered agent resides or where services may be had upon him under the existing laws of this Commonwealth in like manner as process may now be served in the proper county. No action involving more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars shall be brought before any magistrate alderman or justice of the peace

Section 1209 Registration Number Prima Facie Evidence In any proceeding for a violation of the provisions of this act the registration plate displayed on such motor vehicle shall be prima facie evidence that the owner of such motor vehicle was then operating the same If at any hearing or proceeding the owner shall testify under oath or affirmation that he was not operating the said motor vehicle at the time of the alleged violation of this act and shall submit himself to an examination as to who at that time was operating such motor vehicle and reveal the name of the person if known to him or if the information is made in a county other than that of his own resident shall forward to the magistrate an affidavit setting forth these facts then the prima facie evidence arising from the registration plate shall be overcome and removed and the burden of proof shifted

Section 1210 Liability for Costs not Paid by Defendants Whenever any peace officer whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this act shall in good faith bring suit for any violation of such provisions and for any reason shall fail to recover the costs of record such costs shall be a charge upon the proper county as shall such costs in the event defendant is imprisoned for failure to pay fine or costs or both and shall be audited and paid as are costs of like character in said county

Section 1211 Limitation of Authority for State Highway Patrolmen Such employes of the Commonwealth as are designated as "State Highway Patrolmen" are hereby declared to be peace officers and are hereby given police power and authority throughout the Commonwealth to arrest on view when in uniform without writ rule order or process any person violating any of the provisions of this act

Section 1212 Enforcement of Local Ordinances Any city borough incorporated town township or county which enforces an ordinance rule or regulation on a matter concerning this act for traffic matters not covered by this act may impose a fine of not more than fifty ($50.00) dollars to be collected by summary conviction before any magistrate as fines and penalties are now by law collected In the event of non-payment of fines and costs of prosecution the magistrate may sentence any person convicted of violating an ordinance rule or regulation to undergo imprisonment for a period of not exceeding ten (10) days Provided That any person so convicted shall have the right of appeal as in other cases of summary conviction and further provided That any person accused of violating a local ordinance rule or regulation enforced under the authority of this act may waive summary hearing and give bond in a sum equal to double the amount of the maximum fine and costs that might be imposed for appearance for trial before a judge of the court of quarter sessions or in the county court or in the municipal court in counties wherein such courts exist and thereupon the magistrate shall within fifteen (15) days return the information to the said court and if any person so accused shall be convicted in such court of the offense charged he shall be fined as prescribed by said ordinance rule or regulation or in event of non-payment of such fine and costs of prosecution to suffer imprisonment for a period not to exceed ten (10) days All fine and bail forfeited as provided for in this section shall be paid to the treasurer of such city borough incorporated town or township for the construction repair and maintenance of the highways thereof

Section 1213 Penalty for Resisting Arrest Any person who by force menace threat or in any manner resists arrest for violation of any of the provisions of this act or refuses to go with a peace officer after an arrest has been made or interferes with any peace officer in the performance of his duty under the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions be sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred ($100.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall be imprisoned for not more than thirty (30) days or suffer both such fine and imprisonment

Section 1214 Duty to Report Accidents (a) The operator of any motor vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injuries or death to any person or total property damage to an apparent extent of fifty ($50.00) dollars or more shall within twenty-four (24) hours forward a report of such accident to the department upon forms furnished by the department If the operator is physically incapable as a result of the accident of making a report it shall be the duty of any other participant in the accident who is not incapacitated as the result of the accident to forward such report

1 The department may require operators involved in accidents or police departments to file supplemental reports of accidents upon forms furnished by the department whenever the original report is insufficient in the opinion of the secretary Such report shall be without prejudice shall be for the information of the department and shall not be open to public inspection The fact that such reports have been made shall be admissable in evidence solely to prove a compliance with this act but no such report or any part thereof or statement contained therein shall be admissable in evidence for any other purpose in any trial civil or criminal arising out of such accidents

(b) Local authorities may require the reporting of motor vehicle accidents in such form as they deem advisable occurring within their jurisdictions but such local reports shall not conflict with the necessity for reporting such accidents to the department

(c) Provided however that nothing herein contained shall affect the duty or filing accident reports required by any other act or act of assembly or regulations made thereunder

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1215 Garage Keeper to Report Damaged Motor Vehicles The person in charge of any garage or repair shop to which is brought any motor vehicle which shows evidence of having been struck by any bullet shall report to the nearest police station or sheriff's office within twenty-four (24) hours after such motor vehicle is received giving the name engine number manufacturer's serial number registration plate number and the name and address of the owner or operator of such vehicle

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1216 Drivers of Commonwealth County and City Vehicles Subject to Provisions of the Act The provisions of this act applicable to the drivers of vehicles upon the highways shall apply to the drivers of all vehicles owned or operated by this Commonwealth or any county city incorporated town borough or any other political sub-division of the Commonwealth subject to such specific exceptions as are set forth in this act The provisions of Article X of this act shall not apply to persons teams motor vehicles and other equipment while actually engaged in work upon the surface of a highway but shall apply to such persons and vehicles when traveling to or from such work

Section 1217 This Act Not to Interfere With Rights of Owners of Real Property With Reference Thereto Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the owner of real property used by the public for purposes of vehicular travel by permission of the owner and not as matter of right from prohibiting such use nor from requiring other or different or additional conditions than those specified in this act or otherwise regulating such use as may seem best to such owner

Section 1218 Signals and Investigations By Officers (a) The operator of any vehicle shall stop upon request or signal of any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority and shall upon request exhibit his registration card or operator's license card or learner's permit and shall write his name in the presence of such peace officer if so required for the purpose of establishing his identity

(b) Any peace officer who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority shall have the right to stop any vehicle upon request or signal for the purpose of inspecting the said vehicle as to its equipment and operation or manufacturer's serial number or engine number and securing of such other information as may be necessary

(c) Any peace officer or department employe who shall be in uniform or shall exhibit a badge or other sign of authority shall have the right to inspect any motor vehicle in any public garage or repair shop for the purpose of locating stolen motor vehicles and investigating the title and registration of motor vehicles and for such purpose the owner of any such garage or repair shop shall permit any such peace officer or department employe without let or hindrance to make investigation as herein authorized

Penalty Any person failing to comply with the signals or requests of peace officers or department employes as provided in this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of ten ($10.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days

Section 1219 Abandoned or Wrecked Motor Vehicles Peace officers shall have authority to remove or direct removal of abandoned or wrecked motor vehicles from any highway to the nearest point where such vehicle will not interfere with or obstruct traffic thereon

Section 1220 Garage Keeper to Report Abandoned Motor Vehicles—(a) The person in charge of any garage or repair shop in which has been left a motor vehicle of unknown ownership for a period of fifteen (15) consecutive days without being removed by its owner or any other person duly authorized to remove same shall report to the department within twenty-four (24) hours of the elapse of such fifteen (15) day period giving the name engine number manufacturer's serial number registration plate number and the name and address of the person abandoning same if known

(b) Upon receipt of such report in the department it shall be the duty of the secretary to make a distinctive record thereof and file the same in the manner provided in section two hundred and nine (209) of this act

Penalty Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment there of shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days

Section 1221 Admissibility of Certified Copies of Records as Evidence—Any certified copies or certified photostatic copies of any records books papers documents and rulings of the secretary when certified by the secretary under the seal of the department shall be acceptable as evidence in the courts of this Commonwealth with the same force and effect as the originals in all cases where such original records books papers documents and rulings would be admitted in evidence

ARTICLE XIII

REFUNDS

Section 1301 Refunds

Refunds of monies erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunded by the Board of Finance and Revenue as provided by law

ARTICLE XIV

REPEALS

Section 1401 Acts of Assembly Repealed

Section 1402 Documents

Section 1403 Pending Proceedings

Section 1404 Rules and Regulations

Section 1405 Current Registrations and Licenses Remain in Effective

Section 1406 Outstanding Certificates of Title to Remain Effective

Section 1407 Time of Taking Effect

Section 1401 Acts of Assembly Repealed

(a) The act approved May eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "For the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registrations and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and making forfeitures and making an appropriation"

(b) and the act approved April twenty-seventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "To amend section twenty-six of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the use and operation of motor vehicles and vehicles propelled by or trailing after motor vehicles requiring the registration of the same and the licensing of all operators thereof providing the fees therefor and the disposition of such fees prohibiting the unauthorized use of and tampering with motor vehicles limiting and defining the powers of cities boroughs incorporated towns townships and counties as to the regulation of the use and equipment of motor vehicles and the taxing registration or licensing thereof imposing certain duties on the State Highway Commissioner and on proprietors of public garages providing procedure and penalties for violations thereof and the disposition of fines collected and regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions for damages arising from the use of any motor vehicle" is amended prohibiting the stopping of any motor vehicle by an officer of other person for the purspose of selling tickets or other form of solicitation"

(c) and the act approved March twenty-fourth one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "To amend section twelve of an act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the use and operation of motor vehicles and vehicles propelled by or trailing after motor vehicles requiring the registration of the same and the licensing of all operators thereof providing the fees therefor and the disposition of such fees prohibiting the unauthorized use of and tampering with motor vehicles limiting and defining the powers of cities boroughs incorporated towns townships and counties as to the regulation of the use and equipment of motor vehicles and the taxing registration or licensing thereof imposing certain duties on the State Highway Commissioner and on proprietors of public garages providing procedure and penalties for violation thereof and the disposition of fines collected and regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions for damages arising from the use of any motor vehicle" as amended appropriating moneys in the motor license fund for the maintenance and repair of interstate bridges over the Delaware River"

And all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed

Section 1402 Documents—All books papers records and other documents or equipment relating to the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act which are now in the possession of the Department of Highways shall be delivered to the Department of Revenue on the thirtieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine All questions arising under this section shall be referred to and determined by the Governor

Section 1403 Pending Proceedings—All applications petitions hearings and other proceedings pending before the Department of Highways and all prosecutions and other legal proceedings of every kind and description and investigations begun by the said department and not completed when this act becomes effective shall continue and remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the passage of this act and may be completed before or by the Department of Revenue

Section 1404 Rules and Regulations—All orders rules and regulations made by the Department of Highways in connection with the administration of the laws superseded and repealed by this act shall remain in full force and effect until revoked or modified by the Department of Revenue

Section 1405 Current Registrations and Licenses to Remain Effective—All registrations operators' licenses and learners' permits issued by the Department of Highways for the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine shall remain in full force and effect for the period for which issued unless and until revoked or suspended by the Department of Revenue for any reason for which the Department of Revenue is by this act given the power to revoke or suspend and for the purpose of revoking or suspending registrations operators' licenses or learners' permits heretofore issued by th Department of Highways the Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the same power which it has under this act to revoke or suspend

Section 1406 Outstanding Certificates of Title to Remain Effective All certificates of title heretofore issued by the Department of Highways shall be valid and shall remain in full force and effect and assignments transfers and duplicates thereof shall be recognized recorded or issued to the same extent under the same conditions and upon the same terms as if the certificates of title had been originally issued by the Department of Revenue under the provisions of this act

Section 1407 Time of Taking Effect The provisions of this act except as hereinafter provided shall be in force on and after June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine provided however That Sections Seven hundred three seven hundred four seven hundred six seven hundred seven seven hundred eight seven hundred thirteen of Article VII Section eight hundred thirteen of Article VIII and sub-sections (c) and (d) of Section nine hundred three of Article IX shall be in full force and effect from and after January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and further excepted that the commercial motor vehicle and truck tractor classification ZZ in sections seven hundred three and seven hundred four of Article VII and in section nine hundred three of Article IX shall be in full force and effect on and after June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—39.

Apple,	Dunn,	Homsher,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Earnest,	Krause,	Salus,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Leslie	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Gelder,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	Norton,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Painter,	

NAYS—8.

Brandt,	Harris,	Lanius,	Roberts,
Einstein,	Huffman,	Mansfield,	Williamson,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreably to order,

The Senate resumed consideration of Senate Bill No. 1353 (House Bill No. 1663), as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred

and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing a maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "Municipality" as used in this act shall mean any county except counties of the second class city of the third class borough of the second class [city of the third class] borough town township school district of the second third and fourth class and poor district

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The mayor of each city of the third class the burgess of each borough or town the president of the board of county commissioners of each county except counties of the second class the president of the township commissioners of each first class township the chairman of the board of township supervisors of each second class township the president of each school board and the president or chairman of the board of poor directors or overseers of each poor district which shall have any proceedings for the incurring or increasing of indebtedness except notes issued in anticipation of revenue for not more than one year shall before any bonds or evidences of indebtedness are actually issued and sold certify to the Department of Internal Affairs a complete and accurate copy of the proceedings had for such incurring or increasing of indebtedness together with the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation within the respective municipality the total amount of the existing indebtedness and the several amounts claimed as permitted deductions in ascertaining the real indebtedness of such municipality

Any officer of any such municipality who shall fail or refuse to certify any such proceedings or other facts as required by this section or who shall willfully certify any such proceedings or facts which are false or inaccurate shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or both

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Daly,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Beyer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fry,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Boyers,	Hadley,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCreesin,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate bill No. 1430, (House Bill No. 1942), as follows:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by the Act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirteen) entitled "An act to further amend section twenty of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled 'A further supplement to an Act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine'" and by the Act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections twenty and twenty-one of an act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' as amended exempting corporations of the first class and cooperative agricultural associations not having capital stock and not conducted for profit" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 20 That hereafter except in the case of corporations of the first class and cooperative agricultural associations not having capital stock and not conducted for profit banks savings institutions title insurance or trust companies building and loan associations and foreign insurance companies it shall be the duty of the president vice-president secretary or treasurer of every corporation having capital stock every joint-stock association limited partnership and every company whatsoever now or hereafter organized or incorporated by or under the law of any other State or Territory of the United States or by the United States or by any foreign government and doing business in and liable to taxation within this Commonwealth or having capital or property employed or used in this Commonwealth or in the name of any limited partnership or joint-stock association company or corporation whatsoever association or associations copartnership or copartnerships person or persons or in any other manner to make annually on or before the fifteenth day of March for the calendar year next preceding a report in writing to the [Auditor General] Department of Revenue on a form or forms to be prescribed and furnished by [him] it stating specifically

First The amount of its capital stock at the close of the year for which report is made together with the highest selling price per share and the average selling price thereof during said year

Second Its debt account

Third Its income together with the disposition of any net income and its profit and loss statement

Fourth Its general balance sheet

Fifth Its real estate and tangible personal property if any owned and permanently located outside of the Commonwealth and value of the same and the value of the property if any exempt from taxation

Sixth The proportion of its capital stock invested in and actually and exclusively employed and used in manufacturing within the Commonwealth during the year for which report is made

Seventh A valuation and appraisal in the manner hereinafter provided of the capital stock of the said corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership at its actual value in cash as it existed at the close of the year for which the report is made

The affidavit of two of the officers of such corporation limited partnership joint-stock association or company shall be attached to said report Such affidavit shall be in the form required by the Department of Revenue but shall state in addition to any other averments required by the Department that with fidelity and according to the best of heir knowledge and belief the affiants have estimated valued and appraised as shown in said report the capital stock of the said corporation at its actual value in cash as it existed at the close of the year for which report is made not less however than first the average which said stock sold for during the year and second not less than the price or value indicated or measured by net earnings or by the amount of profit made and either declared in dividends expended in betterments or carried into the surplus or sinking fund and third not less than the actual value indicated or measured by consideration of the intrinsic value of its tangible property and assets and of the value of its good will and franchises and privileges as indicated by the material results of their exercise taking also into consideration the amount of its indebtedness

[If any corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership shall certify to the Auditor General that its fiscal year closes not upon the thirty-first day of December but upon some other date and that it reports to the United States Government as of such other date then such corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership may in the discretion of the Auditor General be permitted to make the returns herein provided for within sixty days after such date subject in all other respects to the provisions of this act

If the Auditor General and State Treasurer or either of them is not satisfied with the appraisement and valuation so made and returned they are hereby authorized and empowered to make a valuation thereof based upon facts contained in the report herein required or upon any information within their possession or that shall come into their possession and to settle an account on the valuation so made by them for the taxes penalties and interest due the Commonwealth thereon with the right of the corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership dissatisfied with any settlement so made against it to appeal therefrom in the manner provided by law

In the event of the neglect or refusal of the officers of any corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership to make the report and appraisement to the Auditor General as hereinbefore provided on or before the fifteenth day of March in each and every year or within sixty days of the end of its fiscal year as herein provided it shall be the duty of the Auditor General and State Treasurer to estimate a valuation of the capital stock of such corporation joint-stock associaiton company or limited partnership and settle an account for taxes penalties and interest thereon from which settlement there shall be no right of appeal

If the said officers of any such corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership shall neglect or refuse to furnish the Auditor General on or before the fifteenth day of March in each and every year or within sixty days of the end of its fiscal year as herein provided with the report as aforesaid it shall be the duty of the accounting officers of the Commonwealth to add ten per centum to the tax of said corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership for each and every year for which such report was not so furnished which percentage shall be settled and collected with the State tax in the usual manner of settling accounts and collecting such taxes

The Auditor General may upon application made before the fifteenth day of March in each and every year or before the end of sixty days after any fiscal year where permission is given by the Auditor General to file such return as of the fiscal year and upon proper cause shown extend the time of filing returns for a period not exceeding sixty days from the fifteenth day of March of the year or from the end of sixty days after the fiscal year for which the same are required to be filed

The first report made under the provisions of this act by any corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership changing its report from the calendar year to a fiscal year as hereinbefore provided shall cover the period from the last day of the calendar year for which a report was filed to the first day of the fiscal year of such corporation company joint-stock association or limited partnership and the accounting officers shall settle the tax for such intervening period at the proportionate annual rate provided by law] The time for filing reports may be extended taxpayers may be permitted to file their reports on a fiscal year basis the procedure in case the Department of Revenue is not satisfied with the appraisement made by the officers of the taxpayer and the penalties for failing to file reports and pay taxes shall be as prescribed by law

Section 2 That section twenty-one of said Act as last amended by said Act of the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-two) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 21 That every corporation other than corporations of the first class and cooperative agricultural associations not having capital stock and not conducted for profit and every joint-stock association limited partnership and company whatsoever from which a report is required under the twentieth section hereof shall be subject to and pay into the Treasury of the Commonwealth annually through the Department of Revenue a tax at the rate of five mills upon each dollar of the actual value of its whole capital stock of all kinds including common special and preferred as ascertained in the manner prescribed in said twentieth section and it shall be the duty of the treasurer or other officers having charge of any such corporation joint-stock association or limited partnership upon which a tax is imposed by this section to transmit the amount of said tax to the treasury of the Commonwealth within [thirty days from the date of the account by the Auditor General and the State Treasurer] the time prescribed by law for the payment of State taxes settled by the Department of Revenue Provided That for the purposes of this Act interest in limited partnerships or joint-stock associations shall be deemed to be capital stock and taxable accordingly Provided also That corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations liable to tax on capital stock under this section shall not be required to pay any further tax on the mortgages bonds and other securities owned by them and in which the whole body of stockholders or members as such have the entire equitable interest in remainder but corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations owning or holding such securities as trustees executors administrators guardians or in any other manner than for the whole body of stockholders or members thereof as sole equitable owners in reorganized for laundering for the processing and curing of meats their products and by-products or for manufacturing purposes which is invested in and actually and exclusively employed in carrying on laundering the processing and curing of meats their products and by-products or manufacturing within the State excepting companies engaged in the brewing or distilling of spirits or malt liquors and such as enjoy and exercise the right of eminent domain but every corporation limited partnership or joint-stock association organized for the purpose of laundering or processing and curing meats their products and by-products or manufacturing shall pay the State tax of five mills herein provided upon such proportion of its capital stock if any as may be invested in any property or business not strictly incident or appurtenant to the laundering or manufacturing business or the business of processing and curing meats their products and by-products in addition to the local taxes assessed upon its property in the district where located it being the object of this proviso to relieve from State taxation only so much of the capital stock as is invested purely in the laundering or manufacturing plant and business or the plant and business used in the processing and

curing of meats their products and by-products Provided further In case of fire and marine insurance companies the tax imposed by this section shall be at the rate of three mills upon each dollar of the actual value of the whole capital stock Provided That nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to apply to building and loan associations chartered by the State of Pennsylvania

Section 3 This Act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

RECONSIDERATION OF MOTION TO RECONSIDER SENATE BILL No. 1635, (HOUSE BILL No. 1854).

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the oustanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

was recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

It was not agreed to

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 1854), on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operations of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1685, (House Bill No. 1854), entitled:

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—45.

Apple,	Davis,	Homsher,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward.
Daix,			

NAYS—3.

Huffman,	Lanius,	Roberts,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate bill No. 1530 (House Bill No. 1483), as follows:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns and providing penalties

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the term "machine gun" as used in this act shall mean any firearm that fires two or more shots consecutively at a single function of the trigger or firing device

Section 2 It shall be unlawful for any person copartnership association or corporation to sell or give or transfer any machine gun to any person copartnership association or corporation within this Commonwealth and it shall be unlawful for any person copartnership association or corporation to purchase own or have in possession any machine gun

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years

Section 3 Any person who shall commit or attempt to commit any crime within this Commonwealth when armed with a machine gun shall upon conviction of such crime or attempt to commit such crime in addition to the punishment to separate and solitary confinement at labor for a term not exceeding ten years Such additional penalty of imprisonment shall commence upon the expiration or termination of the sentence imposed for the crime of which he stands convicted and shall not run concurrently with such sentence

Section 4 Nothing contained in this act shall prohibit the manufacture for and sale of machine guns to the military forces of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or to any police department of this Commonwealth or of any political subdivision thereof nor to the purchase or possession of machine guns by such governments and departments and nothing contained in this act shall prohibit any organization branch camp or post of veterans or any veteran of any war in which the United States was engaged from owning and possessing a machine gun as a relic if a permit for such ownership or possession has been obtained from the sheriff of the county which permit is at all times attached to such machine gun The sheriffs of the several counties are hereby authorized upon application and the payment of a fee of one dollar to issue permits for the ownership and possession of machine guns by veteran and organizations branches camps or posts of veterans upon production to the sheriff of such evidence as he may require that the organization branch camp or post is a bona fide organization of veterans or that any such veteran applicant is a veteran of good moral character and reputation and that the ownership and possession of such machine gun is actually desired as a relic

Section 5 This act shall take effect on the first day of September one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Beyer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buchman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read laid upon the table.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate bill No. 1533, (House Bill No. 1612), as follows:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafer enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the governor of the state is hereby directed to propound to and against the government of the United States of America and to prosecute to collection a claim by and in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 If the governor of the state finds that there is no federal statute or law now existing providing for the payment of such funds into the treasury of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania he is hereby directed to seek in such manner as to him shall appear necessary and proper legislation at the hands of the congress of the United States providing for the payment of such moneys into the treasury of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 3 All such moneys so collected and paid by the government of the United States shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue less the commission for the collection thereof and shall be held by the State Treasurer for a period of five years in trust for claimants of such funds

Section 4 The governor is hereby authorized to employ counsel and to enter into the necessary contracts and agreements with such counsel for the propounding and prosecution of such claim against the government of the United States of America and fixing the commission to be allowed said counsel for such work such commission to be contingent upon the collection of such moneys from the United States and to be payable out of same and to be not more than ten per centum thereof provided that the state shall incur no cost of expense in the propounding or prosecution of such claims other than such commissions

Section 5 Upon receipt of such funds from the United States by the State Treasurer it shall be his duty to give notice to all claimants thereof by publication once each week for a period of eight successive weeks in a newspaper published in each of the counties or cities and

counties of the State of Pennsylvania and if there be no newspaper in any county or city and county by posting in the courthouses of such counties and cities and counties for such period of time which notices shall set forth that such moneys have been collected and shall notify all claimants of same to propound their claims in writing by filling same with the Board of Finance and Revenue and shall warn all claimants and persons interested therein that a failure so to file their claims within a period of two years from the date on which such moneys were paid into the treasury of the State of Pennsylvania shall forever bar their right to such funds or any part thereof and that in default of the filing of such claims such funds shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

Section 6 All such claimants of such moneys shall file their claims in writing with the Board of Finance and Revenue on such forms as shall be provided and shall submit their proofs and evidence to said board If such claims are approved by said board the auditor general shall draw a warrant on the State Treasurer payable to the order of such claimant and the State Treasurer shall pay such warrants out of the funds so collected fro... the government of the United States and held in trust for such purpose Such claimants may appeal from the decisions of the Board of Finance and Revenue to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County

Section 7 At the end of a period of five years from the date on which said moneys so collected from the United States shall be paid into the State Treasury said funds to the extent to which no claims have been filed against same shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Said funds to the extent that any claims have been filed against same shall remain in the state treasury subject to the final determination of such claims and all such funds not finally determined to belong to the claimants thereof shall at that time escheat to and become the absolute property of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Heaton,	Painter,
Aron,	Ely,	Hungicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1005, (House Bill No. 701), as follows:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the period commencing on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of eight million dollars ($8,000,000) shall be apportioned by the Secretary of Highways for the payment of township reward in the manner prescribed by law for the distribution of township reward Said moneys shall be paid out of the Motor License Fund and for such purposes so much of the moneys in said fund are hereby appropriated

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ely,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1623, (House Bill No. 1973), as follows:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Department of Property and Supplies be and it hereby is authorized to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in whole or in part the real estate of the Society of Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata located in Ephrata Township Lancaster County Pennsylvania

Section 2 The real estate so acquired shall be preserved and maintained as an historical place and park to be known as the Ephrata Cloisters Park

Section 3 The title to or lease of said real estate shall be taken in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and shall before its acquisition or acceptance be approved by the Department of Justice

Section 4 In the event of condemnation the Department of Property and Supplies shall follow the procedure prescribed by law for the condemnation of lands by said Department

Section 5 After the real estate shall have been acquired in whole or in part by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation by the Commonwealth the Pennsylvania Historical Commission shall have control management and supervision thereof

Section 6 All powers now exercised or conferred by law upon the Pennsylvania Historical Commission may be exercised by the Commission for the purpose of this Act and the Commission shall have power to make and enforce rules and

regulations for the preservation of the property and the visitation thereof by the public

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Daly,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1539, (House Bill No. 1856), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ——— day of ——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No. ———) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax, requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the ——— day of——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No. ———) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetables ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power except kerosene fuel oil not used in motor vehicles and gas oil and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naphtha benezol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

(e) The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Daly,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1564, (House Bill No. 231), as follows:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal

year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary are hereby specifically appropriated from the General Fund in the State Treasury to the several hereinafter named agencies of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth for the purposes hereinafter set forth for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred by said agencies and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

1 EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AND EXECUTIVE BOARD

For the payment of the salary of the Governor the sum of thirty-six thousand dollars ($36,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of the Secretary to the Governor the Budget Secretary and of such consultants experts accountants investigators inspectors clerks stenographers messengers and other employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Governor's offices the Budget Secretary and of the Executive Board and payment of postage freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices and contingent traveling and incidental expenses including telegrams and telephone toll charges of the Governor his Secretary the Budget Secretary and other employes and of the Executive Board expenses incurred in the conduct of the Executive Mansion and the entertainment of official guests for the care and maintenance of automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and the expenses incident to participation in the procedure of the Governor's Conference the sum of four hundred and ten thousand four hundred dollars ($410,400)

OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

For the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor the sum of sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000)

For all contingent expenses including postage telegrams telephone toll charges and traveling clerical stenographic and discretionary expenses and for the care and maintenance of an automobile for the Lieutenant Governor the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000)

DEPARTMENT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL

For the payment of the salary of the Auditor General the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes for the purchase care and maintenance of automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the purchase of furniture furnishings equipment supplies printing binding patent indices records law books and other books for the payment of postage freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices telephone rentals telephone toll charges rentals of patented leased office devices traveling expenses and such other contingent and incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and necessarily incurred by the Auditor General in

Auditing requisitions for disbursements out of the General and other funds of the State Treasury keeping records of such disbursements and furnishing information to the Governor and the General Assembly with reference thereto keeping records of employes of the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the state government auditing tax settlements submitted to it by the Deparment of Revenue after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine settling assessing and collecting taxes prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine advertising for proposals for publication of decisions of the Supreme Court under provisions of the Act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight and performing such other duties as have heretofore been imposed upon the department by law the sum of eight hundred sixteen thousand dollars ($816,000)

Auditing annually periodically or specially the affairs of departments boards commissions or institutions of the State government and promptly furnishing copies of all audits to the Governor auditing the acounts of city and county officers insofar as may be necessary to determine whether such officers have reported and transmitted moneys payable by them to the Commonwealth auditing acounts of magistrates aldermen justices of the peace and other officers for the purpose of ascertaining whether all fines and penalties collected by them have been transmitted auditing accounts and records of all agents of the Commonwealth charged with the duty of assessing appraising and collecting State taxes or license fees auditing accounts of all persons owing money to the Commonwealth and the accounts of all institutions political sub-divisions of the State and other bodies receiving any appropriated money from the State Treasury the sum of five hundred thirty thousand dollars ($350,000)

For the fees of county officers for furnishing information to the officers of the Commonwealth in accordance with the act of April fourteenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-two) the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000)

For the payment of the cost of painting the portrait of Auditor General Edward Martin to be placed in the Auditor General's Department in the State Capitol building the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750)

For the payment to the Philadelphia National Bank Philadelphia Pennsylvania the State's fiscal agent for the custody and safekeeping of the books and records pertaining to loans of the Commonwealth as per act of April fourth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

For the purpose of refunding to Fred W L Roach trading as the Roach Stave Company on account of an award made to Fred W L Roach in suit instituted in this Department under the provision of the act of March thirtieth one thousand eight hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and forty-five) the sum of five hundred dollars ($500)

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

For the payment of the salary of the State Treasurer the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of such deputies cashiers assistant cashiers directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chief experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes for the purchase care and maintenance of automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the purchase of office furnishings equipment supplies printing binding patent indices records law books and other books for the purchase of insurance covering the loss of any or all securities of which the Treasury Department or State Treasurer is custodian for the payment of postage freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices telephone rentals telephone toll charges rentals of patented leased office devices traveling expenses and such other contingent and incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and necessarily incurred by the State Treasurer the sum of five hudred and fifty thousand dollars ($550,000)

For the payment of the cost of painting the portrait of State Treasurer Samuel S Lewis to be placed in the Treasury Department in the State Capitol building the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750)

BOARD OF FINANCE AND REVENUE

For the payment of the salaries and expenses of secretaries clerks stenographers and other assistants and for postage cartage freight express telegrams telephone toll charges and

such other incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Board of Finance and Revenue the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

For the balance due or to become due retired county officers on account of overpayment of mercantile taxes collected for the Commonwealth the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the expenses of publishing monthly statements of the general sinking and all other funds as required by law the sum of forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000)

For the purpose of refunding to purchasers of stock transfer stamps under the act of June fourth one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws page eight hundred and twenty-eight) any sums that may be due them upon the surrender and return of such stamps as may be spoiled cancelled mutilated or defaced unintentionally by accident or in error the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For refunding transfer inheritance taxes paid in error or overpaid the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000)

For the purpose of refunding moneys subject to escheat which were paid into the State Treasury either voluntarily or by order of court to any persons making proof of their ownership or right of possession thereto in the manner provided by law the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000)

For the purpose of refunding moneys heretofore or hereafter erroneously paid by any person to any professional examining board or to the Department of Public Instruction on behalf of any such board the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the purpose of refunding under the provisions of the act of June fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws page nine hundred and thirty-six) fees paid for commissions to notaries public when such commissions have not been issued or if issued have not been received and have been cancelled the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500)

For the payment of the interest on the Funded Debt of the Commonwealth which falls due on the first day of August one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the first day of February one thousand nine hundred and thirty the first day of August one thousand nine hundred and thirty the first day of February one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of nine thousand four hundred forty dollars ($9,440)

For the purpose of refunding to the Braun Salvage Company Pittsburgh Pennsylvania for an erroneous overpayment made by the Braum Salvage Company for unserviceable property purchased per advertisement the sum of one hundred and sixty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents ($167.75)

For the purpose of refunding moneys heretofore or hereafter erroneously paid by any person to the Department of Internal Affairs the sum of two hundred seventy-five dollars ($275)

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Agriculture the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the following purposes the sum of two million four hundred sixty-one thousand four hundred dollars ($2,461,400)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs assistant scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians investigators counselors marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department for traveling contingent and incidental expenses including postage telephone toll charges telegrams the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and for the general maintenance of the Department of Agriculture including such other items of expense as are not specifically provided for necessary in the enforcement of any and all acts of Assembly which the Secretary of Agriculture or the Department of Agriculture is by law required or authorized to enforce including the acts of Assembly formerly chargeable for enforcement to the several bureaus and boards of the department abolished by "The Administrative Code of 1923"

For the administration and enforcement of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws"

For the administration and enforcement of the following acts of Assembly and their several amendments excepting the payment of indemnities for animals affected with dangerous contagious or infectious diseases the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws seventy-eight) entitled "An act to further define the duties and powers of the State Livestock Sanitary Board to prevent the spread of dangerous contagious or infectious diseases among domestic animals to require reports to be made of the existence of such diseases to limit appraisements and payments for animals that it may be necessary to destroy to prevent the spread of disease to protect milk supplies from contamination to authorize cooperation with local boards of health and to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof" the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act to encourage the breeding of horses to regulate the public service of stallions and jacks to prevent misrepresentation of same to require the licensing of stallions and jacks and to provide for the enforcement thereof" the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-eight) entitled "An act relating to domestic animals defining domestic animals so as to include poultry providing methods of improving the quality thereof and of preventing controlling and eradicating diseases thereof imposing certain duties upon practitioners of veterinary medicine in Pennsylvania regulating the manufacture use and sale of tuberculin mallein and other biological products for use with domestic animals defining the powers and duties of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and the officers and employes thereof fixing the compensation of the Deputy State Veterinarian and providing penalties for violation of this act" the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to protect the public health by regulating the manufacture preparation handling storage sale transportation and possession of meat and meat-food products prescribing the powers and duties of the State Livestock Sanitary Board incidental thereto"

For the development and improvement of the site purchased for the Department of Agriculture for conducting research and scientific investigational work with relation to the causes nature treatment and prevention of diseases of animals and poultry for the purpose of discovering the most efficient economic and practical means of preventing and suppressing such diseases for the erection equipment and maintenance of buildings and laboratories thereon and for the purchase maintenance and care of animals and poultry required in connection with the scientific study of their diseases

For the administration and enforcement of the act of Assembly approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of livestock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties" and the several amendments thereto

For the payment to incorporated agricultural associations as provided by law for exhibits of livestock livestock products horticultural products handiwork cereals bees and bee products provided that such associations file such reports as may be

required by the Secretary of Agriculture the sum of one hundred and thirty thousand dollars ($130,000)

For the payment of indemnities for animals appraised and destroyed to prevent the spread of dangerous contagious and infectious diseases as provided by law the sum of two million and one hundred sixty thousand dollars ($2,160,000)

State Farm Products Show Commission

For the payment of premium awards of exhibits at the State Farm Products Show for the payment of salaries and wages of employes necessary in the conduct of the work of the State Farm Products Show Commission for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the payment of necessary traveling expenses actually incurred by the members and employes of the said Commission and for the maintenance of the State Farm Products Show Building and the grounds surrounding it the sum of fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars ($54,500)

DEPARTMENT OF BANKING.

For the payment of the salaries or other compensation of employes and such postage traveling expenses telegrams telephone toll charges newspaper advertising express cartage and other departmental overhead expenses properly chargeable to building and loan supervision the sum of one hundred and twenty-one thousand dollars ($121,000)

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS AND WATERS.

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Forests and Waters the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department with respect to forests and parks the Geographic Board the State Forest Commission and for the payment of traveling contingent and other necessary expenses including telephone toll charges and the cost of telegrams of the Secretary of Forests and Waters the officers and employes of the department engaged in the forest and park work of the department and of the Geographic Board and the State Forest Commission for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the purchase of telephone equipment and the cost of telephone rentals at towers district offices ranger stations and other necessary locations for expenses incurred in the erection and repair of buildings the maintenance planting improvement and use of State forests and the encouragement and promotion of proper forest practices for the payment of the cost of surveying mapping and marking boundaries of State forest lands for the maintenance and development of the Pennsylvania State Forest School at Mont Alto for the payment of the cost of supplies and equipfor forest protection expenses including the prevention and discovery of forest fires for the payment of annual fixed charges for road school and county purposes on lands owned by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and held and administered by it as State forests and for the payment of the annual fixed charges for road and school purposes on lands classified as auxiliary forest reserves and for any other expenses necessary to the conduct of the forest and park work of the department or of the said board and commission the sum of one million eight hundred thousand dollars ($1,800,000)

For the payment of expenses incurred for the extinction and control of forest fires the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000)

For the acquisition survey of boundary lines and title examination of lands to be set aside and held as State forests the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000)

Water and Power Resources Board

For the payment of the compensation of the engineer appointed as a member of the Water and Power Resources Board the sum of six thousand dollars ($6000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department with respect to waters and of the Water and Power Resources Board and for the payment of traveling contingent and other necessary expenses including telephone toll charges and the cost of telegrams of the officers and employes of the department engaged in its work with respect to waters and of the members officers and employes of the Water and Power Resources Board for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for telephone rentals at field stations for the payment of the cost of supplies and equipment for all expenses incurred in making examinations and reports upon applications for water and water-power company charters mergers consolidations and new or additional sources of supply for water and water power companies investigations and reports upon the status of water and water power company charters investigations inspections and reports in connection with the construction and maintenance of power projects built under limited powers permits and examinations investigations and reports upon protests lodged with the department of the Water and Power Resources Board for establishing maintaining and operating stream guaging and flood warning stations for the payment of annual fixed charges in lieu of taxes imposed upon the Commonwealth by the provisions of the act of May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-seven) for examination and reports upon dams and other encroachments now existing or hereafter to be placed in or along any of the streams of the Commonwealth for establishing channel lines and for performing any other duties imposed upon the Department with respect to waters or upon the Water and Power Resources Board the sum of two hundred and eight thousand three hundred and twenty dollars ($208,320)

For the purchase of land in Crawford County in connection with the Pymatuning Reservoir Project and for the payment of expenses incident thereto the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000)

For the relocation and reconstruction of railroads and highways made necessary in connection with the Pymatuning Reservoir Project and for other work and expenses incidental to the completion of the project except for the purchase of land and the construction of the dam and spillway the sum of one hundred ninety-eight thousand three hundred dollars ($198,300)

Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

For the use of the Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board in the payment of expenses incurred in printing distributing or otherwise making available for public use reports maps documents and records issued by or in possession of the board for the payment of expenses incurred in doing such things as the board may deem expedient to secure the co-operation and aid of the Government of the United States and other public authorities in the construction of a canal or waterway from the junction of the Ohio and Beaver rivers in Pennsylvania to Lake Erie at or near the mouth of Indian Creek in the State of Ohio as provided by law and for the payment of expenses incidental to the maintenance of the offices of the board in the City of Pittsburgh the traveling expenses of the board and any of its officers or employes and the payment of the salaries fees and expenses of such engineers draftsmen attorneys experts and clerical assistants as the board may employ the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000)

Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie

For the use of the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie in the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of employes for the payment of the cost of planting trees clearing trails constructing roads bath houses camp sites jetties and other necessary work to protect the Presque Isle Penisula from erosion by storms park gates and docks for the purchase of necessary supplies materials and equipment for the care and maintenance of automobiles and

other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for the expenses of the members of the commission and its employes including postage freight telegrams telephone toll charges and for other incidental expenses the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)

Valley Forge Park Commission.

For the use of the Valley Forge Park Commission in the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of necessary employes in the maintenance and improvement of Valley Forge Park for the repair and construction of roads dams parking spaces and buildings for the purchase of materials tools flags monument markers and equipment for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for other supplies and expenses of the Commission and its employes including printing photographing distributing or otherwise making available for public use maps documents records historical information and reports issued by or in the possession of the Commission and for the expenses of the members of the Commission and its employes the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)

Washington Crossing Park Commission.

For the use of the Washington Crossing Park Commission in the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of necessary employes in the maintenance and improvement of Washington Crossing Park and the buildings thereon for the purchase of materials tools flags monuments markers equipment for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for other supplies and expenses of the Commission and its employes including printing photographing distributing or otherwise making available for public use maps documents records historical information and reports issued by or in the possession of the Commission and for the expenses of the members of the Commission and its employes the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000)

Fort Washington Park Commission

For the payment of the mortgages on property belonging to the Commonwealth within the boundaries of Fort Washington Park and for the payment of interest accruing upon same together with the cost of satisfaction and other necessary expenses the sum of forty-seven thousand dollars ($47,000)

Delaware River Tri-State Treaty Commission

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of employes of the Delaware River Tri-State Treaty Commission and for the expenses of the members of said Commission in conducting studies and negotiations leading to the adoption of the Delaware River Treaty or a suitable substitute therefor the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Health the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department including county medical directors and rural health officers for the traveling incidental and contingent expenses of the Secretary of Health and his assistants and the other employes of the department and of the Advisory Health Board for the purpose of maintaining the department's sanatoria and dispensaries for the treatment of persons affected with tuberculosis and the State Hospital for Crippled Children for care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for incidental expenses including postage telegrams and telephone toll charges and for the payment of all other necessary expenses of the department in the performance of duties imposed upon it by law the sum of three million six hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars ($3,665,000)

Sanitary Water Board

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such engineers chemists stenographers clerks workmen laborers and other employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Sanitary Water Board for traveling incidental and contingent expenses of the Sanitary Water Board its assistants and employes for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the maintenance of laboratories experimental installations for investigation of reasonable and practicable ways and means for treating industrial wastes field offices and drafting rooms for the cost and studies and investigations toward determining reasonable and practicable ways and means for the disposal of industrial wastes to be conducted either by the Sanitary Water Board its employes and assistants or by the cooperation of the Sanitary Water Board pursuant to the provisions of duly executed agreements with persons firms corporations municipalities or any group thereof and for the purpose of prevention or abatement of stream pollution the sum of one hundred eighty-six thousand dollars ($186,000)

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Highways the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

For the payment of the salary of the Insurance Commissioner the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of such deputies bureau or division chiefs assistant chiefs experts clerks stenographers cashiers assistant cashiers accountants auditors messengers investigators inspectors appraisers examiners and assistant and special examiners special deputies actuaries assistant and special actuaries and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department and for the payment of court expenses and counsel fees incurred with the approval of the Attorney General and traveling expenses for the care and maintenance of automobiles and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for telegrams postage telephone toll charges and express charges of the Insurance Commissioner and the employes of the department and for maintenance of branch offices of the department and for other incidental and contingent expenses the sum of six hundred and ten thousand five hundred dollars ($610,500)

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Internal Affairs the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for paying the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth for data and statistics furnished relative to local assessments and taxes for the expense incident to the investigation of vacant lands and for traveling contingent incidental and other expenses including postage telegrams and telephone toll charges of the Secretary of Internal Affairs and other officers and employes of the department and for the expenses of the Board of Property the sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of such geologists mineralogists directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors ex-

aminers statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department in connection with the topographic and geologic survey and for the payment of traveling contingent and other necessary expenses including telephone toll charges and the cost of telegrams of the officers and employes of the department engaged in the work of the topographic and geologic survey for the care and maintenance of automobiles and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles necessary for the work of the department in connection with said survey and for any other expenses necessary to enable the department to carry on the work of said topographic and geologic survey the sum of one hundred and forty-six thousand eight hundred dollars $146,800)

State Aeronautics Commission

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of the vice-chairman and such employes as may be required for the conduct of the State Aeronautics Commission the traveling incidental and contingent expenses of the State Aeronautics Commission its assistants and employes the cost of licensing aircraft airmen air ports and landing fields for aircraft for the care and maintenance of aeroplanes automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for the payment of other necessary expenses of the State Aeronautics Commission in the performance of its duties the sum of one hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred dollars ($162,400)

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

For the payment of the salary of the Attorney General the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputy attorneys general special deputy attorneys general assistant deputy attorneys general special attorneys law clerks directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Department of Justice for the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such special deputy attorneys general attorneys and law clerks as may be assigned by the Attorney General to other departments boards or commissions except the counsel and assistant counsel of the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the payment of the compensation of attorneys employed by the several departments boards and commissions with the approval of the Attorney General except attorneys employed by the Department of Revenue with the approval of the Attorney General for the collection of State taxes whose compensation may lawfully be deducted from the amounts collected for costs witness fees postage express charges telephone toll charges telegrams and other contingent expenses for the purchase of law books for the law library of the Department of Justice for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for any other expenses which may be necessary for the conduct of the work of the Department of Justice and the prosecution and defense of litigation to which the Commonwealth is a party or in which the Commonwealth is interested the sum of three hundred and forty-two thousand dollars ($342,000)

For the payment of costs in suits against delinquent dealers for mercantile and other licenses the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000)

Board of Pardons

For the payment of postage express charges clerk hire and other incidental expenses of the Board of Pardons the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

For salaries and expenses incidental to the work of the Board in supervising prisoners released on parole from State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000)

Board of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws

For the payment of expenses and incidentals incurred by the Board of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000)

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Labor and Industry the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board Workmen's Compensation Referees the members of the Industrial Board and such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chief experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department the Workmen's Compensation Board and the Industrial Board for the payment of the traveling and other expenses including telephone toll calls and telegrams of the Secretary of Labor and Industry and all other officers and employes of the department the Workmen's Compensation Board the Workmen's Compensation Referees and the Industrial Board and of all contingent and incidental expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and said boards and referees for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for the purchase of artificial appliances and the payment of maintenance costs of physically handicapped persons in training and all other expenses incidental to carrying out the provisions of the Rehabilitation Acts the sum of two million three hundred thousand dollars ($2,300,000)

For the payment of the statutory amounts of Workmen's Compensation and of medical hospital surgical and burial expenses which may become due and payable during the period beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one to injured employes and dependents of deceased employes of the various departments of the Government of this Commonwealth upon claims arising under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen its amendments and supplements and for the payment of salaries traveling expenses the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles incurred in the investigation and adjustment of claims of such employes and dependents or at the option of the Secretary of Labor and Industry with the approval of the Governor for the payment of claims arising out of injuries sustained by State employes including fatal accidents which occurred prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of the premium or premiums upon an insurance policy or policies insuring the Commonwealth against Workmen's Compensation liability for injuries to or the death of State employes occurring during the period beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one or any part or parts thereof the sum of one hundred eighty-seven thousand five hundred dollars ($187,500) All payments to State employes or their dependents out of this appropriation shall be made by the State Treasurer upon warrant of the Auditor General upon certificates and requisitions furnished by the Secretary of Labor and Industry

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

For the payment of the salary of the Adjutant General the sum of twenty thousand dolars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salary of the Division Commander the sum of sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes and of such traveling contingent and incidental expenses including postage telegrams

telephone toll charges express charges cartage care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Department of Military Affairs including Division Headquarters the United States Property and Disbursing Office State Arsenal the State Military Reservation and the advisory commissions connected with the department the sum of four hundred and twenty-one thousand dollars ($421,000)

For the payment of all necessary expenses including annual allowances individual pay Officers' annual allowances passenger and freight transportation telegrams telephones toll charges subscription to "The Pennsylvania National Guardsmen" for distribution to officers and men of the Pennsylvania National Guard the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles necessary for the maintenance training government discipline and equipment of the Pennsylvania National Guard and for the installation of utilities necessary for the training of the Pennsylvania National Guard the sum of six hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($675,000)

For the purpose of placing at the disposal of the Governor and making same available for the replacement or repair of such military stores and supplies issued to the State of Pennsylvania by the Federal Government as may be destroyed or damaged in whole or in part by fire flood storm or any other unavoidable cause for the payment of transportation pay of officers and enlisted men horse hire subsistance quartermaster stores and other proper and necessary expenses incident to field service rendered by the Pennsylvania National Guard under orders of the Governor in repelling invasion subduing insurrection riot tumult or disorder or the prevention of same and when such Pennsylvania National Guard may be placed on duty under orders of the Governor under extraordinary circumstances for the protection of property or human life and in the event of all or any portion of said Pennsylvania National Guard being called into active service of the United States by the President of the United States or in furnishing the quota of volunteers from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania under a call made by the President of the United States and for the payment of mileage and lawful expenses of commissioners to take the vote of Pennsylvania soldiers in Federal or State service when in the field on active duty the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000)

For the installation of the necessary sewerage and sewage disposal plant the making of improvements additions or repairs to existing buildings roads and utilities on the State Military Reservation at Mount Gretna the sum of one hundred and two thousand six hundred dollars ($102,600)

For the marking of graves and burial places of soldiers of the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 in the State of Pennsylvania the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

For the preparation and compilation of statistics and records of the soldiers sailors marines and nurses who participated from the State of Pennsylvania in the World War and the civil activities of the State of Pennsylvania during the World War for the furnishing of assistance to any soldiers sailors marines or nurses who served from the State of Pennsylvania in any of the wars of the United States in prosecuting any claims which they may have for assistance under the laws of the United States the sum of forty-seven thousand five hundred dollars ($47,500)

For the payment to National Guard organizations for moneys advanced by them together with interest thereon for expenses incurred incidental to the dedication of the memorials in France and Belgium under the auspices of the Commission to make an Investigation ofthe Battlefields of France and Belgium said expenses having consisted of the cost of sending enlisted men with the Escort-of-Honor to France May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight for the purpose of unveiling and dedicating the Pennsylvania State memorials to our World War soldiers in France the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000)

ARMORY BOARD OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

For the payment of salaries of the members of the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of such clerks and employes including caretakers and janitors of State Armories as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Armory Board of the State of Pennsylvania including necessary traveling expenses of officers and members of the board and other general and contingent expenses of the board for the maintenance of armories including necessary repairs for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for the expense of inspection of armories the sum of five hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($525,000)

State Athletic Commission

For the payment of the salaries of the three members of the State Athletic Commission the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation of a secretary and such deputies inspectors clerks accountants and other employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the State Athletic Commission including postage necessary traveling expenses actually incurred by the commissioners and employes of the commission for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and other expenses necessary for the work of the commission as may be approved by the Adjutant General the sum of one hundred and eleven thousand dollars ($111,000)

State Veterans Commission

For the payment of expenses and for disbursements of the State Veterans Commission and to furnish funds to provide the necessities of life for and to assist otherwise such Pennsylvania veterans of any war or the widows and infant children or dependents of such veterans as are sick disabled or indigent and who are without means the sum of twenty thousand ($20,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

DEPARTMENT OF MINES

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Mines the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department of the traveling incidental and contingent expenses of the Secretary of the Department and officials and employes thereof for the payment of the cost of telephone toll charges plans freight expressage postage the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and other motor equipment and of other expenses of the department the sum of one hundred and sixteen thousand five hundred dollars ($116,500)

For the payment of the salaries of the Anthracite Mine Inspectors and Bituminous Mine Inspectors as provided by law and for payment of the actual traveling expenses of the inspectors and for postage telegrams express charges and other necessary expenses the sum of five hundred eighty-four thousand five hundred dollars ($584,500)

For the payment of the compensation and expenses attending the examination of candidates for mine foremen assistant mine foremen and fire bosses as provided for by law relating thereto the sum of thirteen thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars ($13,475)

DEPARTMENT OF PROPERTY AND SUPPLIES

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Property and Supplies the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of such deputies architects superintendents of construction directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists draftsmen engineers surveyors draftsmen ac-

comptroller secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department and of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings the State Art Commission the Capitol Police and the General Galusha Pennypacker Monument Commission for the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the Secretary of Property and Supplies the board and commissions attached to the department and the officers and employes of the department and such board and commissions for the payment of all temporary help for the care maintenance and preservation of Public Grounds and Buildings including the Executive Mansion for the payment of postage drayage freight storage and express and for the payment of the cost of advertising schedules of supplies the sale of unserviceable property proposals for executing the State printing and binding proposals for any contract work readvertising any schedules or proposals when necessary and all other advertising necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and for the payments of telephone toll charges and telegrams required by the department and its boards and commissions the sum of one million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($1,750,000) Provided however That the department shall not use any part of this appropriation for the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of employes necessary for the cleaning and care of offices or other quarters either in the Capitol Building or elsewhere used by the General Assembly the Judicial Department the Department of the Auditor General the Treasury Department the Department of Banking the Department of Highways the Board of Game Commissioners the Board of Fish Commissioners or the State Workmen's Insurance Board for the cleaning and care of offices or other quarters outside of the city of Harrisburg used by any other department board or commission or for the cleaning and care of the State Arsenal or any barracks used by the Pennsylvania State Police

For the purchase of office supplies medicines medical and surgical laboratory chemical and electrical supplies military stores and supplies foodstuffs solely for the use of the State Tuberculosis Sanatoria and the State Hospital for Crippled Children at Elizabethtown forage and other animal foods biological products and for the purchase of office chemical laboratory electrical medical and surgical equipment stationery furniture furnishings utensils military and police equipment firearms and other accoutrements artificial appliances fire protection and fire fighting equipment animals and poultry seedlings and transplants legal books and periodicals books maps charts manuscripts pamphlets exchanges records lantern slides periodicals archeological and historical markers and all other supplies or equipment or other matter except automotive equipment or supplies as set forth in the schedules of the Department of Property and Supplies or for which requisition is made but the want of which was not anticipated at the time of the making of the said schedules for the payment of rental charges for telephone service and patented leased office devices and for the payment of the cost of printing binding ruling lithographing color printing and engraving and for the purchase of paper envelopes cloth and other substances on which printing is done cuts electrotypes dies stamps and other printing and binding supplies as may be required for the General Assembly the Judicial Department the Executive Mansion and the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the State Government except the Department of the Auditor General the Treasury Department the Department of Banking the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners the State Farm Products Show Commission the State Workmen's Insurance Board and departmental administrative boards or commissions having control of State institutions or supervision over or the duty of planning for State parks harbors or canals for the payment of telephone toll charges and telegrams required by the General Assembly and the Judicial Department for the payment of the cost of making tests of materials supplies and equipment whether purchased by the Department of Property and Supplies directly or as purchasing agency for the payment of the cost of the preparation of plans designs and specifications including necessary tests or borings for preparation of same required for the performance of the work of the Department of Property and Supplies (when said cost is not otherwise provided for) including plans and specifications for and estimates of the cost of proposed State buildings or alterations or additions to existing State buildings prepared in anticipation of requests for appropriations including those to be purchased or altered at the expense of a fund other than the General Fund or those occupied by or to be occupied by State institutions and for the payment of expenses incident to condemnation proceedings in the event such expenses are not provided for in any act of the General Assembly authorizing the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth the sum of three million seven hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars ($3,765,000)

For the purchase of automotive equipment aeroplanes and accessories thereto as may be required for use by the several administrative departments boards and commissions and officers of the State Governments except those required for permanent use by the Department of the Auditor General the Treasury Department the Department of Banking the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners and the State Farm Products Show Commission and the State Workmen's Insurance Board and for the payment of the cost of oil gasoline tires repair parts for and repairs to automotive equipment which is not permanently assigned to any department board or commission or officer of the State Government the sum of one million ten thousand dollars ($1,010,000)

For the payment of premiums on surety bonds for such officers and employes of the General Assembly and the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the State Government as may be required by statute or otherwise to furnish them for the faithful performance of their official duties or to account for State funds in their possession for the payment of a premium or premiums on a policy or policies of liability insurance covering all motor vehicles owned by the Commonwealth and purchased from moneys of the General Fund except motor vehicles permanently assigned to departmental administrative boards having control of state institutions and protecting both the Commonwealth and State officers or employes operating the vehicles against claims for damages for injury to person or property and for the payment of a premium or premiums on a policy or policies of insurance insuring the Commonwealth against workmen's compensation liability for injuries to injured employes and dependents of deceased employes of its several departments boards and commissions except employes or dependents of deceased employes of departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) Provided that no part of this appropriation shall be available for expenditure to cover employes of the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners and the State Workmen's Insurance Board

For the purchase of fuel and the payment of the cost of water gas steam and electric current not supplied from the Capitol Power Plant and necessary devices required for reception and use of the same and the cost of grading and changing pipe lines relocation of sewers and installation of new sewers alterations repairs equipment renovations and improvements to for or on buildings and monuments of historical interest heretofore or hereafter acquired by the State the State capitol buildings and the public grounds and buildings connected with the State capitol including the State Arsenal the building formerly known as the Emerson-Brantingham Building and hereafter to be known as the Publications Building and the Executive Mansion and for the payment of the cost of water gas steam and electric current required for buildings offices rooms and grounds leased by the State within or without the city of Harrisburg for the accommodation or performance of the work of the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the State Government when the cost of same is not included in the rents paid for said buildings offices rooms and grounds and for the payment of the rent of buildings garages offices rooms storage space and lands either within or without the city of Harrisburg as may be required for the accommodation or the performance of the work of the several departments boards and commissions of the State Government including departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions the sum of one million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars ($1,750,000) Pro-

vided that no part of this appropriation shall be available for expenditures in connection with buildings offices and grounds leased on behalf of the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners the State Farm Products Show Commission the State Workmen's Insurance Board and departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions unless hereinbefore otherwise specifically provided

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

For the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Public Instruction the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of such deputies directors bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistants to the Superintendent assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Department for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies the mileage charges for use of automobiles and for the traveling contingent incidental and other expenses including postage telegrams and telephone toll charges of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and other officers and employes of the Department for the expenses of the State Council of Education and for supplying the Pennsylvania School Journal to the secretary of each board of school directors the sum of eight hundred and ninety-eight thousand dollars ($898,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of such officers and employes of the Department as may be necessary for the maintenance and operation of the State Library and Museum for traveling contingent incidental and other expenses and for the purchase of books maps charts manuscripts records exchanges pamphlets illustrations lantern slides periodicals parliamentary papers legal books and periodicals subscriptions to newspapers and any other expenses including postage expressage and care and maintenance of automobile and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles telegrams and telephone charges necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the State Library and Museum the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)

School Subsidies.

For the payment of the salaries of the county superintendents of public schools as required by law the sum of four hundred and forty-one thousand dollars ($441,000)

For the payment of the expenses of county superintendents of public schools as required by law the sum of sixty-six thousand dollars ($66,000)

For the payment of the salaries of assistant county superintendents of public schools as required by law the sum of five hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($525,000)

For the payment of the expenses of assistant county superintendents as required by law the sum of one hundred and five thousand dollars ($105,000)

For reimbursement to school districts for transportation of school children as required by law the sum of two million nine hundred thousand dollars ($2,900,000)

For the cost of training vocational teachers in such institutions as the State Council of Education may designate and under such regulations as the State Council of Education may prescribe as provided by law the sum of one hundred and twelve thousand dollars ($112,000)

For aid to school districts that now maintain as a part of the public school system vocational schools or departments schools for agricultural education industrial training home economics and other vocational and practical education for salaries and expenses of and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies the mileage charges for use of automobiles of traveling vocational education supervisors as provided by law for two years the sum of five hundred and eleven thousand dollars ($511,000)

For the cost of transportation investigation and necessary expense involved in the education of blind children as required by law for the education of children placed in homes by the courts or other agencies as required by law for the award of scholarships to graduates of secondary schools to aid them in obtaining higher education as required by law for Cornplanter Indians as required by law for the expense of blind students in attendance at institutions of higher learning as provided by law and payment to school districts of annual fixed charges in lieu of taxes on State lands as required by law the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000)

Support of Public Schools

For reimbursing school districts upon the salaries of school teachers and for closed schools as required by law the sum of fifty-three million five hundred and eight-two thousand dollars ($53,582,000)

State Normal Schools and Teachers Colleges

For the support of State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers including instruction operation maintenance including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel expenses of boards of trustees and the cost of such necessary alterations equipment repairs and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and other such incidental and contingent expenses as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the sum of eleven million and fifty thousand dollars ($11,050,000)

Professional Examining Boards and Advisory Committees

For the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of the members officers and employes of the professional examining boards within the Department of Public Instruction and of advisory committees appointed to assist the department in the administration of acts requiring examination and registration or licensure of persons practicing at certain professions or working at certain trades or occupations for contingent and traveling expenses for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for incidental and other expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the said examining boards and advisory committees and for the necessary costs and expenses incurred in the prosecution of offenders or violators of the acts creating any of the said examining boards or providing for the examination and registration or licensure of persons practicing at professions or working at trades or occupations their amendments and supplements as authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the sum of three hundred forty thousand dollars ($340,000)

Education of Blind and Deaf

For special education including the payment of the Commonwealth's share in the case of children between the ages of six (6) and twenty-one (21) and the payment of all in the case of pupils under the age of six (6) or over twenty-one (21) of the cost of tuition and maintenance of Pennsylvania pupils enrolled with the approval of the Department of Public Instruction in schools or institutions for the blind or for the deaf under the supervision of and approved by the Department as provided by law the sum of one million one hundred and sixty thousand dollars ($1,160,000)

Pennsylvania State Board of Censors

For the payment of salaries wages and other compensation of the members officers and employes of the Pennsylvania State Board of Censors for contingent expenses traveling expenses incidental and other expenses including telegrams and telephone toll charges necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Pennsylvania State Board of Censors for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for the necessary cost and expense incurred in the prosecution of offenders or violators of the act creating the Pennsylvania State Board of Censors its amendments and supplements the sum of one hundred and seventy-five thousand five hundred dollars ($175,500)

Pennsylvania Historical Commission

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of the members officers and employes of the Pennsylvania Historical Commission for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and for contingent expenses traveling expenses incidental and other expenses including telegrams and telephone toll charges necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the said Commission including archaeological work the purchase of archaeological collections and the maintenance of historical monuments buildings and markers as provided by law and as authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the sum of fifty-one thousand dollars ($51,000)

Public School Employes' Retirement Board

For the payment of the salaries wages and other compensation of the members officers and employes of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board for contingent expenses traveling expenses incidental and other expenses including telegrams and telephone toll charges necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board the sum of one hundred and eleven thousand four hundred dollars ($111,400)

For the payment into the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the contingent reserve account of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board as required by law the sum of one million eight hundred and twenty-five thousand dolars ($1,825,000)

For the payment into the School Employes' Retirement Fund to the credit of the State annuity reserve account number two of the Public School Employes' Retirement Board as required by law the sum of four million and seventy-five thousand dollars ($4,075,000)

State Institutions

For the support of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Pennsylvania including instruction operation and maintenance including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel and such necessary equipment repairs and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the board of trustees of said school and for buildings and construction for the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction the sum of one hundred and thirty thousand dollars ($130,000)

For the support of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children Philadelphia Pennsylvania including instruction operation and maintenance including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel and such necessary equipment repairs of improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the board of trustees of said school the sum of ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars ($92,500)

For the support of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School at Scotland Pennsylvania including instruction operation and maintenance including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel and such necessary equipment repairs and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the board of trustees of said school the sum of three hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($315,000)

For the support of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School at Lancaster Pennsylvania including instruction operation and maintenance including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel and such necessary equipment repairs and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses as may be authorized and approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the expenses of the board of trustees of said school the sum of one hundred and ten thousand dollars ($110,000)

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

For the payment of the salary of the Chairman the sum of twenty-one thousand dollars ($21,000)

For the payment of the salaries of the six commissioners the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($120,000)

For the payment of the salaries of the secretary counsel assistant counsel marshal and investigator of accidents and the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors reporters inspectors investigators examiners statisticians testers clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the commission for fees and expenses of witnesses postage express service advertising and publication of legal notice and for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles telephone toll charges and telegrams traveling and other incidental expenses necessary for the work of the Commission the sum of eight hundred forty-six thousand three hundred dollars ($846,300)

For the payment of such proportion of the cost of installing warning signals for the protection of the public where tracks of railroad corporations or street railway corporations cross public highways other than those State highways designated as primary routes as shall be determined by The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be paid by the Commonwealth the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000)

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Revenue the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000)

For the payment of salaries wages fees or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Department of Revenue for the payment of all necessary expenses incurred in the performance of duties by them and by the Secretary of Revenue the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the payment of postage traveling expenses telegrams telephone toll charges freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices cost of filing liens for the payment of the costs of advertising required by any act of Assembly in connection with the escheat of moneys and property to the Commonwealth or in connection with the payment of unclaimed moneys into the State Treasury without escheat and for the payment of any other costs connected with such escheats or the payment of money into the State Treasury without escheat and for contingent and incidental expenses necessary for the work of the Department the sum of one million one hundred and seventy thousand dollars ($1,170,000) Provided however that to the extent to which appropriations shall have been made to the Department out of special funds for any of the foregoing purposes this appropriation shall not be used for such purposes

For the payment of the compensation of informants in escheats the fees and expenses of escheators and the services of attorneys employed with the approval of the Attorney General in connection with such escheat proceedings the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

For the payment of the mileage of the appraisers of mercantile and other license taxes the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000)

The appropriations made by the two preceding paragraphs may be employed to pay expenses incurred by or under authority of the Auditor General prior to July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purposes mentioned in said paragraphs

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of the Commonwealth the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant chiefs experts scientists accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department for the payment of the necessary postage expressage telegrams telephone toll charges traveling and contingent expenses including the care and maintenance of automobiles and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Department and for proofreading the Pamphlet Laws the sum of one hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars ($165,000)

For the payment of the cost of publishing in various newspapers throughout the State the several amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000)

For the payment of salaries of State employes who have retired in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved June fourteenth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and seventy-three as amended the sum of one hundred and twelve thousand eight hundred dollars ($112,800)

For the payment of pensions and gratuities that have been granted by act of Legislature or that may hereafter be granted according to law the sum of five thousand two hundred and sixteen dollars ($5,216)

State Employes' Retirement Board

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the State Employes' Retirement Board including the salaries wages or other compensation of such employes as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the board the traveling and other expenses of members and employes' of the board the sum of forty-four thousand five hundred dollars ($44,500)

For the payment into the State Employes Retirement Fund to the credit of the State annuity reserve account number two the sum of one million one hundred and twenty-six thousand one hundred and twenty-four dollars ($1,126,124)

For the payment into the State Employes Retirement Fund to the credit of the annuity savings account the sum of seventy-six thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars ($76,376)

For the payment into the State Employes Retirement Fund to the credit of the contingent reserve account the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars ($555,000)

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE

For the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of State Police the sum of fifteen thousand dolars ($15,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of the State Police Force and such deputies chiefs statisticians clerks experts and other assistants as may be necessary for the work of the force chemists fees veterinary fees fees of lecturers at Training School medical attendance and hospital charges for members of the State Police Force injured in the line of duty fees for mileage and reporting fires inspection of property keep of horses maintenance of substations the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of motor vehicles transportation and traveling expenses investigation of incendiary fires costs of taking testimony and serving of process removal of dangerous fire hazards preparing and disseminating knowledge of fire protection and any other necessary expenses including telegrams and telephone toll charges incurred in the discretion of the Superintendent in the proper operation of the Pennsylvania State Police the sum of two million and seventy-five thousand dollars ($2,075,000)

For the payment of damages sustained by persons whose property has been or may hereafter be accidentally damaged or destroyed by members of the State Police Force in the discharge of their duties the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) the amounts to be paid hereinunder to be in all cases subject to approval by the Governor

DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Welfare the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)

For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the department and for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for postage telephone toll charges and express charges for traveling and other expenses of the Secretary of Welfare and the officers and employes of the department and of the State Welfare Commission and for any other expenses which may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department the sum of four hundred and sixty thousand dollars ($460,000)

For the payment of salaries compensation and traveling expenses of such deputies directors investigators statisticians supervisors clerks stenographers other assistants and employes of the several departmental administrative boards within the department other than boards of trustees of State institutions for the care and maintenance of automobiles the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles postage telephone toll charges express charges traveling expenses contingent expenses incidental and other expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the said boards the sum of sixty-three thousand eight hundred dollars ($63,800)

For the payment of salaries fees compensation and traveling expenses of surgeons supervisors clerks stenographers and other employes employed in the orthopaedic unit organized for the development of orthopaedic clinics and supervisory services in behalf of crippled children and to safeguard properly the standards of service to them for postage telephone toll charges express charges traveling expenses repairs and maintenance of automobiles and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other expense as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of said orthopaedic unit the sum of fifty-four thousand four hundred dollars ($54,400)

For the use of the Department of Welfare for the payment of additional maintenance to the Hospitals for the Insane Penal and Correctional Institutions and Institutions for the Feeble-minded or Epileptics to meet any emergency that may arise and which was not anticipated in the reorganization of the States finances with respect to these institutions the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) but no part of this amount shall be available except upon the specific approval of the Governor

INTERSTATE BRIDGE COMMISSION.

To the Commission constituted under the provisions of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred eighty) entitled "An Act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York of certain toll bridges over the Delaware River and making an appropriation therefor" and the amendments thereto for the purpose of paying the Commonwealth's share of acquiring toll bridges across the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York in accordance with the provisions of said Act and its amendments the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary said

appropriation not to be available for the purposes for which made until such toll bridges have been acquired

II LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

For the payment of the expenses of the Legislative Department for two years ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and also for the expenses of the session and recess of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine not previously provided for the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary to be paid in the manner prescribed by law Provided That the salaries stationery and mileage of the members of the Senate and House of Representatives and all the salaries and mileage of the session officers and employes of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one shall only be paid after statement of the amounts due the several Senators Members officers and employes shall have been certified to the Auditor General by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives respectively and that the Senators and Members also the officers receiving fixed salaries for said session shall each be paid one-fifth of his total salary each month for the first four months of the session if the Legislature shall be in session that long and the balance on the day fixed for the final adjournment of the Legislature or during the two days previous thereto and that the session officers and employes receiving per diem salaries shall be paid amount due them at the end of each month during the session except the last month when payment shall be made on the day fixed for final adournment of the Legislature or during the two days previous thereto

Senate

For the payment of the salaries of fifty Senators and extra compensation allowed by law to the President Pro Tempore of the Senate session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of one hundred and fifty-one thousand dollars ($151,000)

For the payment of the mileage of fifty Senators session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000)

For the payment of the postage session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one allowed by law to fifty Senators one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) each the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500)

For the payment of the postage session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one for the chief clerk and assistants the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150)

For the payment of the postage session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one to the Lieutenant Governor the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150)

To the chief clerk of the Senate for the payment of the postage on the Legislative Journal bills and calendars session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500)

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes of the Senate session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one also for the payment of the session and recess salaries of all officers and employes whose positions are now or may hereafter be created and for the payment of which provision is not otherwise made also for the payment of any increases which may now or hereafter be authorized in the recess and session salaries of the officers and employes of the Senate whose present salaries are provided for in this section the sum of seventy-six thousand dollars ($76,000) for the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one

For the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the Senate session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars ($2,700)

For the payment of the salaries of the returning officers of the Senate at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000)

For the payment of the mileage of the returning officers of the Senate at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the salary of the clerk to the President of the Senate for two years ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000)

For the payment of the salary of the secretary of the Senate for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000)

For the payment of the salary of the chief clerk of the Senate for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant clerk of the Senate for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant clerk of the Senate for the time employed during the recess periods in the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars ($4,200)

For the payment of the salary of the librarian of the Senate for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant librarian of the Senate for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of the salaries of the assistant to the secretary of the Senate for the time employed during the recess periods in the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand and nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars ($4,200)

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer to the President of the Senate for the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400)

For the payment of the salaries of the stenographers to the Senate Librarian for the time employed during the recess periods in the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of six thousand three hundred dollars ($6,300)

For the payment of the salaries of two watchmen of the Senate for the period commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of the salary of the superintendent of the storeroom of the Senate for the period commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000)

For the payment of the salaries of the custodian of the washroom and of the custodian of the basement of the Senate for the period commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of the salaries of one custodian of the Senate Chamber and three assistant custodians of the Senate Chamber for the period commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of eight thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($8,625)

For the payment of the salary of the messenger in the Senate library for the period commencing June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400)

To the chief clerk of the Senate for the payment of extra services in connection with the compilation of the history of legislation in the Senate session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one in investigating schools reformatories prisons asylums hospitals and other institutions supported in whole or in part from the Treasury of the Commonwealth and for the necessary clerical assistance the sum of twelve

thousand dollars ($12,000) to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of said committee on the presentation of his requisition for same and said chairman shall file an account of the committee's expense with the Auditor General within thirty days after the adjournment of the Legislature

For the payment of expenses incident to issuing certificates of election of Senators for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75) (act of June fourteen one thousand nine hundred and eleven)

For the payment of the contingent expenses including clerical stenographic traveling and discretionary charges of the President Pro Tempore of the Senate during the recess ending January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary and for like expenses for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the necessary expenses including extra labor in the office of the chief clerk for the year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) and for six months ending November thirtieth one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the incidental expenses of the Senate for six months commencing December first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and for the entire period of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one should same extend beyond May thirty-first such sum as may be necessary to be expended by the chief clerk of the Senate who shall render to the Auditor General accounts from time to time with proper specifically itemized vouchers to be settled in the same manner as other accounts but said chief clerk shall at no time have in his hands more than two thousand dollars ($2,000) for which accounts have not been rendered and settled and the whole amount expended by said chief clerk shall not exceed the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) out of which amount such necessary extra labor in the Senate shall be paid as shall be certified by the President Pro Tempore and the chief clerk

For the payment of the postage labor and incidental expenses in the office of the secretary of the Senate for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) and for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)

For the payment of postage labor express charges and all other expenses in the office of the librarian of the Senate for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of two thousand eight hundred dollars ($2,800) and for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand eight hundred dollars ($2,800)

To the chief clerk of the Senate for the payment of the expenses of the Senate or committees of the Senate in attending funerals or expenses incident thereto of Senators officers of the Senate or State officials during the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) Making a total for two years the sum of four hundred and twelve thousand nine hundred dollars ($412,900) or so much thereof as may be necessary to be paid in the manner prescribed by law

House of Representatives

For the payment of the salaries of two hundred and eight Members of the House of Representatives and extra compensation allowed by law to the Speaker of the House session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($625,000)

For the payment of the mileage of two hundred and eight Members of the House session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000)

For the payment of postage session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one allowed by law to two hundred and eight Members one hundred and fifty dollars each the sum of thirty-one thousand two hundred dollars ($31,200)

For the payment of the postage session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one to the chief clerk and assistants the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150)

To the chief clerk of the House of Representatives for the payment of postage on the Legislative Journal bills and calendar session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes of the House of Representatives session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one also for the payment of the session and recess salaries of all officers and employes whose positions are now or may be hereafter created and for the payment of which provision is not otherwise made also for the payment of any increase which may now or hereafter be authorized in the recess and session salaries of the officers and employes of the House of Representatives whose present salaries are provided for in this session the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($120,000) for the two years ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

For the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the House of Representatives session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000)

For the payment of the salaries of the returning officers of the House of Representaitves at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000)

For the payment of the mileage of the returning officers of the House of Representatives at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000)

For the payment of the salary of the chief clerk of the House of Representatives for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant to the chief clerk of the House of Representatives for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant clerk of the House of Representatives for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant clerk of the House of Representatives for the time employed during the recess periods in the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars ($4,200)

For the payment of the salary of the resident clerk of the House of Representaitves for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000)

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer to the resident clerk of the House of Representatives for the time employed during the recess periods in the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of three thousand and seventy-five dollars ($3,075)

For the payment of the salary of the superintendent of storerooms of the House of Representatives for the time employed during the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000)

For the payment of the salary of the assistant resident clerk of the House of Representatives for the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of salaries of one day watchman and one night watchman of the House of Representatives for the time employed during the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars ($7,200)

For the payment of the salary of the custodian of the basement of the House of Representaitves for the time employed in the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600)

For the payment of the salary of the custodian of the Hall of the House of Representatives for the time employed in the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600)

For the payment of the salaries of the four assistant custodians of the Hall of the House of Representatives for the time employed in the recess period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of seven thousand nine hundred and eight dollars ($7,908)

For the payment of the salary of the messenger in the House Library for the time employed in the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one as provided by law the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400)

For the payment of contingent expenses including clerical stenographic traveling and discretionary charges of the Speaker of the House of Representatives during the recess ending January first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary and for like expenses for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)

For the payment of necessary expenses including extra labor in the office of the chief clerk for the year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and for the six months ending November thirtieth one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000)

For the payment of the incidental expenses of the House of Representatives for the six months commencing December first one thousand nine hundred and thirty and for the entire period of the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one should the same extend beyond May thirty-first these accounts are to be expended by the chief clerk who shall render to the Auditor General accounts from time to time with proper specifically itemized vouchers to be settled in the same manner as other accounts. The whole amount thus expended by the chief clerk shall not exceed the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000)

For the payment of postage labor express charges and other expenses in the office of the resident clerk of the House of Representatives for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500) and for the year ending May thirty-one one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500)

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one in investigating schools, reformatories prisons asylums hospitals and other institutions supported in whole or in part from the treasury of the Commonwealth and for necessary clerical assistance the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of the said committee on presentation of his requisition for same and said chairman shall file an account of the committee's expenses with the Auditor General within thirty days after the adjournment of the Legislature

For the payment of the expenses incident to issuing certificates of election to Members of the House of Representatives for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Act of June fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and eleven) the sum of five hundred and seventy dollars ($570) to be paid by the State Treasurer on warrants of the Auditor General upon presentation of vouchers approved by the Speaker of the House of Representatives

For the payment of extra expenses of the Committee on appropriations of the House of Representatives for the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven the sum of five hundred twelve dollars and forty cents ($512.40)

To the chief clerk of the House of Representatives for the payment of the expenses of the House of Representatives or committee of the House of Representatives in attending funerals or expenses incident thereto of Members of the House of Representatives officers of the House of Representatives or State officials during the two years ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) Making a total of two years the sum of one million thirteen thousand eight hundred fifteen dollars and forty cents ($1,013,815.40) or so much thereof as may be necessary to be paid in the manner as prescribed by law

Legislative Miscellaneous

For the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania in attending the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association in nineteen hundred twenty-nine the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

For the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania in attending the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association in nineteen hundred thirty the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

Legislative Journal

The expenses for paper and printing of the Legislative Journal shall be paid out of the appropriation for paper and printing made to the Department of Property and Supplies contained in this act

For the payment of the chief clerk of the Senate and the chief clerk of the House of Representatives for making indices for the journals of each House for the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars each fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500)

For the work of the Legislative officials after the close of the session of nineteen hundred and twenty-nine on the Legislative Journal also the proofreading of the appendix and index thereto as provided by law the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500)

For the payment of the person or persons appointed to index the Legislative Journal session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) in accordance with the act establishing said Journal

Legislative Reference Bureau

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes and incidental expenses of the Legislative Reference Bureau for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and session employes for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one the following amounts

For the payment of the salary of the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (15,000)

For the payment of the salary of an Assistant Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000)

For the payment of the salaries of chief compiler compiler and bill drafter compiler and bill-reading clerk search clerk messenger and file clerk chief clerk reference librarian stenographers charwomen regularly employed and bill book clerks and stenographers for the session of the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and for maintenance incidental expenses traveling expenses and emergency clerical help if needed for two years the sum of seventy-one thousand five hundred dollars ($17,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary

III JUDICIARY DEPARTMENT

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts the salaries and mileage of the president and other law judges of the several courts of common pleas in the Commonwealth and the judges of the several orphans' courts and for the compensation of common pleas judges holding court in other districts and for the payment of salaries and mileage of associate judges the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine payments to be made monthly by warrant drawn by the Auditor General on the State Treasurer except in the case of associate judges who shall be paid quarterly on August thirty-first November thirtieth February twenty-eighth and May thirty-first of each year but when by reason of death or resignation salary for a fraction of a quarter is due any judge it shall be computed according to the ratio it bears to the whole quarter so as not however to increase or diminish the salary he is entitled to receive under the several acts of Assembly fixing the compensation of judges Provided That at the beginning of the term the interval from first Monday of January to the first Monday of March shall be reckoned as two-thirds of a

quarter and at the close of the term the interval from the first day of December to the first Monday of January shall be reckoned as one-third of a quarter

Supreme Court

For the payment of the salaries of the Supreme Court Judges the sum of two hundred seventy-four thousand dollars ($274,000)

For the payment of the salaries or compensation of the briefers investigators stenographers typewriters and clerks and to reimburse the judges of said court for expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties or attendant upon execution of the duties of the office the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars ($56,000)

For the payment of the salary of the deputy prothonotary eastern district the sum of seven thousand eight hundred dollars ($7,800)

For the payment of the salary of a chief clerk in the office of the prothonotary of the Supreme Court for the eastern district the sum of five thousand four hundred dollars ($5,400)

For the payment of the salary of an assistant chief clerk in the office of the prothonotary of the Supreme Court for the eastern district the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600)

For the payment of the salary of a clerk as assistant to the chief clerk of the prothonotary's office of the Supreme Court in the eastern district the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600)

For the payment of the salary of a record clerk in the office of the prothonotary of the eastern district the sum of five thousand four hundred dollars ($5,400)

For the payment of the salaries and expenses of the librarian assistant librarian and for the purchase of books for the library of the Supreme Court at Philadelphia the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred dollars ($16,100)

For the payment of the salary of the deputy prothonotary and clerk middle district the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars ($4,800)

For the payment of an attendant of the Supreme Court room and office and show room adjacent thereto middle district the sum of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200) payable monthly

For the payment of the salary of a clerk in the office of the prothonotary of the Supreme Court western district the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000)

For the payment of the salary and expenses of the crier tipstaves official stenographers court officers and special clerk to the Chief Justice of the eastern middle and western districts the sum of seventy-three thousand one hundred and ninety-five dollars and ninety-two cents ($73,195.92) Provided That the crier for the middle district shall receive no other compensation from the State

For the purchase of stationery supplies and the payment of the necessary expenses of the said Supreme Court for the eastern district thereof the sum of sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000) to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers approved by the prothonotary of the said Supreme Court for the eastern district thereof

For the purchase of stationery supplies books for the library and other necessary expenses of the Supreme Court western district the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500) to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers approved by the prothonotary of the said court for the said western district thereof

For the payment of the fees of the prothonotaries of the Supreme Court of the eastern middle and western districts on assignment of judges to counties other than their own under an order of the Supreme Court dated February nineteen one thousand nine hundred and nineteen the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) payments to be made monthly by the State Treasurer on warrants drawn by the Auditor General

For the payment of the expenses of the Supreme Court in the middle district and the Superior Court of Harrisburg the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800)

For the payment of fees of special masters appointed by the Supreme Court the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

Superior Court

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Superior Court the sum of two hundred and fifty-three thousand dollars ($253,000)

For the payment of the salaries or compensation of the clerks briefers investigators stenographers and typewriters of the Superior Court and to reimburse the judges of said court for expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties the sum of forty-nine thousand dollars ($49,000)

For the payment of the salaries and expenses of the crier and necessary tipstaves of the Superior Court the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars ($56,000)

For the purchase of dockets stationery supplies books for the library and other necessary expenses of the said Superior Court and its officers the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers approved by the prothonotary of the said Superior Court of Philadelphia Harrisburg and Pittsburgh

Common Pleas

For the payment of the salary of the judges of the courts of common pleas learned in the law in the several judicial districts of the Commonwealth the sum of two million seven hundred and ninety thousand dollars ($2,790,000)

For the payment of the compensation carfare and expenses of judges for holding court outside of their own judicial districts in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly approved April twenty-seventh Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven the sum of ninety thousand dollars ($90,000)

For the payment of mileage allowed common pleas judges in judicial districts containing more than one county as per act number forty-eight session of nineteen hundred and nineteen approved April eighteen one thousand nine hundred and nineteen the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000)

For the payment of the judges of the courts of the common pleas of Dauphin County for clerk hire in accordance with the provisions of the act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws page twenty-eight) the sum of fourteen thousand four hundred dollars ($14,400)

Orphans' Court

For the payment of the salaries of the orphans' court judges in the several judicial districts in which separate orphans' courts have been established by law the sum of five hundred forty thousand dollars ($540,000)

Municipal Court of Philadelphia

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly approved July twenty-first Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen the sum of two hundred and one thousand dollars ($201,000)

County Court of Allegheny County

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the County Court for the county of Allegheny the sum of one hundred twenty-one thousand dollars ($121,000)

Retired Judges

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Superior common pleas and orphans' courts who may resign or retire in accordance with the provision of the act of Assembly approved June twelfth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-one) the sum of one hundred forty-one thousand dollars ($141,000)

Associate Judges

For the payment of the salaries of the associate judges the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

For the payment to the associate judges of mileage for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000)

State Reporter

For the payment of the salary of the State Reporter the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

For the payment of the salary of the Assistant State Reporter the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000)

For the payment of stationery clerk hire and assistants the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000)

Section 2 This act is not intended to be inconsistent with or to repeal any provision of any act heretofore enacted at this session of the General Assembly regulating the purchase of supplies the ordering of printing and binding the purchase maintenance and use of automobiles the method of making payments from the State Treasury for any purpose or the functioning of any administrative department board or commission

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James), announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills having passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1958, entitled

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise right and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting.

Whereupon, The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James), in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CONSTRUCTION OF MORE IMPROVED HIGHWAYS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 8, 1929.

WHEREAS The full development of the various industries of the Commonwealth demands the construction of more improved highways and

WHEREAS the road building program as outlined and contemplated in the Commonwealth involves the improvement of many roads of an interstate nature justifying the cooperation and assistance of the Federal Government in its development and

WHEREAS The Congress of the United States has for many years been appropriating Federal aid for road construction at the rate of seventy-five million dollars ($75,000,000) per year and

WHEREAS In view of the rapidly increasing traffic on the interstate highways within this State it is apparent that the building of roads in this State must be speeded up in order to adequately meet the needs of such interstate traffic therefore be it

RESOLVED (if the Senate concur) That we hereby recommend to the President of the United States and to the Congress that at the coming special Session of Congress the annual Federal aid road appropriation be increased from seventy-five million dollars ($75,000,000) per year to not less than one hundred million dollars ($100,000,000) per year and be it further

RESOLVED That on the passage of this resolution the Chief Clerk of the House shall certify a copy hereof to the President of the United States to the President of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the Senate and to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the House of Representatives and to each State Legislature now in Session

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move that the Resolution be committed to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 937.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was read twice as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1958, entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights

or to exercise right and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT from the Committee on Finance, reported as committeed, Senate Bill No. 1645, (House Bill No. 1347), entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

Also, from the Committee on Finance, reported as committed Senate Bill No. 1263, (House Bill No. 1007), entitled

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

Mr. SALUS, from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations, reported as amended, Senate Resolution, as follows

In the Senate, January 21st, 1929.

WHEREAS The consolidation and merging of banks and banking institutions and the results and effects of such consolidations and mergings are of interest to the public and should be investigated and studied for the protection of the interests of the public, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate Committee on Banks and Bankings and Loan Associations is hereby authorized to investigate the consolidation and merger of all banks and other institutions doing a banking or building and loan association business within the Commonwealth, and to report its findings from time to time to the Attorney General with any suggestions it may have to make as to any action to be taken by or in behalf of the Commonwealth and to file a complete report to the Senate at the beginning of the Session of the Legislature of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Committee of Banks and Banking and Loan Associations shall have power to sit and continue such investigation or investigations after the adjournment of the Legislature at such times and places as it may deem advisable, and shall have authority and power to issue subpoenas and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, vouchers and records deemed necessary in any matter they are investigating. If any person refuses to appear and testify or produce any books, vouchers or records, the Committee shall have power to bring the matter to the attention of the Court of Common Pleas of the County where the subpoena was served, which Court shall thereupon issue its subpoena to require such witness to attend before it and testify or to produce such books, vouchers or records, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Attorney General of the Commonwealth shall furnish such legal aid and advice as may be necessary to assist the said Committee in making such investigation, and to pay any expense he may deem necessary and proper out of the funds in the Department of Justice upon vouchers furnished by the chairman of said Committee

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39, which requires concurrent resolutions reported from Committee to lie over one day be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the immediate consideration of resolution just reported from the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 22.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate, communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows:

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate David L. Davis, of 30 Carothers Avenue, Carnegie, Pennsylvania, for appointment as Justice of the Peace in Scott Township, Allegheny County, vice Albert Kaechele, resigned.

JOHN S. FISHER

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Henry W. Baldwin, Wilkinsburg.
J. Walter Holmes, Bellevue.
Mrs. Susan M. Schohn, Bellevue.
Howard L. McWilliams, Woodville.

BEDFORD COUNTY.

Miss Elizabeth Madore, Bedford.

BUCKS COUNTY.

Miss Florence G. Shelly, Quakertown.

CAMBRIA COUNTY.

Winston Emerick, Johnstown.

CHESTER COUNTY.

William S. G. Cook, Coatesville.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

Burt S. Burns, Reynoldsville.

LANCASTER COUNTY.

Frank S. Barr, Narvon.
Miss Buelah G. Sweet, Lancaster.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

Mrs. Marian J. Abel, Hellertown.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Miss Margaret A. Carton, Phila., 3901 Ridge Ave.
Louis Entin, Phila., 2551 N. 30th St.
William B. Ford, Phila., 5838 Osage Ave.
Harry Goldfarb, Phila., 6100 N. 12th St.
Nathan Goldsmith, Phila., 631 Snyder Ave.
J. Raymond Rossiter, Phila., 4734 Hazel Ave.
Miss Madelyn Schwer, Phila., 3846 N. Franklin St.
Roy S. Vollmer, Phila., 2021 S. Broad St.

WARREN COUNTY.

Raymond Johnson, Warren.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

Glenn G. Martin, Jr., Jeannette.
Miss Ottilie Walthour, Southwest Greensburg.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That Rule 38 which requires nominations made by the Governor to be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting on the foregoing nominations,

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that the executive session do now rise.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 311.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 9, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 311, file folio 1995, for further consideration.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 311, WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. MANSFIELD offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 311, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz), in the Chair.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL NO. 1139.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 1139, file folio 6063, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NO. 1139.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of Apirl, one thousand nine

hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner, in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them, conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the mo[illegible]

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BUCKBAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 3, line 18, by inserting after the word "this" the word "act."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

THANKING JOHN H. FERTIG, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, FOR SERVICES RENDERED MEMBERS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask nanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WOODWARD offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to.

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Whereas, During the present session the Legislative Reference Bureau has been of very great service to the members of the Senate and House of Representatives; therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the members of the General Assembly wish to convey to John H. Fertig, Assistant Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau, their appreciation of his untiring efforts and able services rendered to them.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

COMMISSION TO STUDY EMPLOYMENT OF MEN OVER FORTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. McCROSSIN offered the following resolution, which was twice read:

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Whereas it is becoming more and more prevalent in modern industry to bar from employment men over forty-five years of age

Whereas the progress in the development of labor-saving machinery has been such that from year to year more and more men lose employment, although it is understood that this resolution is not intended in any way to disparage the use of such machinery

Whereas the industrial and commercial systems of the State have also in recent years instituted pension and retirement plans and in obedience to statutory laws are confronted with the cost of compensation insurance

Whereas from a preliminary study and survey it seems that through the installation of modern machinery retirement systems compensation laws and other contributory factors there are at the present time thousands of able bodied men unable to find or secure work

Whereas if it be true that industrial and commercial employers are barring from work men over forty-five years of age this means that the burdens of industrial and commercial life are being placed upon young shoulders which will in time endanger the economic structure

Whereas the Honorable James J. Davis, Secretary of the Department of Labor of the United States, has frequently in public addresses called the attention of employers to this condition

Whereas the American Federation of Labor at the present time is conducting a national survey to ascertain the truthfulness of these reports

Whereas the Department of Labor and Industry of the State of Pennsylvania has been actively engaged in enlisting the employers of Pennsylvania in a cooperative way in lifting of these age bans and

Whereas it is very evident that a thorough study of this unemployment problem should be made to ascertain the real facts,

Therefore be it Resolved (if the House of Representatives concur) that His Excellency, the Governor of Pennsylvania, be empowered and he is hereby empowered to appoint a commission of seven men to study this problem and report to the Legislative session of one thousand nine hundred thirty-one with a full report as to the extent men of over forty-five years of age being barred from employment and to ascertain as nearly as possible the exact number of men affected by this rule of industry, if it exists; also to make such recommendations as to it seems fit and proper in the form of proposed legislation to the end that this situation may be remedied. This commission shall consist of seven members, to be made up as follows: one Senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate and one Representative to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and five to be appointed by the Governor. Of these five one shall be an employee or official of the State Department of Labor and Industry, one a representative of organized labor and one representative of industry, the remaining two may be appointed at the full discretion of the Governor.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that the resolution be committed to the Committee on Forestry.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1315, (HOUSE BILL No. 1043).

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1315, (House Bill No. 1043), entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other

wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto".

passed second reading.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the title was agreed to.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring.

Will the Senate agree to the title?

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the first section of the bill was agreed to.

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the section?

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I move to amend section 1, page 5, line 9, by adding after the word "board" the following: "or its representative as herein above provided;" also page 6, line 2, by striking out the word "and."

Mr. LANIUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title of the bill was read as follows and agreed to:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended, and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended, of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate, communication in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 1143.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 1143, file folio 5999, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1143.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization, maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations, partnerships, unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof, providing penalties for the enforcement of this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents," as amended.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 5, line 16, by striking out before the word "shall" the word "bring"; also line 17, by inserting before the word "an" the word "bring".

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

SENATE BILL No. 465 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberation of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instruction as they may require.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 4, by striking out the words "deliberations of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "presentation of all matters to"; also section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the words "the several" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "third class"; also line 8, by striking out the words "the several" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "third class."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1282, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1282, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five), entitled "An act defining commodities; regulating the sale thereof; and providing penalties for violation hereof," as amended by the act of May fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading was reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, was twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20, by striking out "regraded" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "regarded."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1783 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendment the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, was twice read as follows:

Amend section 7, page 10, line 8, by striking out the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz.
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1597 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading was reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 5, by striking out the second word "and"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "court" the words "county detectives and assistant district attorneys"; also section 4, page 3, line 3, by striking out the word "(twenty-eighth)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "(twenty

eight)"; also page 11, by striking out lines 9 to 29, inclusive; also page 12, by striking out lines 1 and 2.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 1594 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading was reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendment the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, was twice read as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "amount" the words "not exceeding."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1655, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred fifteen.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 16, by inserting after the word "thereto" the words "at the end of Article Four"; also line 17, by striking out "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof "twenty"; also line 18, by striking out the numeral "415" and inserting the numeral "420."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1723, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were read as follows:

Amend title, lines 8 and 9, by striking out the words "increasing the salaries of"; also section 1, page 2, line 7 by striking out the word "January" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July"; also line 8, by striking out the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-nine," and also by striking out the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or other"; also line 9 by striking out the word "State Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"; also line 12 by striking out the words "as follows"; also line 18, by striking out the words 'First State Clerk"; also by striking out lines 19 to 28, inclusive; also page 3, line 1, by striking out "($1500) dollars per annum" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "fixed by the Secretary of Revenue with the approval of the Governor but the compensation shall in all cases be in accordance with the classification adopted by the Executive Board."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 1780, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced,

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendment the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, was read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 7, by striking out the words "or hereafter."

On the question.

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Williamson,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Coyne	Homsher,	Norton,	Schantz,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE NON-CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

He also informed the Senate that the House of Representatives has non-concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon the amendments made by the Senate to the foregoing bill, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (if such Committee shall be appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE NON-CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

He also informed the Senate that the House of Representatives has non-concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon the amendments made by the Senate to the foregoing bill, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (if such Committee shall be appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

MOTION TO APPOINT COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives, (if the House shall appoint such Committee) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECESS.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for fifteen minutes.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1076.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to.

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), that House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 973, White File Folio 5533, entitled "An act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships where such forests are located" be recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to.

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE NON-CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

He also informed the Senate that the House of Representatives has non-concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon the amendments made by the Senate to the foregoing bill, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (if such Committee shall be appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. BUCKMAN Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE NON-CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 520.

He also informed the Senate that the House of Representatives has non-concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon the amendments made by the Senate to the foregoing bill, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (if such Committee shall be appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appoints as a Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

the Senator from Mercer, Mr. Fay, the Senator from Clinton, Mr. Quigley and the Senator from Clearfield, Mr. Scott.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1973.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1973, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1053.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1053, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registrations of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1483.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1483, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine gun and providing penalties

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1612.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1612, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the Federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the Governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 261.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 701.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 701, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1942.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1942, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of July one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports by capital stock tax payers.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 415 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 781 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that all bills reported from committees at today's session be read the first time.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 681, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled: "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder".

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1058, (House Bill No. 1103), entitled:

An act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1263, (House Bill No. 1007), entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1645, (House Bill No. 1347), entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1736, (House Bill No. 1638), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 859), entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one), entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal,' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisements in such estates.

And said bill having been read at length the first time
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1780, (House Bill No. 891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. BRANDT. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until 12 o'clock noon tomorrow.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 11.59 p. m. until Wednesday, April 17, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

TUESDAY, April 16, 1929.

The House met at 11.00 o'clock A. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph.D., offered the following prayer:

Almight God, our heavenly Father, we bless Thee that Thou hast made us the children of promise.

Thou wilt not turn us away from Thy door if we come to Thee in all the hunger of our spiritual needs. Thou wilt receive us with heavenly hospitality and Thou wilt feed us with the bread of life.

We bless Thee for this glorious hope.

May we have the willingness to lay our burdens down at Thy feet.

May our guilt be buried in the unfathomable sea of Thy forgiving love.

May our disappointments be changed into radiant expectations.

May all bitterness be transformed into Christian love. Thou hast brought us here over different roads and may we have one purpose to do Thy will for the good of all mankind. In His name. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mr. Himes, seconded by Mr. McGregor, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bills numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1134. (HOUSE BILL No. 2423).

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs to assist in the payment of the expenses of the National Convention of the United Spanish War Veterans.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL No. 714. (HOUSE BILL No. 2424).

An Act relating to townships regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. GRIFFITH, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, re-reported as amended, House Bill No. 1808, (Senate Bill No. 811), entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

Mr. BARTON, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2402, (Senate Bill No. 914), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes," as amended.

Mr. McGREGOR, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2401, (Senate Bill No. 567), entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2407, (Senate Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2408, (Senate Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by fur-

ther extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2409, (Senate Bill No. 1242), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 853), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2410, (Senate Bill No. 1286), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 733), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2411, (Senate Bill No. 1287), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2412, (Senate Bill No. 1296), entitled:

An Act to amend Clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2413, (Senate Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2421, (Senate Bill No. 442), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2417, (Senate Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2422, (Senate Bill No. 1012), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Mr. WRIGHT, from the Committee on Pensions and Gratuities, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2392, (Senate Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

Mr. LUCAS, from the Committee on Elections, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2398, (Senate Bill No. 288), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvana.

Mr. LUCAS, from the Committee on Elections, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2403, Senate Bill No. 1085), entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2416, (Senate Bill No. 1337), entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2400, (Senate Bill No. 510), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2404, (Senate Bill No. 1134), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

Mr. McCLURE, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2395, (Senate Bill No. 1157), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Mr. McCANN, from the Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2415, (Senate Bill No. 1336), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three), entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2402, (Senate Bill No. 914), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2401, (Senate Bill No. 567), entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2407, (Senate Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2408, (Senate Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting counties allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2409, (Senate Bill No. 1242), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating

a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment, therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2410, (Senate Bill No. 1286), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order ,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2411, (Senate Bill No. 1287), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2412, (Senate Bill No. 1296), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2418, Senate Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant, providing for the use and maintenance thereof, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2421, (Senate Bill No. 443), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2417, (Senate Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2422, (Senate Bill No. 1012), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2392, (Senate Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 95), entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2398, (Senate Bill No. 288), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,
The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2403, (Senate Bill No. 1085), entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2416, (Senate Bill No. 1337), entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2400, (Senate Bill No. 510), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2404, (Senate Bill No. 1134), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharges and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages or real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-residents and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustee duranto absentia and recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2395, (Senate Bill No. 1157), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2415, (Senate Bill No. 1336), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the examination, licensure and registration of persons, firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules, regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing, house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines, penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class, extending the same to include building, drainage, imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health, making further provisions for the administration of said act, increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties, including imprisonment.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

RESOLUTION No. 24.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSION TO STUDY EMPLOYMENT OF MEN OVER FORTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE.

Mr. MUSMANNO called up Resolution No. 24, file folio 6417, which was read as follows:

Whereas, it is becoming more and more prevalent in modern industry to bar from employment men over forty-five years of age

Whereas the progress in the development of labor saving machinery has been such that from year to year more and more men lose employment although it is understood that this resolution is not intended in any way to discharge the use of such machinery

Whereas the industrial and commercial systems of the State have also in recent years instituted pension and retirement plans and in obedience to statutory laws are confronted with the cost of compensation insurance

Whereas from a preliminary study and survey it seems that through the installation of modern machinery retirement systems compensation laws and other contributory factors there are at the present time thousands of able-bodied men unable to find or secure work

Whereas if it be true that industrial and commercial employers are barring from work men over forty-five years of age this means that the burdens of industrial and commercial life are being placed upon young shoulders which will in time endanger the economic structure

Whereas the Honorable James J Davis Secretary of the Department of Labor of the United States has frequently in public addresses called the attention of employers to this condition

Whereas the American Federation of Labor at the present time is conducting a national survey to ascertain the truthfulness of these reports

Whereas the Department of Labor and Industry of the State of Pennsylvania has been actively engaged in enlisting the employers of Pennsylvania in a cooperative way in lifting of these age bans and

Whereas it is very evident that a thorough study of this unemployment problem should be made to ascertain the real facts—

Therefore be it resolved (If the Senate concur) that His Excellency the Governor of Pennsylvania be empowered and he is hereby empowered to appoint a commission of seven men to

study this problem and report to the Legislative Session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one with a full report as to the extent men of over forty-five years of age are being barred from employment and to ascertain as nearly as possible the exact number of men affected by this rule of industry if it exists also to make such recommendations as to it seems fit and proper in the form of proposed legislation to the end that this situation may be remedied. This Commission shall consist of seven members to be made up as follows one Representative to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives one Senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate and five to be appointed by the Governor. Of these five one shall be an employee or official of the State Department of Labor and Industry one a representative of organized labor and one representative of Industry the remaining two may be appointed at the full discretion of the Governor.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker, when this resolution was called up for consideration last week a reasonable suggestion was made on the floor of the House that some effort should be made to secure an appropriation to carry the provisions of the resolution into effect. I have taken the matter up with Mr. Townsend, the budget officer, and he tells me that at this late date no appropriation can be provided for. I think the resolution should be passed nevertheless, because I am certain there are enough public-spirited citizens from which the Governor can make selection of a committee to carry this resolution into effect. I therefore ask you to vote favorably on this resolution.

Mr. HEFFRAN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House. This resolution was called up last week and you will doubtless remember that I said that to me it seemed only like a gesture. I am in sympathy with what the gentleman from Allegheny is trying to get at, but nothing can be accomplished by resolutions of this character. This commission if appointed will have no power to compel the attendance of any witnesses nor the power to require from any corporation or any employer any records that they may seek to look into, and for that reason it seems to me the resolution ought not to pass. It ought to be defeated because this House cannot go on record at this time as creating commissions from which they cannot get any results. Therefore, I ask the House at this time to vote down the resolution.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker, the gentleman from Washington absolutely fails to see the purpose of this resolution if he wishes to interpret from it that its presentation was a mere gesture when he casts reflection upon such individuals as might be appointed by the Governor to carry this resolution into effect. Those who would be appointed under the resolution would be one representative from this body, one senator, one representative from organized labor, one representative of industry, one representative from the State Department of Labor and Industry, and two to be appointed at the full discretion of the Governor. I repeat, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, that I am certain a sufficient number of public-minded citizens can be found in this Commonwealth who would be willing to do this work without compensation.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?
The Speaker declared the noes appear to have it.
Whereupon a division was called for and 54 members rose in the affirmative and 72 in the negative, the resolution was determined in the negative and the resolution was not adopted.

RESOLUTION.

FORWARDING HOUSE FILES TO MEMBERS.

Mr. TALBOT offered a resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Whereas, The files of the bills presented to and the proceedings of the General Assembly of the Session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine are the property of the Members thereof, and are desired for preservation by said Members, and

Whereas, Said files have, at former sessions, been forwarded to the homes of the Members at the conclusion of the Session by the Department of Property and Supplies, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of the said Department of Property and Supplies shall be requested by the Resident Clerk of the House of Representatives to forward such files and supplies belonging to the Members of the House of Representatives as they may designate, to such address as shall be furnished by them to the said Resident Clerk of the House of Representatives, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the said Resident Clerk to the Secretary of the said Department of Property and Supplies.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bills numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 455.

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

SENATE BILL No. 926.

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county, and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessment upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny County and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election

SENATE BILL No. 261.

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase installation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act

SENATE BILL No. 1155,

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

SENATE BILL No. 1089.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 272.

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any State of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

SENATE BILL No. 380.

An Act to amend rule twenty-five of article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

SENATE BILL No. 956.

An Act to amend sections one, three hundred and five, and three hundred and seven as amended, of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

SENATE BILL No. 477.

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, pro- and state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

SENATE BILL No. 113.

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School Downingtown Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 783.

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for thir supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 96.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home For Training in Speech of Deaf Children, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 1037.

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (If the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 414, file folio 907, entitled, "An Act to amend

clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases" recalled from the Governor, be returned to the Governor.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bills numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 1140.

An Act providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expense of keeping convicts in State penitentiaries

SENATE BILL No. 1144.

An Act providing for the monthly payment by the counties to the Department of Revenue of charges for clothing maintaining and educating pupils at the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza

SENATE BILL No. 1147.

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 1044) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law of some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 1148.

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1149.

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

SENATE BILL No. 36.

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 558.

An Act authorizing counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident insurance for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 561.

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

SENATE BILL No. 704.

An Act supplementing the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 858.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 931.

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties; and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 835.

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit additional volumes of the eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large; providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 837.

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 1016.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L.

887), entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes; designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties; and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes.

SENATE BILL No. 827.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 828.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 829.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

SENATE BILL No. 855.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 856.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 471.

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

SENATE BILL No. 656.

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 826.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 508.

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs, of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

SENATE BILL No. 718.

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second A classes; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

SENATE BILL No. 807.

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

SENATE BILL No. 992.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 795) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

SENATE BILL No. 1084.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 405.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities boroughs towns and townships to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields

SENATE BILL No. 92.

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 128.

An Act making an appropriation to Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 131.

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

SENATE BILL No. 181.

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 186.

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 200.

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 413.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables

SENATE BILL No. 207.

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 307.

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Board of Pardons and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

SENATE BILL No. 309.

An Act conferring and imposing certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole.

SENATE BILL No. 308.

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

SENATE BILL No. 450.

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries and repealing prior legislation.

SENATE BILL No. 831.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

SENATE BILL No. 106.

A Further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

SENATE BILL No. 242.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1146.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

SENATE BILL No. 816.

An Act to amend sections one, two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes of which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and

Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency and exercising the right of eminent domain.

SENATE BILL No. 22.

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1141.

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State Institutions.

SENATE BILL No. 317.

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

SENATE BILL No. 1131.

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital, of the City of Pittsburgh.

SENATE BILL No. 1252.

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws, twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein, and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures or land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment.

SENATE BILL No. 410.

An Act to amend sections one and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties"; providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, Common Pleas, Orphans', Municipal and County Court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and, in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby; providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those in office on a named date who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 667.

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven;" also same line, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred;" also in lines 4 and 5, strike out the numerals "($10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals '($11,500)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Barter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peolor,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pothick,	Way,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,

Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 462.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'twenty;" also, line 5, by striking out the numerals "($110,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($120,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Catania,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pierce,	Washington,
Conner,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Post,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCann,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 92.

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nine;" also, same line, by striking out the numerals "($6,000)" and inserting in lieu theerof the numerals "($9,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harter,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,

Conner,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cooke,	Jones,	Post,	Way,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weaver,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 32.

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "forty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the numerals "($40,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($50,000)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

dams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
ston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shortz,
ily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shutt,
aker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Simon,
aldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
aldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
atchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
ausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Sowers,
echtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
ehm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
ell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
ell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D G.,	Staudenmeier,
idelspacher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
lack,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stein,
oggs,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
raham.	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
rown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
rown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
rown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
urke,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
urns,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
uffiel,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
ark, J. G.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
ark, M. S.,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Clovis,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Conner,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 746.

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred"; also, line 5, by striking out the numerals "($19,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($19,500)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,

Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	King,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BIL No. 1302.

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten"; also, same line, by striking out after the word "thousand" the words "seven hundred"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($3,700)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($10,000)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—136.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,	Schrock,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in,

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 917.

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 130.

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomina-

tion and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by adding thereto clause six authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 930.

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred:

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1006.

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1238.

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 933.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine), entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor" providing additional methods and postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 745.

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 796.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 431), entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to, and regulating the effect of, contracts for work and labor to be done, and labor or materials to be furnished, to any building, bridge, wharf, dock, pier, bulkhead, vault, subway tramway, tollroad, conduit, tunnel, mine, coal-breaker, flume, pump, screen, tank, derrick, pipe-line, aqueduct, reservoir, viaduct, telegraph, telephone, railway or railroad line; canal, mill-race; works for supplying water, heat, light, power, cold air, or any other substance furnished to the public; well for

the production of gas, oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement, of whatsoever kind or character the same may be; providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts, and repealing, consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto," by including among the wells enumerated, wells for the production of water.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final pyassage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 767.

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten"; also, same line, by striking out after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($8,500)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($10,000)".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 9, by striking out the word "purpose and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "following purposes namely the sum of eight thousand five hundred ($8,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose."

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 4, by inserting after the word "hospital" the following: "That sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a clinic exclusively for crippled children".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Sheffer.
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miliar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hofferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Katz,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	King,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim
Fox,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett.	McAlee,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILLS NONCONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has nonconcurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 197.

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Mr. McKAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1802 (Senate Bill No. 47), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction and for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, to be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—204.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pcelor	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Ycakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2321 (Senate Bill No. 1259), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2340 (Senate Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2351 (Senate Bill No. 425), entitled:

An Act providing that when Cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2390, (Senate Bill No. 9), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease, and the rate of said tax

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act each and every ton of anthracite coal of the weight of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds avoirdupois mined washed screened or otherwise prepared for market in this Commonwealth shall be made subject to a tax of one and one-half

per centum (1½) to the thirty first day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine one per centum (1) for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty and one-half (½) of one per centum for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred thirty and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one of the value thereof when prepared for market which said tax shall be assessed at the time when said coal has been mined washed or screened and is ready for shipment or market After the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one no tax shall be assessed on anthracite coal under the provisions of this act saving to the Commonwealth however the right to collect thereafter all taxes imposed or due and owing under the provisions of this act

Section 2 Nothing contained in this repeal shall be construed to prevent the collection of any tax duly collectable to the date when this repeal takes effect

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendment.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk

The amendment was read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 3, by striking out lines 1 to 3 inclusive.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2349, (Senate Bill No. 1308), entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1692, (Senate Bill No. 805), entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of fees and costs to the prothonotary in attachment proceedings

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2051, (Senate Bill No. 1082), entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schreck,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Schrock,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Schwartz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith H J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Spangler,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stark,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Root,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schilling,	Zieserheim, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2354, (Senate Bill No. 506), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances, regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau, providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller H. A.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffron,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Hoffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weltach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Deane,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 469, as follows:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as last amended by the act approved the sixteenth day of February one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days'" approved the twenty-third day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven further designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 2 Whenever the first day of January the twelfth day of February the twenty-second day of February the thirtieth day of May the fourth day of July the twelfth day of October the eleventh day of November or the twenty-fifth day of December shall any of them occur on Sunday the following day (Monday) shall be deemed and declared a public holiday All bills of exchange checks drafts or promissory notes falling due on any of the Mondays so observed as holidays shall be due and payable on the next succeeding secular or business day and all Mondays so observed as holidays shall for all purposes whatever as regards the presenting for payment or acceptance and as regards the protesting and giving notice of the dishonor of bills of exchange checks drafts and promissory notes made after the passage of this act be treated and considered as if the first day of the week commonly called Sunday

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Baily,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheely,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Black,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Blumberg,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Boggs,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bowers,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,

Brown, T. J.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.	Stevenson,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Burns,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Clark, J. G.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Clark, M. S.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Clovis	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Conner,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Cooke,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Davis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Denne,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Ditter,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Donnell,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.
Eaches,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wood,
Fish,	Loucks	Ronemus,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fox,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Hess,
	Mathay,	Schreck,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2113, (Senate Bill No. 464), as follows:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all necessary expenses incurred by the district attorneys of any county of this Commonwealth or his assistants or any officer or other person or persons directed by him in the investigation of crime or suspected crime or matters relating thereto and the apprehension and prosecution of persons charged with or suspected of the commission of crime shall be paid by the respective counties when properly audited as provided by law out of moneys in the county treasury upon the approval of the bill of expense by the district attorney of their respective counties And in cases where a defendant is convicted and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and trial all expenses of the district attorney including investigations and preparation in connection with such prosecutions shall be considered a part of the costs of the cases and be paid by the defendant

Section 2 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shertz,
Baker,	Grosby,	McKee,	Shutt,
Baldi, C. C. A. Jr.,	Grove,	Mamele,	Simon,
Baldi, J. P. M., Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Michel,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bausner,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bieker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Birkett,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Cantiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration of final passage of House Bill No. 1403, (Senate Bill No. 193), as follows:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections

(d) AIRPORTS

Section 3490 AUTHORITY TO SECURE LANDS FOR AIRPORTS All boroughs are hereby authorized and empowered to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land lying either within or without the limits of such boroughs which in the judgment of the corporate authorities thereof may be necessary and desirable for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes aviation landing fields and airport facilities

Section 2491 PROCEEDINGS TO CONDEMN LANDS The proceedings for the condemnation of lands under the provisions of this act and for the assessment of damages for property taken injured or destroyed shall be conducted in the manner provided by article fourteen of the act to which this is an amendment The title acquired by the borough exercising the power of condemnation shall be a title in fee simple

Provided however that no condemnation can be made under the provisions of this act of the lands now owned by railroad or railway companies whether used exclusively for transportation purposes or otherwise

Section 2492 LEASES AND CONTRACTS FOR USE OF FIELDS Any borough acquiring land under the provisions of this act may improve and operate the same or may lease the same or part thereof to any individual or corporation desiring to use the same for the purpose of landing or starting an aeroplane therefrom or for other aviation purposes for a period not to exceed ten years on such terms and subject to such conditions and regulations as may be provided Any such borough may enter into a contract in the form of a lease providing for the use of said land or any part thereof by the Government of the United States for the use by said Government of said land for aviation mail delivery or other aviation purposes upon nominal rental or without consideration

Section 2493 JOINT AIRPORTS Any borough acquiring land thereunder may operate and maintain said municipal airdrome or aviation landing field jointly with any county within which such borough is located

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldridge,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2345, (Senate Bill No. 435), entitled:

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Article three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following section

Section 353 Location of Principal Office Records Securities and Funds Every stock and mutual insurance company association or exchange incorporated or organized under any law of this Commonwealth shall maintain its principal office and keep all its minute-books stocks-books original books of account contracts and all other original books of record and documents and all stocks bonds mortgages and other securities and certificates and evidences of indebtedness constituting the investment of its capital surplus reserves and other funds at a place within this Commonwealth except such part or amount thereof as shall be required to be maintained or deposited in another State or foreign country in order to enable it to comply with the laws of such State or foreign government for the purpose of transacting business therein No cash of said company association or exchange except such as shall be necessary for the transaction of its business or to enable it to comply with the laws of any other State or foreign country for the purpose of transacting business therein shall be kept held or deposited in a banking institution or otherwise in any other State or foreign country except upon the approval of the Insurance Commissioner first obtained in writing

Section 2 That article three of said act be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following section

Section 354 Discrimination Prohibited Penalties Discrimination between individuals of the same class in the amount of premiums or rates charged for any policy of insurance covered by this act or in any of the terms or conditions is prohibited Any person corporation association or exchange violating any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars for each such violation

Section 3 That section four hundred and ten of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 410 Uniform Policy Provisions No policy of life or endowment insurance except policies of industrial insurance where the premiums are payable monthly or oftener shall be issued or delivered by any stock or mutual life insurance company in this Commonwealth unless it contains in substance the following provisions

(a) A provision that all premiums shall be payable in advance either at the home office of the company or to an

agent of the company upon delivery of a receipt signed by one or more of the officers of the company who shall be named in the policy

(b) A provision that the insured is entitled to a grace either of thirty days or one month within which the payment of any premium after the first year may be made subject at the option of the company to an interest charge not in excess of six per centum per annum for the number of days of grace elapsing before the payment of the premium during which period of grace the policy shall continue in full force but in case the policy becomes a claim during the said period of grace before the overdue premium or the deferred premiums of the current policy-year if any are paid the amount of such premiums with interest on any overdue premiums may be deducted in any settlement under the policy

(c) A provision that the policy shall be incontestible after it has been in force during the lifetime of the insured two years from its date of issue except for non payment of premiums and for engaging in military or naval service in time of war without the consent in writing of an executive officer of the company

(d) A provision that the policy shall constitute the entire contract between the parties but if the company desires to make the application a part of the contract it may do so provided a copy of such application shall be endorsed upon or attached to the policy when issued and in such case the policy shall contain a provision that the policy and the application therefor shall constitute the entire contract between the parties

(e) A provision that if the age of the insured has been misstated the amount payable under the policy shall be such as the premium would have purchased at the correct age

(f) A provision that the policy shall participate in the surplus of the company and that beginning not later than the end of the third policy-year the company will annually determine the portion of the divisible surplus accruing on the policy and that the owner of the policy shall have the right to have the dividend arising from such participation paid in cash or applied to the payment of premium or the purchase of paid up additions to the policy as the policyholder may elect

In lieu of the foregoing provisions the policy may contain a provision that the policy shall participate in the surplus of the company and that beginning not later than the end of the tenth policy-year the company will determine the portion of the divisible surplus accruing on the policy and that the owner of the policy shall have the right to have the current dividend arising from such participation paid in cash and that at periods of not more than five years thereafter such apportionment and payment at the option of the policyholder shall be had

Renewable term policies of ten years or less may provide that the surplus accruing to such policies shall be determined and apportioned each year after the second policy-year and accumulated during each renewal period and that at the end of any renewal period or renewal of the policy by the insured the company shall apply the accumulated surplus as an annuity for the next succeeding renewal term in the reduction of premiums

(g) A provision specifying the options to which the policyholder is entitled in the event of default in a premium payment after three full annual premiums shall have been paid

(h) A provision that after three full years' premiums have been paid the company at any time while the policy is in force will advance on proper assignment or pledge of the policy and on the sole security thereof at a specified rate of interest a sum equal to or at the option of the owner of the policy less than the reserve at the end of the current policy year on the policy and on any dividend additions thereto less a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any dividend additions thereto and that the company will deduct from such loan value any existing indebtedness on the policy and any unpaid balance of the premium for the current policy-year and may collect interest in advance on the loan to the end of the current policy-year which provision may further provide that such loan may be deferred for not exceeding six months after the application therefor is made A company may in lieu of the provision hereinabove permitted for the deduction from a loan on the policy of a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any dividend additions thereto insert in the policy a provision that one-fifth of the entire reserve may be deducted in case of a loan under the policy or may provide therein that the deduction may be the said two and one-half per centum or the one-fifth of the said entire reserve at the option of the company

(i) A provision which in event of default in premium payments after premiums shall have been paid for three years shall secure to the owner of the policy a stipulated form of insurance the net value of which shall be at least equal to the reserve at the date of default on the policy and on any dividend additions thereto specifying the mortality table and rate of interest adopted for computing such reserves less a sum not more than two and one-half per centum of the amount insured by the policy and of any existing dividend additions thereto and less any existing indebtedness to the company on the policy Such provision shall stipulate that the policy may be surrendered to the company at its home office within one month from date of default for a specified cash value at least equal to the sum which would otherwise be available for the purchase of insurance as aforesaid and may stipulate that the company may defer payment for not more than six (6) months after the application therefor is made This provision shall not be required in term insurance of twenty years or less

(j) A table showing in figures the loan value if any and the options available under the policy each year upon default in premium payments during at least the first twenty years of the policy if the proceeds of a policy are payable in instalments or as an annuity a table showing the amount of the instalment or annuity payments

(k) A provision that the holder of a policy shall be entitled to have the policy reinstated at any time within three years from the date of default in premium payments unless the policy has been duly surrendered or the extension period expired upon the production of evidence of insurability satisfactory to the company and the payment of all overdue premiums and any other indebtedness to the company upon said policy with interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum per annum

(l) A provision that when a policy shall become a claim by the death of the insured settlement shall be made upon receipt of due proof of death

Any of the foregoing provisions or parts thereof not applicable to single premium or non-participating or term policies shall to that extent not be incorporated therein and paragraph (h) shall not apply to companies of other States and foreign governments Provided however, That the policies of an insurance company organized under the laws of any other State or foreign government may contain when issued in this Commonwealth any provision which may be prescribed by the laws of the State or government under which the company is organized and the policies of a life insurance company organized under the laws of this Commonwealth may when issued in any other State Territory or foreign country contain any provision required by the laws of such State Territory or foreign country to be contained in policies issued therein The provisions of this section shall not apply to policies of reinsurance nor to policies of group life insurance

Section 4 That Section five hundred and thirty-one of said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 531 Licensing of Foreign Mutual Companies A mutual fire mutual marine or mutual fire and marine insurance company of another State [may be] now licensed to transact and transacting in this Commonwealth any class or classes of business mentioned in subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act may continue to transact such class or classes of business and may be relicensed after the passage of this act to transact such class or classes of business under the following conditions

If to transact the class of business mentioned in clause (1) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act [when it has a] its surplus over all liabilities including unearned premiums computed in accordance with the laws of this Commonwealth [of] must not be less than one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or [has] it must have continuously transacted business for not less than five years and have a surplus over all liabilities of not less than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

If to transact the classes of business mentioned in clauses (2) and (3) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act its surplus over all liabilities must not be less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)

A mutual fire mutual marine or mutual fire and marine insurance company of another State applying for admission to do business in this Commonwealth after the passage of this act in order to be licensed to do any one or all of the classes of business mentioned in clauses (1) (2) and (3) of subdivision (b) of section two hundred and two (202) of this act must have a surplus over all liabilities of not less than the capital and surplus required by this act for domestic stock fire stock marine or stock fire and marine insurance companies organized under this act for the transaction of the same class or classes of business

Section 5 Repealer All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark
Boggs,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Burke,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Burns,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Conner,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cooke,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Davidson,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.
Eaches,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Edrer,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 979.

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. The Chair declares a recess until 1 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 1 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 37.

An act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital, of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 44.

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital, located at Bethlehem, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 64.

An Act making an appropriation to the Punxsutawney Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 89.

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 90.

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 93.

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 94.

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 95.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 102.

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 103.

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 104.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 105.

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 114.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 116.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 121.

An Act making an appropriation to the several fire companies of the City of Harrisburg.

SENATE BILL No. 126.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 130.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 132.

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

SENATE BILL No. 135.

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the State debt.

SENATE BILL No. 136.

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

SENATE BILL No. 137.

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania to be used by said commission in the payment of the cost of the construction reconstruction relocation alteration or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporation at above or below grade of public highways exclusive of state highways designated as primary routes and regulating the expenditure of the amount hereby appropriated

SENATE BILL No. 138.

An Act making an appropriation to the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 140.

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

SENATE BILL No. 199.

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 221.

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 222.

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 241.

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 258.

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth, and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 271.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 275.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 289.

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 301.

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission.

SENATE BILL No. 328.

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 396.

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 403.

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 418.

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital, Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 428.

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 441.

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital, Germantown, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 446.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Center County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 447.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital, located at Philipsburg, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 448.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 452.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 453.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital, located at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 456.

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets in the City of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers Pennsylvania National Guard

SENATE BILL No. 457.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 475.

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital, of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 481.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital, located at Danville, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 484.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital, located at Torrance, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 550.

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 577.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 588.

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a Memorial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 654.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for hospital maintenance.

SENATE BILL No. 655.

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 677.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, at Mount Airy, Philadelphia, to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils.

SENATE BILL No. 683.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 696.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums

SENATE BILL No. 839.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Torrance State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 844.

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 846.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 848.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 849.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Warren State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 850.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 851.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

SENATE BILL No. 853.

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School.

SENATE BILL No. 854.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennhurst State School.

SENATE BILL No. 859.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Danville State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 860.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Allentown State Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 861.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 957.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Shamokin State Hospital, at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 959.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

SENATE BILL No. 1019.

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of said hospitals,

SENATE BILL No. 1027.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

SENATE BILL No. 1038.

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1186.

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 1255.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Pennsylvania State College, for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry, and for the purchase of necessary equipment.

SENATE BILL No. 1258.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 60.

An act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgates of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuaton; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

SENATE BILL No. 434.

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

SENATE BILL No. 566.

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department and providing that certified copies of all records books papers documents and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence" by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records

SENATE BILL No. 585.

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789), entitled: "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 787.

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

SENATE BILL No. 975.

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an Insurance Department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 433.

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

SENATE BILL No. 790.

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 535), entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives; defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries; and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized, and the salaries thereof

SENATE BILL No. 1014.

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the enumeration of all deformed crip-

pled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

SENATE BILL No. 1133.

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 939.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 129) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof" restricting the powers therein conferred in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record to the orphans' court of such counties.

SENATE BILL No. 976.

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

SENATE BILL No. 41.

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

SENATE BILL No. 50.

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor

SENATE BILL No. 84.

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

SENATE BILL No. 170.

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 249.

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 550), entitled "An act authorizing the several counties, incorporated towns, and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans, and of the Army of the Philippines, and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, in the respective counties, boroughs, and towns, to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 278.

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvement leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and including provisions for the accommodation of patriotic societies or groups or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation.

SENATE BILL No. 336.

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty two thousand five hundred and twenty-one two thousand five hundred and twenty-two and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 519) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

SENATE BILL No. 375.

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

SENATE BILL No. 377.

An Act requiring the Department of Revenue to prepare and distribute lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

SENATE BILL No. 378.

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for cooperative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

SENATE BILL No. 384.

An Act to amend route number one of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or coun-

ties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, manitenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

SENATE BILL No. 402.

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

SENATE BILL No. 407.

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities

SENATE BILL No. 444.

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns.

SENATE BILL 478.

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants tenants in common or coparceners

SENATE BILL No. 488.

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 530.

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township Berks County from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association providing for the control management supervision restoration and improvemen thereof authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor

SENATE BILL No. 536.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

SENATE BILL No. 562.

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 564.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

SENATE BILL No. 590.

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence

SENATE BILL No. 601.

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township, Berks county, to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick"; providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, and improvement thereof; authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 670.

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

SENATE BILL No. 679.

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing

a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry, and abolishing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

SENATE BILL No. 686.

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certan operators thereof and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue for violation of the provisions of the public service company law authorizing the recession of such suspension and providing for the disposition of fees

SENATE BILL No. 687.

An Act providing for the establishment on certain conditions of certain industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

SENATE BILL No. 694.

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759). entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

SENATE BILL No. 698.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the re-assessment between the periods of the triennial assessment, of property and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 699.

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation.

SENATE BILL No. 705.

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

SENATE BILL No. 712.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 784.

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" by extending the provisions therefor to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth

SENATE BILL No. 789.

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments became necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

SENATE BILL No. 791.

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class and fixing their salaries payable by the county

SENATE BILL No. 808.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film Corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

SENATE BILL No. 809.

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six, as amended, and sections seven hundren and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonweal'h of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

SENATE BILL No. 810.

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

SENATE BILL No. 816.

An Act to amend sections one two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor" by adding to the purposes for which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and

Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the Agency for exercising the right of eminent domain

SENATE BILL No. 833.

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

SENATE BILL No. 834.

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers, and composed of trust companies or banking companies, or both, to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

SENATE BILL No. 836.

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to, collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer, and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

SENATE BILL No. 920.

An Act permitting savings banks savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

SENATE BILL No. 922.

An act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 927.

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 932.

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

SENATE BILL No. 971.

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 352—Proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 973.

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," as amended, further regulating the qualifications of members of council.

SENATE BILL No. 985.

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

SENATE BILL No. 989.

An Act to amend section six hundred three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 990.

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

SENATE BILL No. 991.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

SENATE BILL No. 1015.

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

SENATE BILL No. 1020.

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six thirteen and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five) entitled "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed housed or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class second class and second class A by requiring certain construction and ways of egress equipment and maintenance providing for the licensing of projectionists requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and in certain cases by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act and repealing certain acts" and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

SENATE BILL No. 1026.

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

SENATE BILL No. 1094.

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

SENATE BILL No. 1127.

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully killed or caught to be personal property and the subject of larceny.

SENATE BILL No. 1141.

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions

SENATE BILL No. 1146.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

SENATE BILL No. 1150.

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurers' sales and sheriffs' sales for the non-payment of taxes.

SENATE BILL No. 1152.

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows' and childrens' exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment hercof the lien thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common liabilities houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

SENATE BILL No. 1154.

An Act authorizing and requiring the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States circuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 1239.

An Act relating to the collection and return of county borough township school and poor taxes.

SENATE BILL No. 1246.

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers, in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of said solicitor, and fixing his term of appointment and salary," and the amendments thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 1249.

An Act to provide for appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 1251.

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

SENATE BILL No. 1253.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July on thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws for hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships of counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads, defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township

county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and off all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks

SENATE BILL No. 1299.

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford county.

SENATE BILL No. 1307.

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

SENATE BILL No. 1344.

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A joint resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

SENATE BILL No. 924.

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by this act" by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State highway routes.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATES TO THE AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two Senators, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the House, as delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, to attend the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association. Said delegates shall make a full report of any action taken by said association to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one. The expenses of the said delegates in attending said meeting, shall be paid from an item inserted in the General Appropriation Law.

Ordered, That the Clerk presented the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1060 Printer's No. 653 File Folio 4051, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four), entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions" extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests

which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment be returned to the Governor without amendment,

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 789.

An Act creating in Cities of the First Class a Bureau of Building Inspection Regulating the Erection Enlargement Alteration Repair Moving Removal Demolition and Inspection of Buildings and other Structures and the Erection Encroachment Extension Repair Inspection and Use of Party Walls Defining Certain Words and Terms Used Repealing Conflicting Legislation and Providing Penalties for Violations of this Act

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 2, section 200, line 24, as follows: Strike out the words "a second deputy chief"

Amend page, 2, section 200, line 25, as follows: Strike out the word "seven" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "six."

Amend page 2, section 200, line 26, as follows: Strike out the word "thirty-five" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "thirty."

Amend page 58, section 1500, line 13, as follows: Strike out the words "clay and shale"

Amend page 58, section 1500, line 14, as follows: Strike out the words "all of which units are in-"

Amend page 58, section 1500, line 15, as follows: Strike out the entire line

Amend page 59, section 1501, line 17, as follows: Strike out the words "clay and shale"

Amend page 76, section 1901, line 2, as follows: Strike out the words "clay and shale"

Amend page 108, section 2701, lines 23 and 24, as follows: Strike out the words "and roofs"

Amend page 109, section 2702, line 26, as follows: Strike out the bracket before the word "and"

Amend page 109, section 2702, line 28, as follows: Strike out the bracket after the word "occupancies" and insert after the word "occupancies" the words "up to and including one hundred ten pounds per square foot provided they are designed to resist and do resist the test requirements of this code".

Amend page 111, section 2702, line 4, as follows: Strike out the word "one-quarter" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "three-sixteenths"

Amend page 111, section 2702, line 5, as follows: Insert after the word "construction" the following words "shall be classed as wire and"

Amend page 116, section 2706, line 23, as follows: Strike out the word "precast" and the word "units"

Amend page 116, section 2706, line 27, as follows: Strike out the word "of gypsum . . . . . 250" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength."

Amend page 116, section 2706, lines 28 and 29, as follows: Strike out the entire two lines

Amend page 117, section 2706, line 1, as follows: Strike out the numeral "20" and substitute in lieu thereof after the word "gypsum" the words "two per cent of ultimate compressive strength".

Amend page 117, section 2706, line 3, as follows: Strike out the words "of neat gypsum"

Amend page 117, section 2706, line 4, as follows: Strike out the numeral "225" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two per cent of the ultimate compressive strength".

Amend page 117, section 2706, line 5, as follows: Strike out the entire line.

Amend page 117, section 2706, line 7, as follows: Strike out the entire line and substitute in lieu thereof "Modulus of Elasticity of gypsum composition . . . 200,000".

Amend page 121, section 2801, line 16, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 122, section 2803, line 18, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable mard brick"

Amend page 124, section 2808, lines 5 and 6, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 127, section 2811, line 2, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 127, section 2811, lines 7 and 8, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 127, section 2811, lines 12 and 13, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 127, section 2811, line 18, as follows: Strike out the words "or other suitable hard brick"

Amend page 144, section 3905, line 24, as follows: Strike out the word "four" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "three"

Amend page 144, section 3905, line 25, as follows: Strike out the brackets before and after the words "and a basement"

Amend page 153, line 13, as follows: Underscore the words "PART VI PLACES OF AMUSEMENT"

Amend page 153, section 4100, lines 25 and 26, as follows: Strike out the words "of this act"

Amend page 185, section 4204, line 5, as follows: Strike out the word "proff" and insert in lieu thereof the word "proof"

Amend page 185, section 4204, line 10, as follows: Strike out the entire line and substitute in lieu thereof the words "leading from the said first gallery of".

Amend page 193, section 4304, line 6, as follows: Strike out the words "the mortar shall be"

Amend page 193, section 4304, lines 17 and 18, as follows: Strike out the words "twelve (12)" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "ten (10)"

Amend page 200, line 3, as follows: Strike out the numeral "4303" and substitute in lieu thereof the numeral "4313"

Amend page 216, line 16, as follows: Strike out the word "REPEALOR" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "REPEALER".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. C.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermanson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas	Ronemus,	Wood,

Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 374.

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 849.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park, Washington Crossing Park, and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

HOUSE BILL No. 1500.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 530.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 837.

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

HOUSE BILL No. 838.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) elipileptics institutions under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

HOUSE BILL No. 839.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

HOUSE BILL No. 900.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School, located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 937.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 945.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 949.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 964.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 969.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 983.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 994.

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 999.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1000.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1001.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1002.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1499.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1505.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Harrisburg State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 1516.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1517.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1524.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1527.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1528.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1530.

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

HOUSE BILL No. 1533.

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

HOUSE BILL No. 1549.

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant

HOUSE BILL No. 1603.

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

HOUSE BILL No. 1953.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1954.

An Act making an appropriation to the board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1952.

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

HOUSE BILL No. 783.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1193.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

HOUSE BILL No. 1306.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

HOUSE BILL No. 183.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 234.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

HOUSE BILL No. 282.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 236.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

HOUSE BILL No. 285.

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

HOUSE BILL No. 360.

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

HOUSE BILL No. 490.

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 579.

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 722.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 997.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions providing State aid for certain agricultural associations and regulating the payment thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 1338.

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

HOUSE BILL No. 1343.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1534.

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1758.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

HOUSE BILL No. 2034.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 2026.

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, six hundred eighty-eight), entitled, "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities, to wit: cities, boroughs and townships in counties of the second class, into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report, together with an act providing a method for such consolidation, and prescribing its powers and duties," and the supplements and amendments thereto; continuing the commissions under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years, requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class, and continuing and enlarging its powers, rights and duties.

HOUSE BILL No. 2132.

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies receiving State appropriation and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 2064.

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 2038.

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

HOUSE BILL No. 1096.

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1098.

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

HOUSE BILL No. 1454.

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners operators and lesses of such mines and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1951.

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

HOUSE BILL No. 11.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

HOUSE BILL No. 1882.

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon county"

HOUSE BILL No. 1892.

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

HOUSE BILL No. 1529.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two, as amended, clause (a) of section seven hundred and four, and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1934.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and twelve) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1229.

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

HOUSE BILL No. 299.

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three, three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 2024.

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gasses or substances and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1957.

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general or special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1943.

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

HOUSE BILL No. 1940.

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

HOUSE BILL No. 1938.

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved May second one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on or after May first."

HOUSE BILL No. 1936.

An Act to amend sections eight nine ten eleven twelve and thirteen of the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act defining and regulating public amusements and places used therefor requiring and regulating the licensing thereof restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto and providing penalties for violation of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 1935.

An Act to amend section five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships"

HOUSE BILL No. 1914.

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth' approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty and supplements thereto providing for the purnishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives"

HOUSE BILL No. 1887.

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to adoption."

HOUSE BILL No. 1855.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

HOUSE BILL No. 1701.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals providing for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1673.

An Act authorizing appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 1352.

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 442.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section

HOUSE BILL No. 1948.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax returns

HOUSE BILL No. 1941.

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions

HOUSE BILL No. 1625.

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1851.

An Act authorizing Directors of the Poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of

persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom

HOUSE BILL No. 1833.

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

HOUSE BILL No. 1757.

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton Pennsylvania and Phillipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 1756.

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated

HOUSE BILL No. 1654.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admitted therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1653.

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1593.

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden

HOUSE BILL No. 1404.

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1328.

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal

HOUSE BILL No. 1857.

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 1665.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1540.

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," further defining game and protected birds.

HOUSE BILL No. 758.

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

HOUSE BILL No. 131.

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 1867.

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts bill of lading certificates of stocks certificates of deposit bill of exchange bonds or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon

HOUSE BILL No. 1596.

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

HOUSE BILL No. 1697.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

HOUSE BILL No. 1696.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the

merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

HOUSE BILL No. 1559.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 417), entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons, and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, in whole or in part maintained by State aid, to acquire lands for hospital purposes; and to take waters, streams, lands, property, and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes; prescribing the manner in which said land, streams, property, and materials may be taken, and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking," extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid.

HOUSE BILL No. 1208.

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

HOUSE BILL No. 939.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations' approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

HOUSE BILL No. 317.

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 1089.

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

HOUSE BILL No. 313.

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

HOUSE BILL No. 911.

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 442) entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations issuing for money consideration policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accidents to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles defining motor vehicles providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner and payment of examination expenses and filing fees providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency"

HOUSE BILL No. 1335.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury

HOUSE BILL No. 1466.

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain act

HOUSE BILL No. 125.

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteeen, (P. L. 571), entitled "An act to amend an act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands; providing for their adjustment, and for the granting of patents'."

HOUSE BILL No. 1133.

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs, towns and townships, may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth, and providing that all contracts for the construction, building, rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways.

HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

HOUSE BILL No. 1151.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1093), entitled "An act creating, in counties having a population of from eight hundred thousand to one million five hundred thousand, a board for the assessment and revision of taxes; providing for the appointment of the members of such board by the county commissioners; fixing their salaries, payable by the county; defining the powers and duties of such board, and regulating the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes; authorizing the appointment of subordinate assessors and clerks, defining their duties and providing for their compensation payable by such counties; imposing a penalty on subordinate assessors for failure to comply with certain provisions of this act, and abolishing the office of ward, borough, and township assessor, in so far as respects the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes."

HOUSE BILL No. 1755.

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven

(Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 1782.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 95.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

HOUSE BILL No. 521.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 842.

An Act to further amend section three of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 5), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof,' approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county, and prescribing its organization, jurisdiction, and powers therein and otherwise," by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

HOUSE BILL No. 1174.

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1086.

An Act to amend sections one thousand two hundred and five and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 29, by inserting after the word "education" the following words: "in school districts of the second third and fourth class".

Amend Section 1, page 4, line 12, by striking out the words "not less than thirty days prior to" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "on or before"; also lines 14 and 15, by striking out the words "not less than thirty days prior to" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "on or before".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the constitution [illegible] and nays were taken and were as follows:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann.	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby.	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines.	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark.
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,

Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill form the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1381.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 9, by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nine"; also same line by striking out the words "and twenty-five."

Amend section 1, page 3, line 7, by striking out the words "one million" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three hundred and fifty thousand"; also line 8, by inserting after the word "year" the following: "and the salary of the district attorney in counties whose population is more than three hundred and fifty thousand and does not exceed one million inhabitants shall be seven thousand five hundred dollars per year".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Millar,	Shut-
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Eckett,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Bowers	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storb,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Walker,
Catania,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Leiich,	Rice,	Wike,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yeagel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McDonald.		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1432.

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provision of this Act and imposing penalties

With information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Repsentatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Article II, Section 201, page 13, line 9, by striking out after the word "Designate" the word "And"; also in same line by inserting after the word "establish" the words "and chart"; also in line 11, by inserting after the word "Pennsylvania" the following: "and arrange for publication of maps of such airways utilizing the facilities and assistance of existing agencies of the Commonwealth as far as practicable The Aeronautics Commission shall grant no exclusive right for the use of any civil airway airport intermediate landing field or other air navigation facility under its jurisdiction"; Also

in line 11 by striking out the following on page 11 and lines 1 to 15 inclusive on page 14 as follows: "and within the limits of available appropriations hereafter made

1 Either alone or in cooperation with counties cities boroughs townships or other political subdivisions so authorized establish operate and maintain along such airways all necessary navigation facilities including intermediate landing fields

2 Either alone or in cooperation with counties cities boroughs townships or other political subdivisions so authorized acquire in the name of the Commonwealth by purchase contract lease donation or condemation intermediate landing field building and grounds suitable for landing field purposes and grounds suitable for intermediate landiing field purposes or suitable for proper safeguards to flying and to make additions and improvements in or to such intermediate landing fields and facilities and either alone or with like cooperation of others to provide personnel heat light water fuel telephone service drainage runways fueling facilities lighting facilities and costs of operation and maintenance including insurance of said intermediate landing fields and facilities and further to remove and bear the expense of removing or changing such obstructions as shall exist to menace air travel

3 To install equip maintain and operate either alone or in cooperation with others intermediate landing fields beacons landing lights markers and other air navigation facilities along civil air ways established and set apart by the Aeronautics Commission

4 To chart such airways and arrange for publication of maps of such airways utilizing the facilities and assistance of existing agencies of the Commonwealth as far as practicable The Aeronautics Commission shall grant no exclusive right for the use of any civil airway airport intermediate landing field or other air navigation facility under its jurisdiction."

Also on page 15, line 3, by inserting after the syllable "tion" the words "in flight or ground school"; Also in same line by inserting after the word "flyers" the words "or mechanics"; Also in line 6, by inserting after the words "flyers" the words "or mechanics"; Section 301,

Amend Article III, page 15, line 22, by striking out after the word "aircraft" the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and";

Amend Section 303, page 17, line 15, by inserting after the word "An" the words "approved type".

Amend Article IV, Section 409, page 21, line 9, by striking out after the word "The" the word "Air" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of".

Amend Article VI, Section 601, page 27, by striking out the following:

"the vendor shall report in writing to the Commission the date and place of sale or transfer and the name and residence of the vendee and on said date return to the Commission the aircraft license and the metal plate furnished by the Commission.

If the sale is to ineligible owner of aircraft of the United States the aircraft license terminates as of the date of such sale If the vendee is an eligible owner he is responsible for filing with the Commission a properly executed purchaser's renewable application if such vendee desires to have the aircraft licensed in his name for the unexpired term of said license In the event the vendee does not elect to have the aircraft relicensed or is not an eligible owner application in duplicate for identification mark shall be made to the Commission In such case the vendee shall cause to be removed or obliterated from the aircraft the letter or letters or mark which accompany the license numeral

The vendee if an eligible owner of licensed aircraft may under the license number already assigned operate the aircraft for a period of twenty (20) days from the date of mailing the application or delivering the same in person to the Commission In no case shall this period extend beyond thirty (30) days from the date of sale In all cases the vendee must attach to his application the bill of sale or a certified copy thereof

Between the date of sale and the posting in the mails or delivery in person to an authorized representative of the Commission of the purchaser's renewable application or application for identification mark the aircraft is considered unlicensed and unidentified and the operation thereof constitutes a violation of this act" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the operating agency shall report in writing to the Commission the date and place of sale or transfer and the name and residence of the vendee and on said date shall endorse the license card issued by the Commission The recorded owner shall sign and acknowledge the record transfer and reassignment forms furnished by the Commission and deliver the same to the purchaser The purchaser shall execute the form furnished by the Commission and deliver the same to the Commission The new record owner and new operating agency if eligible owners may under the number already assigned operate the aircraft in accordance with the terms of the license for a period of twenty (20) days from the date of mailing to the Commission the record transfer and reassignment form properly executed

Between the date of sale and the posting in the mails of the record transfer and reassignment form properly executed the aircraft is considered unlicensed and unidentified and the operation thereof constitutes a violation of this Act."

Amend Article VIII, Section 812, page 33, line 8, by inserting after the word "transport" the words "and limited commercial"; also in line 10 by striking out ofter the word "industrial" the words "limited commercial".

Amend Section 812, page 33, line 19, by inserting after the syllable "port" the words "or limited commercial".

Amend Article X, Section 1005, page 38, line 8, by striking out the following: "Unsound physical condition or any" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any."

Amend Article XII, Section 1205, page 42, line 23, by inserting after the word "in" the words "Section 1301 of."

Amend Section 1206, page 43. line 28, by striking out after the syllable "ner" the word "hereinbefore" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hereinafter."

Amend Article XIV, Section 1401, page 48, line 18, by striking out after the bracket the word "sections" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "section."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters.	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Royburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,

Flynn,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1970.

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointments bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estates as asse's for paymnt thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents or the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 4, by inserting before the word "fund" in line 18, the word "insurance."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Himes,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.	Howe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Huester,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burns,	Jones,	Pitts,	Way,
Catania,	Kahle,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 897.

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for

the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for the work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 5, by striking out the light-faced bracket before the word "quarter" and by striking out the light-faced bracket after the word "sessions;" also same line, by striking out the words "common pleas."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bicker,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Ctorer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Peters,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Pethick,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 314.

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 2, page 2, line 24, by striking out the word "paying" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "paving"; also same line, by striking out the word "its" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "their"; also line 25, by striking out the word "its" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "their".

Amend Section 4, page 3, lines 23 and 24, by striking out the following words "for expenditure in the various cities in the discretion of the Department of Highways" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for the expenditure in the several cities to which this act applies upon the ratio that the mileage of streets in any city which are continuations of State highways entering such cities and which are the continuations of State highways running through such cities and which furnish the shortest and most convenient route for State highways through suh cities bears to the total mileage of such streets in the cities ofthis Commonwealth to which this act implies."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendment made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Steedle,

Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn.	Shaffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, that the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1140.

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the words "Game Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Finance and Revenue"; also same line, by striking out the word "directed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "authorized".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 10, by striking out the word injunction" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "injunction".

Amend Section 1, page 2, lines 15 and 16, by striking out the word "Game Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Finance and Revenue".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Myers,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McKay,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 395.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of, and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled: "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 2, page 3, lines 1, 2 and 3, by striking out the words "and fur dealers or persons purchasing or receiving raw furs for commercial purposes shall pay ten dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "fur buyers who resell

furs within this State to licensed dealers of this State shall pay five dollars fur dealers of this State purchasing or receiving raw furs for commercial purposes shall pay ten dollars and non-resident fur dealers purchasing or receiving furs for commercial purposes in this State shall pay fifty dollars".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm.	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Howe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Huester,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1424.

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amnd Section 4, page 2, line 20, by striking out the words "and radio communication."

Amend Section 6, page 3, line 25, by inserting after the word "on" the words "or over."

Amend bill, page 5, by inserting after line 7 the following section:

"Section 9 The provisions of this act are severable and if any provision thereof is held to be unconstitutional the decision so holding shall not be construed as affecting or impairing any other provisions of this act or the act as a whole It is hereby declared as the legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein."

Amend Section 9, page 5, line 8, by striking out the numeral "9" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "10."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Simon,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bicker,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Black,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fish,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fox,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 176.

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road Upper Darby Delaware County Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate had passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "Ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen"; also same line, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words, "five hundred"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($16,500)"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 671.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, lines 5 to 8, inclusive, by striking out the following: "for the erection of a building for the School of Medicine and for the erection of a building for the School of Dentistry to include Dental Infirmary and Laboratories".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, D G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Black,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg.

Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows

HOUSE BILL No. 267.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue'

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out after the words "trustees of" the word "the"; also lines 3, 4 and 5, by striking out, after the word 'Pennsylvania" the following: "for maintenance of said home and payments of expenses of administration including salaries of officials and clerks and for repairs".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 7, by striking out after the word "of" the word "the"; also line 8, by striking out the words "for the purpose of maintaining the said home" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance for alterations improvements to plant the improvement of land and for the purchase of apparatus equipment furnishings and livestock".

Amend Section 1, page 2, by striking out all of lines 1 to 5 inclusive.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184

Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston.	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Sheffer,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Simon,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stark,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Steedle,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Storer,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Walker,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker	Way,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Lose.	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Donnell,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn.	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett	McGregor,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 266.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by inserting after the word "the" the word "Pennsylvania".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 6, by inserting after the word "the" the word "Pennsylvania".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 10, by striking out after the word "ployes" the words "office rents".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi. J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,

Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Roncmus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess
Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 934.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 2, page 2, line 9, by inserting before the word "the" the word "with"; also lines 10, 11 and 12, by striking out the words, "furnishings in accordance with the approved plans and specifications now on file with the State Government" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "furnishing".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Simon,
Barton,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Harter,	Myers,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis	Kohr,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Fox,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1171.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "thirty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($50,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($50,000)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bickett	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,

Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Braham,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1620.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustee of Polk State School

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out at the end of the line the word "the".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 7, by striking out after the words "Trustees of" the word "the"; also line 10, by striking out after the word "plant" the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the improvement of".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Grenet,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 763.

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten"; also, same line, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred"; also same line and line 5, by striking out the numerals "($8,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($10,500)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	McAlinn,	Shutt,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	McCallister,	Simon,
Aston,	Flynn,	McCann,	Smith, H. J.,
Baily,	Fockler,	McClure,	Smith, W. B.,
Baker,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Soffel,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Miller, H. A.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Miller, S. H.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Moore, D. G.,
Matchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Moore, W. H.,

Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Mumford,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Munley,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Nothnagle,	Myers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	O'Neill,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Patterson, F. W.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Peck,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Peelor,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Pennock,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Perry,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Pethick,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pierce,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Post,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Reader,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Reed	Walker,
Burke,	Howe,	Reilly,	Way,
Burns,	Huester,	Reyburn,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Rhodes,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Rice	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Richards, B.,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Richards, R.,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Riddle,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Ronemus,	White,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Root,	Wike,
Davidson,	Landis,	Royle,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Leidich,	Sautter,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Linton,	Schilling,	Wilson,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Schreck,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Schwartz,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Scott, J. G.,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Scott, W. H.,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Ede,	Lynch,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Shellenberger,	Ziesenheim,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Shortz,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 998.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "twelve" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen"; also, line 5, by striking out the numerals "($12,669.84)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($16,669,84)"

Amend Section 1, page 2, by inserting after line 7 the following paragraph:

"For the payment of the deficiency in the cost of maintenance of said Hospital for the period ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ede,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 977.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "forty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($25,000)"; and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($40,000)"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peclor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman.	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 174.

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, by inserting after line 11 the following paragraph:

"The sum of seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the said Glen Mills Schools for the purpose of erecting constructing and equipping a trade school building to take the place of the building destroyed by fire on March twenty-eighth one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 440.

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "sixty-seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventy";

also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($67,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "(70,000)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Millar,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1482.

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, lines 3 and 4, by striking out the following words: "suspending in part State-aid highways construction."

Amend Section 3, page 3, line 26, by striking out after the word "county" the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "as."

Amend Section 3, page 4, line 6, by inserting after the word "has" the following words: "issued or is about to issue authorizations for work to be performed by Department forces or has."

Amend Section 4, page 4, line 16, by striking out the word "provision" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisions;" also lines 20, 21 and 22, by striking out the following: "Provided however That the paving of a State highway heretofore graded but not otherwise improved shall be considered new construction and a new improvement."

Amend bill, pages 4 and 5, by striking out the entire Section 5.

Amend bill, page 6, line 7, by inserting a heavy-faced bracket after the word "width."

Amend Section 7, page 6, line 8, by inserting a heavy-faced bracket before the word "Section;" also, line 20, by inserting a heavy-faced bracket after the word "Commonwealth."

Amend Section 8, page 6, line 21, by inserting a heavy-faced bracket before the word "Section."

Amend Section 6, page 6, line 28, by striking out the numeral "6" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "5."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gross,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harthock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1237.

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 3, line 4, by inserting a light-faced bracket before the word "not;" also line 5, by inserting a light-faced bracket after the word "thirty-six;" also same line, by inserting before the word "days" the words "within thirty."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wood.
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 757.

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 5, by inserting after the words "of any" the words, "county or township or;" also same line, by striking out the words "or any county;" also lines 8, 9, 10 and 11, by striking out the following words: "or whenever any county and township have heretofore jointly constructed any concrete township road under the supervision of the Department of Highways."

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 11, by striking out the word "concrete" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or;" also line 12, by striking out the words, "or township concrete road."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burke,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Burns,	Jones,	Post,	Way,
Catania,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weaver,

Cauffiel,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives, numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 113.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 2, page 5, line 23, by striking out the words "five thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five hundred".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Barton,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Conner,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	King,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 520.

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 2, by striking out the light-faced brackets before and after the word "fifteen"; also same line, by striking out the word "ten"; also line 4, by striking out the word "one" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Mr. WASHINGTON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do non-concur in the amendments made by the Senate.

Mr. EDERER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly,

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL NO. 435.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 12, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 435, file folio 1063, entitled, "An Act to amend section twenty of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled 'An Act relative to the establishment and jurisdicboard of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts' permitting defendants when held for court by such magistrates to name two persons whom the Commonwealth must subpoena at the trial thereof."

This bill would require magistrates in Philadelphia county in all criminal cases where the defendant is held for court, to ask such defendant for the names and addresses of two persons whom he wishes subpoenaed for his trial. The names and addresses so furnished would become a part of the magistrates' records and the Commonwealth would be required to subpoena such persons to appear at the trial.

No doubt the underlying purpose of this bill is to afford protection for poor defendants in criminal cases who do not have the resources with which to procure witnesses in their behalf. I should gladly approve a bill which gave to the magistrates discretion to take the names of two witnesses for a defendant and place them upon the transcript so that they might be notified when a case comes to trial in a court of record. However, the present bill goes too far in that it renders it mandatory in every criminal case, regardless of the circumstances of the defendant, for the magistrate to take two names of witnesses and for the district attorney to subpoena them at the Commonwealth's expense.

There is also a question whether under the Constitution a measure of this kind can validly apply only to procedure in counties of one class.

For these reasons the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. CONNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2276, (Senate Bill No. 659), entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County, and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

Mr. WAY, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as committed, House Bill No. 1869, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a highway in Bedford County, to the site of the marker erected in honor of Captain Phillips Scouts.

Mr. HAINES, from the Committee on Public Roads, reported as amended, House Bill No. 2150, (Senate Bill No. 912), entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto.

Mr. SOWERS, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2406, (Senate Bill No. 1137), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

Mr. SOWERS, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2413, (Senate Bill No. 1304), entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2414, (Senate Bill No. 1333), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

Mr. MICHEL, from the Committee on Labor and Industry, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1918, entitled:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam, by the Department of Labor and Industry and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act.

Mr. DUNN, from the Committee on Education, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 404, entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition of a site for, and construction of, a State Normal School in Allegheny County by the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction; providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor, and making an appropriation.

Mr. MARCUS, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2424, (Senate Bill No. 714), entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2276, (Senate Bill No. 659), entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1868, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a highway in Bedford County, to the site of the marker erected in honor of Captain Phillips Scouts.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2150, (Senate Bill No. 912), entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2406, (Senate Bill No. 1137), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2413, (Senate Bill No. 1304), entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, to be laid aside for second reading

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2414, (Senate Bill No. 1333), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1918, entitled:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam, by the Department of Labor and Industry; and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2424, (Senate Bill No. 714), entitled:

An Act relating to townships regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), file folio 5075, on page 7 of to-day's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Staudenmeier.

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extend-

ing to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorprated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts ... counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. LEIDICH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which the bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. LEIDICH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 7, line 5, by striking out the bracket before the word "no"

Amend page 7, line 13, by striking out the bracket before the word "only"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), file folio 6185, on page 8 of to-day's calendar, bills on final passage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Turner.

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, line 2, by inserting after the words "State-aid highways" the following "and township reward roads."

Amend page 1, line 9, by striking out the word "or" and insert "of."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none, and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question.

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1615 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. WALKER asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 1615, 1094 Printer's No., White File Folio 6295, entitled "An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and (fixing his salary to be paid by the county) authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. MATHAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), file folio No. 2341, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and sixty-one), entitled "An act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction and for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

on page 1 of today's calendar, appropriation bills on third reading, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. CAUFFIEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No 1692, (Senate Bill No. 805), file folio 2093, entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of fees and costs to the prothonotary in attachment proceedings.

on page 2 of today's calendar, bills on second reading, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General for further consideration and study.

Mr. STEVENSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bills numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 196.

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

SENATE BILL No. 435.

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten and five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 464.

An Act providing for the payment by counties of the third class of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 90

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in certain securities

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1746.

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 2 by striking out the word "a" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "an annual"; amend line 3 by inserting after the word "authority" the words: "after hearing upon notice"; amend line 10, by inserting after the word: "health" the following: "An appeal from the action of the Department of Health in revoking any such permit or permits may be taken to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County."

Amend section 3, page 2, line 17 by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "used by"; amend line 18, by inserting after the word "corporation" the words: "in the".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Simon,
Bausher,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gross,	McKay,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harding,	Michel,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Millar,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Miller, H. A.,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bowers,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,

Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Leidich,	Ridlde,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lose,	Root.	Wood,
Evans,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish.	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL No. 247.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the difference existing between the two Houses on House Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 247.

An Act affecting marital relations providing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. The Chair declares a recess until 3.00 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 3.00 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1937.

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 3, by striking out after the word "eighty" the word "one" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nine".

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out after the word "Anno" the word "Dimini" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Domini".

Amend Section 1, page 5, line 16, by adding after the word "preceding" the following: "The penalties for failure to make report and pay the tax as herein required shall be as provided by law".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D G.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Peelor,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Holmes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Howe,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Huester,	Peters,	Washington,
Burke,	Jones,	Pethick,	Way,
Burns,	Kahle,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Katz,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Landis,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fish,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenhelm,
Flynn,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McDonald,	Sheely,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1944.

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first section and third section of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 4, by striking out after the word "the" the word "twelfth" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteenth".

Amend Section 1, page 3, line 7, by striking out after the word "such" the word "returns" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "return".

Amend Section 2, page 3, line 10, by inserting after the word "Act" the word "shall".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.
Baldrige,	Gross,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, C. W.,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1946

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entited 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light waterpower hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the syllable "titled" the words, " "A further supplement to an act entitled"; also in same line by striking out before the word "An" the quotation marks; also by striking out after the word "taxation" the quotation marks; also in same line by inserting after the word "taxation" the words: "approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine"; also in line 8, by striking out after the word "freight" the word "passengers"; also in same line by striking out after the word "baggage" the word or"; also in line 9, by inserting after the word "oil" the following: "or passenger except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus".

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "entitled" the words "A further Supplement to an act entitled" also in same line by striking out before the word "An" the double quotation marks and inserting in lieu single quotation mark; also in line 4, by striking out after the word "taxation" the double quotation marks, and inserting in lieu thereof single quotation marks; also in same line by inserting after the word 'taxation" the following: "approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine"; also in line 5, by striking out the following: thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred two) entitled "An act to amend section twenty-three of an act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' providing that no tax on gross receipts shall be collected from any municipality for any public utility heretofore or hereafter owned and operated or for any public utility service furnished" and the Act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hun-

dred six) entitled "An act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' providing for the collection of taxes upon gross receipts of companies firms joint-stock associations and limited partnerships engaged in freight oil and motor transportation and from water-power and hydro-electric companies and providing also for the payment of taxes upon gross receipts where works are operated by others than the owners thereof" which was further amended by the act approved the

Amend Section 1, page 3, line 18, by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" the word "or"; Also in line 28 by inserting after the word "taxicabs" the words: "motor busses and motor omnibusses"; Also on page 5, line 10, by inserting after the bracket following the word "General" the words: "by the time prescribed by law for the payment of taxes settled by the Department of Revenue".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Haines,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Haws,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1945.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

With the information that the Senate had passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows

Amend title, page 1, line 8, by inserting after the word "purposes" the word "and"; also, lines 8, 9 and 10, by striking out the following: "time for filing tax reports and transferring certain tax to the Department of Revenue and Auditor General"; and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section."

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 29, by striking out the word "proceeding" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "preceding"; also page 3, line 6, by inserting after the word "Treasury" the words "through the Department of Revenue"; also, lines 6 and 7, by striking out the words "sixty days after the date of settlement in each year" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the time prescribed by law for the payment of taxes settled by the Department of Revenue".

Amend Section 1, page 3, lines 13 to 16, inclusive by striking out the words, "and for every failure to asses and pay said tax and make report as aforesaid the [Auditor General] Department of Revenue shall add ten per centum as a penalty to the amount of the tax upon", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Upon".

Amend Section 1, page 3, by striking out all of line 21 to 29, inclusive.

Amend Section 1, page 4, by striking out all of lines 1 to 29, inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The time for filing reports may be extended taxpayers may be permitted to file their reports on a fiscal year basis and the procedure and penalties in case the officers of a corporation fail to file reports and pay the tax as required by this section shall be as prescribed by law.

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,

Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.	Hermanson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, March 25, 1929.

Relating to cooperation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with the Federal Government in making affective the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Act

Whereas The Congress of the United States passed on February eleventh one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and President Coolidge approved on February eighteenth the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill thereby adopting for the entire nation a policy for the conservation of wild life supported initially by an appropriation of eight million dollars on a ten-year program

Whereas the policy thus made national has long been notable by reason of its successful development in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the Board of Game Commissioners in wisely administering acts of the General Assembly

Whereas Pennsylvania's representatives in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress gave their full support to the Norbeck-Andressen Refuge Bill and Seth E Gordon former Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners now Conservation Director of the Izaak Walton League of America rendered distinguished service to the cause of Conservation as Secretary of the National Committee on Wild Life Legislation in definitely committing the Federal Government to the establishment of a system of inviolate refuges at Federal expense therefore be it

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That the Board of Game Commissioners the State Forestry Commission the Department of Forests and Waters the Water and Power Resources Board the Board of Fish Commissioners and any and all other officers departments boards or commissions whose advice consent or cooperation may be necessary or of value are hereby urged to take withcut delay such steps as are advisable in conjunction with the United States Department of Agriculture the Bureau of the Biological Survey or President Herbert Hoover or others to make effective as soon as possible the provisions of the Norbeck-Andressen Act in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. MATHAY, from the Committee on Aeronautics, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2420, (Senate Bill No. 1563), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

BILL ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2420, (Senate Bill No. 1563), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1416.

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons"

HOUSE BILL No. 1418.

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

HOUSE BIL No. 1651.

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts" as amended by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service stationery telephone telegraph clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof

HOUSE BILL No. 982.

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia, as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania, and making an appropriation for the expense of the Commission.

HOUSE BILL No. 1741.

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "'An act to protect the public health and safety By regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabited houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

HOUSE BILL No. 1862.

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

HOUSE BILL No. 1939.

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

HOUSE BILL No. 1357.

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1930.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

HOUSE BILL No. 136.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 150.

An Act making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 436.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 799.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 808.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1902.

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

HOUSE BILL No. 2098.

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

HOUSE BILL No. 156.

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 992.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

HOUSE BILL No. 1444.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

HOUSE BILL No. 1812.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the officers of the various police stations within the Commonwealth

HOUSE BILL No. 1861.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the Department of Property and Supplies

HOUSE BILL No. 1891.

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 2093.

An Act to amend section thirteen of artice seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the dutics of their office

HOUSE BILL No. 2104.

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 2126.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1531.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth including fixtures and heating or sewerage systems and service lines for the accommodation of buildings

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" in line 5 the following:

"Including fixtures and heating or sewage systems and service lines for the accommodation of buildings"

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "the" the words "sum of ten million seven hundred and nine-ty-four thousand two hundred and one dollars ($10,794,201)"; also same line by striking out the words "following sums".

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the word "are" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "is"

Amend section 1, page 2, line 5, by striking out the word "eachers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Teachers".

Amend section 1, page 4, line 15, by striking out the word "epleacement" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "replacement".

Amend section 1, page 5, line 15, by striking out the word "ennsylvana" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Pennsylvania"; also line 18, by striking out the word "adidtions" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "additions".

Amend section 1, page 5, line 29, by striking out the word "ew"; also page 6, line 1, by striking out the word "Western"; also line 4, by striking out the word "Schools" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Institutions".

Amend section 1, page 6, line 4, by striking out the word "ental Defectives" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eeble-Minded".

Amend section 2, page 7, line 3, by inserting after the word "uildings" the following: "and the foregoing appropriations be ld the same are hereby made available for the payment of he cost of necessary plans specifications supervision and architectural and engineering fees required for the purpose of his act".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aron,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1532.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the words: "following sums" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "sum of four hundred and sixty-seven thousand one hundred dollars ($467,100)"; amend line 5 by striking out the word: "are" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "is".

Amend section 1, page 2, line 11 by striking out the words: "DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "Department of Military Affairs".

Amend line 13 by striking out the word "for" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "to be used for or in connection"; amend line 14 by adding after the numerals:

"($300,000)" the following: "but no expenditures shall be made for this purpose except with the approval of the Department of Military Affairs and the State Military Reservation Commission".

Amend line 15 by striking out the following: "DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Department of Welfare"; amend line 19 by striking out the word "condemnatioon" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "condemnation";

Amend section 2, page 2, line 27 by striking out the following: "Park and land to be acquired for the Pymatuning Reservoir Propect" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the word "park"; amend page 3, line 1 by striking out the following: "the department of the State Government with which the Commission of said Park is connected And the amount of the foregoing appropriation to be expended for land for the Pymatuning Project shall be determined with the approval of the Governor the Department of Property and Supplies and"; amend line 6 by striking out the following: "of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Wells,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Welty,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loss,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Embardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 155.

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 3, line 2 by adding the following after the word "Commonwealth":

"The word 'association' shall mean a limited partnership, joint stock association or any other form of unincorporated company".

Amend section 10, page 13, line 23, by striking out the word: "him."

Amend section 14, page 17, line 25, by striking out the word "watchman" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "watchmen."

Amend page 18, line 5 by striking out the word "do" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "so".

Amend line 26, by striking out the word "distrainted" and inserting in lieu thereof the word: "distrained."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Grenet,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman	Peters,	Turner,

Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Root,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1955.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the admission of patients thereto

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 3, by adding after the word "Defectives" the following: "and providing for the admission of patients thereto"; amend same line by striking out the following: "permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of such new institution."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out the word "convicts" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "patients"; amend line 10, by adding after the word "rotunda" the following: "Providing that on the completion of one or more buildings suitable for the care of patients the Board of Trustees of the Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives shall admit patients to said institution by commitment or transfer as provided by law."

Amend section 3, page 2, line 23 by striking out the following: "except that as much of the construction work as possible shall be performed by inmates of the Rockview Penitentiary To carry out the provisions of this section the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary shall when suitable quarters for the retention of convicts shall have been prepared at the site of the new institution transfer with the approval of the Department of Welfare as many able-bodied convicts from the Rockview State Penitentiary as may be deemed necessary and advisable to assist in such construction work and in the improvement of the site of the new institution such convicts may be engaged in farming dairying and forestry as well as construction work The expense of keeping such convicts at the site of the Cumberland Valley Institution for Mental Defectives shall be paid out of the appropriation for maintenance made to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the maintenance of prisoners at the Rockview State Penitentiary and shall be included in the cost of keeping prisoners in said Rockview State Penitentiary and collected from the counties as in the case of prisoners detained in said Rockview State Penitentiary."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Reilly,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1623.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 9, by inserting after the word "law" the following: "and in locations to be finally approved by the Secretary of Highways."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—191.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige.	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pethick,	Way,
Conner,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Post,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Powell,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dunn,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1536.

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailors providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 8, by striking out the word "Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 9, by striking out the word "Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department".

Amend the list of Articles, page 2, line 8, by striking out the word "Enforecment" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Enforcement"; also same line, by striking out the word "Provision" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Provisions".

Amend Article 1, page 2, line 12, by striking out the word "PRELLIMINARY" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "PRELIMINARY."

Amend Section 102, page 3, line 29, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to".

Amend Section 102, page 4, line 7, by striking out the word "Patrolmen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Patrolman"; also same page, line 23, by inserting after the word "excepting" the words "power shovels road rollers".

Amend Section 201, page 6, line 11, by inserting after the word "association" the word "by"; also line 19, by striking out the word "registration" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "registrations".

Amend Section 203, page 9, line 3, by striking out, after the word "rest" the word "they".

Amend Section 207, page 77, by striking out all of lines 23 to 28, inclusive.

Amend Section 207, page 12, by striking out all of lines 1 and 2.

Amend Section 207, page 12, line 3, by striking out the numeral "7" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "4"; also line 7, by striking out the numeral "8" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "5".

Amend Section 207, page 12, by inserting after line 8 the following paragraph:

"(f) Any person whose registration shall have been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for a hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act."

Amend Section 208, page 13, line 22, by striking out the word "lights" and in inserting in lieu the word "lamps".

Amend Section 301, page 15, line 21, by inserting after the word "on" the word "the"; also same line, by inserting after the word "front" the words "or rear."

Amend Section 302, page 16, line 7, by striking out the word "dealers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "dealer".

Amend Section 304, page 17, line 3, by striking out the word "to"; also line 9, by striking out the word "defacing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "defacement"; also line 1

by striking out the word "shalll" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall".

Amend Section 305, page 18, line 21, by striking out the word "sub-section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-sections".

Amend Section 309, page 20, line 11, by striking out the word "sub-sections" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-section".

Amend Article IV, page 21, line 8, by striking out the word "operators" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Operators".

Amend Section 403, page 22, line 5, by inserting after the words "tractor or" the word "who".

Amend Section 411, page 24, line 22, by striking out the words "at his discretion"; also same line, by striking out the words "for any period not exceeding one (1) year"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "operator" the words "with or without a hearing before the secretary or his representative"; also line 25, by inserting after the word "payment" the words "of fee"; also lines 27 and 28, by striking out the words, "with or without a hearing before the secretary of his representative".

Amend Section 416, page 28, line 5, by striking out the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of".

Amend Section 502, page 29, line 14, by inserting after the word "pneumatic" the words "cushion rubber"; also lines 14 and 15, by striking out "nine (9)" and inserting in lieu thereof "seven (7)"; also line 20, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "$3.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$5.00"; also line 21, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "9.00 and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "8.00"; also line 23, by striking out the numerals "23.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "25.00"; also line 26, by striking out the words "but not less than 7500"; also lines 27 and 28, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 504, page 30, lines 7 and 8, by striking out the following: "equipped with either pneumatic or solid rubber tires".

Amend Section 505, page 30, line 15, by inserting after the word "fee" the words "for annual registration."

Amend Section 506, page 30, line 16, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend Section 601, page 33, line 23, by striking out the word "hnudred" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hundred"; also lines 25 and 26, by striking out the words "and which exhibits a light plainly visible to the front".

Amend Section 602, page 34, line 27, by striking out the words "which is"; also page 35, line 2, by striking out the words "which are".

Amend Section 606, page 38, line 11, by striking out the word "highways" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "highway"; also line 25, by striking out the words "tractors or".

Amend Section 608, page 40, line 3, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "1500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "3000"; also line 4, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "6000"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "7000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "10000"; also line 6, by striking out the numerals "11000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "16000"; also line 7, by striking out the numerals "3000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "20000"; also line 8, by striking out the numerals "18000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "24000"; also line 9, by striking out the words "but less than 7500"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "22000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "26000"; also lines 10 and 11, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 609, page 41, line 1, by inserting after the word "special" the word "hauling"; also lines 2 and 3, by striking out the words "nor shall removal or any portion of the load be required".

Amend Section 610, page 41, line 24, by striking out the word "singletrip" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "single trip"; also line 28, by striking out the word "should" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall".

Amend Section 610, page 42, line 3, by inserting after the word "act" the words, "without first having obtained a permit or permits so to do"; also lines 3, 4 and 5, by striking out the words, "be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of quarter sessions" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "upon summary conviction before a magistrate"; also lines 5 and 6, by striking out the words "not in excess"; also line 6, by striking out the words "one thousand ($1,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "fifty ($50)"; also lines 6, 7 and 8, by striking out the words, "or to undergo imprisonment for not more than three (3) years or suffer both such fine"; also line 8, by inserting after word "and" the words "in default of the payment thereof shall undergo"; also same line, by inserting after the word imprisonment the words "for not more than ten (10) days".

Amend Section 611, page 42, line 18, by striking out the word "rules" and inserting lieu thereof the word "rule".

Amend Section 612, page 43, line 13, by striking out the numerals "(10)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($10)".

Amend Article VII, page 43, line 20, by striking out the word "for" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "by Information and"; also line 21, by inserting after the word "View" the words "or With Warrant".

Amend Section 701, page 44, line 4, by striking out the word "Arrests" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Arrest".

Amend Section 702, page 44, line 23, by inserting after the word "by" the words "Information and"; also same line, by striking out the word "Proceedings" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Summary proceedings"; also line 24, by striking out the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereinafter provided shall"; also same line, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the filing of information"; also line 25, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "information"; also same line, by striking out the words "issued immediately" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filed"; also lines 26 and 27, by striking out the words, "upon the lodging of the information and before the service of any warrant"; also line 29, by inserting after the word "shall" the words "send by registered".

Amend Section 702, page 45, line 2, by striking out the word "issuing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filing"; also same line, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "information"; also line 3, by inserting after the word "copy" the words, "thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice"; also same line, by striking out the words "of the information"; also line 4, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "information"; also line 5, by striking out the words "thereafter the" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the date of the written notice a"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "warrant" the word "shall"; also same line, by inserting after the word "then" the words "issue and".

Amend Section 703, page 45, line 20, by inserting after the word "View" the words "or With Warrant"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "act" the words "where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person"; also line 27, by inserting after the word "arrested" the following:

"When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law".

Amend Section 704, page 46, line 10, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "in"; also line 26, by inserting after the word "on" the words "a waived hearing or".

Amend Section 704, page 47, line 15, by inserting after the word "act" the following:

"In no case where the defendant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be imposed upon him in a summary proceeding under this act whether heard by a magistrate or a court of record".

Amend Section 706, page 49, line 4, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department".

Amend Section 708, page 50, line 11, by inserting after the word "magistrate" the words "alderman or justice of the peace"; also line 24, by inserting after the word "magistrate" the words, "alderman or justice of the peace".

Amend Article VIII, page 52, line 3, by striking out the words "Claim for Refund" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Refunds".

Amend Section 801, page 52, line 4 to 24, inclusive, by striking out the following:

"Claim for Refund—(a) In case any monies are or have been paid to the State Treasury as provided for in this act and to which it appears the Commonwealth is not entitled the person who has paid the same may present a claim to the Department in such form as the Board of Finance and Revenue shall require

(b) Such claim and all evidence presented therewith shall be presented to the Board of Finance and Revenue who shall consider the same and if in the opinion of the Board of Finance and Revenue the Commonwealth has no valid claim to such monies and the same properly belonged to the claimant and ought to be refunded the claim shall be approved and certified to specifying the amount or amounts to be refunded and the person to whom the same are to be paid

(c) Approved claim for refund shall be filed in the office of the Auditor General who shall thereupon draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer payable out of the "Motor License Fund" to said claimant or claimants for the amount found to be due."

and inserting lieu thereof the following:

"Refunds All monies erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunded by the Board of Finance and Revenue as provided by law".

Amend Section 906, page 56, line 14, by striking out the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldridge,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Himes,	Peck,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hoffman,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	Peters,	Walker,
Burke,	Huester,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Jones,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Landis,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Root,	Wright,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, about a week ago the City of Harrisburg, the County of Dauphin and the State of Pennsylvania suffered a great loss in the death of one of its foremost citizens. It is typical of him that at the time he was stricken he was rendering another public service to the community in which he lived. I speak of the former Lieutenant Governor, the Honorable Edward E. Beidleman. I think there are a great number of the members of this House who remember Mr. Beidleman very well, and I think that aside from his public honors, his public duties, that those of us who know him personally will remember him for his many kindly acts in our behalf. At the time of his death some of the young ladies employed in and about the capital were discussing his death and some one remarked that they thought they should contribute something to buy some flowers to send to his funeral, one of the young ladies stated that rather than sending the flowers that she would appreciate the tribute more if they were to contribute some money to the Welfare Federation in Harrisburg, the drive in which he was interested. Some of these young ladies have not only contributed their money but have asked other employes of the Legislature in and about the Capitol who desire to participate in this fund, and therefore I have been requested to ask those employes who would like to contribute to this mark of esteem to this great citizen of Pennsylvania, to see Mrs. Cohen one of the House stenographers. If there are any members of the House who would likewise like to contribute to this fund such a contribution would be appreciated and they are requested to send their donations to Miss Barnett in the office of the Chief Clerk of the House.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman under his question of personal privilege will be spread upon the Journal

RESOLUTION NO. 25.

Mr. GRIFFITH asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up Resolution No. 25, file folio 6983, which was twice read considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 8th, 1929.

Whereas The full development of the various industries of the Commonwealth demands the construction of more improved highways and

Whereas The road building as outlined and contemplated in the Commonwealth involves the improvement of many roads of an interstate nature justifying the co-operation and assistance of the Federal Government in its development and

Whereas The Congress of the United States has for many years been appropriating Federal aid for road construction at the rate of seventy-five million dollars ($75,000,000) per year and

Whereas In view of the rapidly increasing traffic on the interstate highways within this State it is apparent that the building of roads in this State must be speeded up in order to adequately meet the needs of such interstate traffic therefore be it

Resolved (if the Senate concur) That we hereby recommend to the President of the United States and to the Congress that at the coming special Session of Congress the annual Federal aid road appropriation be increased from seventy-five million dollars ($75,000,000) per year to not less than one hundred million dollars ($100,000,000) per year and be it further

Resolved That on the passage of this resolution the Chief Clerk of the House shall certify a copy hereof to the President of the United States to the President of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the Senate and to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the House of Representatives and to each State Legislature now in Session.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. BLUMBERG asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), file folio 6033, on page 6 of today's calendar, bills on final pasage postponed.

Agreeably to order,

The bill having been called up from the postponed calendar by Mr. Blumberg,

The House resumed the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2313, (Senate Bill No. 937), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is an appropriation bill which certain members of the House wanted to make inquiry about as to whether or not it was sectarian. Actually it is a Seaman's Boarding House that entertains sailors from every nation of the world and is nonsectarian and there is no objection to this appropriation.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—143.

Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	Miller, S. H.,	Simon,
Acton,	Greeby,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, H. J.,
Addy,	Griffith,	Muldowney,	Smith, W. B.,
Aldt, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grimes,	Mumford,	Soffel,
Aldt, J.F.M., 2d.,	Hagmaier,	Munley,	Sowers,
Aldridge,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bielspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Tahl,
Burns,	Kahle,	Pitts,	Talbot,
Catania,	Katz,	Post,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	King,	Powell,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Walker,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Washington,
Cooke,	Linton,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Lose,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Lowe,	Rhodes,	White,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Embardt,	Marcus,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Fish,	McCallister,	Royle,	Witkin,
Flynn,	McCann,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fox,	McClure,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,	Hess,
Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,	Speaker.

NAYS—36.

Adams, E. C.,	Davis,	Holcombe,	Sheely,
Baker,	Dengler,	Huester,	Sheffer,
Barton,	Dietrich,	Leidich,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Ede,	McAlee,	Stark,
Bausher,	Fockler,	Miller, H. A.,	Stein,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Way,
Behm,	Harding,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Black,	Harter,	Schrock,	Wells,
Clovis,	Himes,	Scott, W. H.,	Wright,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If the Chair hears no objection, he will declare a recess at this time until 9.00 o'clock P .M.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 9.00 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminus with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "township" the following: "or two more of said municipal divisions."

Amend section 2, page 5, line 1, by inserting after the word "or" and before the word "by" the following: "an existing school district of the fourth class is affected."

Amend section 2, page 5, line 1, by inserting after the word "annexation" the following: "to a city or borough or township of territory included within a school district of the fourth class or by the consolidation of two."

Amend section 2, page 5, by striking out all of lines 3 and 4.

Amend section 2, page 5, line, 9, by inserting after the word "district" the words "or union school district"; also line 21, by inserting after the word "township" the word "or independent school district or union school district"; also line 26, by inserting after "trict" the words "or independent school district or union school district."

Amend section 2, page 6, line 13, by inserting after the word "proceedings" the following: "and thereafter such district from whose territory the newly created city borough or township or annexed territory was taken and which is no longer coterminous with an existing city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions shall constitute an independent school district."

Amend section 2, page 6, line 21, by inserting after the word "such" the words "refusal is vacated and the"; also line 24, by inserting after the word "class" the following: "or the school district of the fourth class remaining after such annexation shall constitute a separate school district as so changed."

Amend section 3, page 7, line 12, by inserting after the word "shall" the words "so certify and"; also lines 18 and 19 by striking out the following: "is not approved by the State Council of Education"; also line 20 by inserting after the word "township" the words "or change in boundaries in an existing district of the fourth class is not approved by the State Council of Education"; also line 21, by inserting after "trict" the words "or districts"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "township" the words "or two or more of said municipal divisions."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do nonconcur in the amendments made by the Senate.

Mr. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to,

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 4, line 12, by striking out the following: "lege;" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "shall be the Twelfth State Teachers College."

Amend page 5, line 3, by striking out the word "critic."

Amend line 22, by inserting after the word "Instruction" the following:

"The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the college to and from the place or places where such practice teaching facilities are available."

Amend line 23, by inserting after the word "of" the words "Presidents of the "; also line 24, by striking out the word "Presidents." Amend line 28, by striking out the words "and administrative."

Amend page 7, line 1, by striking out the word "graduate" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "holder;" also same line by inserting after the word "school" the word "certificate"; also line 2 by striking out the word "such" and inserting after the word "graduation" the words "from college;" also line 3, by inserting after the word "public" the word elementary;" also line 9, by striking out the words "State Normal School" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "College;" also line 11, by striking out the word "school" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "college;" also line 14, by inserting after the word "public" the word "elementary;" also line 15, by inserting after the word "examination" the following:

"Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State Teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are residents of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursuing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there is sufficient room for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Supterintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail"

Amend section 1, page 7, line 16, by striking out the numerals "2008" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "2011;" also line 23, by striking out the numerals "2009" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "2012;" also line 29 by inserting after the word "Pennsylvania" the following:

"Section 2113 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Seaker, I move that the House do nonconcur in the amendments made by the Senate.

Mr. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILL No. 284.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed House Bill No. 284, file folio 5951, entitled, "A supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-eight) entitled 'An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of associations lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans organizations labor union foundation federation or any other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act' conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act"

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

VETO OF HOUSE BILL No. 1288.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 11, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I return herewith without my approval House Bill No. 1288, file folio 2871, entitled, "An Act to amend sections two and three and repeal section one of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-five) entitled 'A Supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Berks county prison and to discharged convicts" approved the eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight' reducing the number of the board of inspectors at the Berks county prison from nine to three fixing their terms of office and the method of filling vacancies and terminating the terms of office of the members of the present board".

This bill amends the Act of April 10, 1873, P. L. 625, which is a supplement to the Act of February 8, 1838, relative to Berks County Prison.

This bill is in violation of Article III, Section 7 of the Constitution, which provides that the General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law regulating the affairs of counties.

For this reason the bill is not approved.

JOHN S. FISHER.

On the question,

Shall the bill become a law, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

Mr. BAUSHER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the communication, together with the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. BEHM. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 22 entitled, "An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania", be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrnce.

On the question.

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 15, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1615, Printer's No. 1094, File Folio 6295, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1783, as follows:

An Act appropriating money in the Motor License Fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same That all moneys now in the Motor License Fund in the State Treasury and all moneys which may hereafter be paid into the Motor License Fund be and the same are hereby appropriated as hereinafter provided

Section 2 As much of the money from time to time in the Motor License Fund as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the following purposes

(a) For sinking fund requirements and interest on outstanding bonds of this Commonwealth issued for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth and for the payment of the compensation to the Commonwealth's loan and transfer agent for services rendered in connection with the registration transfer and payment of interest on said bonds and for other services required to be performed by such loan and transfer agent Payments to the Board of Finance an Revenue under this clause shall be made at such times and in such amounts as shall from time to time be provided by law should the General Assembly at any time fail to enact legislation supplemental to this act payments shall from time to time be made hereunder upon the requisition of the Board of Finance and Revenue approved by the State Treasurer

(b) For the payment of approved claims for refund made to the Board for moneys paid into the Motor License Fund to which the Commonwealth is not rightfully entitled

Section 3 As much of the money from time to time in the Motor License Fund as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the Department of Revenue for the proper conduct of its work in titling and registering motor vehicles trailers and tractors licensing the operators of vehicles and enforcing the laws regulating the registration titling and operation of vehicles upon the highways and for the collection of liquid fuels taxes as follows

(a) For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation and traveling and other necessary expenses of the

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles or such other officer or officers of the Department appointed by the secretary thereof to have charge of the foregoing activities of the Department and such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts engineers draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers laborers and other assistants and employes as may be required in the performance of the duties above mentioned

(b) For the payment of the salaries wages or other compensation board lodging uniforms arms and equipment and their maintenance and traveling and other necessary expenses of State Highway Patrolmen

(c) For the purchase maintenance and repair of furniture furnishings stationery supplies materials equipment fuel motor vehicles and printing and binding and for the payment of premiums on policies of insurance covering motor vehicles operated by employes of the Department but all such purchases shall be made and all such contracts of insurance shall be placed through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agent

(d) For the payment of postage telegrams telephone rentals and toll charges and rentals for or royalties upon leased office equipment or other devices or machines

(e) For the construction through the Department of Property and Supplies or the purchase and repair or maintenance of buildings for the use of the State Highway Patrol

(f) Through the Department of Property and Supplies to purchase or lease lands and to construct thereon highways and buildings suitable for the examination of applicants for operators' licenses

(g) For the payment of rentals for branch buildings and repairs thereto

(h) For the payment of transportation medical attendance and hospital charges of employes injured or killed in line of duty and the payment of workmen's compensation to injured employes or dependents of deceased employes or the payment of premiums upon policies insuring the Commonwealth against workmen's compensation liability to employes or dependents of employes of the Department Provided That such insurance shall be carried only with the approval of the Governor.

(i) For the payment of traveling expenses and witness fees in the amount of two ($2) dollars per capita per diem to witnesses testifying for the Commonwealth at hearings

(j) For the payment of expenses in connection with traffic safety educational work exhibits photography models and other exhibition or educational accessories and for all other expense of every kind and description necessary effectively to carry on this work

(k) For the purchase of registration plates and any other expense incidental thereto

(l) For all other expenses of every kind and description necessary for the performance by the Department of the aforesaid work

Section 4 The remainder of the money from time to time in the Motor License Fund is hereby appropriated to the Department of Highways for the following purposes

(a) For the payment of the traveling and other necessary expenses of the Secretary of Highways and the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and the traveling and other necessary expense of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers laborers and other assistants and employes as may be required for the proper conduct of the work of the Department.

(b) For the purchase maintenance and repair of furniture furnishings stationery supplies materials equipment fuel motor vehicles and printing and binding and for the payment of premiums on policies of insurance covering motor vehicles operated by employes of the Department but all such purchases shall be made and all such contracts of insurance shall be placed through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agent except that the Department of Highways may purchase directly equipment materials and supplies necessary for the construction and repair of highways if such equipment materials or supplies are not on the schedule of the Department of Property and Supplies

(c) For the payment of rentals for branch buildings and repairs thereto

(d) For the payment of postage telegrams telephone rentals and toll charges and rentals for or royalties upon leased office equipment or other devices or machines

(e) For maintaining reconstructing replacing and repairing or assisting in maintaining reconstructing replacing and repairing State highways State-aid highways and any other highways which the Department may be authorized to maintain reconstruct replace and repair or assist in maintaining reconstructing replacing and repairing and of such bridges as the Department may be authorized by law to maintain reconstruct replace and repair or to assist in maintaining reconstructing replacing and repairing

(f) For constructing and improving or assisting in constructing and improving State highways State-aid highways and any other highways or streets and any bridges which the Department may be authorized by law to construct or improve or assist in constructing or improving but the moneys expended by the Department under this clause for construction and improvement of highways without expense to the political subdivisions of the State shall be allocated among the several counties in such manner and to such extent as shall from time to time be provided by law and in the absence of or beyond any such statutory direction shall be expended as the Department shall determine and the moneys expended for State- aid and upon city streets shall be expended to the extent to which such expenditures shall from time to time be authorized by law

(g) For the maintenance and repair of all interstate bridges over the Delaware River between this Commonwealth and the State of New Jersey now owned or to be acquired or constructed from Morrisville Bucks County to Milford Pike County and of interstate bridges between this Commonwealth and the State of New York at Hancock Shohola Narrowsburg and Matamoras

(h) For the payment of transportation medical attendance and hospital charges for employes injured or killed in line of duty and the payment of workmen's compensation to injured employes or the dependents of deceased employes or the payment of premiums upon policies insuring the Commonwealth pendents of employes of the Department Provided That such insurance shall be carried only with the approval of the Governor

(i) For purchasing acquiring and leasing lands in the name of the Commonwealth containing stone suitable for use in the construction improvement reconstruction replacement or maintenance of highways and to quarry and prepare the stone therein for use in the construction improvement reconstruction replacement and maintenance of highways to manufacture any other material used in the construction improvement reconstruction replacement or maintenance thereof whether for use by the department in the construction improvement reconstruction replacement or maintenance of highways or for selling the same to contractors engaged in such work or to political subdivisions of the State for the construction improvement reconstruction replacement and maintenance of roads as may now or hereafter be provided by law

(j) For the erection of such buildings and the purchase of such machinery as may be necessary or essential for the proper prosecution of the work of quarring or manufacturing stone or materials for the construction improvement reconstruction replacement or maintenance of highways

(k) Subject to the approval of the Governor and of the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or acquisition of land in the name of the Commonwealth for the purpose of erecting thereon garages storage sheds laboratories or other buildings necessary in connection with the construction improvement, reconstruction replacement or maintenance of highways and for the erection on land thus acquired of such garages storage sheds laboratories or other buildings

(l) To propagate or purchase trees shrubs vines or grasses for planting on or along the State highways and to maintain the same

(m) For the purchase installation and maintenance of signs and traffic signals on State highways

(n) For the payment of traveling expenses and witness fees in amount of two ($2) dollars per capita per diem to witnesses testifying for the Commonwealth

(o) For all other expenses of every kind and description necessary effectively to carry on the work of the Department as authorized by law

Section 5 Stores of any nature whatsoever including quarried or manufactured products and in addition equipment rental charges for the use of equipment either owned or leased by the Department of Highways shall be considered charges against any special appropriations made to the Department of Highways for any purposes Transfer requisitions shall be submitted by the Department of Highways from time to time to adjust the balances of the appropriations in accordance with the actual cost of work performed excluding however overhead advertising engineering and inspection expenses Such transfer requisitions shall be audited by the Auditor General and State Treasurer and if found correct shall become adjusting entries on the books of the fiscal officers and of the Department of Highways

Section 6 Estimates of the amounts to be expended under this act from time to time by the Department of Revenue and the Department of Highways respectively and by the Board of Finance and Revenue in the payment of claims for refund shall be submitted to the Governor for his approval or disapproval as in the case of other appropriations made to administrative departments boards and commissions and it shall be unlawful for the Auditor General to honor any requisition for the expenditure of any moneys out of this appropriation by the Board of Finance and Revenue for refunds or by the Department of Revenue or by the Department of Highways in excess of the estimates approved by the Governor

Subject to the foregoing provisions the moneys appropriated by this act shall be paid out of the Motor License Fund upon warrant of the Auditor General drawn after requisition by the Board of Finance and Revenue the Department of Revenue or the Department of Highways as the case may be

Section 7 The provisions of this act as far as they are the same as those of existing laws are intended as a continuation of such laws and not as new enactments

Section 8 The provisions of this act shall become effective on July first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,			Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1655, as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end of Article Four a new section to be known as section four hundred and twenty to read as follows

Section 420 EXCHANGE ALTERATION AND CONVERSION OF POLICIES Any life insurance company may at the request of a policyholder exchange alter or convert any policy of life or endowment insurance issued by it for or into any policy conforming (a) with the laws in force when the first mentioned policy was issued if the rewritten policy bears the date thereof or (b) with the laws in force when said exchange alteration or conversion is effected if the rewritten policy bears a then current date Provided however if such rewritten policy bears the date of said original policy the amount of insurance under said rewritten policy shall not exceed the amount of insurance under said original policy or the amount of insurance which the premium paid for the original policy would have purchased if the rewritten policy had been originally applied whichever is greater Nothing contained in section three hundred and forty-six or in clause (c) of section four hundred and eleven of this act shall be construed as prohibiting any such exchange alteration or conversion of policies as provided by this section

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Bally,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Cwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Haines.	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Stark,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post.	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1597, as follows:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the county commissioners and controller in all counties of the second class be and they are hereby constituted a board whose duty it shall be to fix and determine in manner herein provided the number and compensation of the employes of the county planning commission criers tipstaves clerks assistants stenographers interpreters and probation officers of the various courts detectives viewers board for the assessment and revision of taxes employes in all other county offices and all boards bureaus departments and divisions thereof whether elective or appointive according to law except official court stenographers minute clerks of the court of common pleas and of the court of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer and clerks stenographers of the judges of the court of common pleas assistant clerks of the Orphans' Court in attendance upon such court county detectives and assistant district attorneys

Section 2 The said board shall meet from time to time when required by the president judge of any court county officer president or other executive head of any separate board or division whatsoever the number or compensation of whose employes is sought to be fixed and determined and shall forthwith consider and fix and determine the same in manner as they may deem best for the public service and such president judge county officer president or executive head shall sit as a member of the said board and be entitled to vote so long as the matter affecting his office is under consideration and no longer and a decision of the majority shall govern A full minute of all meetings of said board shall be entered in a book kept for that purpose

Section 3 Any president judge county officer president or executive head as aforesaid shall have the right to appeal from the decision of said board to the court of common pleas of the proper county and shall be entitled to have the merits of his case fully heard and considered

Section 4 The following acts and parts of acts of assembly are hereby repealed as particularly set forth

Part of section two of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws twenty-eight) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of special detective officer in any of the several counties of this Commonwealth' approved May nineteenth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four making said special detective officers general police officers with powers conferred on constables in cases of crime and criminal procedure and providing for their compensation" so far as the same applies to counties of the second class and provides for the compensation to be fixed by the court of quarter sessions

Part of an act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and three) entitled "An act to amend section first of the act of Assembly approved the twenty-first day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act to amend section first of the act of Assembly approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled "An act to amend an act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants" being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled "An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants by a further classification of counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of county officers therein" and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' by providing for a class of counties containing over eight hundred thousand inhabitants and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of county officers therein and repealing all acts or parts of acts supplied hereby or inconsistent herewith" so far as the same applies to counties having over eight hundred thousand inhabitants and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of the assistant coroner at two thousand dollars

The act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred) entitled "An act creating in counties having over eight hundred thousand and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding United States census a board to fix and determine the number and compensation of employes in all county offices boards bureaus departments and divisions thereof prescribing the powers and duties of said board and regulating appeals from the decision thereof" absolutley

Part of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and five) entitled "An act amending section five of an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the County of Allegheny and prescribing it powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven by changing the manner of appointment and of determining the number duties and compensation of clerks and other assistants" so far as the same provides that the number and compensation of clerks and assistants shall be fixed by a majority of the judges of said court

The act approved the twenty-second day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and sixty) entitled "An act fixing the salaries of the county engineer and deputy county engineer is counties containing a population of more that eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred and thirty-eight) entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of criers in the courts of common pleas in counties having a population of over eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred and thirty-eight) entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties having a population of over eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the crier of the courts of common pleas in the several counties of this Commonwealth having more than one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants" absolutely

Part of section one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand ninety-three) entitled "An act creating in counties having a population of from eight hundred thousand to one million five hundred thousand a board for the assessment and revision of taxes providing for the appointment of the members of such board by the county commissioners fixing their salaries payable by the county defining the powers and duties of such board and regulating the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes authorizing the appointment of subordinate assessors and clerks defining their duties and providing for their compensation payable by such counties imposing a penalty on subordinate assessors for failure to comply with certain provisions of this act and abolishing the office of ward borough and township assessor in so far as respects the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes" so far as the same provides for the amount of compensation to be paid each member of the board

The act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and fifty-seven) entitled "An act amending the first and second sections of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties having a population of over eight hundred thousand and less than one million four hundred thousand inhabitants' approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred and thirty-eight) by extending said act to counties of the second class by increasing the minimum and maximum salaries of said tipstaves and making the president judge of the court of common pleas or orphans' court a member of the salary board when such salaries are to be fixed" absolutely

The act approved the twentieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws twenty-four) entitled "An Act fixing the salary or compensation of the crier of the courts of quarter sessions of the peace and oyer and terminer and general jail delivery in the several counties of the second class" absolutely

Part of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and eighteen) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws thirty-three) entitled 'An act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing their salaries' extending the provisions of said act to counties of the second class and increasing the number of the second class and increasing the number and salaries of the assistant district attorneys thereof" so far as the same provides for the amount of compensation to be paid the various assistant district attorneys

Part of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-two) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the seventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred twenty-five) entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of interpreters in each county of this Commonwealth and providing for their compensation' by increasing said compensation" so far as the same applies to counties and provides for the compensation to be fixed by the court

And all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Kable,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1780, as follows:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to Fund Floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year

or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidence by any outstanding promissory note or notes now existing created by townships of the first class and now due or to become due may be funded at any time by the issue and sale at not less than par of bonds obligations or certificates bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum Provided That no such bonds obligations or certificates shall be issued for a longer period than twenty years from the date thereof and it shall be the duty of the proper corporate authorities of such townships to provide for the payment of principal and interest of all such bonds obligations or certificates in the manner now provided by law for increasing the indebtedness of such townships

Section 2 All proceedings to issue bonds obligations or certificates for the purpose of funding such indebtedness shall be in accordance with the manner now provided by law for the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates by townships of the first class for increasing the indebtedness

Section 3 All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H J.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Donnell,	Linton,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Root,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Zimmerman,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1594, as follows:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the term "public corporation" as used herein shall mean any county city borough township school district or other municipality or incorporated district of this Commonwealth

Section 2 When any public corporation shall have been authorized by the assent of the electors thereof by proceedings heretofore or hereafter had under the provisions of an act of Assembly approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) and the amendments and supplements thereto to increase its indebtedness for any purpose to an amount two (2%) per centum upon the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein and the corporate authorities shall deem it for the public interest to issue short-term notes for any part or the whole of the increase so authorized them such public corporation shall have the right and is hereby authorized to issue short-term notes in such amounts and containing such provisions as the corporate authorities of such public corporation may deem advisable which notes shall be payable within three years from the date at which they are issued and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six (6%) per centum per annum The full amount of the notes so issued shall be chargeable against the total amount authorized by the electors for the particular purpose for which they are issued The public corporation may later issue long-term or serial securities or obligations for the remainder or for the whole of the amount authorized by the electors for the particular purpose for which the short-term notes have been issued but if such long-term securities or obligations are issued for the whole amount which shall have been authorized the corporate authorities shall provide for the redemption and payment in full of such short-term notes out of the fund realized from the sale of the long-term obligations Before issuing short-term notes the corporate authorities shall assess an annual tax for the payment of such notes and shall file a statement in the office of the clerk of courts of the proper county in the manner provided by law Such short-term notes shall be sold at not less than the par value thereof after advertisement as required by law

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,

Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1282, as follows:

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini One thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation hereof" as amended by the act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one)

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four of the act of July twenty-fourth Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for the violation hereof" which as amended by an act approved the fourteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act defining commodities regulating the sale hereof and providing penalties for violation hereof' approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred thirteen by providing that bottles or jars for milk or cream shall be measured within the provisions of said act" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 4 It shall be unlawful in selling any commodity to use any measure unless the same shall have thereon marked in distinct letters and figures the capacity thereof If such measure be of the capacity of one-half bushel or less or of one-half gallon or less it shall be marked in terms of [a quart] dry or liquid measure respectively If the measure be of the capacity of over one-half bushel or one-half gallon it shall be marked in terms of a bushel or gallon respectively Provided That bottles or jars used for the sale of milk or cream shall be regarded and considered as measures within the meaning of this act and shall be in all respects subject to all rules and regulations heretofore or hereafter made by the [Chief of the Pennsylvania Bureau of Standards] Department of Internal Affairs as to reasonable variations and tolerances

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1723, as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over" by authorizing the Secretary of Revenue to fix the number and compensation of State clerks in the office of the county treasurer in counties of the first class

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the of-

fice of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and [thirteen] twenty-nine the number and salaries or other compensation of the clerks of the Commonwealth in the office of the county treasurer of any county of the first class of this Commonwealth [having a population of one million or over] shall be [First State clerk twenty-five hundred ($2,500) dollars per annum receiving teller or clerk twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500) per annum first assistant clerk two thousand ($2,000) dollars per annum second assistant receiving teller or clerk sixteen hundred dollars ($1,600) per annum first assistant bookkeeper sixteen hundred dollars ($1,600) per annum] fixed by the Secretary of Revenue with the approval of the Governor but the compensation shall in all cases be in accordance with the classification adopted by the Executive Board Such salaries and compensation to be paid semi-monthly accordingly to existing laws

Section 2 All laws or parts of laws inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 22.

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 22.

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. DUNN asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution, which was twice read as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Whereas; One of the most important, if not troublesome and dangerous questions confronting the United States and now before the people for solution, is the unemployment of the wage earner, and

Whereas; There is nothing more important calling for the immediate attention of our public officials than the question of unemployment, and

Whereas; Many attempts have been made from time to time by national, state and municipal authorities to secure an approximate estimate of the number of wage earners unemployed at a given time but without results, and

Whereas; The question of unemployment like all other questions, to be properly and intelligently handled, it first becomes necessary to ascertain as accurately as possible all the facts in the case, and

Whereas; It is also necessary to recognize that there is a serious problem to be solved before it can be properly handled and because of lack of proper information, this troublesome question of unemployment is no nearer solution today than it was years ago, and

Whereas; The provisions of the United States Constitution provides for the taking of the census every ten years, and the legislation that it would be necessary to enact by Congress by which supervisors and enumerators will be appointed in all parts of the United States to take up the new census, and

Whereas; If this same organization that will be set up to do this work is directed to take the census of the unemployed wage earners throughout the United States, this will be the means of obtaining for the first time intelligent and accurate information as to the number of unemployed in the United States, therefore

Be It Resolved, and it is hereby resolved, that the Senate and House of Representatives of the 1929 Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature memorialize the Congress of the United States, the United States Senators and Congressmen from Pennsylvania to use their best offices to have legislation enacted which will provide that the supervisors and enumerators taking up the new census will also take the census of the unemployed.

Ordered, That the Resolution lie over for printing under the rules.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2305, (Senate Bill No. 465), entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in third class counties of this Commonwealth may be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in third class counties of this Commonwealth to lay before them matters upon which they are to pass to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

dams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
dams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
ston,	Gicking,	McClure	Scott, W. H.,
ally,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
aker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
aldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
aldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
aldrige,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shortz,
arton,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
atchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
ausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
echtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
ehm,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
ell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
ell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
icker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
ickett,	Haws,	Munley,	Stark,
idelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
lack,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Steedle,
lumberg,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
oggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
owers,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
rown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
rown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
rown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Voltz,
urke,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
urns,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
auffiel,	Howe,	Pethick,	Way,
lark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weaver,
lark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
nner,	Kahle,	Post,	Wells,
ooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Welty,
avis,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
engler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
enne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	White,
letrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
itter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
onnell,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
unn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
ches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
de,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
derer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
mhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
rdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
vans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
ish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yorg,
ynn	Mathay	Schilling,	Ziesenheim
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1053.

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars trackless trolly omnibuses bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local autorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships withing the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 3, by inserting after the word "cars" the words "trackless trolley omnibuses"; also line 11, by striking out the word "Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also same line, by striking out the word "Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department."

Amend Section 102, page 4, by inserting between lines 17 and 18 the following paragraph:

"'Cushion Rubber Tire'—A tire molded on a steel base having a longitudnal cavity running circumferentially at the center line of the tire extending from its base with a height of no less than one half the overall standing height of the tire such

tires when new being no less than four and one half (4½) inches high overall including steel base."

Amend Section 102, page 5, line 21, by inserting after the word "in" the word "the"; also page 6, line 2, by striking out the words "light searching" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "lamp searchlight"; also same line, by striking out the word "spotlight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "spot lamp".

Amend Section 102, page 7, line 9, by striking out the word "copartnerships" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "co-partnerships"; also page 8, line 5, by striking out the word "on" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also page 9, line 26, by striking out after the word "for" the word "the";

Amend Section 102, page 10, line 13, by inserting after the word "have" the word "been"; also line 17, by inserting after the word "have" the word "been"; also line 27, by striking out the word "highways" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "highway".

Amend Section 102, page 11, line 14, by striking out the word "light" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "lamp"; also at the end of the same line, end the beginning of line 15, strike out the word "spotlight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "spot lamp"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "tire" the words "or a cushion rubber tire".

Amend Section 102, page 12, line 11, by inserting after the word "excepting" the words "power shovels road rollers".

Amend Section 104, page 14, line 6, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend Article II, page 15, line 1, by striking out the word "Concellation" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Cancellation".

Amend Section 201, page 15, line 13, by striking out the word "untill" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "until"; also line 15, by striking out the word "provisions" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provision"; also line 16, by inserting after the letter "(a)" the word "of".

Amend Section 202, page 16, lines 5 and 6, by striking out the words "the president vice-president secretary treasurer manager or other" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "an"; also line 14, by striking out the word "secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department"; also same line, by striking out the words, "over his" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "bearing the"; also line 15, after the word "signature" insert the words "or facsimile signature of the secretary or such officer of the department as he shall designate".

Amend Section 203, page 16, line 23, by striking out the word "said" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "such"; also line 22, by inserting after the word "of" the word "the".

Amend Section 203, page 17, line 16, by inserting after the word "renewed" the words "when record of certificate of title has been cancelled by the department"; also lines 16, 17 and 17, by striking out the following: "except as herein provided.

1 When record of certificate of title has been cancelled by the Department".

Amend Section 208, page 19, line 25, by striking out the word "possession" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "repossession."

Amend Section 210, page 21, line 24, by striking out the word "sercetary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "secretary".

Amend Section 210, page 22, line 1, by striking out the word "certificates" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "certificate"; also line 29, by striking out the word "submitted" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "received"; also same line, by striking out the word "thereof" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "therefor"; also page 23, lines 1 and 2, by striking out the words "is returned to the department because of insufficient funds or".

Amend Section 210, page 23, by inserting between lines 2 and 3 the following paragraph:

"(g) The secretary shall cancel the certificate of title issued for a new motor vehicle in the possession of a dealer when it is shown by satisfactory evidence that the motor vehicle has been returned to the manufacturer jobber or dealer from whom obtained".

Amend Section 211, page 23, line 13, by striking out the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or"; also line 14, by inserting after the word "indicated" the words "or both"; also line 27, by striking out the word "suffer".

Amend Section 301, page 24, line 18, by inserting after the word "however" the word "that".

Amend Section 302, page 25, line 6, by insertinig after the word "secretary" the words "for a special number plate".

Amend Section 304, page 27, line 19, by striking out the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Such"; also line 20, by striking out the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "to".

Amend Section 304, page 28, line 6, by inserting after the word "on" the word "a".

Amend Section 305, page 28, line 15, by striking out the word "seize" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Seize".

Amend Section 305, page 29, line 7, by striking out after the word "same" the word "to" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall"; also line 14, by inserting after the word "be" the words "forwarded to the department and same to be".

Amend Section 401, page 31, lines 1 and 2, by striking out the words "it is further provided that".

Amend Section 402, page 31, line 17, by striking out the word "horespower" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "horsepower"; also line 26, by striking out the word "ligths" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "lamps"; also line 29 by striking out after the word "in" the word "the"; also same line, by striking out the word "copartnership" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "co-partnership".

Amend Section 402, page 32, lines 1 and 2, by striking out the words "the president vice president secretary treasurer manager or other" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "an"; also line 4, by striking out the word "copartnership" and inserting the word "co-partnership"; also line 13, by striking out the word "provide" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provided".

Amend Section 405, page 33, line 24, by striking out the words "upon the face of such card".

Amend Section 405, page 34, line 9, by striking out the word "provision" and and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisions"; also, the end of same line and the beginning of line 10, by striking out the word "sub-section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "subsections".

Amend Section 408, page 35, line 19, by striking out the words "'Dealer's' class" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "'Dealer's Class'".

Amend Section 409, page 36, line 7, by inserting after the word "trailers" the word "and".

Amend Section 409, page 37, line 9, by striking out the word "sub-section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-sections".

Amend Sction 411, page 38, line 25, by striking out the word "lights" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "lamps"; also line 29, by striking out the word "copartnership" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "co-partnership"; also same line, and the following line, by striking out the words "the president, vice president secretary treasurer manager or other" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "an"; also page 39, line 3, by striking out the word "copartnership" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "co-partnership".

Amend Section 412, page 39, line 23, by inserting after the word "When" the word "the".

Amend Section 412, page 40, lines 6 to 13, inclusive, by striking out all of the said lines.

Amend Section 412, page 40, line 14, by striking out the numeral "7" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "4"; also line 18, by striking out the numeral "8" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "5"; also lines 21 to 24, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 412, page 41, by inserting between lines 13 and 14, the following paragraph:

"(e) Any person whose registration has been suspended by the secretary under the provisions of this act shall have the right to file a petition in the court of quarter sessions of Dauphin County within thirty (30) days thereafter for a hearing in the matter before a judge thereof and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction and it shall be its duty to set the matter down for hearing upon thirty (30) days written notice to the secretary and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is subject to suspension of registration under the provisions of this act".

Amend Section 414, page 42, line 2, by striking out the word "motor".

Amend Section 415, page 42, line 14, by striking out the word "Registration" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Registrations"; also line 17, by striking out the word "motor"; also same line, by striking out the word "registration" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "registrations"; also line 21, by inserting after the words "purchaser of" the words "the"; also same line, by striking out the word "motor"; also line 22, by striking out the word "permit" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "permits"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "use" the word "the".

Amend Section 501, page 43, line 27, by striking out the word "leters" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "letters".

Amend Section 501, page 44, line 12, by striking out the word "less" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "more".

Amend Section 502, page 44, line 15, by striking out the word "'Dealer's' class" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "'Dealer's' class' ".

Amend Section 503, page 45, line 8, by striking out the word "Panalty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Penalty".

Amend Section 503, page 45, line 17, by inserting after the word "except" the word "that".

Amend Section 504, page 46, line 10, by inserting after the word "operating" the words "the same".

Amend Section 505, page 47, line 3, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department"; also line 13, by striking out the word "thereupon" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Thereupon".

Amend Section 505, page 48, line 4, by striking out the word "subsection" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "subsection".

Amend Section 506, page 48, lines 20 and 21, by striking out the words "the owner shall be issued"; also line 21, by inserting after the word "plates" the words "shall be issued to the owner"; also line 28, by striking out the word "subsection" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-section".

Amend Section 509, page 50, line 3, by inserting after the word "violating" the words "any of"; also line 5, by striking out the words "ten ($10)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty ($50)"; also line 7, by striking out the word "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten (10)".

Amend Section 604, page 54, line 11, by inserting after the word "person" the word "is".

Amend Section 612, page 60, line 5, by striking out the word "coviction" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "conviction".

Amend Section 615, page 61, line 28, by striking out the words "has reason to believe" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "finds upon sufficient evidence"; also line 29, by striking out all of said line.

Amend Section 615, page 62, lines 1 and 2, by striking out all of said lines; also line 3, by striking out the numeral "2" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "1"; also lines 7, 8 and 9, by striking out all of said lines; also line 10, by striking out the numeral "4" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "2"; also line 13, by striking out the numeral "5" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "3"; also line 16, by striking out the numeral "6" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "4"; also line 17, by striking out the words "or has been involved in a fatal accident".

Amend Section 615, page 62, lines 19, 20 and 21, by striking out of all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(b) The secretary may suspend the operator's license or learner's permit of any person after a hearing before the secretary or his representative or upon failue of the said person to appear at such hearing whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence

1 That such person has committed any offense for the conviction of which mandatory revocation of license is provided in this act

2 That such person is an habitual reckless or negligent operator of a motor vehicle or has committed any violation of the motor laws of this Commonwealth.

3 That such person has failed to file a report with the department of a motor vehicle accident as required by this act

Amend Section 615, page 62, line 22 by striking out "(b)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(c)"; also line 28, by striking out the letter "(c)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(d)".

Amend Section 615, page 63, line 10, by striking out the letter "(d)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(e)" also same line, by inserting after the word "authorized" the words "after a hearing before the secretary or his representative"; also line 11, by striking out the words "resident of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "person licensed in".

Amend Section 615, page 63, line 16, by striking out the letter "(e)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(f)", also line 21, by strtking out the letter "(f)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(g)"; also line 26, by striking out the letter "(g)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(h)"

Amend Section 618, page 65, line 2, by striking out the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a motor"; also line 5, by striking out the word "such"; and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a"; also same line, by inserting after the word "minor" the words "under the age of sixteen (16) pears".

Amend Article VII, page 68, line 12, by inserting after the word "Rubber" the words "or Cushion Rubber".

Amend Section 703, page 69, line 25, by striking out "eight (8)" and inserting lieu thereof "nine (9)".

Amend Section 703, page 70, line 2, by striking out the numerals "$18.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$16.50"; also line 3, by striking out the numerals "30.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "26.00"; also line 4, by striking out the numerals "40.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "35.00"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "50.00" and inserting in lieu therof the numerals "45.00"; also line 6, by striking out the numerals "70.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "63.00"; also line 7, by striking out the numerals "100.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "90.00"; also line 8, by striking out the numerals "125.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "110.00"; also line 9, by inserting after the word "over" the words "but less than 12000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "175.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "155.00".

Amend Section 703, page 70, by inserting between lines 9 and 10, the following line:

"ZZ..... 12000 and over ..... 225.00"

Amend Section 704, page 70, line 11, by inserting after the word "Rubber" the words "or Cushion Rubber"; also line 12, by inserting after the word "rubber" the words "or Cushion rubber"; also same line ,by inserting after the word "tires" the words, "approved by the Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth"; also line 13, by striking out "eight (8)" and inserting in lieu thereof "nine (9)".

Amend Section 704, page 70, by inserting between lines 18 and 19, the following: "(Solid Rubber Tires)".

Amend Section 704, page 70, line 26, by inserting after the word "over" the words "but less than 12000"; also same page, by inserting between lines 26 and 27 the following:

ZZ.....	12000 and over	350.00
Class	Chassis Weight in Pounds (Cushion Rubber Tires)	Fee
R.....	Less than 2000	$ 25.00
S.....	2000 and over but less than 3000	35.00
T.....	3000 and over but less than 4000	50.00
U.....	4000 and over but less than 5000	60.00
V.....	5000 and over but less than 6000	85.00
W.....	6000 and over but less than 7500	125.00
Y.....	7500 and over but less than 9000	150.00
Z.....	9000 and over but less than 12000	200.00
ZZ.....	12000 and over	275.00

Amend Section 705, page 71, line 9, by striking out the numerals "$18.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$16.50"; also line 10, by striking out the numerals "30.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "26.00"; also line 11, by striking out the numerals "40.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "35.00"; also line 12, by striking out the numerals "50.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "45.00"; also line 13, by striking out the numerals "70.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "63.00"; also line 14, by striking out the numerals "100.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "90.00"; also line 15, by striking out the numerals "125.00" and inserting in lieu therof the numerals "110.00"; alsoline 16, by striking out the numerals "175.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "155.00".

Amend Section 703, page 71, line 18, by inserting after the word "pneumatic" the words "cushion rubber"; also line 19, by striking out "nine (9)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "seven (7)"; also line 22, by striking out the word "manufaturer" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "manufacturer"; also line 25, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "$3.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$5.00"; also line 26, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out at the end of the line the numerals "9.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "8.00"; also line 28, by striking out the numerals "23.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "25.00".

Amend Section 706, page 72, line 4, by striking out the words "but less than 7500"; also lines 5 and 6, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 707, page 72, line 12, by striking out the numerals "$40.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$25.00"; also same page, by inserting between lines 12 and 13 the following:

"B More than five (5) passengers and less than eight (8) passengers $30.00

also line 13, by striking out the letter "B" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "C"; also same line, by striking out "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "seven (7)"; also line 14, by striking out the word 'nor" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "not"; also line 16, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven"; also line 18, by striking out the letter "C" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "D"; also line 19, by inserting after the word "passengers" at the end of the line the following: "$40.00 plus $4.00 for"; also line 20, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven"; also line 22, by striking out the word "number"; also same line, by inserting after the word "twenty-six" the word "seats".

Amend Section 708, page 72, line 27, by inserting after the word "rubber" the words "or cushion rubber".

Amend Section 709, page 73, line 2, by striking out the numerals "$55.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$37.50;" also same page, by inserting between lines 2 and 3, the following: "B More than five (5) passengers and less than eight (8) passengers, $45.00;" also line 3, by striking out the letter "B" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "C;" also same line, by striking out "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "seven (7);" also line 5, by striking out the numerals "$55.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$50.00;" also same line, by striking out the numerals "$5.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$5.00;" also line 6, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven;" also line 8, by striking out the letter "C" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "D;" also line 10, by striking out the letter "D" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "E;" also same line, by striking out the numerals "$55.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$50.00;" also same line, by striking out the numerals "$5.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "$5.00;" also line 11, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven;" also line 13, by striking out the word "number"; also same line, by inserting after the word "twenty-six" the word "seats"; also line 14, by striking out the numerals "14.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "12.50"; also line 16, by striking out the letter "D" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "E"; also line 18, by striking out the numerals "$565.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "400.00".

Amend Section 711, page 74, line 6, by striking out the words" Dealer's" class" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Dealers Class"; also line 11, by striking out the words "'Dealer's' class" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "'Dealer's Class'".

Amend Section 713, page 75, line 2, by inserting after the word "three" the numerals "($3.00)"; also same line, by striking out the following; "and fifty cents ($3.50)".

Amend Section 714, page 75, line 13, by striking out the word "jobbers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word jobber's".

Amend Section 716, page 75, line 29, by striking out the numerals "(.50)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($.50)"; also page 76, line 1, by striking out the numerals "(.50)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($.50)"

Amend Section 722, page 78, line 8, by striking out the word "each" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "such"; also same page, by inserting between lines 10 and 11, the following paragraph:

"(h) No fee shall be charged a manufacturer jobber or dealer for a certificate of title to a new motor vehicle when assignment of certificate of title accompanies the application for certificate of title".

Amend Section 723, page 78, line 14, by striking out the word "subdivision" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-division".

Amend Section 802, page 83, line 27, by striking out the word "more" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "less".

Amend Section 803, page 86, line 12, by striking out the word "headlamp" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "head lamp".

Amend Section 807, page 90, line 19, by striking out the word "Approved" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Approval".

Amend Section 807, page 91, line 16, by striking out the words "one (1)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two (2)"; also lines 25 and 26, by striking out the words "one (1) simple" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two 2 samples".

Amend Section 808, page 93, line 27, by striking out the word "sub-sections"; also line 29, by inserting after the numerals "($10,000)" the word "dollars".

Amend Section 810, page 95, line 12, by striking out the word "official" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Officials"; also line 19, by striking out the word "lights" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "lamps".

Amend Section 811, page 96, line 23, by striking out the letter "(d)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(e)".

Amend Section 811, page 97, line 12, by striking out the word "performance" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "performances"; also line 20, by striking out the word "trailers" inserting in lieu thereof the word "trailer"; also line 23, by striking out the word "trailers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "trailer".

Amend Section 813, page 101, line 6, by striking out the word "or"; also same line, by striking out after the word "repair" the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend Section 820, page 105, by inserting between lines 7 and 8 the following paragraph:

"(b) Every cushion rubber tire on a vehicle moved on any highway shall have rubber on its entire traction surface at least two and one-quarter (2¼) inches thick above the edge of the flange of the entire periphery".

Amend Section 820, page 105, line 8, by striking out the letter "(b)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(c)"; also line 19, by striking out the letter "(c)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(d)"; also line 23, by striking out the word "or"; also same line, by inserting after the letter "(b)" the words "or (c)".

Amend Section 823, page 107, line 2, by striking out the word "Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "secretary".

Amend Section 823, page 108, line 15, by striking out the words "but it" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "It"; also line 23, by striking out the word "sub-section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-sections".

Amend Section 902, page 110, line 5, by inserting after the word "inches" the following words: "but nothing herein contained shall be construed to require the public authorities to provide sufficient vertical clearance to permit the operation of such vehicles".

Amend line 13, by striking out the words "motor vehicle" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "truck tractor"; also same line, by inserting after the word "semi-trailer" the word "attached".

Amend Section 902, page 110, line 17, by inserting after the word "other" the words, "except when the load on the towed vehicles coupled directly to and is not more than five (5) feet from the towing vehicle"; also line 21, by inserting after the word "vehicle" the words "except a trailer or semi-trailer".

Amend Section 903, page 111, lines 21, by inserting after the word "over" the words "but less than 12000"; also same page by inserting between lines 21 and 22 the following line:

"ZZ ..... 12000 and over ..... 33000".

Amend Section 903, page 112, line 11, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "1500" and

inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "3000"; also line 13, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "5000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "6000"; also line 14, by striking out the numerals "7000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "10000"; also line 15, by striking out the numerals "11000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "16000"; also line 16, by striking out the numerals "13000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "20000"; also line 17, by striking out the numerals "18000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "24000"; also line 18, by striking out the following: "but less than 7500 . . . 22000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals 26000"; also lines 19 and 20, by striking out all of said lines; also line 26, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "1000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "3000"; also line 27, by striking out the numerals "500" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1000"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "4000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "6000"; also line 28, by striking out the numerals "6000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "10000"; also line 29, by striking out the numerals "8000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "12000".

Amend Section 903, page 113, line 3, by striking out the numerals "10000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "15000"; also line 4, by striking out the numerals "12000" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "18000"; also line 5, by striking out the following: "but less than 7500 . . . 15000", and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "19500"; also lines 6 and 7, by striking out all of said lines; also line 8, by inserting after the word "No" the word "four-wheeled".

Amend Section 903, page 113, by inserting between lines 14 and 15 the following paragraph: "(f) No six or more wheeled vehicle except fire department equipment shall be operated upon any highway with a gross weight in excess of thirty-six thousand (36000) pounds or in excess of eight thousand (8000) pounds on the front axle and in excess of fourteen thousand (14000) pounds on each of the rear axles or in excess of eight hundred (800) pounds on any one wheel for each nominal inch of width of tire on such wheel and the two rear axles shall be parallel and shall not be less than thirty-six (36) inches apart".

Amend Section 903, page 113, line 15, by striking out the letter "(f)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(g)"; also line 24, by striking out the letter "(g)" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "(h)"; also same page, by insertnig between lines 27 and 28, the following paragraph:

"Penalty—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon summary conviction before a magistrate be sentenced to pay a fine of fifty ($50.00) dollars and costs of prosecution and in default of the payment thereof shall undergo imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days".

Amend Section 904, page 114, lines 13 and 14, by striking out the words "nor shall removal of any portion of the load be required".

Amend Section 905, page 115, lines 24, 25 and 26, by striking out the words, "be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof in a court of Quarter Sessions", and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "upon summary conviction before a magistrate"; also line 26, by striking out the words "not in excess"; also, the end of the same line and the beginning of line 27, by striking out the words "one thousand ($1000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty ($50)"; also line 29, by striking out the words "one (1) year" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten (10) days".

Amend Article X, page 118, line 3, by striking out the entire line.

Amend Section 1001, page 118, line 26, by inserting after the word "of" the words, "not less than ten ($10) dollars nor more than".

Amend Section 1002, page 120, lines 15 and 16, by striking out the word "hundre" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hundred"; also line 16, by inserting after the word "a" the word "railway"; also line 20, by inserting after the word "except" the words, "those being operated on Through Highways and".

Amend Section 1002, page 121, by inserting between lines 2 and 3, the following:

"4 Forty (40) miles an hour speed limit

"All vehicles except those otherwise restricted by this act to lower maximum speeds".

Amend Section 1002, page 121, line 10, by inserting after the letter "Z" the following: "and ZZ"; also line 11, by striking out the word "limits" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "limit"; also same page, by inserting between lines 22 and 23 the following:

"Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class W Y Z and ZZ".

Amend Section 1002, page 121, by inserting between lines 25 and 26 the following:

"Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with pneumatic tires—Class Y Z and ZZ.

"Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class U and V."

Amend Section 1002, page 121, line 27, by inserting after the word "rubber" the words "or cushion rubber"; also line 28, by striking out the word "and" and inserting after the letter "D" the words "and E".

Amend Section 1002, page 122, line 2, by striking out the letter "Y" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "V"; also same line, by striking out the letter "Z" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "W"; also same page, by inserting between lines 2 and 3 the following:

"Commercial motor vehicles and truck tractors with cushion rubber tires—Class R S and T."

Amend Section 1002, page 122, line 5, by striking out the letter "V" and inserting in lieu thereof the letters "R S T"; also same line, by striking out the letter "W" and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "U"; also same page, by inserting between lines 5 and 6 the following:

"Motor busses and omnibusses with pneumatic tires—Class C and D".

Also page 122, lines 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1002, page 122, line 24, by inserting after the word "timed" the words "for a distance of not less than one quarter (¼) mile"; also line 26, by striking out after the word "days" the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "prior to".

Amend Section 1002, page 123, line 7, by inserting after the word "any" the word "such".

Amend Section 1003, page 126, line 13, by striking out the word "upon" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "when approaching".

Amend Section 1011, page 128, line 21, by striking out the word "highway" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "highways".

Amend Section 1013, page 130, line 12, by inserting after the word "vehicle" the words "street car or trackless trolley omnibus"; also line 19, by inserting after the word "vehicle" the words "street car or trackless trolley omnibus".

Amend Section 1016, page 133, line 3, by striking out the word "or"; also same line, by inserting after the word "car" the words "or trackless trolley omnibus"; also line 5, by striking out the word "from" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "before entering"; also same line, by striking out the words "line of"; also lines 5, 6 and 7, by striking out the following:

"where the driver or operator of such vehicle or street car does not have a clear vision of the approaching traffic".

Amend Section 1017, page 133, line 24, by striking out the words "by traffic" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or obstructed".

Amend Section 1018, page 134, line 23, by striking out "ten ($10.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "five ($5.00)"; also lines 28 and 29, by striking out "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "three (3)".

Amend Section 1019, page 135, line 15, by inserting after the word "highway" the following: "and provided further no person shall park or stand any vehicle whether attended or unattended in any no parking area where "No Parking" signs have been erected in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand one hundred and thirteen (1113) of this act."

Amend Section 1022, page 137, lines 8 to 11, inclusive, by striking out the following: "and upon approaching any curve where the view is unobstructed within a distance of two hundred (200) feet along the highway shall give audible warning",

Amend Section 1023, page 137, line 21, by striking out the word "public"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "the" the words "outside or the".

Amend Section 1023, page 138, line 3, by striking out the word "personal" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "person"; also line 17, by striking out the word "sub-section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-sections"; also same line, by striking out the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend Section 1025, page 139, line 3, by striking out the word "also" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "upon request".

Amend Section 1025, page 139, line 15, by inserting after the word "of" the words "not more than".

Amend Section 1026, page 139, line 21, by striking out the word "or"; also same line, by inserting after the word "car" the words "or trackless trolley omnibus."

Amend Section 1026, page 140, lines 8 and 9, by striking out the words "following the green or "Go"" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "alone"; also line 26, by inserting after the word "signals" the words "or immediately adjacent thereto".

Amend Section 1026, page 141, line 1, by striking out the word "interpretation" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "interpretations"; also line 14, by striking out the words "ten ($10.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof "five ($5.00)"; also line 16, by striking out "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "three (3)".

Amend Section 1027, page 141, line 18, by striking out the word "vehicles" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "omnibuses"; also line 19, by striking out the word "including" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and all"; also line 20, by inserting after the word "in" the word "the".

Amend Section 1028, page 142, line 9, by inserting after the word "of" the words "not less than"; also same line, by inserting after the word "dollars" the words "nor more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars"; also lines 11 and 12, by striking out the words "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten (10)".

Amend Section 1031, page 143, lines 14 to 22, inclusive, by striking out the entire section, which includes all of said lines.

Amend Article XI, page 144, by inserting between lines 10 and 11 the following line:

"Section 1113 Parking Restriction on State Highways".

Amend Section 1103, page 146, line 6, by striking out after the word "officers" the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the "word "or" also line 13, by inserting after the word "hours" the following: "and may regulate the transportation by motor vehicles of passengers for compensation within the limits of a city or from points in the city to points beyond the city limits and make and enforce regulations for the operation of such vehicles not inconsistent with this act and designate certain streets upon which such vehicles may be operated."

Amend Section 1104, page 146, line 18, by inserting after the word "vehicles" the words, "except as otherwise provided in this act".

Amend Section 1105, page 146, line 21, by striking out the word "designate"; also line 22, by striking out the words "both intrastate and interstate" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "state"; also lines 22 and 23, by striking out the words, "lying within the boundaries of this Commonwealth"; also line 25, by striking out the words "under the jurisdiction of this Commonwealth".

Amend Section 1106, page 147, line 2, by striking out the word "appropriate"; also line 4, by striking out the word "special" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "local ordinances rules and "; also line 5, by striking out the word "special" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "local ordinances rules and"; also lines 8 and 9, by striking out the words "in proper position and sufficiently legible" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, posted conspicuously by the municipalities making the same at points where any highway affected thereby joins other highways".

Amend Section 1107, page 147, line 22, by inserting after the word "any" the word "proper"; also same line, by striking out the word "authority as defined in this act" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "official".

Amend Section 1109, page 148, lines 17 and 18, by striking out the word "suitable"; also line 18, by inserting after the word "signs" the words "bearing the words "SAFETY ZONE""; also line 19, by striking out the word "headlamps" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "head lamps".

Amend Section 1110, page 149, lines 5 to 8, inclusive, by striking out the words, "colors shall be shown in the following sequence A green light followed by a yellow light followed by a red light followed by a green light" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "yellow light following the red light shall not exceed three (3) seconds in length"; also line 9, by inserting after the words "traffic" the words "and other conditions."

Amend Section 1110, page 149, line 25, by striking out the word "semiphores" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "semaphores"; also line 26, by striking out the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may".

Amend Section 1110, page 150, lines 10 and 11, by striking out the words "be guilty of a misdemeanor and"; also line 11, by inserting after the word "upon" the word "summary"; also line 11 and 12, by striking out the words "thereof in a court of quarter sessions shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "before a magistrate"; also lines 13, 14 and 15, by striking out the words "or undergo imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days or suffer both such fine"; also line 15, by inserting after the word "and" the words, "in default of the payment thereof shall undergo"; also same line, by inserting after the word "imprisonment" the words, "for not more than ten (10) days".

Amend Section 1111, page 151, line 1, by inserting after the word "maintained" the word "thereon"; also same line, by striking out the word 'a distance of one hundred (100) feet from" also line 2, by inserting, after the word "traffic" the following sentence: "The provisions of this section shall not apply to bridges as now provided by law".

Amend Section 1112, page 151, line 8, by striking out the words "through highways" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Through Highways"; also line 16, by inserting after the word "highway" the following:

"Provided however that vehicles street cars and trackless trolley omnibuses shall not be subject to the provisions of this section at an intersection during the hours when a traffic signal is actually in operation or where a peace officer is actually on duty directing traffic".

Amend Section 1112, page 151, line 19, by striking out the words "through highway" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Through Highway"; also line 26, by striking out the word "headlights" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "head lamps".

Amend Article XI, page 151, by adding after line 29 the following new section:

"Section 1113 Parking Restriction on State Highways The Secretary of Highways of this Commonwealth is hereby authorized to designate certain sections of State highway routes under his jurisdiction as "No parking Areas" and to erect and maintain the necessary signs to carry out this provision".

Amend Article XII, page 152, line 4, by inserting after the word "by" the words "Information and"; also line 5, by inserting after the word "View" the words "or With Warrant"; also line 6, by striking out all of said line as follows: "Section 1204 Appearance Upon Arrest"; also line 7, by striking out the numerals "1205" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1204"; also line 8, by striking out the numerals "1206" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1205"; also line 9, by striking out the numerals "1207" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1206"; also line 10, by striking out the numerals "1208" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1207"; also line 11, by striking out the numerals "1209" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1208".

Amend Article XII, page 152, line 12, by striking out the numerals "1210" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1209"; also line 12, by striking out the numerals "1211" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1210"; also line 15, by striking out the numerals "1212" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals '1211"; also line 17, by striking out the numerals "1213" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1212"; also line 18, by striking out the numerals "1214" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1213"; also line 19, by striking out the numerals "1215" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1214"; also line 20, by striking out the numerals "1216" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1215"; also line 22, by

striking out the numerals "1217" and inserting in lieu htereof the numerals "1216"; also line 24, by striking out the numerals "1218" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1217"; also line 26, by striking out the numerals "1219" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1218"; also line 27, by striking out the numerals "1220" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1219"; also line 28, by striking out the numerals "1221" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1220".

Amend Article XII, page 153, line 1, by striking out the numerals "1222" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1221".

Amend Section 1201, page 153, line 6, by inserting after the word "brought" the words "before the nearest available magistrate."

Amend Section 1202, page 153, line 23, by inserting after the word "by" the words "Information and"; also line 24, by striking out the word "Proceedings" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Summary proceedings"; also same line, by striking out the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "or any violation of a local ordinance rule or regulation enacted under the authority thereof except as hereafter provided shall"; also line 25, by striking out the word "warrant" at the beginning of the line,, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the filing of information"; also same line, by striking out after the word "which" the word "warrant" and inserting in lien thereof the word "information"; also same line, by striking out the words "issued immediately" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filed"; also lines 26 and 27, by striking out the following: "upon the lodging of the information and before the service of any warrant"; also line 29, by inserting after the word "shall" the words "sent by registered."

Amend Section 1202, page 164, line 2, by striking out the word "issuing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filing"; also lines 2 and 3, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "information"; also line 3, by striking out the words "of the information" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the date of the written notice."

Amend Section 1202, page 154, line 4, by striking out the word "warrant" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "information"; also line 5, by striking out the words "thereafter the" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the date of the written notice a"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "warrant" the word "shall"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "then" the words "issued and".

Amend Section 1203, page 164, line 21, by inserting after the word "View" the words "or With Warrant"; also line 24 by inserting after the word "act" the words,
"where the offense is designated a felony or a misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person".

Also page 154, line 28, by inserting after the word "arrested" the following:
"When a peace officer is unable to arrest upon view any person violating any of the provisions of this act where the offense is designated a felony or misdemeanor or in cases causing or contributing to an accident resulting in injury or death to any person information may be filed and warrant served as now provided by law".

Amend Section 1204, page 155, lines 11 to 29, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1204, page 156, lines 1 to 29, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1204, page 157, lines 1 to 4, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1205, page 157, line 5, by striking out the numerals "1205" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1204"; also line 22, by inserting after the word "on" the words "a waived hearing or".

Amend Section 1205, page 158, line 11, by inserting after the word "act" the following:
"In no case where the defendant is found not guilty shall any costs of prosecution be imposed upon him in a summary proceding under this act whether heard by a magistrate or court of record".

Amend Section 1206, page 158, line 12, by striking out the numerals "1206" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1205"; also line 16, by striking out the word "subsection" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-section"; also line 21, by striking out the word "subsection" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-section".

Amend Section 1207, page 159, line 6, by striking out the numerals "1207" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1206"; also line 12, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department"

Amend Section 1208, page 160, line 8, by striking out the numerals "1208" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1207"; also line 14, by striking out the words "as to speed or weight" and inserting in lieu thereof the words
"of sections nine hundred and three (903) nine hundred and five (905) one thousand and two (1002) one thousand and eleven (1011) one thousand and fifteen (1015) one thousand and eighteen (1018) one thousand and twenty (1020) one thousand and twenty-six (1026) one thousand and twenty-eight (1028) of this act committed within cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships of the first class".

Amend Section 1209, page 161, line 5, by striking out the numerals "1209" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1208"; also line 8, by inserting after the word "magistrate" the words "alderman or justice of the peace".

Amend Section 1209, page 161, line 21, by inserting after the word "magistrate" the words "alderman or justice of the peace".

Amend Section 1210, page 161, line 22, by striking out the numerals "1210" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1209".

Amend Section 1211, page 162, line 10, by striking out the numerals "1211" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1210".

Amend Section 1212, page 162, line 19, by striking out the numerals "1212" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1211".

Amend Section 1213, page 162, line 26, by striking out the numerals "1213" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1212".

Amend Section 1214, page 164, line 1, by striking out the numerals "1214" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1213".

Amend Section 1215, age 164, line 13, by striking out the numerals "1215" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1214"; also line 15, by inserting after the words "person or" the word "total"; also line 18, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department".

Amend Section 1215, page 165, line 10, by striking out the word "occurring" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "occurring"; also line 12, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department"; also same page, by inserting between lines 12 and 13, the following paragraph:
"(c) Provided however that nothing herein contained shall affect the duty of filing accident reports required by any other act or acts of assembly or regulations made thereunder".

Amend Section 1216, page 165, line 19, by striking out the numerals "1216" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1215"; also line 22, by striking out the words "involved in a serious accident or".

Amend Section 1217, page 166, line 7, by striking out the numerals "1217" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1216"; also line 12, by inserting after the word "city" the word "incorporated"; also same line, by striking out the word "district"; also same line and the beginning of line 13, by striking out the word "subdivision" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sub-division".

Amend Section 1218, page 166, line 20, by striking out the numerals "1218" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1217".

Amend Section 1219, page 167, line 1, by striking out the numerals "1219" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1218"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "operator's" the word "license".

Amend Section 1220, page 168, line 4, by striking out the numerals "1220" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1219".

Amend Section 1221, page 168, line 9, by striking out the numerals "1221" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1220"; also lines 14 and 15, by striking out the word "De-

partment" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department".

Amend Section 1222, page 169, line 3, by striking out the numerals "1222" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "1221".

Amend Section 1301, page 169, line 14, by striking out the words "Claim for Refund" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Refunds"; also same page, by inserting between lines 14 and 15 the following:

"Section 1301 Refunds

"Refunds of money erroneously paid into the Motor License Fund of the State Treasury may be refunded by the Board of Finance and Revenue as provided by law".

Amend Section 1301, page 169, lines 15 to 29, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1301, page 170, lines 1 to 5, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines.

Amend Section 1401, page 171, line 26, by striking out the word "vehicles" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "vehicle".

Amend Section 1403, page 173, line 6, by striking out the word "hearing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hearings".

Amend Section 1405, page 173, line 20, by striking out the word "registration" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "registrations".

Amend Section 1407, page 174, line 14, by striking out the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June"; also line 15, by striking out the word "providing" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provided"; also line 22, by inserting after the word "thirty" the following:

"and further excepted that the commercial motor vehicle and truck tractor classification ZZ in sections seven hundred three and seven hundred four of Article VII and in section nine hundred three of Article IX shall be in full force and effect on and after June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Washington,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 261.

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word "the"; also same line strike out the word "and"; also line 21, by striking out the word "secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Secretary"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "Mansion" the word "and"; also line 24, by striking out the words "motor equipment" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles"; also line 27, by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four"; also line 28, by striking out the words "ninety-four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten"; also line 29, by striking out the numerals "($294,400)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($410,000)".

Amend section 1, page 3, line 7, by striking out the words "motor equipment" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and automobile"; also line 15, by striking out the heavy faced bracket; also line 16, by striking out the heavy faced bracket; also line 17, by striking out the following:

[for the payment of the salaries compensation and expenses of deputies chief clerks experts accountants auditors investigators examiners collectors secretaries bookkeepers clerks stenographers typists messengers watchmen and all other necessary employes for the payment of all expenses necessarily incurred by them in the performance of duties assigned them and by the Auditor General and the purchase maintenance and repair of automobiles]

[For the payment of persons employed by the Auditor] [General to discover prosecute and collect unpaid taxes bonus interest and penalties and all public accounts]

[For the payment of the costs of advertising required by any act of Assembly in connection with the escheat of moneys and property to the Commonwealth or in connection with the payment of unclaimed money in the State Treasury without escheat and for the payment of any other costs connected with such escheats or the payment in the State Treasury without escheat and for the payment of the salaries of experts clerks and stenographers and office equipment and incidental expenses to facilitate the collection of emergency

taxes] [the sum of one million and eighty-five thousand dollars ($1,085,000)]

[For the purchase of patent indices records law books and other books necessary for the proper conduct of the work of collecting taxes from corporations and auditing accounts] [the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000)]

[For the payment of the compensation of informants filing liens and contingent expenses the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars] [($50,000)] [($750,000)]

[For the balance due or to become due retired county officers on account of overpayment of mercantile taxes collected for the Commonwealth the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000)]

[For the payment of the compensation of informants in escheats as provided for in the act of May second one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine and amendments thereto the fees and expenses of escheats and the services of attorneys authorized by the Auditor General in] [connection with such escheat proceedings and for the refund of moneys to those entitled thereto upon the traverse of decrees in escheat as provided by said act for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)]

[For the payment of the mileage of the appraisers of the mercantile and other license taxes of the several counties of the Commonwealth the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000)]

[For the payment of costs in suits against delinquent dealers for mercantile and other licenses incurred during the two fiscal years the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000)] and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of such deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes for the purchase care and maintenance of automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the purchase of furniture furnishings equipment supplies printing binding patent indices records law books and other books for the payment of postage freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices telephone rentals telephone toll charges rentals of patented leased office devices traveling expenses and such other contingent and incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and necessarily incurred by the Auditor General in

Auditing requisitions for disbursements out of the General and other funds of the State Treasury keeping records of such disbursements and furnishing information to the Governor and the General Assembly with reference thereto keeping records of employes of the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the state government auditing tax settlements, submitted to it by the Department of Revenue after the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine settling assessing and collecting taxes prior to the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine advertising for proposals for publication of decisions of the Supreme Court under provisions of the Act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight and performing such other duties as have heretofore been imposed upon the department by law the sum of eight hundred sixteen thousand dollars ($816,000)

Auditing annually periodically or specially the affairs of departments boards commissions or institutions of the State government and promptly furnishing copies of all audits to the Governor auditing the accounts of city and county officers insofar as may be necessary to determine whether such officers have reported and transmitted moneys payable by them to the Commonwealth auditing accounts of magistrates aldermen justices of the peace and other officers for the purpose of ascertaining whether all fines and penalties collected by them have been transmitted auditing accounts and records of all agents of the Commonwealth charged with the duty of assessing appraising and collecting State taxes or license fees auditing accounts of all persons owing money to the Commonwealth and the accounts of all institutions political sub-divisions of the State and other bodies receiving any appropriated money from the State Treasury the sum of five hundred thirty thousand dollars ($530,000)

Amend page 5, line 21, by striking out the word "Refunds".

Amend page 7, line 12, by striking out the following: [For the payment of the salaries compensation and expenses of deputies cashiers assistant cashiers expert clerks stenographers typists auditors investigators accountants messengers watchmen and all other necessary employes for the payment of all expenses necessarily incurred by them and the State Treasurer in the performance of duties assigned them and the purchase maintenance and repair of automobiles for the payment of postage express freight traveling contingent and incidental expenses] [for the purchase of office equipment and supplies patent indices records law books and other books necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department the sum of] and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of such deputies cashiers assistant cashiers directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendent assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes for the purchase care and maintenance of automobiles for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the purchase of office furniture office furnishings equipment supplies printing binding patent indices records law books and other books for the purchase of insurance covering the loss of any or all securities of which the Treasury Department or State Treasurer is custodian for the payment of postage freight express cartage newspaper advertising and notices telephone rentals telephone toll charges rentals of patented leased office devices traveling expenses and such other contingent and incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department and necessarily incurred by the State Treasurer the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($550,000)

Amend page 8, line 1, by striking out the word "Treasurer's" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Treasury; also line 4, by striking out the following: "For the payment of the salaries of the clerks and stenographers for the Board of Finance and Revenue the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: For the payment of the salaries and expenses of secretaries clerks stenographers and other assistants and for postage cartage freight express telegrams telephone toll charges and such other incidental expenses as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Board of Finance and Revenue the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

Amend line 13, by striking out the following: "and for the payments of advertisements for proposals for publication of the decisions of the Supreme Court under the provisions of an act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight"; amend line 18, by striking out the words "by the Auditor General"; also line 26, by striking out the following: "of all kinds whether collateral direct or transfer".

Amend page 9, line 4, by striking out the following: "and covered into the State Treasury upon approval of such refund by the Department of Public Instruction"; also amend line 7, by adding after the numerals "($2,000)" the following: For the purpose of refunding under the provisions of the act of June fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws page nine hundred and thirty-six) fees paid for commissions to notaries public when such commissions have not been issued or if issued have not been received and have been cancelled the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500)

Amend page 9, line 17, by adding after the numerals "($9,440)" the following:

For the purpose of refunding to the Braun Salvage Company Pittsburgh for an erroneous overpayment made by the Braun Salvage Company for unserviceable property purchased per advertisement the sum of one hundred and sixty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents ($167.75)

Amend line 20, by striking out the following: "and covered into the State Treasury upon approval of such refund by the

Board of Finance and Revenue"; also amend line 23, by striking out the following:
"or so much thereof as may be necessary for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine".

Amend page 10, by inserting after line 19, the following paragraph:

"For the following purposes the sum of two million four hundred sixty-one thousand four hundred dollars ($2,461,400),"

Amend line 29, by striking out the word "equipment".

Amend page 11, lines 1 and 2, by striking out the words "scientific apparatus and supplies chemicals books and other materials"; also line 3, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting before the word "use" the word "the"; also line 4, by striking out the word 'purchase" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "care and"; also same line by inserting after the word "of" and before the word "motor" the words "automobiles and other"; also line 5, by striking out the following:
"for all expenses incident to and general maintenance of field offices and laboratories for the cost of maintaining an agricultural library for the payment of the expense of collecting compiling and publishing facts and statistics relating to the agricultural industries and interests of the State for the payment of compensation and expense of experts engineers counselors and investigators

Amend line 15, by striking out the following: "it is the duty of"; also line 16, by adding after the word "agriculture" and before the word "to" the following: is by law required or authorized"; also line 19, by adding after the word "department" the following: "abolished by 'The Administrative Code of 1923.'" Amend line 20, by striking out the following:

For the purpose of control and quarantine work in carrying out the provisions of the act approved the second day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three entitled "An act providing for the quarantine and control of the Japanese beetle imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Agriculture providing penalties and making an appropriation" and for the payment of salaries the purchase of supplies and the payment of traveling and other expenses of every kind and description of work incident to such control and quarantine work

For salaries the purchase of supplies and traveling and other expenses of every kind and description necessary for protecting the agricultural and horticultural crops of the Commonwealth from the ravages of the European corn borer including investigations of the prevalence of this insect and means whereby it may be controlled and its dissemination and the establishment of quarantines and quarantine restrictions in affected areas and areas adjacent thereto

Amend page 12, line 10, by inserting after the word "thereto" the following:

"For the administration and enforcement of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty seven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws"

Amend line 14, by striking out the following:

The act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act to establish the State Livestock Sanitary Board of Pennsylvania and to provide for the control and suppression of dangerous contagious or infectious diseases of domestic animals"

Amend page 13, line 22, by striking out the word "and"; also line 29, by striking out the following:
and for the payment of salaries wages fees expenses and for the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agency of furniture equipment materials supplies motor vehicles and any other articles which may be necessary for the payment of telegrams postage telephone rentals telephone toll charges rents printing binding and any other expenses of any kind or description which may be necessary and for

Amend page 14, line 7, by inserting after the word "for" the following: "For"

Amend page 15, line 5, by inserting after the word "thereon" the word "and".

Amend page 15, line 9, by striking out the following:
including the payment of salaries wages fees expenses and the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agency of furniture equipment materials supplies motor vehicles and any other articles which may be necessary for the payment of telegrams postage telephone rentals telephone toll charges rents printing binding and any other expenses of any kind or description which may be necessary the sum of two million four hundred and sixty-one thousand four hundred dollars ($2,461,400)

Amend line 19, by striking out the following:

For the payment of premium awards of exhibits at the State Farm Products Show for the payment of salaries and wages of employes necessary in the conduct of the work of the State Farm Products Show Commission for the payment of necessary traveling expenses actually incurred of the members and employees of the said Commission and for the maintenance of the building and grounds of the State Farm Products Show the sum of fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars ($54,500)

Amend page 16, line 4, by striking out the following: "subject to the filing of" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "provided that such association file"; amend same line by striking out the words 'by such associations".

Amend page 17, line 6, by striking out the word "and"; also line 7, by inserting after the numerals "($2,160,000)" the following:

State Farm Products Show Commission.

For the payment of premium awards of exhibits at the State Farm Products Show for the payment of salaries and wages of employes in the conduct of the work of the State Farm Products Show Commission for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles for the payment of necessary traveling expenses actually incurred by the members of the said Commission and for the maintenance of the State Farm Products Show Building and the grounds surrounding it the sum of fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars ($54,500)

Amend line 11, by striking out the word "and"; also line 12, by striking out the first word "and"; also line 18, by striking out the word "waters" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Waters".

Amend page 18, line 9, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and repair"; also line 10, by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 13, by striking out the first word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line insert after the word "for" the word "the".

Amend page 19, line 5, by striking out the word "boards" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "board"; also same line, strike out the word "commissions" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission"; also line 6, by striking out the word "seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight"; also line 7, by striking out the numerals "($1,700,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($1,800,000)".

Amend page 20, line 10, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line, strike out the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 13, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line after the word "for" add the word "the"; also line 28, by striking out the words "county township and road" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "annual fixed charges in lieu of".

"Amend page 22, line 2, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a"; also same line strike out the following: "authorized to be constructed by the said act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "from the junction of the Ohio and Beaver Rivers in Pennsylvania to Lake Erie at or near the mouth of Indian Creek in the State of Ohio as provided by law". Amend line 9, by striking out the syllable: "tance" and inserting in lieu thereof the syllable: "tants". Amend line 11, by inserting before the word "State" the word "Pennsylvania"; also line 12, by inserting before the word "State" the word "Pennsylvania"; also line

14, by inserting before the word "planting" the words "for the payment of the cost of"; also line 18, by inserting after the word equipment" the following: "for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles."

Amend page 23, line 1, by striking out the word "trucks"; also same line by striking out the word "and"; also line 2, by inserting before the word "equipment" the word "and"; also same line by striking out after the word "equipment" and before the word "for" the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles"; also line 4, by striking out the word "trucks"; also line 16, by striking out between the word "monuments" and the word "markers" the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "equipment" the following: "for the care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment and the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles"; also same line by inserting after the word "and" and before the word "other" the word "for"; also line 24, by striking out the words "FORT WASHINGTON PARK" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Fort Washington Park Commission."

Amend page 24, line 2, by inserting after the numerals "(47,000)" the following:

Delaware River Tri-State Treaty Commission

For the payment of salaries wages or other compensation and expenses of employes of the Delaware River Tri-State Treaty Commission and for the expenses of the members of said Commission in conducting studies and negotiations leading to the adoption of the Delaware River Treaty or a suitable substitute therefor the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000)

Amend line 14, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also amend line 25, by inserting after the word "diseases" a strikeout bracket and the following: "for the purpose of maintaining the departments sanatoria and dispensaries for the treatment of persons infected with tuberculosis and the State Hospital for Crippled Children"; also amend line 28, by striking out the following: "including the purchase of food supplies and other necessities additions and the salaries and wages of".

Amend page 25, line 4, by inserting before the word "maintenance the words "for care and"; also same line, by striking out the words "and repair"; also line 5, after the words "automobiles" insert the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 6, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the words "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line after the word "for" insert the word "the"; also line 16, by striking out the words "the Acts of Assembly" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "law"; also line 18, by striking out the word "forty and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty-five"; also line 19, by striking out the numerals "($3,640,000)"; and inserting in lieu thereof "($3,665,000)"; also same line by inserting after the last numeral the following: "Sanitary Water Board"

Amend line 23, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "Sanitary" the words "work of the"; also same line, by striking out after the word "Board" the words "of the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also line 25, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also line 26, by inserting before the words "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line, by striking out the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 27, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 28, by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also same line by striking out after the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for."

Amend page 26, line 10, by inserting after the word "thereof" the word "and"; also line 18, by striking out the strikeout bracket; also line 19, by striking out the strikeout bracket; also line 20, by striking out the strikeout bracket; also line 21, by striking out the words "DEPARTMENT OF" and inserting after the word "INSURANCE" the word "DEPARTMENT"; also line 23, by striking out the words" extra clerks"; also same line by striking out the word "and"; also line 27, by striking out the words "extra stenographers"; also line 28, by striking out the word "janitors".

Amend page 27, line 4, by striking out the following: "notary public fees hotel expenses meals baggage transportation" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "incurred with the approval of the Attorney General"; also line 6, by striking out the word "including"; also same line by adding before the word maintenance" the words "for the care and"; also same line, by striking out after the word "maintenance" the word "and"; also line 7, by striking out the word "repair"; also line 8, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 10, by striking out the word "express-age" and inserting in lieu thereof "express charges."

Amend page 27, line 13, by inserting after the word "for" the words "other incidental and"; also line 19, by striking out the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also line 20, by striking out the numerals "($16,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof "($20,000)"; amend line 27, by striking out the following: "the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth for data and statistics furnished relative to local assessments and taxes".

Amend page 28, line 4, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and re"; also line 5, by striking out the syllable "pair"; also line 6, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "automobiles" the following: "for paying the county commissioners of the several counties of the Commonwealth for data and statistics furnished relative to local assessments and taxes"; also line 12, by inserting before the word "for" the word "and"; also line 28, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and." Amend line 29, by striking out the words "and repair".

Amend page 29, line 1, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 2, by striking out the word "to" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for"; also line 3, by striking out the words "for the"; also line 8, by inserting after the last numeral the following:

"State Aeronautics Commission"

amend line 10, by inserting after the word "of" the words "the vice-chairman and" amend line 15, by inserting before the word "for" the words "care and"; also same line ,by inserting after the word "the" the words "care and"; also line 16, by striking out the words "and repairs"; also same line, by inserting after the word 'aeroplanes" the words "automobiles and other motor equipment"; also line 17, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the".

Amend page 30, line 1, by striking out the word "clerks" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "chiefs"; also line 15, by striking out the words "Auditor General" and inserting in liue hereof the words "Department of Revenue"; also line 21, by striking out the word "and"; also line 22, by striking out the words "motor equipment" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "automobiles"; also line 23, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 24, by inserting after the first word "for" the word "the".

Amend page 31, line 3, by striking out the words "incurred during two fiscal years"; also line 5, by inserting after the last numeral the following:

"Board of Pardons"

Amend line 5, by inserting after the last numeral the following:

For salaries and expenses incidental to the work of the Board in supervising prisoners released on parole from State penitentiaries and the Pennsylvania Reformatory the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000)

Board of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws

Amend page 32, line 5, by striking out the following: "carrying out the provisions of the various acts of Assembly relating to" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the proper conduct of the work of"; also line 10, by inserting before

the word "for" the following: "and said boards and referees"; also same line by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and repair"; also line 12, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 15, by striking out the word "payment" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "purchase"; also same line by inserting after the word "and" the words "the payment "; also line 16, by striking out the word "for" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 19, by inserting before the word "dollars" the word "thousand".

Amend page 33, line 3, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line, by inserting after word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the" also line 4, by striking out the words 'by the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation"; also line 23, by inserting after word "ficates" the words "and requisitions".

Amend page 34, line 2, by striking out the words "assistants and employes" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
deputies directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employes

Amend line 4, by striking out after the word "telegrams" the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "express" the word "charges"; also same line by inserting after the word "cartage" the words "care and"; also line 5, by striking out after the word "tenance" the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 6, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'of"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the"; also line 10, by striking ou tafter the word "Arsenal" the word "and"; also line 11, by inserting after the word "Reservation" the words 'and the advisory commissions connected with the department"; also line 12, by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-one" also lines 12 and 13, by striking out the numerals "($406,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($421,000)".

Amend line 17, by inserting after the word "charges" the following: "subscriptions to 'The Pennsylvania National Guardsmen' for distribution to officers and men of the Pennsylvania National Guard"; also same line by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after word "of" the words "automobiles and other"; also lines 17 and 18 by striking out the word "vehicles" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "equipment"; also line 19, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the"; also at the end of line 28 by striking out the word "that" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "as".

Amend page 36, line 14, by striking out after the word "payment" the words "of moneys borrowed by"; also same line by inserting before the word "National" the word "to"; also line 15, by inserting after the word "Guard" the following:
"organizations fo rmoneys advanced by them together with interest thereon for expenses incurred incidental to the dedication of the memorials in France and Belgium under the auspices of the Commission to make an Investigation of the Battlefields of France and Belgium said expenses having consisted of the cost."

Amend lines 15 and 16, by striking out the words "organization together with interest thereon to pay expenses".

Amend page 37, line 2, by striking out after the word "general" the word "expenses"; also line 3, by striking out after the word "for" the words "the care and"; also line 4, by striking out the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 5, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "for" and before the word 'use" the word 'the"; also line 10 ,by inserting after the word 'twenty-five" the word "thousand". Amend line 23, by inserting after word "of" the words "a secretary and"; also same line by inserting after the word "such" the word "deputies"; also same line by striking out before the word "inspectors" the word "secretary".

Amend page 38, line 2, by striking out the words "printing supplies"; also same line by striking out the word "equipment"; also line 4, by inserting after the word "commission" the words "for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles"; also lines 4 and 5, by striking out the word "necessary"; also line 7, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven"; also same line by striking out the words "two hundred"; also line 8, by striking out the numerals "($103,200)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($111,000)"; also amend by inserting after line 8, the following:

State Veterans Commission

For the payment of expenses and for disbursements of the State Veterans Commission and to furnish funds to provide the necessities of life for and to assist otherwise such Pennsylvania veterans of any war or the widows and infant children or dependents of such veterans as are sick disabled or indigent and who are without means the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary

Amend line 22, by inserting after the words "thereof" the words "for the payment"; also line 24, by striking out before the word "maintenance" the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the care and"; also lines 24 and 25, by striking out the words "and repairs to"; also line 26, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the"; also line 27, by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment".

Amend page 39, line 1, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "inspectors" the words "Anthracite Mine Inspectors and Bituminous Mine Inspectors"; also same line and line 2 by striking out the words "inspectors of coal mines"; also line 3, by striking out at the end of the line the word "their"; also line 4, by striking out after the word "other" the word "actual"; also line 10, by inserting after the word "by" the word "law"; also same line by striking out the words "the acts of Assembly"; also line 15, by striking out the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also line 16, by striking out the numerals "($16,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)" also line 18, by striking out the words "chief engineers"; also same line, by inserting after the word "architects" the words "superintendent of construction".

Amend page 40, line 17, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven"; also line 18, by striking out the word "eighty-four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($1,584,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($1,750,000)".

Amend page 41, line 7, by striking out at the beginning of said line the word 'and"; also in line 11, by striking out at the beginning of said line the word "animals" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "animal"; also line 20 by striking out after the word "supplies" the following: "as may be required for the General Assembly the Executive Mansion and the several departments boards and commissions of the State Government including the State Forest School at Mont Alto the State Tuberculosis Sanatoria and the State Hospital for Crippled Children at Elizabethtown but excluding all other State institutions."

Amend page 42, line 3, by striking out after the word "devices" the following: "for the General Assembly the Governor the Executive Mansion the Judicial Department and the several departments boards and commissions of the State Government except departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions for the payment of telephone toll charges and telegrams required by the Legislative and Judicial Departments" and insert in lieu thereof the word 'and"; also in line 14, by inserting after the word "supplies" the words "as may be"; also in line 15, by inserting after the word "Department" the words "the Executive Mansion"; also

after the word "Several" the word "administrative"; also in line 17, by inserting after the word "except" the following: "the Department of the Auditor General the Treasury Department The Department of Banking and The Department of Highways The Board of Fish Commissioners The Board of Game Commissioners The State Farm Products Show Commission The State Workmen's Insurance Board and" after the word "boards" the words "or commissions"; also in line 18, by inserting after the word "institutions" the following: "or supervision over or the duty of planning for State parks harbors or canals of the payment of telephone charges and telegrams required by the General Assembly and the Judicial Department"

Amend page 43, line 8, by inserting after the word "hundred" the words "and sixty-five"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($3,700,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($3,765,000);; also line 12, by inserting after the word required" the words "for permanent use"; also line 13, by striking out the word "Treasurer" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Treasury"; also line 14, by striking out the words "departmental administrative boards having control of a State institution;; also same line by inserting before the word "and" the following: "the Department of Banking Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners and the State Farm Products Show Commission and the State Workmen's Insurance Board"; also line 19, by striking out the following: "nine hundred and thirty-seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten"; also same line by inserting after the word "of" and before the last strike out the words "one million"; also line 20, by striking out the numerals "($937,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($1,010,000)"; also line 23, by inserting before the word "departments" the words "the several administrative"; also line 24, by striking out the following: "except departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions"; also line 26, by inserting after the word "them" the word "for the"; also line 29, by inserting after the word "covering" the words "all motor".

Amend page 44, line 2, by inserting after the word "Fund" the following: "except motor vehicles permanently assigned to departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions"; also line 13, by inserting after the numerals "($100,000)" the following: "Provided that no part of this appropriation shall be available for expenditure to cover employes of the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners and the State Workmen's Insurance Board."

Amend line 14, by inserting after the word "of" and before the word "the" the following: "the cost of water gas steam and electric current not supplied from the Capitol Power Plant and necessary devices required for reception and use of the same and"; also line 16, by striking out the word "or/"; also same line by striking out the word "alterations" and insert in lieu thereof the word alterations"; also line 17, by striking out the words "to/for" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "to for or on buildings and monuments of historical interest heretofore or hereafter required by the State"; also line 19, by inserting after the word "Arsenal" the following: "the building formerly known as the Emerson-Brantingham Building and hereafter to be known as the"; also line 20, by striking out the following: "for the payment of the cost of water gas steam and electric current not supplied from the Capitol Power Plant and necessary devices required for reception and use of same as may be necessary for all State public grounds and buildings in the city of Harrisburg."

Amend line 25, by inserting after the word "and" the following: "for the payment of the cost of water gas steam and electric current required for"; also same line by inserting after the word "building" the words "offices rooms"; also line 26, by striking out the word "in" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "within or without"; also same line by striking out the following: "and for buildings and grounds leased by the State outside of the city of Harrisburg" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for the accommodation or performance of the work of the several administrative departments boards and commissions of the State Government"; also line 29, by inserting after the word "buildings" the words "offices rooms".

Amend page 45, line 1, by striking out the following: "for the payment of the rent of offices and rooms outside of the Capitol building"; also line 3, by inserting after the word "buildings" the words "garages offices rooms"; also line 8, by inserting after the second word "of" the following: One million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars ($1,750,000) Provided that no part of this appropriation shall be available for expenditures in connection with buildings offices and grounds leased on behalf of the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners the State Farm Products Show Commission the State Workmen's Insurance Board and the departmental administrative boards having control of State institutions unless hereinbefore otherwise specifically provided

Amend page 47, line 3, by striking out the following:

"Provided however that no part of the appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies shall be available for expenditure for the Department of Banking except for departmental overhead expenses other than salaries properly chargeable to building and loan supervision the Department of Highways the Board of Fish Commissioners the Board of Game Commissioners the State Farm Products Show Commission the boards of trustees of State institutions unless otherwise specifically provided departmental administrative boards and commissions within the Department of Forests and Waters

Amend line 14, by striking out the following: "having supervision over or the duty of planning for State parks harbors or canals the State Workmen's Insurance Board the Department of Welfare in the conduct of industries at State institutions including the payment of royalties and rentals for the operation of machinery in industries or for machinery and supplies for the use of printing plants in institutions the Department of Welfare for the use of the Mothers' Assistance Fund"

Amend page 48, line 1, by striking out the following: "or any temporary boards or commissions created by acts of the General Assembly and provided further That any department board or commission which has"; also line 5, by striking out the following: "the right to pay for the purchase of supplies equipment materials or other matter out of its own appropriation shall not be"; also line 7, by striking out the following: "entitled to draw requisitions on any appropriation hereinbefore made to the Department of Property and Supplies for similar purposes"; also line 12, by striking out the following: "And provided further That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to alter or modify the provisions of law requiring certain departments boards and commissions to purchase supplies through the Department of Property and Supplies as purchasing agency".

Amend page 49, line 1, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "the care and"; also same line, by striking out after the word "maintenance" the words "and repair"; amend line 3, by striking out at the beginning of the line the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the"; amend line 22, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "the care and"; also same line by striking out after the word 'maintenance" the words "and repair"; also same line by inserting after the word "automobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also at the beginning of line 24, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use"; the word "the"; also line 27, by striking out the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty"; also line 28, by striking out the numerals "($230,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($250,000)".

Amend page 50, line 24, by striking out the bracket; also line 25, by striking out the bracket.

Amend page 51, line 1, by inserting after the word "expenses" the word "of"; also same line by striking out the following: "including maintenance and repair of automobiles"; also line 3, by striking out before the word "mileage" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting before the word "use" the word "the"; also line 4, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "by"; also line 9, by striking out the word "blind." Amend line 16, by inserting after the word "of" the words "annual fixed charges in lieu of"; also same line by striking out the word "the"; also same line by striking out after the word "taxes" the words "which are reduced by the acquisi-

tion of lands for the conservation of water"; and inserting in lieu thereof the words "on State lands"; also line 20, by striking out the word "Common" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Public"; also line 23, by striking out the following: "for the two fiscal years beginning the first Monday of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

Amend page 52, line 1, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the following: "including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel"; also line 2, by striking out the word "additions"; also line 3, by striking out the word at the beginning of the line "extensions"; also same line by striking out the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "repairs" the following: "and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses"; also line 12, by inserting before the word "Examining" the word "Professional"; also same line by inserting after the word "Boards" the words "and Advisory Committees"; also line 16, by inserting after the word "Instruction" the following: "and of advisory committee appointed to assist the department in the administration of acts requiring the examination and registration or licensure of persons practicing at certain professions or working at certain trades or occupations"; also same line by striking out the word "expenses" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"; also line 17, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and repair", also line 19, by striking out after the word "Supplies" the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" and before the word "use" the word "the"; also line 22, by inserting after the word "boards" the words "and advisory committees"; also line 24, by inserting after the word "boards" the words "or providing for the examination and registration or licensure of persons practicing at professions or working at trades or occupations"; also line 27, by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three"; also same line by striking out the word "eighty-four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "forty"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($284,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($340,000)"; also line 28, by inserting before the word "Blind" the words "Education of."

Amend page 53, line 8, by striking out the word "Department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department".

Amend line 11, by inserting before the word "Board" the words "Pennsylvania State"; also line 19, by inserting after the word "Centers" the following: "for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles"; also line 23, by striking out the numerals "($175,000)", and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($175,500)". Amend line 27, by inserting after the word "Commission" the following: "for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles."

Amend page 55, line 1, by striking out the word "Owned"; also line 4, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the following: "including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies foodstuffs and fuel"; also line 5, by striking out the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "repairs" the following: "and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses"; also line 16, by inserting after the syllable "tenance" the following: "including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies foodstuffs and fuel"; also line 17, by striking out the word "and" after the word "equipment"; also same line by inserting after the word "repairs" the following: and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses

Amend line 27, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the following: "including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel"; also line 23, by striking out the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "repairs" the following: "and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses".

Amend page 56, line 9, by inserting after the word "maintenance" the following: "including the purchase of furniture furnishings supplies food-stuffs and fuel"; also line 10, by striking out the word "and"; also same line by inserting after the word "repairs" the following: "and improvement of grounds care and maintenance of automobiles and other motor equipment the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies of mileage charges for the use of automobiles and such other incidental and contingent expenses".

Amend page 57, line 6, by inserting before the word "fees" the word "for"; also same line by striking out the words "the purchase of"; also line 8, by striking out after the word "service" the word "and".

Amend page 58, line 4, by striking out the following: "in accordance with all duties described by the Public Service Company Law and the amendments thereto and for the traveling and other expenses including"; also line 7, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "and for the care and"; also same line by striking out the words "and repair"; also line 8, by inserting after the syllable "mobiles" the words "and other motor equipment"; also line 9, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line after the word "for" insert the word "the"; also line 10, by striking out the following: "telegrams of commissioners counsel experts engineers inspectors examiners accountants investigators and other employes" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "telegrams traveling and other incidental expenses necessary for the work of the commission"; also line 27, by striking out the following: "clerks accountants auditors investigators examiners collectors secretaries stenographers typists messengers watchmen and all other necessary employes that" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "directors superintendents bureau or division chiefs assistant directors assistant superintendents assistant chiefs experts scientists engineers surveyors draftsmen accountants secretaries auditors inspectors examiners statisticians marshals clerks stenographers bookkeepers messengers and other assistants and employe as".

Amend page 59, line 4, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also line 5, by striking out the words "and repair"; also line 6, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line insert after the word "for" the word "the", also line 7, by striking out the following: "for the payment of persons employed by the Secretary of Revenue to discover prosecute and collect unpaid taxes bonus interests and penalties and all public accounts For"; also line 10, by inserting before the word "the" the word "for"; also same line strike out the word "such"; also line 11, by striking out the word "and" between the words "telegrams" and "telephone"; also same line strike out after the word "express" the word "and"; also line 13, by striking out the following: "contingent and other expenses For"; also same line before the word "the" insert the word "for"; also line 17, by striking out the word "in" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "into";

also line 19, by inserting after the word "payment" the words "of money" also line 29, by striking out the following: "and for the payment of the salaries of experts clerks and stenographers and incidental expenses to facilitate the collection of taxes" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and for contingent and incidental expenses necessary for the work of the department"; also line 22, by striking out the word "seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one million one"; also line 23, by striking out the word "fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventy"; also same line strike out the numerals "($750,000)"; and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($1,170,000)"; also same line after the last numeral insert the following: "Provided however that to the extent to which appropriations shall have been made to the Department out of special funds for any of the foregoing purposes this appropriation shall not be used for such purposes"; also line 25, by striking out the following: "as provided for in the act of May second one thousand eight hundred and eight-nine and amendments thereto"; also line 27, by striking out the word "escheats" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "escheators"; also line 28, by striking out the following: "au-

thorized by the Secretary of Revenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the following "employed with the approval of the Attorney General"; also line 29, by striking out the following: "and for the refund of moneys to those entitled thereto upon the traverse of decrees in escheat as provided by said act".

Amend page 60, line 5, by striking out the word "the"; also same line strike out the words "of the several counties of the Commonwealth"; also line 7, by adding after the last numeral the following:

The appropriations made by the two preceding paragraphs may be employed to pay expenses incurred by or under authority of the Auditor General prior to July first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purposes mentioned in said paragraphs

Amend line 21, by inserting after the word "including" the word "the care and"; also same line strike out the words "and repair"; also line 23, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also same line strike out the following: "of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and other officers and employes of the Department" and insert in lieu thereof the words "necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the Department"; also line 25, by inserting before the word "for" the word "and"; also line 28, by striking out the following:

"For the purpose of refunding under the provisions of the act of June fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws page nine hundred thirty-six) fees paid for commissions to notaries public when such commissions have not been issued or if issued have not been received and have been cancelled the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"For the payment of the costs of publishing in various newspapers throughout the State the several amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000)".

Amend page 61, line 9, by striking out the word "Phamplet" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Pamphlet"; also line 10, by striking out the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "as"; also same line strike out the following: "June seven Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-nine)".

Amend page 62, line 27, by striking out the word "Force" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "force"; also line 28, by striking out the word "Lecturers and inserting in lieu thereof the word "lecturers".

Amend page 63, line 3, by striking out the word "and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the care and maintenance"; also line 4, by inserting after the word "of" the words "automobiles and other"; also same line by striking out the word "vehicles" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "equipment; also line 5, by striking out the word "the' and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line insert after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 6, by inserting before the word "vehicles" the word "motor"; also line 9, by striking out the word 'the'; also line 14, by striking out the following: "and the State Police Force"; also line 17, by adding after the last numeral the following:

"For the payment of damages sustained by persons whose property has been or may hereafter be accidentally damaged or destroyed by members of the State Police Force in the discharge of their duties the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) the amounts to be paid hereunder in all cases subject to approval by the Governor"

Amend page 64, line 1, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words 'care and"; also same line strike out the words "and repairs"; also line 3, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of"; also same line after the word "for" insert the word "the'; also line 18, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "care and"; also same line strike out the words 'and repair"; also line 19, strike out the word "the" at the end of the line and insert in lieu thereof the word "of'; also line 20, by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 29, by striking out the word "Development" and insert in lieu thereof the word "development".

Amend page 65, line 5, by inserting before the word "maintenance" the words "the care and"; also same line strike out the words "and repair"; also line 6, strike out the last word in the line: "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "for" the word "the"; also line 13, by striking out the word "schools" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Institutions"; also line 14, by striking out the words "Mental Defectives and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Feeble-Minded or"; also line 17, by inserting after the word "institutions' the following: "the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) but"; also line 19, by striking out the following: "the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"; also line 20, by inserting before the last numeral the following:

INTERSTATE BRIDGE COMMISSION

To the Commission constituted under the provisions of the Act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred eighty entitled "An Act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York of certain toll bridges over the Delaware River and making an appropriation therefor" and the amendments thereto for the purpose of paying the Commonwealth's share of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York in accordance with the provisions of said Act and its amendments the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary said appropriation not to be available for the purpose for which made until after such toll bridges shall have been acquired."

Amend page 79, line 26, by inserting after the last word the following:

For the payment of extra expenses of the Committee on appropriations of the House of Representatives for the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven the sum of five hundred twelve dollars and forty cents ($512.40)

Amend page 80, line 7, by striking out after the word "thousand" the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight"; also same line after the word "hundred" strike out the word 'three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen"; also same line after the word "dollars" insert the words "and forty cents"; also line 8, by striking out the numerals ($1,013.303) and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($1,013,815.40)"; also line 10, by adding after the word "law" the following:

Legislative Miscellaneous

For the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania in attending the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association in nineteen hundred twenty-nine the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

For the payment of the traveling and other expenses of the delegates of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania in attending the annual meeting of the American Legislators' Association in nineteen hundred thirty the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000)

Amend page 81, line 24, by striking out the words "sixty-three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventy-one"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($63.-"; also line 25 by striking out the numerals "500"; and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($71,500)"; also line 26, by striking out the word "JUDICIARY" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "JUDICIAL".

Amend page 82, line 27, by striking out the words "forty-six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventy-four"; also line 28, by striking out the numeral "($246,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($274,000)".

Amend page 85, line 19, by striking out the word "twenty-"; also line 20, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty-three"; also same line strike out the numerals "($225,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($253,000).

Amend page 86, line 14, by striking out the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven"; also line 15, by striking out the numerals "($2,290,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($2,790,000)".

Amend page 87, line 9, by striking out the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"; also same line by striking out the words "fifty-six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "forty"; also same line strike out the numerals "($450,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($540,000)"; also line 15, by striking out the word "one" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two"; also same line strike out the

words "sixty-one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one"; also line 16, strike out the numerals "($161,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($201,000)"; also line 20, by striking out the words "ninety-seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred twenty-one"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($97,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($121,000)".

Amend page 88, line 14, by inserting after the last numeral the following: "Section 2 This act is not intended to be inconsistent with or to repeal any provision of any act heretofore enacted at this session of the General Assembly regulating the purchase of supplies the ordering of printing and binding the purchase maintenance and use of automobiles the method of making payments from the State Treasury for any purpose or the functioning of any administrative department board or commission."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Glcking,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Aston	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d ,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Simon,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Zieseniheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Gelnett,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1958 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 16th, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1958, Printer's No. 1206, White File Folio 6351, entitled "An act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 781.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providng for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out after the word "of" the word "June" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July"; Also in next to the last line of the title, by striking out after the word "Revenue" the words "the list of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "information concerning".

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 5, by striking at the beginning of said line the word "June", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scot, J. G.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d ,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Barton,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,

Batchelor,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Henderson,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Himes,	Pierce	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Post,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Powell,	Welty,
Clovis,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Conner,	Jones,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reed,	White,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	King,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Hess,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows

SENATE BILL No. 415.

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 9, page 8, line 24, by striking out after the word "city" the word "not" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nor".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gednett,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Behm,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Haines,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harding,	Munley,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Myers,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler	McCann,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 16th, 129.

Resolved (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 1958, Printer's No. 1206, White File Folio 6851, entitled "An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1973.

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase, or gift, or lease, or condemnation, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata, in whole or in part; to provide for the control, management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, in the next to the last line of the title, by striking out after the word "regulations" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "regulation".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 9, by striking out at the beginning of the line the word "Cocalico" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Ephrata".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storer,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 701.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 8, by striking out after the word "Be" the word "distributed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "apportioned".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brahahm,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Powell,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Reed,	Wells,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reilly,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Davis,	King,	Rice,	White,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Linton,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase idebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, in the next to the last line, by inserting after the word "class" the words, "and cities of the third class".

Amend Section 3, page 3, line 3, by inserting after the word "year" the words: "or notes bonds or certificates issued by cities of the third class for public improvements and secured or to be secured by assessments or liens against property assessed or benefited".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Welty,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
		Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I have in my hand here two telegrams which may be of interest to the members of this House. They may be also a rather gruesome reminder that there is some need of a firearms registration act and that this should be called to the attention of the next session. With your permission I will read the telegram: "Philadelphia, April 16th. Clinton A. Sowers, House of Representatives, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Last night seven auto bandits robbed the payroll of Krola Wladyslaw Jagiello Building and Loan Association and his three body guards of fifty seven hundred dollars. The bandits fired their guns but the shots missed. See Newspapers. Was the new gun law passed? (Signed) Balukie."

The other telegram read as follows: "Philadelphia, April 16th, 1929, Honorable Clinton A. Sowers, House of Representatives, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Your office check for twelve hundred dollars was included in the Krola Wladyslaw Jagiello robbery but payment has been stopped. (Signed) Balukie".

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman under his question of personal privilege will be spread upon the Journal.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1483.

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns providing penalties and providing for certain exemptions and the granting of permits by sheriffs to own and possess machine guns as relics

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title page 1, line 2, by striking out after the word "guns" the word "and"; also by adding to the title the follow-

ing: "and providing for certain exemptions and the granting of permits by sheriffs to own and possess machine guns as relics".

Amend Section 4, page 2, line 23, by adding to said section the following: "and nothing contained in this act shall prohibit any organization branch camp or post of veterans or any veterans of any war in which the United States was engaged from owning and possessing a machine gun as a relic if a permit for such ownership or possession has been obtained from the sheriff of the county which permit is at all times attached to such machine gun The sheriffs of the several counties are hereby authorized upon application and the payment of a fee of one dollar to issue permits for the ownership and possession of machine guns by veteran and organizations branches camps or posts of veterans upon production to the sheriff of such evidence as he may require that the organization branch camp of post is a bona fide organization of veterans or that any such veteran applicant is a veteran of good moral character and reputation and that the ownership and possession of such machine gun is actually desired as a relic."

Amend bill by adding thereto Section 5, as follows: "Section 5 This act shall take effect on the first day of September one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	Adams, E. C.,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice	White,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS NOS. 470 AND 514.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 470, file folio 2967, entitled, "An act providing for and regulating the merger and consolidation of National banking associations with State banks trust companies or banks and trust companies."

House Bill No. 514, file folio 2789, entitled, "An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled 'An act making it a misdemeanor for any president vice-president cashier treasurer secretary teller bookkeeper clerk employe or agent of any mutual savings bank savings bank bank of discount and deposit trust company title insurance company surety company or safe deposit company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or of any private bank or unincorporated association receiving deposits of money or of any building and loan association incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or authorized to do business therein his or their aiders and abettors to embezzle abstract or wilfully misapply any of the moneys funds or credits of such institution or to issue certificates of deposit draw any order or bill of exchanges make any acceptance assign any note bond draft bill of exchange mortgage judgment or other instrument in writing without authority from the directors or such institution with intent to deceive defraud or to make a false entry in the books reports or statements thereof with like intent prescribing penalties and authorizing the Banking Commissioner to institute prosecutions' extending the penalties provided by said act to cases where officers directors employes and agents of aforesaid institutions commit certain acts as individuals or as officers directors employes or members of corporations or copartnerships with intent to injure or defraud such institutions or to deceive any bank examiner."

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS NOS. 715 AND 1552.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 715, file folio 359, entitled, "An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled 'An act providing when how and upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the prop-

erty therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of Assembly'."

House Bill No. 1552, file folio 3455, entitled, "An Act regulating loans by building and loan associations."

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1615, file folio 6295, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. WALKER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1615, passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. WAY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. WALKER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. WAY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WALKER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer an amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendment will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend page 2, line 5, by striking out after the word "County" the word [Commissioner] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commissioners"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendment at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendment will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended

It was agreed to,

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 284 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. WHEELER asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur) that House Bill No. 1076, 973 Printer's No., White Folio 5533, entitled "An act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships where such forests are located" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 16, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1958, file folio 6851, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1958 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title of House Bill No. 1958, File Folio No. 6851, (Senate Bill No. 1657), by striking out on line 2 in said title after the word "to" the words "notice of and to."

Also amend Section 2, page 2, line 18, by striking out after the word "to" the words "notice of or to."

Also amend Section 2, line 24, by striking out after the word "to" the words "notice of" and on line 25 the first words "and to."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instruction of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, that the bill as amended lie over for printing.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1856

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——— day of ——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all Liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 5, by striking out after the word "ordinarily" the word "pratically" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "practically"; also line 15, by inserting after the word "tax" the words "requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers"; also by adding to the title the following: "not used in motor vehicles."

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 11, by striking out after the word "and" the word "vegetables" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "vegetable"; also in line 17, by inserting after the word "tax" the following: "requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers"; also on page 2, line 26, by striking out after the word 'and" the word "phases" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "phrases"; also on page 3, line 2, by inserting after the word "oil" the following: "not used in motor vehicles."

Amend bill by adding thereto the following:

"(d) The word "Department shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

(e) The word association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do non-concur in the amendments made by the Senate.

Mrs. KIRKBRIDE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1612.

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the Governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 7, by striking out after the word "the" the word "State" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth."

Amend Section 2, page 2, line 14, by striking out at the beginning of said line the word 'State" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"; also line 18 by striking out after the word "the" the word "State" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth."

Amend Section 3, page 2, line 21, by striking out after the word "the" the words "treasury of the State of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Treasury through the Department of Revenue"; also in line 23, by striking out after the word 'State" the words "of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Treasurer."

Amend Section 4, page 3, line 4, by inserting after the word "be" the words "not more than."

Amend Section 5, page 3, line 8, by striking out after the word "the" the words "treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Treasurer"; also in line 19, by striking out at the beginning of said line the following: "Treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Board of Finance and Revenue."

Amend Section 6, pages 3 and 4, lines 29 and 1 respectively by striking out after the word "the" in line 29 the following words "state treasurer of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Board of Finance and Revenue"; also on page 4, line 2, by striking out after the word "to" the words: "a commission to be known as the direct tax commission which is hereby created and shall be composed of the governor the treasurer and the auditor general of the State of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'said board"; also in line 6, by striking out after the word "said" the word "Commission", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "board"; also in line 7, by striking out after the word "general" the word "of the State of Pennsylvania"; also in line 8, by striking out after the word "the" the words "treasurer of the"; also in same line after the word "State" by striking out the words "of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Treasurer"; also in line 9, by striking out at the end of said line the word 'treasurer" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Treasurer"; also in line 12, by striking out after the word "purpose" the words "Either such" and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "Such"; also in same line by striking out after the word "claimants" the words "or the State of Pennsylvania through its attorney general"; also in line 14, by striking out after the word "the" the words "direct tax commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Finance and Revenue".

Amend Section 7, page 4, line 18, by striking out after the word 'the" the words "treasury of the State of Pennsylvania" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "State Treasury"; also in line 21, by striking out after the word "the" the word "State" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth"; also in line 27 by striking out after the word 'the"

the word "State and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commonwealth."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldridge,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1942.

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additionals exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 7, by inserting after the word "by" the words, "making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and"; Also by striking out in the last line the words "by capital stock tax payers".

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 16, by striking out after the word "amend" the word "section" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sections"; also on page 4, line 17, by striking out after the word "of" the word "any"; and after the word "the" the words "following named"; also in line 19, by striking out after the word "company" the words "namely the president vice president secretary or treasurer"; also in line 21 by striking out after the word "and" the words "that the statements in the report are true and correct and" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Such affidavit shall be in the form required by the Department of Revenue but shall state in addition to any other averments required by the Department"; also in line 23, by striking out after the word "belief" the word "they" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the affiants"; also on page 7, line 23, by striking out after the word "the" the words "the laws defining the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "law".

Amend Section 2, page 9, line 11, by inserting after the word "laundering" the words "for the processing and curing of meats their products and by-products"; also by inserting after the word "or" the word "for"; also in line 13, by inserting after the word "laundering" the word "the processing and curing of meats their products and by-products"; also in line 16, by inserting after the word "every" the words "corporation limited partnership or joint stock association organized for the purpose of"; also in same line by inserting after the word "laundering" the words "or processing and curing meats their products and by-products"; also in line 17, by striking out after the word "manufacturing" the words "corporation limited partnership or joint-stock association"; also in line 21, by striking out after the word "to" the word "its" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the"; also in line 22, by inserting after the word "business" the words "or the business of processing and curing meats their products and by-products"; also in line 27, by inserting after the word "business" the words "or the plant and business used in the processing and curing of meats their products and by-products".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,

Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F.W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Speaker,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	
Fockler,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAY—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1283 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. GRIFFITH asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1283, 480 Printer's No., White File Folio 2887, entitled "An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 520, entitled·

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

And has appointed Messrs. Quigley, Sones and Scott as a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives, (if the House of Representatives shall appoint such committee), on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. WASHINGTON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. EDERER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints on the part of the House Messrs. Washington, Ederer and Eaches.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. HAGMAIER, from the Committee on Counties and Townships, reported as committed, House Bill No. 2180, (Senate Bill No. 940), entitled

An Act regulating the location of cemeteries in townships; conferring jurisdiction on the court of quarter sessions to grant or refuse permits therefor; and providing penalties.

Mr. BLUMBERG, from the Committee on Judiciary General, reported as amended, House Bill No. 1981, (Senate Bill No. 42), entitled

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident real estate brokers and real estate salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department.

Mr. HAWS, from the Committee on Insurance, re-reported as amended, House Bill No. 2163, (Senate Bill No. 1145), entitled:

An Act creating a fund for the purpose of rebuilding restoring and replacing real and personal property of the Commonwealth damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty and for insuring the Commonwealth against losses of public moneys due to embezzlement or theft thereof by or malfeasance of State officers and employes and prohibiting the purchase of insurance or surety bonds for the above purposes.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and sixty-one), entitled "An act authorizing the use for certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction and for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the first reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2180, (Senate Bill No. 940), entitled:

An Act regulating the location of cemeteries in townships conferring jurisdiction on the court of quarter sessions to grant of refuse permits therefor and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the first time,

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS MADE TO HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in

by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an Act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1956 and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. THOMAS J. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints on the part of the House Messrs. Wilson, Edward Brown and Himes.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS MADE TO HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insists upon its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2099, and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. WOOD. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints on the part of the House Messrs. Wilson, E. P. Brown and Himes.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 465.

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 311 entitled "An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 16th, 1929.

Whereas, during the present session the Legislative Reference Bureau has been of very great service to the members of the Senate and House of Representatives; therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the members of the General Assembly wish to convey to John H. Fertig, Assistant Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau, their appreciation of his untiring efforts and able services rendered to them.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1854.

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operation of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1282.

An Act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violation thereof" as amended by the act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives, numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1594.

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1723.

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the County Treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by authorizing the Secretary of Revenue to fix the number and compensation of State clerks in the office of the county treasurer in counties of the first class

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. EVANS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11.00 o'clock.

Mr. WOOD. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 11.46 o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11.00 o'clock.

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SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, April 17, 1929.

The Senate met at 12 o'clock noon.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Thou righteous and just God, we would remember in our petitions all those individuals and groups that have petitioned this Legislature for certain enactments. May they remember that all sincere Legislators are governed by the principle, in their legislation, of the greatest good to the greatest number. If any be disappointed, we pray that they may readily submit to the decisions of those who are in authority; and may they remain loyal and true toward the great system of American government. May our patriotism stand every test to which it is subjected. We ask for all these mercies in Thine own most excellent name. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. McCROSSIN, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

HOUSE APPOINTS COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, informed the Senate that the House insists on its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——day of ——, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, (P. L. Act No. ——), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenue derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties;" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil, and gas oil.

and has appointed Messrs. Sterling, Conner and Ditter as a Committee of Conference to confer with a similar committee of the Senate (if the Senate shall appoint such committee) to consider the differences existing between the two houses in relation to said bill.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives (already appointed) to consider the differences existing between the two houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. Buckman, Baldwin and Salus be said committee on the part of the Senate, and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 9 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 479) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bill to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

That motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend bill, page 3, by striking out section 2.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—44.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Prince.
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts
Baumer,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bell,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott
Bowers,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Boyd,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Brandt,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Buckman,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Clark,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Davis,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1308.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1308, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1335.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 425.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 425, entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1259.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1259,

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh, and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION THANKING JOHN H. FERTIG, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, FOR SERVICES RENDERED MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate of Pennsylvania, April 16, 1929.

Whereas, during the present session the Legislative Reference Bureau has been of very great service to the members of the Senate and House of Representatives; therefor be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the members of the General Assembly wish to convey to John H. Fertig, Assistant Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau, their appreciation of his untiring efforts and able services rendered to them.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 311.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 311 entitled "An act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" be returned to the Governor without amendment.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children before they are of School Age, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled:

A further supplement to the act approved the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (P. L. 213) entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for discharged prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough ,or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 242, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association, of western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any state of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association New Castle Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Supervisor of Paroles and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled:

An Act creating a State Board of Parole Commissioners within the Department of Justice establishing the office of State Supervisor of Paroles and Secretary of the State Board of Parole Commissioners and prescribing the powers and duties of each

Senate Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

Senate Bill No. 371, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 373, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children, of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act to amend Rule Twenty-five of Article Twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Senate Bill No. 410, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties;" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, common pleas, orphans', municipal, and county court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby: providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

Senate Bill No. 421, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 423, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage, of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and nineteen to add sections three hundred and fifty-two and three hundred and fifty-three to and to amend sections four hundred and ten five hundred and thirty-one and six hundred and nineteen subsection (a) of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Funds providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

Senate Bill No. 442, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries, prescribing penalties, giving rights of subrogation against plaintiffs in judgments and repealing prior legislation.

Senate Bill No. 454, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 461, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney and making such expense a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted

Senate Bill No. 477, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts

of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth, seventh and eighth classes.

Senate Bill No. 506, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof

Senate Bill No. 526, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 596, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 653, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen; authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free, public, nonsectarian libraries.

Senate Bill No. 684, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 691, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels and films or reels depicting local matters or synchronized with conversation dialogue or sound.

Senate Bill No. 695, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies, of West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance operation and inspection of boilers and pressure vessels granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Senate Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten sections twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and sixteen), entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 788, entitled:

An act authorizing salary boards in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to provide for the appointment of Assistant District Attorneys and other employees in the office of the District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys and employes or on account of unusal conditions and circumstances and increased business in the office providing that the salaries shall not exceed the minimum salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of Assistant District Attorney shall not exceed the term and period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions or a law judge thereof

Senate Bill No. 792, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty

thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended: by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

Senate Bill No. 831, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 761) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefore; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 845, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 926, entitled:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and the poor districts thereof and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the organization of the municipal court and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation

Senate Bill No. 928, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

Senate Bill No. 938, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men, furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 958, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three hundred and five three hundred and six and three hundred and seven as amended of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder"

Senate Bill No. 970, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

Senate Bill No. 974, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 1025, entitled:

An Act requiring all title insurance companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof, and regulating the same.

Senate Bill No. 1036, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulating examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers proexchanges and certain societies and orders the examination viding penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1037, entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 1082, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1088, entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

Senate Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers prescribing their duties providing for their appointment as viewers road juries juries of view and commissioners to view land and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries costs and expenses thereof"

Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery, at McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the City of Pittsburgh.

Senate Bill No. 1136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six), entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of any the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 1252, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment

Senate Bill No. 1289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

Senate Bill No. 1290, entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying or said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highways Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

Senate Bill No. 1292, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1293, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Bethlehem, Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1295, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations"

Senate Bill No. 1301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1303, entitled:

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1327, entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 73), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended, providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law, nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

Senate Bill No. 1329, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

Senate Bill No. 1331, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1332, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county boards of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

Senate Bill No. 1339, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1340, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1341, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1342, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys, of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instructions as they may require.

Senate Bill No. 455, entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto.

Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeene (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue the list of habitual users of drugs

Senate Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seaman's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase instillation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for the redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of said Act

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital, of West Reading, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 406, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition, operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

Senate Bill No. 471, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pa., for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

Senate Bill No. 508, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

Senate Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or any department or division thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident policies for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Senate Bill No. 561, entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority

of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

Senate Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 704, entitled:

An Act supplementiing the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 21) entitled "An act defining optomery and relating to the right to practice optomery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providwing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for the revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof

Senate Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance and operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second and second A class granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

Seante Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats, principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same ,and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions; providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 826, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 827, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 829, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect classify and edit an eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect, classify, and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 855, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 856, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 858, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 795), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

Senate Bill No. 1016, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 887) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes"

Senate Bill No. 1084, entitled:

An Act to amend section six o fthe act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commissio nof Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentaries.

Senate Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand eight hundred fifty, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-eight), entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and the neighborhood thereof, from damage from gunpowder, to incorporate an association for the establishment of a House of Refuge for Western Pennsylvania; and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital", as supplemented, providing for the monthly payments of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1147, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 144) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 1148, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (P. L. 732), entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (P. L. 63) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Senate Bill No. 1156, entitled:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz), in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE INSISTS ON ITS NON-CONCURRENCE IN AMENDMENTS MADE BY THE SENATE TO HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, informed the Senate that the House insists on its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the apppintment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives to consider the differences existing between the two houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. Baldwin, Mansfield and Huffman, be said committee on the part of the Senate, and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE INSISTS ON ITS NON-CONCURRENCE IN AMENDMENTS MADE BY THE SENATE TO HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

He also informed the Senate that the House insists on its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled: "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penal-

ties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a Committee of the House of Representatives to consider the differences existing between the two houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. Baldwin, Mansfield and Huffman, be said committee on the part of the Senate, and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 22.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EARNEST offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

RESOLVED, (if the House of Representatives concur) That Senate Bill No. 22 entitled "An act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harisburg, Pennsylvania" be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows:

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Robert Z. Josephs, Pittsburgh, Law Bulletin Bldg.
Miss H. M. Schweikert, Pittsburgh, Preble and N. Franklin.

BEAVER COUNTY.

Mrs. Lila M. Hackler, Aliquippa.

BERKS COUNTY.

Miss Edith C. Hatfield, Pottstown.

BUCKS COUNTY.

Miss Kate M. Battye, New Hope.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Mrs. Florence W. Sease, Waynesboro.

LUZERNE COUNTY.

Edward Brown, Wilkes-Barre.
Miss Margaret B. Stewart, Wilkes-Barre.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Emanuel H. Bascove, Philadelphia, 624 Preston.
Miss Helen M. Draper, Philadelphia, Broad and Chestnut.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Mrs. Angela B. Marchione, Washington.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

Edmond Cervi, Yukon.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. HARVEY,

That Rule 38 which requires nominations made by the Governor to be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting on the foregoing nominations.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. HARVEY,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—46.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Quigley,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Roberts,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Lamb,	Scott,
Bell,	Fay,	Lanius,	Sones,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Weingartner,
Brandt,	Harris,	McClure,	Williamson,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Clark,	Heaton,	Norton,	Schantz,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Painter,	Pres. Pro. Tem.
Daix,	Huffman,	Prince,	

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1139, as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-six of the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 26 The Commission shall charge and collect the following fees and shall daily pay all fees received into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

(a) For the filing of any original or renewal application the sum of ten ($10.00) dollars

(b) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of a dealer forty ($40.00) dollars except as hereinafter provided

(c) For each and every registration certificate whether on an original or renewal application of an agent or saleman ten ($10.00) dollars

(d) For each and every registration certificate issued to a dealer after the first day of July of any year twenty ($20.00) dollars

For copies of any papers filed in the office of the commission or for the certification thereof the commission shall charge such fees as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe

Section 2 That section twenty-seven of said act be and and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 27 Upon and after the effective date of this act all moneys derived from fees assessments or charges under this act shall be paid by the commission into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be known as the "Securities Commission Fund" to be available for the use of the commission in the administration of this act upon requisition of the commission subject to the approval of the Department of Banking All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the commission for the purpose of paying the salaries and expenses of the commission and of all employes appointed as may now or hereafter be provided by law for the administration of this act including any special deputy attorney or attorneys general or other counsel or attorneys assigned to or employed for the commission and all other expenses necessary and proper for the administration of this act including equipment and maintenance of and supplies for such offices or quarters as the commission may occupy [and] rentals for such offices outside of the Capitol Buildings the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the commission as may be required to furnish them motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the commission and liabilitiy insurance covering vehicles purchased out of said fund and operated by the officers and employes of the commission In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the Fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the commission from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisition not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any requisition therefor

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1142 as follows:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-four of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 24 Whenever any convicted inmate shall be sentenced either to the county prison of the county wherein such Industrial Home shall be established or to either of the penitentiaries of the Commonwealth it shall be lawful for the authorities of the [proper penal institution] county prison to draw annually a warrant or the duly authorized agents of the Department of Revenue at the said penitentiaries to draw monthly a warrant payable to the Department of Revenue upon the treasurer of the county from which said inmate was originally sentenced for the costs and expenses of her maintenance and the treasurer upon whom such warrant may be drawn shall forthwith pay the same

Section 2 That section twenty-five of the said act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 25 The [board of managers] duly authorized agent of the Department of Revenue shall cause to be kept an account of the expense of the support and maintenance of each person committed to the Industrial Home with the county from which she was sent and bills for such expense for each calendar month shall be forwarded [periodically] by said agents promptly after the last day of such month to the com-

missioners of the proper county [deducting first from said bills any amount which has been received from the labor of the prisoner referred to] together with an order payable to the Department of Revenue drawn on the county treasurer of the proper county and it shall be the duty of the county [officers] treasurer to pay promptly the [balance] amount due on said account [within thirty days from the receipt of this statement] to the Department of Revenue to be by it transmitted to the State Treasurer Provided That the aforesaid bill and order rendered as of the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine shall include all amounts due the Commonwealth from the counties which shall have accrued since the last prior billing of the counties by the board of trustees of the said Industrial Home for Women

Section 3 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1143 as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three(Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents" as amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled 'An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with table of contents' requiring building and loan associations to pay the cost of examinations by the Department of Banking" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 9 Maintenance of Department—(a) Expenses—All moneys derived by the department from fees assessments charges penalties and otherwise shall be paid by the Secretary through the Department of Revenue into the State Treasury for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be available for the use of the department upon requisition of the secretary All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the department for the purpose of paying the salaries of the secretary the deputies the examiners and the other employes of the department the expenses of the department including the rental and furniture of such rooms or quarters as the secretary may deem necessary outside of the Capitol and for the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the department as may be required to furnish them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the department and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and the officers and employes of the department operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then such moneys in the fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the secretary from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisitions not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any such requisition

(b) Assessments of Expenses upon Corporations and Individuals—All the expenses incurred in and about the conduct of the business of the department including the cost of the regular examinations of corporations and persons under the supervision of the department the compensation of the secretary deputies examiners and other employes of the department together with all other general or overhead expenses of the department shall be charged to and paid by the corporations and persons subject to the supervision of the department in equitable proportions at such times and in such manner as the secretary shall by general rule or regulation annually prescribe

Provided however That building and loan associations shall be examined at least once in each year and more frequently if the condition of any building and loan association shall be such that in the opinion of the Secretary of Banking an additional examination is necessary and provided further That the Secretary of Banking may upon the request of any building and loan association appoint a certified public accountant to make at the expense of the association the annual examination instead of an examiner of the department and the building and loan association making such request shall be entitled to and furnished with a copy of the report of the examination

Provided however That the charge for examination of building and loan associations shall not exceed the expenses incurred in connection with such examination including a proportionate part of the salary of the examiner or other employe engaged in such examination but not including departmental overhead properly chargeable to building and loan supervision for which an appropriation shall be made by the General Assembly

The expenses incurred in connection with any special examination or investigation of any corporation or person including a proportionate part of the salary of any examiner or other employe of the department engaged in such examination or investigation shall be charged to and paid by such corporation or person

On failure or refusal of any such corporation or person after thirty days' written notice to pay any sum lawfully assessed or charged against it or him by the secretary under the

provisions of this clause the secretary shall call upon the Department of Justice to bring an action at law to recover the same

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1220, (House Bill No. 1101), as follows:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the Twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors prohibiting the manufacture advertising furnishing traffic in and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof defining intoxicating liquor providing for penalties forfeitures and the abatement of nuisances and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws" (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors prohibiting the manufacture advertising furnishing traffic in and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof defining intoxicating liquor providing for penalties forfeitures and the abatement of nuisances and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws" is hereby amended to read as follows

(I) Upon conviction of any person of a violation of this act the Court shall order and direct the Sheriff of the county to destroy all such condemned intoxicating liquor and property seized or obtained from such defendant or defendants except that the Court may order the same or any part thereof to be delivered to a hospital for its use or any part thereof other than intoxicating liquor to be sold at public sale by the Sheriff of the County notice of which sale shall be given in the same manner as notice is required to be given of the sale of personal property under a writ of fieri facias the proceeds of such sale less any expenses thereof to be paid to the county treasurer for the use of the county and the sheriff shall make return to the Court of compliance with said order Except that any vehicle team conveyance or craft seized under the provisions of this act shall be disposed of as hereinafter provided

(II) In any case in which (a) the defendant is acquitted of a violation of this act and denies the ownership or possession thereof or (b) no claimant appears for same or (c) appearing is unable to sustain his claim therefor the Court shall order all such condemned intoxicating liquor and property (except vehicles teams conveyances and crafts) publicly destroyed by the Sheriff of the County Provided the Court may order the same or any part thereof to be delivered to a hospital for its use or any part thereof other than intoxicating liquor to be sold at public sale by the sheriff of the county in the manner hereinbefore provided Return of compliance with said order shall be made by the Sheriff to the Court In any case in which any property seized under the provisions of this act is condemned and ordered to be destroyed the Sheriff may sell any valuable scrap or remains of such property when rendered unsuitable for further use in violating any of said provisions at public sale in manner aforesaid for the benefit of the county with the consent of the court making such order to which a return of such sale shall be made Pending destruction or sale of any condemned property and intoxicating liquor the Sheriff shall provide suitable storage for same after delivery to him at the expense of the county and may deduct the cost thereof from the proceeds of property or scrap therefrom sold from time to time to the extent that same will suffice to pay such storage and hauling charges in addition to the costs and expenses of such destruction and sale upon approval of the bills by the court condemning same

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1653, (House Bill No. 1750), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all personal property of the classes hereafter enumerated owned held or possessed by any person persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company resident located or liable to taxation within this Commonwealth or by any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation whatsoever formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government and liable to taxation within this Commonwealth whether such personal property be owned held or possessed by such person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation in his her their or its own right or as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any other person persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation—is hereby made taxable annually for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes at the rate of four mills on each dollar of the value thereof and no failure to assess or return the same shall discharge such owner or holder thereof from liability therefor that is to say—

All mortgages all moneys owing by solvent debtors whether by promissory note or penal or single bill bond or judgment all articles of agreement and accounts bearing interest all public loans whatsoever except those issued by this Commonwealth or the United States and those made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof all loans issued by any corporation association company or limited partnership created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government including car-trust securities and loans secured by bonds or any other form of certificate or evidence of indebtedness whether the interest be included in the principal of the obligation or payable by the terms thereof except such loans as are made taxable for State purposes by section seventeen hereof all shares of stock in any bank corporation association company or limited partnership created or formed under the laws of this Commonwealth or of the United States or of any other State or government except shares of stock in any bank corporation or limited partnership that may be liable to a tax on its shares or its capital stock for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth or relieved from the payment of tax on its shares or capital stock for State purposes by the laws of the Commonwealth all moneys loaned or invested in other States Territories the District of Columbia or foreign countries all other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of the State all stages omnibuses hacks cabs and other vehicles used in transporting passengers for hire except steam and street passenger railway cars owned used or possessed within this Commonwealth by any person or persons or by any corporate body or bodies all annuities yielding annually over two hundred dollars Provided That this section shall not apply to bank notes or notes discounted or negotiated by any bank or banking institution savings institution or trust company And provided That the provisions of this act shall not apply to building and loan associations or to savings institutions having no capital stock but nothing herein contained shall be construed to relieve or exempt individual depositors in savings institutions having no capital stock from any taxation to which such depositors may be subject and if at any time either now or hereafter any persons individuals or bodies corporate have agreed or shall hereafter agree to issue his their or its securities bonds or other evidences of indebtedness clear of and free from the said four mills tax herein provided for or have agreed or shall hereafter agree to pay the same nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to relieve or exempt him it or them from paying the said four mills tax on any of the said such securities bonds or other evidences of indebtedness as may be held owned by or owing to the said saving institution having no capital stock And provided further That the provisions of this act shall not apply to fire companies fireman's relief associations life or fire insurance corporations having no capital stock secret and beneficial societies labor unions and labor union relief associations and all beneficial organizations paying sick or death benefits or either or both from funds received from voluntary contributions or assesments upon members of such associations societies or unions And provided further That corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations liable to tax on capital stock for State purposes shall not be required to make any report or pay any further tax under this section on the mortgages bonds and other securities owned by them in their own right but corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations holding such securities as trustees executors administrators guardians or in any other manner shall return and pay the tax imposed by this section upon all securities so held by them as in the case of individuals And provided further That none of the classes of property made taxable by this section for county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes shall be taxed or taxable for any other local purpose or for State purposes under the laws of this Commonwealth And provided further That the provisions of this section shall not apply to personal property of the class hereinabove enumerated hereafter received from any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed

the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 490, (House Bill No. 46), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend route four hundred and sixty-nine of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 519, (House Bill No. 305), entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class, where such applications were refused, but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury, and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 759, (House Bill No. 340), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 953, (House Bill No. 1236), entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 54), entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants, as computed by the last preceding United States census; the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid, the publication and posting of said fees, the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," by increasing the fees for service of summons.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 954, (House Bill No. 768), entitled:

An Act to amend (part) paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 663), entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Sheriffs in this Common-

wealth, and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same," by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1103, (House Bill No. 884), entitled:

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1112, (House Bill No. 1184), entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of nonresidents and to make uniform the laws of the State, with reference thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz, Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1113, (House Bill No. 1194), entitled:

An Act to amend section one as amended sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death by providing for the filing of liens prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts and taxing of joint estates

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,

Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1119, (House Bill No. 1521), as follows:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes and persons to secure employment providing for the licensing registration bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth and of said Department and prescribing penalties

Section 1 Definitions Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following terms shall unless the context otherwise indicates have the following respective meaning

(a) The term "employment agent" shall mean every person co-partnership association or corporation engaged in the business of or maintaining an agency for assisting employers to secure employes and persons to secure employment of whatever nature or of collecting and furnishing information regarding employers seeking employes and persons seeking employment

(b) The term "secretary" shall mean the Secretary of Labor and Industry of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth or his duly authorized deputy or representative

(c) The term "department" shall mean the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth

(d) The term "fee" means and includes any money or other consideration paid or promised to be paid for services rendered or to be rendered by any employment agent as above defined Such term includes any excess of money received by any such person over what has been paid out by him for the transportation transfer of baggage or board and lodging for any applicant for employment

(e) The term "persons" shall include persons associations co-partnerships and corporations

Section 2 The term "employment agent" as used in this act shall not apply to

(a) Departments associations or bureaus which are maintained solely for persons in this Commonwealth for the purpose of obtaining employes for themselves or their members and which charge no fee to applicants for employment.

(b) Theatrical managers representatives or agents engaging talent for use in their own performances

(c) Bureaus or agencies procuring employment for school teachers without charge

(d) Bureaus or agencies procuring employment for registered nurses without charge

(e) Employment bureaus maintained by this Commonwealth

(f) Employment bureaus maintained by the United States of America within this Commonwealth

(g) Employment bureaus or agencies maintained by any association of manufacturers within the Commonwealth for the purpose of obtaining employes for their members and which charge no fee to applicants for employment provided however That persons excluded from licensure under this section shall register with the department as hereinafter provided

Section 3 It shall be unlawful for any employment agent on or after the thirtieth day of September one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine to operate as such in this Commonwealth unless such employment agent be the holder of a license as in this act provided

Section 4 Every employment agent desiring so to operate shall file an application for such license with the secretary The application shall be on a form furnished by the secretary and together with such other information as the secretary shall require shall state

(a) The name and street address of the applicant

(b) The present address of the place where the business proposed to be conducted

(c) Whether or not the applicant proposes to conduct a lodging house for the unemployed separate from the business proposed to be conducted

(d) The business or occupation engaged in by the applicant for at least two years immediately preceding the date of the application

Such application shall be accompanied by the affidavits of at least three reputable residents of the city or county in which the applicant intends to operate to the effect that the applicant is a person of good moral character

Section 5 Upon receipt of such application the secretary shall cause to be posted in a conspicuous place on the premises at which the business is or is intended to be conducted the name and address of the applicant the place where the business is to be conducted and the fact that such application has been filed

The secretary shall thereupon cause to be investigated the character and responsibility of the applicant and the location and premises at which the business is intended to be conducted

Any person may file within one week after the posting by the secretary of the facts pertaining to the application as heretofore provided a protest with the secretary against the issuance of such license Such protest shall be in writing and shall be signed by the person filing the same or his authorized agent or attorney and shall state the reasons why the said license should not be granted

If the investigation by the secretary is unsatisfactory or in the event of a protest the secretary shall thereupon not less than fifteen days after the posting of the facts of application hold a public hearing at a place designated by the secretary in the city borough town or township where the business is to be established At least five days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be given by the secretary to the applicant and the protestants if any

The secretary for any hearings which may be held under this act shall have the power to issue subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers pertinent to such hearing and to administer oaths to such witnesses and examine such witnesses books and papers

Any witness who refuses to obey a subpoena issued hereunder or who refuses to be sworn or affirmed or to testify or who is guilty of any contempt after summons to appear may be punished for contempt of court and for this purpose an application may be made to any court of common pleas within whose territorial jurisdiction the offence was committed for which purpose such court is hereby given jurisdiction

Section 6 After such hearing the secretary may refuse to grant a license to the applicant for any one of the following reasons

(a) That the applicant is not of good character or reputation

(b) That the place where the business is to be conducted is not a suitable place therefor and such places as well as for other proper reasons shall be deemed unsuitable if it is to be conducted in rooms used for living purposes or where boarders or lodgers are kept or where meals are served or where persons sleep or in connection with a building or premises where intoxicating liquors are sold or reputed to be sold or in a house of ill repute or in a neighborhood deemed unsatisfactory by the secretary

(c) That the proposed plan of business is unjust or unfair

(d) The applicant being hitherto an employment agent has failed to comply with the existing laws relating thereto

Section 7 In all other cases the secretary upon the compliance by the applicant with the provisions of this act shall grant such applicant a license for a period of one year In all cases whether the license shall be granted or refused the secretary shall make such final decision and take such action within thirty days after the filing of the application

Section 8 No such license shall be granted until the applicant has filed with the secretary a bond of a duly authorized surety company to be approved by the secretary in the penal sum of one thousand dollars payable to the Commonwealth

of Pennsylvania conditioned that the applicant will comply with the provisions of this act and shall pay all damages occasioned to any person by reason of any misstatement misrepresentation fraud or deceit or any unlawful act or omission of any such person his agent or employes while acting within the scope of their employment made committed or omitted in the business conducted under such license or caused by any other violation of this act in carrying on such business

All actions upon bonds given under this act shall be in the same manner as actions upon official bonds

Section 9 No license shall be granted until the applicant shall have paid to the secretary a license fee as follows

(1) For licenses to be known as class "A" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agents who confine their operations to persons listed as metal and metal products workers mine and quarry workers hotel and restaurant help clay glass and stone products workers iron workers clothing workers textile workers food and kindred products workers leather rubber and composition goods workers lumber woodwork and furniture workers paper and printing workers unskilled and common laborers domestic and industrial help of all kinds the sum of one hundred dollars

(2) For licenses to be known as class "B" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agents known as professional technical or theatrical and who confine their operations to actors actresses musicians and performers of all kinds advertising managers bookkeepers and accountants cashiers chemists draftsmen surveyors and transit men engineers (civil etc) salesmen and solicitors superintendents and foreement traffic managers agricultural experts chemical workers explosive workers auto mechanics and garage workers chauffeurs and truck drivers aircraft workers inspectors telegraph operators telephone operators station employes shipping and stock clerks store managers stenographers and typists linotype operators printers and compositors proof readers office clerks time keepers tobacco workers and traders the sum of one hundred dollars.

(3) For licenses to be known as class "C" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agents engaged in such business in lines of activity provided for under both classes "A" and "B" licenses and all other occupations not listed the sum of two hundred dollars

Section 10 The Secretary shall institute proceedings in the Court of Common Pleas of the county wherein such business is located asking for the suspension or revocation of such license for the causes enumerated hereinafter All matters remaining in abeyance until final hearing upon it appearing from the inspection or investigation of the secretary or upon sworn complaint filed with him that the licensee

(a) Was guilty of fraud or misrepresentation in the securing of the license

(b) Had not met or was not meeting the requirements under which the license was granted

(c) Was violating or failing to observe the provisions of this act with reference to the conduct of his business

Whenever such license shall be finally revoked the Secretary shall not within one year of such revocation issue another license to such person or his representative or to any person with whom he is to be associated in such business Nor shall such person be employed during such period by any other employment agent

No employment agent shall divide directly or indirectly any fees charged or received by him with any person who secures help through such employment agent or to whom help is referred by such employment agent nor shall any employment agent offer to divide any fees

Licenses may be renewed from year to year upon application payments of license fees and filing of bonds as in the case of an original application

Section 11 No foreign employment agent or other person shall enter this Commonwealth and attempt to hire induce or take from this Commonwealth any labor singly or in groups for any purpose without first filing in the office of the secretary a statement as to where the labor is to be taken for what purpose for what length of time and whether transportation is to be paid to and from destination if temporary also a statement of the financial standing of the company desiring the labor and an affidavit of authority to represent such company in this Commonwealth and whatever other information the secretary may require

The secretary shall thereupon determine whether the person desiring such labor from this Commonwealth is an employment agent for profit and if so whether such person is qualified to be licensed under this act The secretary after such investigation may refuse to license upon compliance with the provisions of this act or register such person Such person shall in the event of unfavorable action by the secretary have the right of appeal as in other cases under this act If such person shall be exempted from license he shall pay for registration a fee of five dollars and receive therefor from the secretary a certificate recognizing his right to do business in this Commonwealth

Section 12 Every employment agent shall keep a register or registers approved by the secretary in which shall be entered in the English language the date of any application for employment the name and address of the applicant the amount of the fee received and whenever possible the names and addresses of former employers or persons to whom such applicant is known and the final disposition of the applicant's case a similar record of all applications of persons seeking employes the date of such application the kind of help required the names of the persons sent the record of the ones so sent if any who were employed as a result thereof the amount of the fee received and the rate of wages agreed upon No person shall make any false entry in such register

It shall be the duty of the employment agent whenever possible to communicate orally or in writing with at least one of the persons mentioned as reference by any applicant for work in private families or to be employed in a fiduciary capacity and the result of such investigation shall be kept on file in such agency provided that if the applicant for help voluntarily waives in writing such investigation of references the employment agent shall not be required so to do

Section 13 No employment agent shall send out any applicant for employment without having obtained a bona fide order therefor and if it shall appear that no employment of the kind applied for existed at the place to which said applicant was directed the said employment agent shall refund to such applicant within three days of demand any sums paid by said applicant for transportation in going to and returning from said place and all fees paid by said applicant

Section 14 Every employment agent shall give to each applicant for employment a card or paper containing in printed typewritten or written form

(a) The name of the applicant

(b) The name and address of such employment agency

(c) The name and address of the person to whom the applicant is sent for employment

(d) The kind of service to be performed

(e) The rate of wages or compensation

(f) The time of such services if definite and if indefinite to be so stated

(g) The name and address of the person authorizing the hiring of such applicant

(h) The cost of transportation if the services are required outside of the city borough town or township where the employment agent conducts his business

Section 15 It shall be the duty of every employment agent to give to every applicant for employment from whom a fee shall be received a receipt in which shall be stated

(a) The name of the applicant

(b) The date and amount of the fee

(c) The purpose for which it was paid

Every applicant for help shall receive a receipt in which shall be stated

(a) The name and address of the applicant

(b) The date and amount of the fee

(c) The kind of help desired

The secretary may require the printing on the back of any of such receipts of portions of this act

Section 16 Whenever any employment agent agrees to send one or more persons as contract laborers in any place outside the city borough town or township in which such employment agent conducts his business he shall file with the secretary within five days after the contract is made a statement containing the following items

(a) Name and address of the employer

(b) Names and address of the persons to be employed

(c) Nature of the work to be performed

(d) Hours of labor

(e) Wages offered
(f) Destination of the persons to be employed
(g) Terms of transportation

A duplicate copy of this statement shall be given to the applicant for employment in a language he is able to understand before he leaves the city borough town or township

Section 17 Every employment agent shall post in a conspicuous place in every room of his place of business the portions of this act required by the department which shall be printed in large type in language in which persons commonly doing business with such employment agent can understand Such poster shall also contain the names and addresses of the nearest officers having authority to enforce this act

Section 18 The secretary shall be charged with the enforcement of the provisions of this act and shall have the power to appoint inspectors who shall make as nearly as possible five visits each month to every such employment agent holding a license in this Commonwealth Such inspectors shall have suitable badges which they shall exhibit on demand of any person interested They shall see that the provisions of this act are complied with and shall have no other occupation or business They shall have for the purpose of the enforcement of this act powers of constables and policemen in cities of the first and second class

Section 19 All registers books records and other papers required to be kept pursuant to this act by any employment agent shall be open at all reasonable hours to the inspection of the secretary or his inspectors An auditor may be sent to the office of any employment agent by the secretary at least once a year or oftener if necessary to obtain information for the use of the secretary Every employment agent shall file with the secretary the schedule of fees which he charges for any services rendered to employers seeking employes or persons seeking employment

Section 20 Persons operating under the exempted classes as set forth in section two hereof and persons classified under section eleven hereof from whom registration is required shall apply for registration annually with the department upon such forms and giving such information as the department shall require the department may thereupon register such persons to operate within such classification

Section 21 All moneys or fees required to be paid under this act shall be collected by the Secretary and by him paid into the State Treasury

Section 23 (a) No employment agent shall induce or attempt to induce any employe to leave his employment with a view to obtaining other employment through such employment agent

(b) No employment agent shall publish or cause to be published any false or fraudulent or misleading information representation notice or advertisement all advertisements of such employment agent by means of cards circulars or signs and in newspapers or other publications and all letterheads receipts and blanks shall be printed and contain the name and address of such employment agent and the words "employment agent" and no employment agent shall give any false information or make any false promise or false representation concerning an engagement or employment to any applicant who shall register or apply for an engagement or employment or help

(c) No employment agent shall accept any applicant for employment made by or on behalf of any child or shall assist in placing any such child in any employment whatever in violation of the child labor laws of this Commonwealth excepting the appearance of a child in what is known as a road performance or exhibition in any theatre of this Commonwealth when there has been secured from the secretary a special certificate so to do

(d) No employment agent or his representatives shall induce or compel any person to enter any agency for any purpose by the use of force or by taking forceable possession of said person's property

(e) No employment agent shall send or cause to be sent any female as a servant employe inmate entertainer or performer or any male as an employe or entertainer to any place of bad repute house of ill fame or assignation house or to any house or place of amusement kept for immoral purposes or place resorted to for the purpose of prostitution or gambling house the character of which such licensed person could have ascertained upon reasonable inquiry

(f) No employment agent shall send out any female applicant for employment without making a reasonable effort to investigate the character of the employer

(g) No employment agent shall send any female as an entertainer or performer to any place where any such female will be required or permitted to sell offer for sale or solicit the sale of intoxicating liquors to those present or assembled as an audience or otherwise in such place or any rooms or building adjacent thereto

(h) No employment agent shall knowingly permit any persons of bad character prostitutes gamblers intoxicated persons or procurers to frequent his place of business

Violation of any of the foregoing provisions as well as any other of the provisions of this act shall be grounds for the refusal to grant refusal to renew revocation or suspension of the license of any employment agent And the effect of any revocation or suspension of any license shall be the same as if the licensee had never been licensed

Section 24 No person shall operate as an employment agent in this Commonwealth without holding a license so to do as herein provided no person shall operate in this Commonwealth under one or more of the exempted classifications set forth in section two of this act or under section eleven hereof without holding a license so to do or being registered as herein provided Any person so doing shall for the first offense upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any alderman magistrate or justice of the peace in the county where the offense occurred be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars or upon non-payment thereof to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for a period of thirty days and for a second offense shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof in the proper court shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars or imprisonment for a period of not more than one year or both at the discretion of the court

Section 25 Any person who violates any of the provisions of paragraphs (e) (f) (g) or (h) of section twenty-three of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof before a court of competent jurisdiction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars ($100) or more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) and costs of prosecution or undergo imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not more than one year or both at the discretion of the court

Section 26 This act shall become effective on the first day of October one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 27 The provisions of this act are severable and in the event that any provisions thereof should be declared unconstitutional it is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the remaining portions would have been enacted notwithstanding such judicial determination of the invalidity of any particular provision or provisions in any respect

Section 28 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—43.

Apple	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson
Aron,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd	Freeman,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Geider,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Homsher,	Painter,	Schantz,

Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1167, (House Bill No. 814), on third reading, entitled:

An act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 268) entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto"

be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion,

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I want to call the attention of the Senate to this bill. It was held up for many months, until the League of Third-Class Cities could agree on the legislation. There is also another bill on the calendar following it, and applies to other municipalities,—boroughs and cities generally throughout the Commonwealth. I feel that this bill should be passed and not recommitted. I have taken it up thoroughly with Mr. Ramsey, representing the League of Third-Class Cities, and I would ask the Senator from Delaware, Mr. McClure, to kindly withdraw his motion.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, this bill provides for Police Pension Funds, and states that the municipalities shall set aside so much money. At the present time there is an act that provides they may do it. I think this question should be left with the third-class cities to handle as they see fit, because they know better the condition of their financial affairs; and for this body to make it mandatory might be a hardship on a great many of them. I should like to ask the Senators to support me in recommitting this bill.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, when this bill was originally drafted it set out to take a certain percentage from the taxes for the relief fund, and in the House that provision was amended out of it. As I understand it,—and I am thoroughly familiar with it—it does not hurt the taxables nor the municipalities whatsoever; it merely permits the Police Department, and the fraternal orders of the police throughout the State, in cities of the third class, to start some enabling legislation to establish a police fund. And in the other bill, which you gentlemen will find on your calendars later on in the day, provides such and such a percentage of the policemen's wages shall be taken to build up that fund.

Now, we have worked very earnestly for this, and it is favored, in my opinion, by a majority of the third-class cities; and I repeat that it was through an agreement with Mr. Ramsey and myself that this bill was held in committee until the twin bill could get over here; and I ask the Senate not to recommit this bill. If it be not recommitted, I will follow with a motion to let it go over until we have more time to reconsider it.

M. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, this is practically the same bill this body has defeated in the last two or three sessions of the General Assembly. Senator Kitts had a similar bill in here last session. Under the present law there is all the enabling power that is necessary. The council may, at its discretion, appropriate an amount not exceeding one-half of one per cent. of the taxable money in any particular year. Under this bill they would be compelled to appropriate one-half of one per cent. It is absolutely against the principle of home rule.

And the other act that is talked about could be operated better if the present law was maintained. That other bill will come up on the calendar later, and it can be put into operation without this bill in a better manner than with this bill.

The reason I am opposed to this bill is not because of the fact that it would give the pension fund a certain amount of money but because it compels Council to make an appropriation; and I believe the Council themselves are in a better position to judge how much should be appropriated each year than the Legislature.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I am not at all terrified by the cry of home rule. I think the Legislature is wiser, probably than City Council; but the point I want to make is that we ought to welcome every pension scheme that comes along, provided it is ample; because if we do not encourage retirement funds and pension funds it is another argument in favor of old age pensions—to pay every man and woman over a certain age a dollar a day, and I am in favor of this as against old age pensions.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Mansfield.

The PRESIDENT. Will the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Mansfield, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I will.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, has the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Mansfield, examined the bill since the House of Representatives cut out the provision for paying the one-half of one per cent. of the taxes?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I do not know whether I have or not.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, that provision has been eliminated.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

A division being called for, 15 Senators voted in the affirmative and 19 in the negative, whereupon the question was decided in the negative.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1167, (House Bill No. 814), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto."

go over in its order.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1229, (House Bill No. 1674), as follows:

An Act to amend route number five hundred and fifty-six of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That route number five hundred and fifty-six of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" is hereby amended to read as follows

Route five hundred and fifty-six Commencing on [the concrete highway at the intersection of Center Street and] State highway route number ninety-seven at its intersection with East Avenue in the borough of Johnsonburg Elk County and extending thence [following East Avenue and the county road up Powers Run to a point near the summit known as Chestnut Ridge turning thence to the right and following the general direction of the Silver Creek Road] to connect with the western end of Maurus Street and the borough line of [the paving on Paul Street and Saint Michael Street in] the borough of Saint Marys and connecting therein with State highway route number ninety-nine by way of Maurus Street and Saint Michael Street

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1264, (House Bill No. 1071), entitled:

An Act to amend section three, as amended, of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Kraus	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1310, (House Bill No. 180), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1315, (House Bill No. 1043), as follows:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the

same That section five hundred and nine of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" and its amendment is hereby repealed

Section 2 That section five hundred and eleven of the said act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend sections five hundred and nine five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve seven hundred and nine and seven hundred and twenty and repeal section five hundred and ten of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 511 Removal of Protection from Deer game birds and game and fur bearing animals—Special [Deer license] Licenses

In addition to the powers conferred on the board of game commissioners by other provisions of this act upon receipt of a petition signed by residents of any county giving their addresses and vocation setting forth that deer game birds game animals or fur bearing animals have become a nuisance in that county or any township thereof stating the manner in which such animals or birds are a nuisance or upon information otherwise obtained by the board indicating that deer game birds game animals or fur bearing animals have become destructive to property or that the herds flocks or coveys of such animals or birds should be reduced for any reason the board if satisfied that conditions warrant may declare any township county or section of the Commonwealth or the whole Commonwealth open to the killing of deer without visible antlers or horns or any such game birds game animals or fur bearing animals through the use of legal firearms as hereinafter provided by residents of the Commonwealth during [a special session of such length] such period of such bag limits and of such length of time as the board may [deem advisable either prior to or following the regular open season for male deer] by resolution determine During such [special] season the killing of [deer] such animals or birds shall be in accordance with such rules and regulations as the board by resolution may adopt and subject to the penalties for violation as prescribed by this act Provided That the Board shall not declare any portion of the Commonwealth open to the killing of adult anterless deer unless a petition therefor signed by at least two hundred residents of the county at least one-half of whom are holders of resident hunters licenses has been received by the Board Any such petition shall be filed not later than June twenty-fifth of any year and provided further That any season for the killing of adult anterless deer shall be during the open season for male deer

[Thirty or more days prior to the date of any such special open season at notice] The resolution of the board authorized by this act to be effective in any license year shall be adopted by the board on or before the fifteenth day of July preceding the license year to which it is to apply a copy of which resolution shall be published by the board in [at least] two newspapers of [the county] general circulation in each county affected or embraced within the resolution but if two such newspapers be not published in any county than in one such newspaper or if no such newspapers be published therein then in the newspapers of the next adjoining county one time each week for [three] two consecutive weeks [setting forth the date or dates of such special season and the conditions governing the same]

Within fifteen days after the date of the last publication of such resolution on petition of at least twenty-five citizens and residents of any county affected by or embraced within the provisions of such resolutions praying the board for reasons stated in the petition to modify alter or rescind such resolution and having endorsed thereon a name and address to whom and where notice is to be given by the board of its action thereon the board shall fix a time and place of meeting at Harrisburg Pennsylvania or at any other place designated by the petitioners not later than the fifth day of August next following for a hearing thereon by and before the board or any members thereof or its executive secretary or other authorized representatives and shall notify the petitioners of such time and place at least five days before the time of such hearing On the day fixed for such hearing the board shall attend and hear the matters contained in all the petitions so presented to the board the petitioners and their witnesses and counsel The board shall within ten days after the close of the hearing render its decision thereon and give notice thereof to the petitioners' respective counsel or to a party named on the petion to receive such notice

If the board shall have modified its resolution it shall publish the same within fifteen days after its adoption in at least one newspaper in each county affected by or embraced within the modified resolution and by at least one insertion in each such newspaper.

Any of the petitioners aggrieved by the final decision of the board may appeal to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County or the Court of Common Pleas of any County affected by the decision with sufficient surety approved by the court to prosecute the same with affect and for payment of costs such court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of such complaint provided that such appeal be taken and within fifteen days from the date when notice was given the petitioners of the final decision of the board

No appeal made to said court shall operate as a supersedeas without special allowance by the Court upon terms prescribed by the Court nor upon appeal unless supersedeas is allowed either by the Appellate Court or Lower Court upon the terms prescribed by said Court but the resolution of the board shall be in effect until by the final decision of the court which shall be rendered before November first of that year it shall be determined to be invalid and no appeal shall be taken by any person or persons after the expiration of fifteen days following the date of the publication by the board of its final resolution Failure to take appeal to said court within the time hereinbefore specified shall be deemed a waiver of all objections to the validity of the resolution of the board as finally adopted and on appeal the court shall hear the cause de-novo

Provided that the board may also if satisfied that conditions warrant it kill remove or have removed by its officers or other responsible persons designated by the board any game animals birds or fur bearing animals from any section The board may dispose of such deer game animals or birds thus killed or removed in such manner as it may deem advisable And provided further that the board may declare or grant an extension of the open season or permit additional hunting or trapping or may change reduce or close seasons or bag limits and methods of taking and killing of deer game animals game birds or fur bearing animals and prescribe other regulations as the case in its judgment may require as set forth in its resolution or resolutions adopted and published by it in the manner above prescribed in this section and subject to like procedure jurisdiction and remedies regardless of the protection afforded or open seasons or bag limits otherwise fixed by law and subject to the penalties for violation as prescribed by this act

And provided also that the board may if satisfied that conditions warrant it at any time remove trap or dispose of in any manner they deem best either dead or alive any deer game animals birds beavers or other fur bearing animals Also should in the opinion of the board conditions warrant it they may furnish to other states or countries for re-stocking purposes deer or beavers which may be taken from surplus stock or which may be doing material damage In all cases where such sale or trade for other game is made the full market price shall be charged All monies derived therefrom shall be deposited with the State Treasurer for the use of the Game Fund

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1367, (House Bill No. 1870), entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1519, (House Bill No. 1464), entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six, one thousand six hundred sixty-seven, one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction, opening, dedication and drainage of highways.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1544, (House Bill No. 1934), entitled:

An act to further amend an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 640) entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' approved April twenty-nine one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto for the insurance of owners of real estate mortgages and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles liens and encumbrances and of companies entitled to the benefits of and of companies having any of the powers of companies entitled to the benefits of an act entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance safety deposit trust and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April twenty-nine Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and of the supplements thereto" approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five commonly known as title insurance or trust companies" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1570, (House Bill No. 536), entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, the judges of the Orphans' Courts, the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—41.

Apple,	Daix,	Homsher,	McCrossin,
Aron,	Davis,	Huffman,	Parkinson,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Hunsicker,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kitts,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Krause,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Kunkle,	Scott,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	Mansfield,	Woodward,
Clark,	Heaton,	McClure,	Schantz,
Coyne,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—7.

Gelder,	Norton,	Prince,	Williamson,
Lamb,	Painter,	Weingartner,	

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 490, (House Bill No. 46), as follows:

An Act to amend route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixty-nine route four hundred and fifty-one route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That routes numbers three hundred and seventy-six four hundred and ninety-six and five hundred and eleven of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" As amended by act approved [illegible] one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven Pamphlet Laws seven hundred entitled "An act to amend routes three hundred and seventy-six three hundred and seventy-seven three hundred and eighty-five three hundred and eighty-six three hundred and ninety-three three hundred and ninety-four three hundred and ninety-five three hundred and ninety-seven three hundred and ninety-eight four hundred and two four hundred and thirty-eight four hundred and forty four hundred and sixty-eight four hundred and ninety-three four hundred and ninety-six five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve five hundred and fifteen five hundred and twenty-seven and five hundred and forty-two of section one of an act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth'" are hereby amended to read as follows

Route three hundred and seventy-six A certain public road beginning at station one thousand eighty-four plus ninety-two in Westmoreland County on Route number one hundred eighteen between Greensburg and Washington being Rankin Cross Roads near J C. Rankin and McConnell farms and extending by way of Lebanon School House and Fells Church to Elizabeth in Allegheny County thence to West Elizabeth thence following an improved county road through the corporate limits of the City of Clairton to the corporate limits of what was formerly Wilson Borough thence following the township road through the Township of Jefferson to Aber School thence [to the intersection of an unimproved portion of what is known as New England in Mifflin Township thence to Lebanon Church Crossing an improved County road known as the Lebanon Church Road Following the route of the Old Pittsburgh Turnpike] to an intersection known as Bonner's Corner on the Pittsburgh-McKeesport Boulevard crossing an improved county road known as the Lebanon Church Road

Route four hundred and ninety-six Beginning at Asbury Chapel Erie County on route number two hundred and seventy-two thence northerly along present township road to intersection with route number eighty-six thence westerly along route number eighty-six to Avonia thence westerly along West Lake Road to North Springfield thence southerly and westerly along which is known as the "Middle Road" to its intersection with route number eighty-five Erie County

Route five hundred and eleven Beginning at Pleasantville Borough in the County of Venango and extending to a point on the dividing line between Venango and Forest Counties thence by way of Neilltown [and Fogle Farm] to Tionesta in the County of Forest

Section 2 That Route four hundred and four four hundred and forty-two four hundred and fifty-two four hundred and sixty-nine and four hundred and fifty-one of said act are hereby amended to read as follows

Route four hundred and four Beginning at a point in the Borough of State College Centre County on State Highway Route number fifty-six thence in a northwesterly direction [a distance of five miles more or less to the village of Waddles on State Highway Route number three hundred and forty-six in Centre County] to Route number one hundred seven near Martha Centre County

Route four hundred forty-two Beginning at the limits of the City of Lancaster Lancaster County at Lititz Avenue and running thence to Lititz on the Lancaster Turnpike Road thence by spur by way of Erb's Lime Kiln connecting with Route five hundred and twelve at Shenks Cross Roads thence from Lititz [thence] along Lititz and Lexington Turnpike Road to Lexington Hotel thence over township road by way of Zartman's Mill to Brickerville and intersecting with State Highway Route number one hundred thirty-seven

Route four hundred and fifty-two Beginning at a point on State highway route number ninety-three [in the Borough of Tidioute] in Warren County and running thence through Triumph and Deerfield Townships to a point on State highway route number eighty-nine above the town of Newton

Route four hundred sixty-nine Beginning at Degolia in McKean County and running thence to Smethport in the County of McKean by way of Minard Run Valley Aiken Simpson and Ormsby

Route four hundred and fifty-one Beginnning at a point in State Highway Route number two hundred and sixty-eight at Dry Tavern and running thence by way of Carmichaels Paisley Sugar Grove Church Ramseys Cross Roads Monongahela Hill Cemetery Old Glass Works Greensboro Penn Pitt Coal Company Poland Station Dilliner [and Derr Brothers farm to the West Virginia State line at Rosedale] to a point on the west side of the Monongahela River in Greene County opposite State Highway route number one hundred and sixteen in Fayette County

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill?

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title, page 1, line 5, by inserting after the word "fifty-one" the following: "route five hundred and thirty-three"; amend section 2, page 4, line 10, by striking out the word "and" following the word "sixty-nine"; also by inserting after the word "fifty-one" the following: "and five hundred and thirty-three"; also page 5, line 19, by inserting after line 19 the following: "Route Five Hundred and Thirty-Three. Beginning at a point on State highway route number six at Dundaff Street in the Borough of Dickinson City, thence in a northwesterly direction along Scott Road [to Hall's Corners, thence in a northerly direction to Shennens Corners to the Blakely Home, thence to a point on State highway route number three hundred and twenty-two at or near Blakely Home Corners] to an intersection with road leading to Justus, thence by way of Justus in a northerly direction to Creig, thence in a westerly direction by way of Wallsville Church to an interseceion with State highway route number three hundred and sixty-five at Greens' Corners"

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1576, (House Bill No. 1360), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, 774), entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association, for the purpose of holding annual meetings, to secure more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1578, (House Bill No. 1816), entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1581, (House Bill No. 1977), entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed

On the question,

Shall the pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

Mr. EALY. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Bill No. 1590, (House Bill No. 1889), on third reading, entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

go over in its order,

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1616, (House Bill No. 1745), entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 465.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SORDONI offered the following resolution which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 465, Printer's No. 796, File Folio No. 6797, entitled, "An act permitting the district attorney or any district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 786.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent SENATE BILL No. 786.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. McCLURE offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 786, Printer's No. 227, File Folio 2161, entitled, "An act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. GELDER, from the Committee on Judiciary General reported as committed, Senate Bill No. 1577, (House Bill No. 1609), entitled:

An act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 764), entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully," as amended; extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board; also when the adjudication is within said period.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 197.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 197.

An act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

and has appointed Messrs. Stadtlander, Turner, and Staudenmeir, as a Committee of Conference to confer with a similar committee of the Senate, (if the Senate shall appoint such a committee), to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1618, (House Bill No. 1885), entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), on third reading, entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township record roads

be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1633, (House Bill No. 798), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the oficers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties" as amended providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1634, (House Bill No. 2095), entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State institutions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), as follows:

An Act to amend State Highway routes numbers one hundred and eighteen as amended one hundred and seventy as amended one hundred and eighty-eight as amended one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineers chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and town and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioners providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That State Highway Route number one hundred and eighteen of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of act inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended by Act approved the twenty-first day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-six is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred eighteen From Greensburg to Washington Commencing in Greensburg and running by way of Madison and West Newton to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Fayette Counties thence to Belle Vernon thence to a point on the dividing line between Fayette and Washington Counties thence by way of Charleroi Fallowfield Bentleyville Ellsworth to route one hundred thirteen and thence over route number one hundred thirteen to Washington

Section two That Route one hundred seventy of said act as amended by act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred seventy From Mauch Chunk to Wilkes-Barre—Commencing in Mauch Chunk and running over route one hundred and sixty-two to Nesquehoning and thence by way of Hudsondale Weatherly and Beaver Meadow to a point on the dividing line between Carbon and Luzerne Counties thence by way of Hazleton Fairview and Ashley to a point on the boundary line of the City of Wilkes-Barre Luzerne County

Section three That Route one hundred ninety-three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and ninety-four From McConnellsburg to Mifflintown—Commencing in McConnellsburg and running over route one hundred and ninety-two to Knobsville thence by way of Fort Littleton and Burnt Cabins to a point on the dividing line between Fulton and Huntingdon Counties thence by way of Shade Gap and Shade Valley and by spur to Blairs Mills and thence to a point on the dividing line between Huntingdon and Juniata Counties thence by way of Reeds Gap and Walnut into Mifflintown Juniata County

Section four That Route two hundred and four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route two hundred and four From Beaver to the Ohio State Line—Commencing in Beaver and running over Route sev-

enty-six to Bridgewater thence by way of Fallston Patterson Heights and Darlington thence northwestwardly to a point on the Ohio State line near East Palestine Ohio

Section 5 That route one hundred and eighty-eight as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eight) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and eighty-eight from Indiana to Pittsburgh in Indiana and running by way of West Lebanon to a point [on the dividing line between Indiana and Armstrong counties thence to a point on the dividng line between Armstrong and Westmoreland counties thence] in the Borough of Apollo where it intersects with Rout number sixty-nine thence by way of Route number sixty-nine to the village of North Vandergrift in Parks Township Armstrong County thence through Westmoreland county by way of Vandergrift to Weinels Cross Roads to a point on Route sixty-nine thence by way of Route sixty-nine to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties thence over Route seventy to a point on th boundary line of the City of Pittsburgh Allegheny County

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1639, (House Bill No. 324), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 134) entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the Public records of the State and providing for their publication and distribution" by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion and Disabled American Veterans of the World War

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution ,and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1641, (House Bill No. 457), as follows:

An Act to amend routes numbers three hundred three hundred and forty three hundred and fifty-nine as amended and three hundred and sixty-one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That route number three hundred and fifty-nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" as amended by act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend route three hundred and thirty-two as amended route three hundred and fifty-nine as amended route three hundred and sixty-five as amended and routes three hundred and five three hundred and twenty-two and three hundred and thirty of section one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route three hundred and fifty-nine A certain section of public road beginning at Orviston thence to Beech Creek thence over route number two hundred nineteen to Mill Hall intersection with Route fifty-eight thence by spur over route fifty-eight to Loganton and by spur via Booneville to Tylersville and thence by way of Carroll to Big Rock connecting with Route five hundred and three and thence from Mill Hall over route two hundred and nineteen to Lock Haven thence on road toward Swissdale a distance of about three and one-half miles [thence from Lock Haven over Route one hundred and five to Renovo thence by spur from Renovo to State Camp on Big Run]

Section 2 That Routes three hundred three hundred and forty three hundred and sixty-one of said act are hereby amended to read as follows

Route three hundred A certain public road beginning at Pine Flats Indiana County at a point on route number fifty-four thence [by way of] to Spruce [to Cherry Tree Borough connecting with route numbered sixty-two]

Route three hundred and forty A certain section of public road beginning at Chambersburg Franklin County a point on route number thirty-five and passing through Salem Pleasant

Hall by spur to [and] Upper Strasburg and from Pleasant Hall to [Roxbury] a point on route [number] two hundred sixty-four thence over route two hundred sixty-four to Gelseninger Hill on route thirty-five thence over route thirty five to Green Village thence to Scotland

Route three hundred and sixty-one A certain public road beginning at Ice Cove a point on State Highway Route eleven in Kingston township Luzerne County thence by way of Hillside [Huntsville] Lehman Center Meeker Pike's Creek to Kyttle a point on State Highway route one hundred and seventy-seven in Ross Township Luzerne County is hereby amended to read as follows

A certain public road beginning at Pine Flats Indiana County at a point on Route number fifty-four thence [by way of] to Spruce [To Cherry Tree Borough connecting with Route number sixty-two]

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1646, (House Bill No. 1378), entitled:

An act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven inclusive

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne.	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1647, (House Bill No. 1379), entiled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive together with eighty-one and one-half

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1648, (House Bill No. 1380), entitled:

An act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from Volume one to sixty inclusive

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1649, (House Bill No. 1410), entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline; providing for the management and control thereof, and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

NAYS—0

Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.
Daix	Hutfman.	Palnter.	Schantz.
Coyne,	Homsher.	Norton.	Woodward.
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson.
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure.	Weingartner,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield.	Sordoni.
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Bowers,	Freeman.	Lanius,	Scott,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Baldwin,	Einstein.	Krause.	Quigley,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker.	Parkinson,

YEAS—49.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1651, (House Bill No. 1598), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereon has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1655, (House Bill No. 1925), entitled:

An act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker.	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin.	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman.	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield.	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure.	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton.	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher.	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1656, (House Bill No. 1931), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz;

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1660, (House Bill No. 2002), entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment of bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with estates of decedents"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1361, (House Bill No. 2029), entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1663, (House Bill No. 2058), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters euipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Sente proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1664 (House Bill No. 2059), entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof

And said bill having been read at length the third time agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1665, (House Bill No. 2061), as follows:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the owner or operator of motor vehicle or motor vehicles which are operated over any highways in this Commonwealth for the purpose of transporting persons and property for compensation from a point outside the Commonwealth to another point outside the Commonwealth or from a point outside the Commonwealth to a point within the Commonwealth or from a point within this Commonwealth to a point outside this Commonwealth shall annually on or before the first day of March file with the Department of Revenue on forms prescribed and furnished by said department a sworn report setting forth the name and address of such owner or operator the number of motor vehicles so operated within this Commonwealth during the preceding year the number of miles of highway in the Commonwealth over which such motor vehicles have been operated during the last preceding calendar year a copy of the schedule if any on which such motor vehicle were operated and such other information as the Department of Revenue may require

Section 2 Upon the filing of such sworn report the said owner or operator shall pay to the Department of Revenue an excise on the use of such highway of one cent for each mile so used which excise shall be covered into the State Treasury and the State Treasurer shall thereupon pay the same into the Motor License Fund

Section 3 If the Department of Revenue is not satisfied with the report made by any owner or operator under the provisions of this act it may settle an account against such owner or operator based upon facts contained in the report or from information in its possession or that shall come into its possession with the right to the owner or operator dissatisfied with such settlement to appeal therefrom in the manner now provided by law for appeals from tax settlements If any owner or operator shall neglect or refuse to make the statement or return as required by this act the Department of Revenue shall estimate an assessement against such owner or operator and settle an account together with a penalty of ten per centum from which there shall be no right of appeal

Section 4 Within thirty days after the passage of this act the Department of Revenue shall send by registered mail postage prepaid a copy of this act to each owner or operator of motor vehicles as described in section one hereof and registered in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth for the registration of motor vehicles On or before the first day of August one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine the owner or operator of such motor vehicle or motor vehicles shall file with the Department of Revenue a statement of acceptance of the provisions of this act

Section 5 The Secretary of Revenue shall suspend or revoke the registration of any motor vehicle whose owner or operator shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act or who shall fail neglect or refuse to pay the excise due or settled against him or it under the provisions of this act Such suspension or revocation shall continue until the provisions of this act have been complied with

Section 6 This act shall be in effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor and the excise imposed by this act shall be payable for the calendar year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for each year thereafter

And said bill having been rea dat length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1666, (House Bill No. 2072), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

SENATE BILL No. 1167 (HOUSE BILL No. 814) DROPPED FROM CALENDAR.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, In as much as Senate Bill No. 1666, (House Bill No. 1072), has just passed this body, I agree with Senator McClure and Senator Mansfield that Senate Bill No. 1167, (House Bill No. 814), on third reading, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act relating to police pension funds in cities of the third class and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto"

is unnecessary, I therefore move that it be dropped from the calendar.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1667, (House Bill No. 2076), entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 350) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1668, (House Bill No. 2081), entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bil lto the House of Representatives with information tht the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1669, (House Bill No. 2084), entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1672, (House Bill No. 229), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Davis,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Ealy,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure.	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton.	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1673, (House Bill No. 301), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1674, (House Bill No. 925), entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act, approved the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and providing penalties for the violation thereof," as amended, by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking, shall, pending their approval, be turned into the State Treasury.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,

Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1676, (House Bill No. 1144), entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives, with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1677, (House Bill No. 1163), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives, with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1678, (House Bill No. 1183), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1680, (House Bill No. 1504), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional State buildings in Harrisburg for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,

Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1681, (House Bill No. 1583), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" increasing the compensation of directors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1687, (House Bill No. 1879), on third reading, entitled:

An Act relating to the printing of evidence and the payment of costs on appeal from the Public Service Commission.

be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1688, (House Bill No. 1884), entitled:

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing the salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointeees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1691, (House Bill No. 1905), on third reading, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities of this Commonwealth to store motor vehicles abandoned or seized in violation of the law to advertise and sell such motor vehicles if not reclaimed providing for notice to owners if known and to the Department of Revenue providing for the payment of charges of such seizure advertising and sale and applying the proceeds of the sale first to the payment of such charges and the balance to be paid to the Treasurer of such municipality for the use of the owner or municipality where no claim therefore is made

be recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1695, (House Bill No. 2056), as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 495 The board of township commissioners in townships of the first class may enact ordain survey lay out widen straighten vacate and relay all roads streets lanes and alleys and parts thereof within the township upon the petition of a majority in interest of the owners of property through whose lands any such road street lane or alley passes or upon whose land it abuts or without petition of the owners of the abutting property if in the judgment of the board of commissioners it is necessary for the public convenience

Section 2 That section four hundred and ninety-eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 498 After such hearing and a consideration of the matter should the board of commissioners or a majority thereof decide in favor of [granting the prayer of the petition] exercising the power conferred by section four hundred and ninety-five of this article they shall make written report together with a draft or survey of the road street lane or alley fixing the width thereof and noting the improvements along the line thereof and the names of the owners of property through which the same shall pass or whereon it shall abut Such report and draft shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions

Section 3 That section five hundred of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 500 Upon favorable action on such [petition] matter by the board of commissioners and after the expiration of the term allowed for filing exceptions or upon the order of the court in case the compensation for the damages or benefits accruing therefrom have not been agreed upon the court of quarter sessions or any law judge thereof in vacation on application by petition by the board of commissioners or any person interested shall appoint three viewers from the county board of viewers and shall appoint a time not less than twenty nor more than thirty days thereafter when said viewers shall meet upon the line of the improvement and view the same and the premises affected thereby

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Kuffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1698, (House Bill No. 2082), entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1724, (House Bill No. 1214), entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (P. L. 16) entitled "An act relating to mutual saving fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals

of repayment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1729, (House Bill No. 1478), entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1741, (House Bill No. 2060), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railways companies

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1743, (House Bill No. 2074), entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1744, (House Bill No. 2077), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1745, (House Bill No. 2083), entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1746, (House Bill No. 2085), entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individuals for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1744, (HOUSE BILL No. 2077).

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1744, (House Bill No. 2077), entitled:

An Act requiring the marketing and sale of certain commodities by weight instead of dry measure and providing penalties

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senate vote?

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senate vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted, "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill pased third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senate vote?

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senate vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted, "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1747, (House Bill No. 2086), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1748, (House Bill No. 2087), entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the [guaranty] guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1749, (House Bill No. 2088), entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,

Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1752, (House Bill No. 1161), entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1753, (House Bill No. 1473), entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1755, (House Bill No. 1768), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1756, (House Bill No. 1915), entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1758, (House Bill No. 1972), entitled:

An act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate bill No. 1759, (House Bill No. 2012), entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher.	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1760, (House Bill No. 2013), entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in cities boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1763, (House Bill No. 2090), entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates alder-

men justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1764, (House Bill No. 993), entitled:

An act to amend sections six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examinations suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1768, (House Bill No. 987), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1770, (House Bill No. 1551), entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residental commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof

Section 1—GRANT OF POWER—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That for the purpose of promoting the health safety morals and general welfare of the community cities of the first class are hereby authorized and empowered to regulate and restrict by ordinance the height number of stories and size or bulk of buildings and other structures hereafter altered or erected the percentage of lot area that may be occupied by buildings or structures or material the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and the location use and occupancy of

buildings structures and land for trade industry residence or other purposes so that such uses may be permitted in or excluded from certain portions or sections of such cities or subject to special regulations

Section 2—DISTRICTS—For any or all of said purposes the Council may by ordinance divide the city into districts of such number shape size and area as may be deemed best suited to carry out the purposes of this Act and within such districts it may regulate and restrict the erection construction reconstruction alteration repair use or occupancy of buildings structures or land All such regulations shall be uniform for each class or kind of buildings structures or land throughout each district but the regulations in one district may differ from those in other districts The City Council with or without the recommendaton of the Zoning Commission may exempt any class of buildings or structures in any industrial or commercial district of such city from any restrictions regarding the height or number of stories thereof except such as are necessary to protect public health safety or morals

Section 3—PURPOSES IN VIEW—Such regulations shall be made in accordance with a comprehensive plan and designed to lessen congestion in the streets to secure safety from fire panic and other dangers to promote health and the general welfare to provide adequate light and air to prevent the overcrowding of land to avoid undue concentration of population to facilitate the adequate provision of transporation water sewage schools parks and other public requirements Such regulations shall be made with reasonable consideration among other things to the topography and character of the district and its peculiar suitability for particular uses with a view to conserving the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout such city

Section 4—METHOD OF PROCEDURE—The Council of such city shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such districts shall be determined established and enforced and from time to time amended supplemented or changed However no such regulation restriction or boundary shall become effective until after a public hearing in relation thereto at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard At least fifteen (15) days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be published in a morning and an evening paper of general circulation in such city

Section 5—CHANGES—Such regulations restrictions and boundaries may from time to time be amended supplemented modified or repealed In case however of a protest against any such change duly signed and acknowledged by the owners of forty (40) per cent or more either of the area of the lots included in such proposed change or of those immediately adjacent in the rear or adjoining on the sides thereof extending one hundred (100) feet therefrom or of those directly opposite thereto extending one hundred (100) feet from the street frontage of such opposite lots such change shall not become effective except by the favorable vote of three-fifths of all the members of the Board of Adjustment and a majority vote of the council of such city The provisions of the previous section relative to public hearings and official notice shall apply equally to all changes or amendments

Section 6—ZONING COMMISSION—In order to avail itself of the powers conferred by this act the Mayor of any such city by and with the advice and consent of the City Council shall appoint a commission of seven or more members two (2) of whom shall be members of City Council to be known as the Zoning Commission to recommend the boundaries of the various districts and the appropriate restrictions and regulations to be enforced therein and to include in such recommendation such maps charts or prints as it may deem necessary desirable or convenient to show the locations and boundaries of the respective districts in which such regulations and restrictions shall apply Provided that no such regulations or restrictions shall be made concerning the location construction alteration repair or maintenance of any church or school or other place of worship or education unless otherwise authorized by law The said recommendations shall be in the form of a proposed Zoning Ordinance and shall provide for a Board of Adjustment a Bureau of Zoning and the rules and regulations for the administration of said ordinance by the said Bureau in accordance with the provisions of this act The Zoning Commission shall make a preliminary report and hold public hearings thereon before submitting its final report and the Council of such city shall not hold its public hearings or take action until it has received the final report of such commission

Section 7—APPROVAL BY COUNCIL—The proposed bill or ordinance prepared by the Zoning Commission shall not become effective until it shall have been passed by the Council of such city in the manner required for the passage of other ordinances and subject to executive action as in other cases provided that before final action of the City Council shall be taken public hearings shall be held by the council or a commiittee thereof to which such proposed bill or ordinance may be referred whereat all persons interested in the subject matter shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard at specified time and place or times and places after due notice of such hearing or hearings published for six (6) consecutive days in two (2) daily morning and two (2) daily evening newspapers of general circulation in such cities

Section 8—BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT—If a city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act the Mayor of such city shall with the approval of Council appoint a Board of Adjustment and in the regulations and restrictions adopted pursuant to the authority of this act may provide that the said Board of Adjustment may in appropriate cases and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards make special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance in harmony with its general purposes and intent and in accordance with general or specific rules therein contained The Board of Adjustment shall consist of five (5) members one of whom shall be designated to serve until the first day of January following the adoption of the zoning ordinance two until the first day of the second January thereafter and two until the first day of the third January thereafter Their successors shall be appointed on the expiration of their respective terms to serve three years The members of the Board shall be removable for cause by the appointing authority upon written charges and after public hearing Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant The council may provide for the compensation of those members of the Board of Adjustment who do not hold any other office or position of profit under the city government or any department thereof or in or under the government of the United States or of this Commonwealth or of any county city or other public political subdivision thereof The Mayor of such city shall designate the chairman of the Board The Board shall adopt rules in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance adopted pursuant to this act Meetings of the board shall be held at the call of the chairman and at such other times as the board may determine The chairman or in his absence the acting chairman may administer oaths and compel the attendance of witnesses All meetings of the board shall be open to the public The board shall keep minutes of its proceedings showing the vote of each member upon each question or if absent or failing to vote indicating such fact and keep records of its examinations and other official actions all of which shall be immediately filed in the office of the board and shall be a public record

Appeals to the Board of Adjustment may be taken by any person aggrieved or by any officer department board or bureau of the city affected by any decision of any administrative officer Such appeal shall be taken within a reasonable time as provided by the rules of the board by filing with the officer from whom the appeal is taken and with the Board of Adjustment a notice of appeal specifying the grounds thereof The officer from whom the appeal is taken shall forthwith transmit to the board all the papers constituting the record upon which the action appealed from was taken

An appeal stays all proceedings in furtherance of the action appealed from unless the officer from whom the appeal is taken certifies to the Board of Adjustment after the notice of appeal shall have been filed with him that by reason of facts stated in the certificate a stay would in his opinion cause imminent peril to life or property In such case proceedings shall not be stayed otherwise than by a restraining order which may be granted by the Board of Adjustment or by a court of record no application and notice to the officer from whom the appeal is taken and on due cause shown

The Board of Adjustment shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing of the appeal give public notice thereof as well as due notice to the parties in interest and decide the same

within a reasonable time Upon the hearing any party may appear in person or by agent or by attorney

The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers

1 To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there is error in any order requirement decision or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement of this act or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto

2 To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance upon which such board is required to pass under such ordinance

3 To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance from the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to the public interest where owing to special conditions a literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in unnecessary hardship and so that the spirit of the ordinance shall be observed and substantial justice done

In exercising the above-mentioned powers such board may in conformity with the provisions of this act reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the order requirement decision or determination appealed from and may make such order requirement decision or determination as ought to be made and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer from whom the appeal is taken

The concurring vote of four members of the Board of Adjustment shall be necessary to reverse any order requirement decision or determination of any such administrative official or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which it is required to pass under any such ordinance or to effect any variation in such ordinance

Any person or persons jointly or severally aggrieved by any decision of the Board of Adjustment or any taxpayer or any officer department board or bureau of the city may present to a court of record a petition duly verified setting forth that such decision is illegal in whole or in part specifying the grounds of the illegality Such petition shall be presented to the court within thirty (30) days after the filing of the decision in the office of the board

Upon the presentation of such petition the court may allow a writ of certiorari directed to the Board of Adjustment to review such decision of the Board of Adjustment and shall prescribe therein the time within which a return thereto must be made and served upon the appellant's attorney which shall not be less than ten days and may be extended by the court The allowance of the writ shall not stay proceedings upon the decision appealed from but the court may on application on notice to the board and on due cause shown grant a restraining order

The Board of Adjustment shall not be required to return the original papers acted upon by it but it shall be sufficient to return certified or sworn copies thereof or of such portions thereof as may be called for by such writ The return shall concisely set forth such other facts as may be pertinent and material to show the grounds of the decision appealed from and shall be verified The Board of Adjustment shall be respondent in said appeal with the right to appear in person or by counsel and defend said action The court may permit any person or persons claiming an interest to assert his or their right by intervention

If upon the hearing it shall appear to the court that testimony is necessary for the proper disposition of the matter it may take evidence or appoint a referee to take such evidence as it may direct and report the same to the court with his findings of fact and conclusions of law which shall constitute a part of the proceedings upon which the determination of the court shall be made The court may reverse or affirm wholly or partly or may modify the decision brought up for review

Costs shall not be allowed against the board unless it shall appear to the court that it acted with gross negligence or in bad faith or with malice in making the decision appealed from

All issues in any proceeding under this section shall have preference over all other civil actions and proceedings

Section 9—BUREAU OF ZONING—If any city of the first class avails itself of the provisions of this act there shall be attached to the Department of Public Works of such city a Bureau of Zoning under the direction of a chief of said bureau and with such other officials clerks and employes as the council may determine All ordinances passed under the provisions of this act shall be enforced by the Bureau of Zoning subject to the right of appeal to the Board of Adjustment and to the courts as herein provided for

Section 10—PENALTIES—If any building or structure shall be erected constructed reconstructed altered repaired converted or maintanied or any building structure or land used in violation of this act or of any ordinance or regulation made under authority hereof the person or persons artificial or natural knowingly so offending shall be subject to a fine of not more than one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars and not less than one hundred ($100.00) dollars as prescribed by the council of any such city to be recovered as fines and penalties of like amount are now recoverable by law The fact of such violation being committed shall be prima facie evidence that it was knowingly done In case of any such actual or threatened violation either the said city or the bureau officer or official designated for the enforcement of any ordinance passed by virtue of this act may institute any appropriate action or proceeding to prevent or abate such unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion maintenance use or occupation or to restrain or prevent any illegal act or business or use under this act or under any such ordinance or regulation

Section 11—VALIDITY—If any section clause portion or provision of this act shall be unconstitutional or invalid it is hereby declared to be the true intent and meaning hereof that all of the provisions of this act shall be severable and that all the other provisions or portions thereof excepting these so held unconstitutional or invalid shall be and remain in full force and effect

Section 12—CONFLICT WITH OTHER LAWS—Wherever the regulations made under authority of this act require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required in any other statute or local ordinance or regulations the provisions of the regulations made under authority of this act shall govern Wherever the provisions of any other statute or local ordinance or regulation require a greater width or size of yards courts or other open spaces or require a lower height of building or a less number of stories or require a greater percentage of lot to be left unoccupied or impose other higher standards than are required by the regulations made under authority of this act the provisions of such statute or local ordinance or regulation shall govern

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1774, (House Bill No. 201), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 716) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in case of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1775, (House Bill No. 1890), entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1776, (House Bill No. 2011), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 758) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" as amended defining drugs to include mari juana.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendmnts.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1778, (House Bill No. 332), entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,

Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1701, (House Bill No. 13), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to protect children and aged persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1702, (House Bill No. 165), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1703, (House Bill No. 338), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin.	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones.
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield.	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure.	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton.	McCrossir	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher.	Norton.	Woodward.
Daix,	Huffman.	Painter.	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1705, (House Bill No. 372), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1707, (House Bill No. 431), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1708, (House Bill No. 484), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson-
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartne
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1709, (House Bill No. 478), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1710, (House Bill No. 753), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1711, (House Bill No. 809), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1712, (House Bill No. 887), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infant's Home and Hospital of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1713, (House Bill No. 888), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman.	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majorrity of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1714, (House Bill No. 890), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1715, (House Bill No. 952), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1716, (House Bill No. 973), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward.
Daix.	Huffman.	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1717, (House Bill No. 978), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1718, (House Bill No. 1070), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius.	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield.	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin.	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1719, (House Bill No. 1123), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,

Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1720, (House Bill No. 1130), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Snate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1721, (House Bill No. 1149), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1722, (House Bill No. 1170), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1723, (House Bill No. 1172), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,

Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1725, (House Bill No. 1232), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1726, (House Bill No. 1353), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1727, (House Bill No. 1365), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1728, (House Bill No. 1429), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1730, (House Bill No. 1480), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince.
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1731, (House Bill No. 1489), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children) for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine for the purpose of maintenance to be paid according to law

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1732, (House Bill No. 1507), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher.	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1733, (House Bill No. 1586), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest.	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1734, (House Bill No. 1591), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicke	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1737, (House Bill No. 1661), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1740, (House Bill No. 1927), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Franklin County Pennsylvania

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1742, (House Bill No. 2066), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1754, (House Bill No. 2296), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpost of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to, and the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1766, (House Bill No. 57), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1767, (House Bill No. 497), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1769, (House Bill No. 1112), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1772, (House Bill No. 806), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State Property.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1773, (House Bill No. 1155), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicke	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts.
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Ge.der,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter.	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rue requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 681, as follows:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section three hundred and one of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 301 When employer and employe shall by agreement either express or implied as hereinafter provided accept the provisions of article three of this act compensation for personal injury to or for the death of such employe by an accident in the course of his employment shall be made in all cases by the employer without regard to negligence according to the schedule contained in sections three hundred and six and three hundred and seven of this article provided that no compensation shall be made when the injury or death be intentionally self-inflicted but the burden of proof of such fact shall be upon the employer

The terms "injury" and "personal injury" as used in this act shall be construed to mean [only] violence to the physical structure of the body and such disease or infections as naturally results therefrom and such occupational or other disease as is contracted in the course of employment and wherever death is mentioned as a cause for compensation under this act it shall mean [only] death resulting from such violence and its resultant effects and occurring within three hundred weeks after the accident or death resulting from any occupational or other disease contracted in the course of employment The term "injury by an accident in the course of his employment" as used in this article shall not include an injury caused by an act of a third person intended to injure the employe because of reasons personal to him and not directed against him as an employe or because of his employment but shall include all other injuries sustained while the employe is actually engaged in the furtherance of the business or affairs of the employer whether upon the employer's premises or elsewhere and shall include all injuries caused by the condition of the premises or by the operation of the employer's business or affairs thereon sustained by the employe who though not so engaged is injured upon the premises occupied by or under the control of the employer or upon which the employer's business or affairs are being carried on the employe's presence thereon being required by the nature of his employment.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1058, (House Bill No. 1103), as follows:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the salary of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class shall be two thousand dollars per year exclusive of traveling expenses necessarily incurred in the discharge of their official duties or the per-

formance of any service office or duty imposed upon the directors of the home for the destitute and the directors of a home for the destitute shall have the power to employ a solicitor at such rate of compensation as they shall deem proper not however exceeding the rate of fifty dollars per month

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts general special or local inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1263, (House Bill No. 1007), entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judical process and providing penalties" as amended

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1645, (House Bill No. 1347), entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1736, (House Bill No. 1638), as follows:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisements in such estates

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order that the Commonwealth may receive the benefit of section three hundred and one (b) of the Federal Revenue Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six or any other legislation of a similar kind or enacted for a like purpose which grants a credit on the Federal estate tax for inheritance taxes and transfer inheritance taxes paid to the state governments additional transfer taxes for State purposes are hereby imposed upon the transfer in trust or otherwise of any property taxable under the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of this Commonwealth approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" Such taxes shall be imposed as estate taxes and shall be collected in accordance with the provisions of the transfer inheritance tax laws of the Commonwealth in the following cases viz Whenever in any estate the total tax paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other states or territory at the rates fixed under the inheritance tax law shall be less than the total credit allowed by the Federal law for taxes paid to the states then the tax imposed by this act upon the transfer of such property shall be an amount equal to the difference between the total credit allowable by the Federal law for taxes payable to the state governments and the total taxes actually paid or payable to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the inheritance tax laws [and the portion of the increased tax so imposed which shall be chargeable to each of the respective beneficiaries shall be ascertained by multiplying the total amount of such increase in tax by a fraction the numerator of which shall be the amount actually paid or payable by the respective beneficiary to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws and the denominator of which shall be the total taxes paid by all beneficiaries to the Commonwealth and any other state or territory under the said inheritance tax laws]

Every executor administrator or person in actual or constructive possession of the property of an estate subject to the tax imposed by this act shall within thirty days after the filing of his return with the Federal Government file a copy of such Federal return with the register of wills of the proper county The Commonwealth shall have authority in any estate taxable under this act to make a provisional estimate for the payment of taxes to the Commonwealth on account and to make an appraisement of the taxes due by any estate under this act when the amount of the Federal tax has been finally determined

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The Senate proceeded to the second reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1780, (House Bill No. 891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented extract from Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to.

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate conceur), That House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating, in counties of the second class, a salary board, prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof, also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 404, (Senate Bill No. 1781), entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition of a site for and construction of a State Normal School in Allegheny County by the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor and making an appropriation

Which was referred to the Committee on Education.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 1615 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read, as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 5, by striking out the word "Commissioner" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Commissioners"

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1958, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced,

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1958, entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise right and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were read as follows:

Amend title lines 3 and 4, by striking out the words "notice of and to"; also section 2, page 2, line 18, by striking out the words "notice of or to"; also lines 24 and 25 by striking out the words "notice of and to".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 11 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur to the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 811 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An Act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. GELDER, Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill

Mr. EINSTEIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 1, by striking out the word "section" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "sections four hundred and thirty-two and "; also section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the words "thirty-four" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-two"; also line 9, by striking out the words "twenty-first day of April one thousand"; also lines 10, 11, and 12; also page 2, lines 1 to 13 inclusive; and inserting in lieu thereof the following: sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 432 That the Commonwealth offers rewards as hereinafter provided for the construction and improvement of township roads and the erection and construction of township bridges in townships of the second class

All moneys appropriated by the General Assembly from time to time for the payment of rewards to townships of the second class for the construction and improvement of roads and the erection and construction of bridges as in this act provided for shall be apportioned by the State Highway Department among the several counties of this Commonwealth in proportion to the number of miles of township road located in townships of the second class

Of the amount apportioned to the several counties for road and bridge improvements in townships of the second class under the provisions of this act not more than fifteen per centum of such appropriation shall be available in any one township in any such county In case any excess in the amount set aside for use in the county remains after all applications from the several townships in the county have been considered the township commissioner of the State Highway Department shall apportion the excess amount among the townships that have applications on file for State reward for more than fifteen per centum Should there be not enough application from all the townships in a county filed on or before May first of the year next succeeding the appropriation to exhaust the apportionment of the State reward fund made to a county then such excess shall be apportioned to the counties where the applications of the townships call for the expenditure of a sum greater than the amount originally apportioned to said county

Application for rewards for the construction and improvement of township roads and for the erection and construction of township bridges shall be made by the township supervisors of townships of the second class on or before May first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and annually thereafter to the State Highway Department on blanks furnished by the department which applications shall be considered by the department by counties in their order of filing [Applications not granted by reason of a lack of funds shall be given first consideration in the following years or years]

Section 2 That section four hundred and thirty-four of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hunderd thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" and by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows": also page 4, line 11, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and by striking

out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$20,000"; also line 15 by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "of more than twenty thousand dollars $20,000"; also line 19 "in case of townships having an assessed valuation"; also lines 20, 21 and 22 and line 23 the following: "$500) per mile"; also line 25 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and striking out the figures "$10,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof "$20,000.00"; also line 28, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and"; also page 5, line 2, by striking out the following: "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00)"; also line 5 by striking out the word "in" and lines 6, 7, 8, and 9, and in line 10 the words "($750.00) per mile"; also line 12 by striking out the word "ten" and the figures "$10,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and the figures "$20,000.00"; also line 15 by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and"; also line 17 by striking out the following: "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also line 20 by striking out the words "in case of townships" and lines 21, 22, 23 and 24 and in line 25 the word "mile"; also in line 27 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and by striking out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "$20,000"; also page 6, line 2, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also line 6 by striking out the words "in the case of townships having an" and by striking out lines 7, 8, and 9, and in line 10 the following: "two thousand dollars ($2000.00) per mile"; also line 12 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also line 13 by striking out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$20,000"; also line 17 "between ten"; all of line 18 and in line 19, the figures "$30,000"; and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also line 21, by striking out the words "in case of townships hav-" all of line 22, 23, 24, and 25 and in line 26 the word "mile"; also line 28 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and by striking out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "$20,000"; also page 7, line 3, by striking out the words "between ten thousand"; also line 4, by striking out the words "dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also line 6, by striking out the word "in"; also by striking out all of lines 7, 8, 9, and 10, and in line 11, the words "per mile"; also line 13 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and by striking out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "$20,000"; also line 18 by striking out the words "between ten thou-" and all of line 19 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars "($20,000)"; also line 23, by striking out the words "in case of townships having an assessed valuation" and by striking out all of lines 24, 25, 26, and 27, and in line 28 the words "structed by the supervisors"; also page 8, line 2, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" and by striking out the figures "$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "$20,000"; also lines 6 and 7, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also line 9, by striking out the words "in case of townships having" and by striking out all of lines 10, 11, 12, and 13.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur to the amendments?

The ayes and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 1257 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the con-

sideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend Section 8, page 7, by striking out lines 10 to 18 inclusive.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUSPENSION OF JOINT RULE No. 8.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BUCKMAN offered the following resolution which was twice read, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Rule 8 of the "Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives of Pennsylvania" which reads as follows: "Rule 8, No bill, resolution, or order, to which the signature of the Governor may be required, shall be passed by either House on the day of final adjournment; and all such bills, resolutions, and orders, after they have been duly compared and certified by the proper committee shall be presented to the Governor for his signature, before eight o'clock on the morning of the day of the final adjournment," be and the same is hereby suspended for the balance of the Session of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-nine.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39 which requires current resolutions to be referred to an appropriate committee be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the resolution just read.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, this is a matter for the Senate to understand,—why it requires a two-thirds vote. The question is on the resolution to suspend the rule; and therefore the members ought to vote for this resolution. It will not detain them any long time on the calendar we may have; but there will be legislation fall here tomorrow unless this joint rule of the House and Senate is suspended.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. BUCKMAN and Mr. DAVIS, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RECESS.

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

SENATE BILL No. 42 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, line 5, by striking out the word "through"; also by striking out lines 5 and 6; also section 2, page 1, line 8, by striking out the word "partnerships" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "co-partnerships"; also page 2, line 5, by inserting after the word "estate" the words "interest in real estate"; also line 26, by inserting after the word "constitute" the words "prima facie evidence that"; also page 3, line 17, by inserting after the word "owner" the words "or the negotiating of any loan thereon"; also line 23, by inserting after the word "trust" the words "or any banking institution operating under the Banking Laws of Pennsylvania"; also by inserting the following: "(d) The term 'Department' shall mean the Department of Public Instruction of this Commonwealth"; also section 3, page 3, by striking out lines 24, 25, and 26; also line 27, by striking out the words "issuance of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Department shall issue"; also line 28, by striking out the words "the supervision and inserting

in lieu thereof the words "shall supervise;" also page 4, line 1, by striking out the word "of;" also page 4, section 4, line 3, by placing a bracket before the word "The;" also by striking out page 5; also page 6, by striking out lines 1 to 9, inclusive; also line 10 by striking out "Section 9"; also line 11, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission"; and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Department;" also line 12, by striking out the words "as well"; also line 13, by striking out the words "Commission or any of its deputies" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also by striking out the word "Commission's" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department's"; also line 15, by striking out the words "hand and"; also line 16, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department;" also lines 22 and 23, by striking out the words "Real Estate Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 24, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 25, by inserting after the word "prescribe" the words "not exceeding twenty-five cents (25c) per folio"; also line 26, by striking out the numeral "10" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "5"; also lines 26 and 27, by striking out the words "Members of the Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Superintendent of Public Instruction"; also line 28, by striking out the words "said bureau" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 7, line 3, by striking out the word "bureau" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 6, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'Department"; also lines 14 and 15, by striking out the following "and shall be dismissed from his appointment by said Commission"; also lines 17 and 18, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 24 and 25, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 26, by striking out the numeral 11 and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "6"; also page 8, line 3, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 4, by striking out the numeral "12" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "7"; also lines 4 and 5 by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 12 and 13 by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 13 and 14, by striking out said "said bureau" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 17, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 9, line 23, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 25, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 10, lines 3 and 4, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also by striking out lines 13 to 29 inclusive; also page 11, by striking out lines 1 to 10, inclusive; also line 13, by striking out the word "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 20, by striking out the word "office" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "officer"; also page 12, line 11, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 18, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 25, by striking out the numeral "12" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "7"; also page 13, line 4, by striking out "mended" and inserting in lieu thereof "menced"; also line 8, by striking out the words "Secretary of the Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 10, by striking out the words "said Secretary" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Department"; also line 13, by striking out the word "said" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Said"; also lines 21 and 22, by striking out the words "Secretary of the Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 23, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 27, by striking out the numeral "13" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "8"; also line 28, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 14, line 2, by striking out "twenty dollars ($20)" and inserting in lieu thereof "ten dollars ($10)"; also line 3, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two and one-half ($2.50)"; also line 9, by striking out "ten dollars ($10)" and inserting in lieu thereof "five dollars (5)"; also line 17, by striking out the words "lieu of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "addition"; also line 21, by striking out the numeral "14" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "9"; also by striking out "(b)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(a)"; also page 15, line 3, by striking out the word "Notice" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "unless notice" also line 4, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 5 and 6, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "license" the words "for the new location"; also line 8, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 9, by striking out the following; "and the issuance by it of a new license therefor"; also line 17, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting the words "the Department"; also line 26, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 28, by striking out "Com-"; also page 16, line 1, by striking out "mission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 3, by striking out the numeral "15" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "10"; also line 3, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 4, by striking out the word "notice" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "motion"; also line 10, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 17, by inserting after the word "of" the word "knowingly"; also line 18, by inserting after the word "of" the word "knowingly"; also line 25, by striking out the words "dishonest dealing" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a tort"; also page 17, line 4, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 6 and 7, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 9 and 10, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 15, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 24, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 25, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 18, line 3, by striking out the words "Commission or the"; also by striking out the word "deputy" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "deputies"; also lines 8 and 9, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 9, by striking out the words "the Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "it"; also line 12, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 15, by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Dauphin"; also line 15, by striking out the words "in which the"; also by striking out line 16; also line 17, by striking out the words "be located"; also line 17, by striking out the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also line 20, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 22, by striking out the second word "the"; also by striking out line 23; also line 24, by striking out the words "of the license is located" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Dauphin County"; also line 24 by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 19, line 1, by striking out the word "license" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "licensee"; also line 2, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 8, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 11, by striking out "fifteen (15)" and inserting in lieu thereof "thirty (30)"; also line 12, by striking out the word "license" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "licensee"; also line 14, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 19, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lin 20, by striking out the word "license"

and inserting in lieu thereof the word "licensee"; also lines 23 and 24, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 26 and 27, by striking out the following: "the county in which the licensee's principal office or place of business is located"; also lines 27 and 28, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 20, lines 1 and 2, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission at Harrisburg" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 6, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 9 and 10, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 11, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 12, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 16, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 18, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 23, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Department of Justice"; also line 28, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 21, line 11, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 12, by inserting after the word "evidence" the following: "provided the Court shall order a trial by jury upon demand of any appellant"; also line 13, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 15, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line , by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 21, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 22, by striking out the following: 'to which the appeal is taken" and inserting in lieu thereof "of auphin County"; also line 24, by inserting after the word "shall" the following: "upon motion of the licensee grant an order of supersedeas in which case the appeal shall"; also line 29, by inserting after the word "supersedeas" the following: "unless made so by special order of the appellate court"; also page 22, line 1, by striking out the numeral "16" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "11"; also lines 1 and 2, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 9, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 12, by striking out the word "conclusive" and inserting in lieu thereof "prima facie"; also line 20, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 26, by striking after the word "the" the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also by striking out before the word "shall" the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 23, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lie uthereof the word "Department"; also line 6, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 13, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 14, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the "word "Department"; also line 22, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 24, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 24, line 1, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 7, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 8, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 18, by striking out the numeral "17" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "12"; also page 25, line 9, by striking out the numeral "18" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "13"; also by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department" also lines 16, 20, 22, 26, and 23, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 26, line 1, by inserting after the word "the" the words "Court of"; also line 7, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also by striking out the word "deputy" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "deputies"; also line 10, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 11, by striking out the words "said Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 12, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department" also line 14, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 27, by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 29, by striking out "Com-"; also page 27, line 1, by striking out "mission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also lines 1, 3, 5, and 6 by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 8, by striking out the numeral "19" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "14"; also line 18, by striking out the numeral "20" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "15"; also page 28, line 6, by striking out the words "Real Estate License Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also line 7, by striking out the numeral "21" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "16"; also by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or"; also by striking out lines 17 to 22, inclusive; also line 23, by striking out the numeral "23" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "17"; also lines 23 and 25 by striking out the word "Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Department"; also page 29, line 1, by striking out the numeral "24" and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral "18".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1635, (HOUSE BILL No. 18).

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and

extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senate vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to,

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title line 5, by inserting after the word "amended" the words "one hundred and eighty-eight"; also page 8, by inserting after line 2, the following section:

Section 5 That route one hundred and eighty-eight as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eight) is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Route one hundred and eighty-eight from Indiana to Pittsburgh commencing in Indiana and running by way of West Lebanon to a point [on the dividing line between Indiana and Armstrong counties thence to a point on the dividing line between Armstrong and Westmoreland counties thence] in the Borough of Apollo where it intersects with Route number sixty-nine thence by way of Route number sixty-nine to the village of North Vandergrift in Parks Township Armstrong County thence through Westmoreland county by way of Vandergrift to Weinels Cross Roads to a point on Route sixty-nine thence by way of Route sixty-nine to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties thence over Route seventy to a point on the boundary line of the City of Pittsburgh Allegheny County

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make report from committee at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. LESLIE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported as amended, Senate Bill No. 1101, (House Bill No. 556), entitled:

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1632 (HOUSE BILL No. 754).

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

was recommitted to the Committee on Finances.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I voted "[illegible]

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion to recommit?

It was not agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to consideration passage of Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1632, (House Bill No. 754), entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1776 (HOUSE BILL No. 2011).

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1776, (House Bill No. 2011), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties," as amended; defining drugs to include mari juana.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL DROPPED FROM THE CALENDAR.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, at the request of the sponsor of this bill, I move that it be stricken from the calendar.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 11.

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. CLARK offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 11, entitled, "An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and townships reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 196.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDNENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. FAY offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 196, entitled, "An act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled, 'An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs' by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RECONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION RELATING TO INVESTIGATION OF BANK MERGERS.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate agreed to Resolution offered on January 21, 1929, reading as follows:

In the Senate, January 21, 1929.

Whereas, The consolidation and merging of banks and banking institutions and results and effects of such consolidations and mergings are of interest to the public and should be investigated and studied for the protection of the interests of the public, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations is hereby authorized to investigate the consolidation and merger of all banks and other institutions doing a banking business or building and loan associations within the Commonwealth, and to report its findings

from time to time to the Attorney General with any suggestions it may have to make as to any action to be taken by or in behalf of the Commonwealth and to file a complete report to the Senate at the beginning of the Session of the Legislature of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee on Banks and building and Loan Associations shall have power to sit and continue such investigation or investigations after the adjournment of the Legislature at such times and places as it may deem advisable and shall have authority and power to issue subpoenas and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, vouchers and records deemed necessary in any matter they are investigating. If any person refuses to appear and testify or produce any books, vouchers or records, the Committee shall have power to bring the matter to the attention of the Court of Common Pleas of the County where the subpoena was served which court shall thereupon issue its subpoena to require such witness to attend before it and testify or to produce such books, vouchers or records, and be it further

Resolved, That the Attorney General of the Commonwelath shall furnish such legal aid and advice as may be necessary to assist the said Committee in making such investigation and to pay any expense he may deem necessary and proper out of the funds in the Department of Justice upon vouchers furnished by the Chairman of said Committee.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

RESOLUTION RECOMMITTED.

Mr. FREEMAN. Mr. President, I move that the resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Banks and Building and Loan Associations.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 1143.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 5, by striking out line 16.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

The ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Frank E. Baldwin) in the Chair.

REPORT OF DELEGATES TO AMERICAN LEGISLATORS' ASSOCIATION.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I desire at this time to make a report to the Senate as delegate to the American Legislator's Association in Seattle, Washington, July, 23, 1928.

The first session of the American Legislators' Association recognized and attended by any delegates from the General Assembly of Pennsylvania was held in Denver, Colorado, in 1926. That meeting was attended by Senators Woodward, MacDade, of Delaware County, myself on behalf of the Senate, and Franklin Spencer Edmonds, then a member of the House, on behalf of the House.

In 1927 the Association met in Buffalo, New York. As President Pro Tempore of the Senate at that time I appointed as delegates on behalf of the Senate to attend that session Senators Woodward, from Philadelphia, MacDade, from Delaware County, and Sones, from Lycoming County. It developed that at the time of the session none of those Senators was able to attend, and at that session in Buffalo in 1927 we were not represented.

The Session of 1928 was held in Seattle, Washington, and I attended that session. I had also appointed Senator Woodward, from Philadelphia, as a delegate. When the time of going to Seattle came he found he would have to go to Seattle a month later to attend a Congressional Conference on Taxation; and he would not go to Seattle twice in so short a time, so I went alone. I left Allentown July 15, 1928, and returned August 15; so I was gone exactly a month.

The Association met in Seattle, Washington, July 23, 1928. Under arrangements the National Conference on Uniform Laws, the American Legislators' Association and the American Bar Association met at the same time, on succeeding dates. I went from Allentown to Chicago, where I joined Tour A of the American Bar Association, which was made up of two special sections of members of the American and others from the entire eastern and middle parts of the United States, Canada and Mexico. I joined that tour and went to Seattle with them, and came back to Chicago with them.

"The American Legislators' Association represents an effort on the part of legislators themselves to give a constructive turn to the widespread criticism of legislative conditions which has been prevalent in this country for generations.

"Underlying the entire plan is the thought that there should be a central organization to give currency and effectiveness to all proposals calculated to improve the character of our legislatures as to personnel and organization, and to bring

each legislator the opportunity to profit by the research, experience and judgment of other legislators and of the individuals and organizations best versed in legislative problems. It is hoped thus to improve the quality—and perhaps to reduce the quantity—of the statutes of the various states.

"The seven oustanding features of the Association's program are:

"1. A clearing house for the legislative reference bureaus of the various states. Doubtless each state government should maintain a legislative reference bureau or some corresponding office to render assistance to legislators who desire aid in research or drafting. Already more than a score of states maintain legislative reference bureaus. This Association plans to publish information concerning the possibilities of such bureaus. As the number of bureaus increases, it becomes increasingly necessary for them to have a clearing house to avoid duplication and to expedite their work. By no means can each buerau have up-to-date information always available concerning the material which each other bureau is preparing or has on hand.

"2. An information switch-board through which any legislator or the director of any legislative reference bureau can 'plug in' bb letter or telegram, and at once be connected with the best sources of information in the United States concerning his current problem.

"3. A periodical, THE LEGISLATOR, sent to every one of the 7500 legislators, with information concerning new reports, periodicals and books of value to legislators; concerning significant legislative innovations; concerning noteworthy methods of legislative efficiency; and concerning legislative recommendations of the Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and of other organizations such as the National Education Association, the American Bar Association, the American Medical Association, the National Conference of Social Work, and so forth. It will be the purpose of this periodical to stimulate the interest of legislators in independent reading and research.

"4. An annual meeting of legislators immediately preceding the annual meeting of the American Bar Association. Probably one-fifth of our legislators are attorneys—in other words some 1500 lawyers hold office as legislators today. It seems reasonable to anticipate that eventually a substantial number of them will combine attendance at the meetings of this Association and of the American Bar Association. This attendance will increase as the Association acquires momentum. If only by reason of the interchange of information concerning methods of legislative efficiency and economy, these meetings might bring great benefits to many states.

"5. A Legislative Assembly to meet annually at the time of the general meeting described in the preceding paragraph. This Assembly is to consist of ninety-six legislators, one elected by each branch of each legislature. Of course, such a group would have no authority, but it would have various possibilities of an advisory character. For instance, it could guage the sentiment of the legislatures to determine whether the the majority seemed disposed to consider at their next sessions any given proposal for uniform laws. Through it there might be a readier interchange of views to facilitate the drafting of thoroughly acceptable interstate compacts, when necessary. It might furnish an easier channel of informal communication in regard to the relation between state and federal governments in some matters such, for instance, as state aid or state co-operation in the enforcement of federal statutes. More whole-hearted co-operation between neighboring states in connection with the development or conservation of natural resources would sometimes result from informal discussion by representative legislators. Certainly such an Assembly could be of great aid in establishing a more direct relationship between the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and the forty-eight state legislatures.

"6. A dozen Committees, each dealing with an important subject of legislative concern, and each having an Advisory Board of twenty individuals who are recognized as national authorities in the Committee's field. Thus, for example, the Association hopes to have a Committee on Health composed of 96 legislators, most of whom are the Chairmen of the Medical or Health Committees of their respective Houses in the State Legislatures, and, to counsel the Committee, an Advisory Board composed of twenty nationally prominent heads of health departments, physicians, and liaison representatives of national organizations concerned with health matters. These twelve Advisory Boards are already organized, and they contain about 240 individuals of genuine distinction. It has been suggested that a group from the Committee on Social Welfare might meet annually at the time of the meeting of the National Conference of Social Work; a group from the Taxation Committee at the time of the meeting of the National Tax Association; a group from the Health Committee at the time of the annual meeting of the American Medical Association; and so forth.

"7. A campaign to improve the personnel of our legislatures. It is undoubtedly possible to correct some of the causes which prevent a larger number of citizens of the best type from becoming candidates for the state legislatures. Through its Committee on Legislative Efficiency, this Association plans to conduct a study to determine and formulate these causes, and to consider whether or not it is probable that more legislators of the best type can be secured by revising existing practices in such matters as:

a. Length of term of office.
b. Compensation.
c. Size of legislature.
d. Length of sessions.
e. Assistance for the legislator.

The officers of this organization are: Henry W. Toll of Denver, Colorado, who is the Honorary Director; Stanley H. Johnson of Denver, Colorado, who is Acting Director; Robert L. Patterson of Taft, California; who is President; and myself as Vice-President. The Board of Managers are the following: Howard M. Baxter of Grand Rapids, Michigan; Chester C. Bolton of Cleveland, Ohio; Seabury Mastick of New York City; Milton C. Lightner of St. Paul, Minnesota; Charles R. Hollingsworth of Ogden, Utah; Naaman Jackson of Logan, West Virginia; Sanborn Young of Los Gatos, California; Howard P. Castle of Chicago, Illinois; Henry L. Shattuck of Boston, Massachusetts; and William B. Belknay of Goshen, Kentucky. And there are Advisory Boards concerning Legislative Efficiency and legislation on numerous subjects.

From Pennsylvania we have Councilors, from both the Senate and the House. Those from the Senate are: Senators Woodward, Parkinson, Kunkle, Frazier and myself. And those from the House are: Grover C. Talbot, Norman Baily, Clarence L. Ederer, Miss Helen Grimes and Morris J. Root.

The Association met in Seattle, Washington, where many subjects were discussed. The meeting was addressed, among others, by Gurney E. Newlin, who is now President of the

American Bar Association; by N. Edmund Smith of Hutchinson, Kansas, an authority and well-known writer on the Constitution of the United States; and by many others. As I have said, many subjects of law were discussed;—taxation, different kinds of taxation, highways, uniform laws,—and every question imaginable.

I consider the American Legislators' Association very valuable, and I trust that the General Assembly of Pennsylvania may continue to cooperate with this national body. This year the Association will meet in Memphis, Tennessee,—I do not know that the time has been definitely fixed, but I think it will be sometime in October.

This is a brief report of my attendance as delegate from the General Assembly of Pennsylvania to the American Legislators' Association. I feel highly honored at having been given permission to attend, and express my appreciation to the members of the Senate on that behalf. It would be too lengthy for me to go into details as to everything that was done. If there is any member of the Senate who desires that specific information, I will be glad to give it.

Nr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, after listening to the report of the Chairman of this Committee, it gives me pleasure to offer the following resolution, and move it be adopted.

Resolved, That the report of Senator Schantz as delegate to the Annual Meeting of the American Legislators' Association in Seattle, Washington, July 23, 1928, be accepted and approved.

Resolved, That we congratulate him upon being chosen Vice-President of this national body. His election is a credit to the Senate and an honor to our Commonwealth.

Resolved, That we commend him for the economy practiced by him on his trip and for leaving an unexpended balance of $193.53, of the appropriation of $1000.00, made for said purpose.

We hereby direct the Auditor General and State Treasurer to approve and pay the bill presented by him.

Resolved, That we urge a continuance by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, of its co-operation with the American Legislators' Association.

Resolved, That the report of Senator Schantz as said delegate, and these resolutions be printed in the Journal.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, in seconding the motion to adopt this resolution, I think the Senate may be interested to know that at these meetings the delegation from Pennsylvania was given the blue ribbon as being the most intelligent and perhaps the best looking of the delegates from any State.

The only explanation offered was that the salaries of the Pennsylvania legislators are higher than those of any other State of the Union. I never knew that before, but that is interesting.

Now, just a word more: We have, as you know, a Commission on Uniform Legislation. Judge Hargest is a member, and Mr. Schnader and Mr. William Draper Lewis, I think; and they meet coincidentally with this Association, and they have been trying for years to get uniform legislation on various subjects; and they fell down because they have no vote. As an illustration, on the subject of divorce, if the delegates to the American Legislators' Association agree to a uniform law they can put it across, whereas Judge Hargest and the others cannot put it across because they have no vote; and I put that as a matter of interest to this Senate.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from his Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were laid upon the table.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 42.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments to the foregoing bills, and that a committee of conference be appointed to confer with a similar committee of the House (if the House shall appoint such committee) to consider the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. Krause, Frazier and Mansfield be said committee on the part of the Senate and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 263.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 263, Printer's No. 983, White File Folio 5599, entitled "An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled 'An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes direcing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties' be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment

Ordered That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House of Representatives, which was twice read as follows, considered and agreed to:

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1663, Printer's No. 1410, File Folio 8679, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Chair cleared his table and laid before the Senate, communications in writing from His Excellency the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 465.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the Senate and House, recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 465, file folio 6797, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 465.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberation of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instruction as they may require.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. SORDINI. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out the words "in the several counties of this Commonwealth."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection. The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 786.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the Senate and House, recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 786, file folio 2161, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 786.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I voted "aye".

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend page 1, line 1, of the title, by striking out at the end of the line the word "Compensation" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Insurance"; also line 8, by striking out after the word "men's and before the word "Act" the word "Insurance"; and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Compensation".

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 536.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County

RECESS.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for ten minutes.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520..

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520.

Mr. SONES. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 520, entitled "An act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-nine), entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals, and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto,'" respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

R. S. QUIGLEY,
C. W. SONES,
H. B. SCOTT,
Committee on the part of the Senate

CLARENCE L. EDERER,
JOS. WASHINGTON,
PARIS E. EACHES,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1001 Bounties on Certain Animals A reward or bounty shall be paid for the killing within the Commonwealth only of the following animals For each Canada or bay lynx commonly called bobcat or wildcat fifteen dollars for each gray fox four dollars [and] for each weasel two dollars and for each goshawk killed within the Commonwealth between the first day of November and the first day of May of the next following year and shipped to the office of the Board at Harrisburg within thirty-six hours after killing five dollars

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the report?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz.
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RECESS.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 9 o'clock P. M.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO DEVISE WAYS AND MEANS OF FINANCING THE COMMONWEALTH.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WOODWARD offered the following resolution, which was twice read.

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Whereas, The estimate of the Budget Secretary is that the expenses of the Commonwealth for the fiscal biennium be-

ginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, will be approximately three hundred and forty million dollars and

Whereats, The present system of State taxation is evidencing the fact that it is inadequate and not flexible enough to provide sufficient revenues for such a large budget, therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate is hereby authorized to appoint three members of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby authorized to appoint four members of the House of Representatives who shall constitute a legislative committee which is authorized to devise ways and means of financing the Commonwealth in the future and to make report of their recommendations to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 39 which requires concurrent resolutions to be referred to an appropriate committee be suspended and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the resolution just read.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

On the question.

Will the Senate agree to the resolution?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1548.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1548, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, (Mr. Horace W. Schantz), announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both Houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws 479) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act,"

Senate Bill No. 425, entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the third class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks curbs gutters or sewers or make other improvements they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties

Senate Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 1259, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

Senate Bill No. 1308, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine as General Pulaski's Memorial Day

Senate Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An act authorizing municipalities other than townships to acquire by gift devise or bequest lands chattels securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital to appoint trustees of such property and funds subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties," by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof.

House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating, in counties of the second class, a salary board, prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof, also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 1867, enitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchanges, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 465.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 435, Printer's No. 796, File Folio No. 6797, entitled, "An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses' be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 786.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 786, 227 Printer's No., White File Folio 2161, entitled "An act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RETURNING TO THE GOVERNOR WITHOUT AMENDMENT SENATE BILL No. 22.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 22 entitled "An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania" be returned to the Governor without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 11.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 196.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 196, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 180.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 180, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five and four hundred and three of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 884.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 884, entitled:

An Act to amend section five, article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1043.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1043, entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1101.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1101, entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors prohibiting the manufacture advertising furnishing traffic in and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage

purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof defining intoxicating liquor providing for penalties forfeitures and the abatement of nuisances and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws" (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1464.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1464, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1521.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1521, entitled:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes, and persons to secure employment; providing for the licensing, registration, bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business; conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth, and of said Department; and prescribing penalties.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1598.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1598, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporatoin of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" as amended, reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors, administrators, or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1750.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1750, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with Counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes;" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons; copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock, company or association limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation, as active trustee, agen, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1915.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1915, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 27) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agricultural and horticultural from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2056.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2056, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2061.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2061, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise tax on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1856.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1856

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 1856, entitled: "An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of , one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, Act No.), entitled: 'An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all Liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens, and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers, and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act; providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits, and fixing penalties'; exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

CLARENCE J. BUCKMAN,
SAM'L W. SALUS,
FRANK E. BALDWIN,
Committee on the part of the Senate.
PHILIP STERLING,
PATRICK CONNER,
HARRY DITTER,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all Liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Comonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties "exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act aproved day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The Term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power except kerosene fuel oil and gas oil and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naptha benzol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations Provided however that kerosene fuel oil and gas oil used in motor vehicles shall be included within the definition of "liquid fuels"

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

(e) The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company

Section 2 If the proviso at the end of clause (a) of Section one of the act which this act amends should be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional the invalidity of said proviso shall not affect the other amendment of said clause which is effected by this act The General Assembly hereby declares that it would have passed this act omitting said proviso if it had been advised of the unconstitutionality thereof at the time this act was passed

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 1283 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR,

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading was

reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 14, by striking out the word "aid" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Aid"; also line 16, by striking out the word "not" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nor".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted 'aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 1076 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1076, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were considered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend page 4, by inserting after line 13, the following: "Section 4 For carrying out the purposes of this act the sum of $25,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the Department of Forests and Waters

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1257.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House insists upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petition providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments to the foregoing bill, and that a committee of conference be appointed to confer with a similar committee of the House, (if the House shall appoint such committee), to consider the difference existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. McClure, Kunkle and Weingartner, be said committee on the part of the Senate, and that the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1139 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An act to amend sections twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1142 RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The votes had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

RECESS.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for fifteen minutes.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Seante will be in order

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 11.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 11, file folio 6821, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 11.

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FRAZIER. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. PRINCE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by removing the dark-faced brackets from before and after the word "or"; also line 5, by striking out the word "of"; also line 5, by inserting after the word "county" the following: "or any township"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "highway" the following: "or whenever any township or any county and township has heretofore constructed any reinforced concrete township reward road"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "highway" the following: "or township reward road."

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

The amendments were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended be printed for the use of the Senate

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING FROM THE GOVERNOR SENATE BILL No. 196.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the Senate and House recalling from the Governor Senate Bill No. 196, file folio 6793, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL No. 196.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 196, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising, amending, and consolidating the laws relating to borough," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

passed finally.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The PRESIDENT. How did the Senator vote?

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I voted "aye."

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Canals and Inland Navigation.

Mr. SORDONI. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representativs for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 42, entitled: "An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing, regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business, respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

THAD. S. KRAUSE,
BERTRAM G. FRAZIER,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

ARNOLD M. BLUMBERG,
MORTON WITKIN,
ROBERT G. KLECKNER,
Committee on the Part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pensylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as the Real Estate Brokers License Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 2 (a) The term "real estate broker" shall include all persons co-partnerships associations and corporations foreign and domestic who for another and for a fee commission or other valuable consideration shall sell exchange purchase or rent or shall negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall hold himself or themselves out as engaged in the business of selling exchanging purchasing or renting of any real estate interest in real estate the property of another whether the same shall be located within the State of Pennsylvania or elsewhere or shall collect or offer or attempt to collect rental for the use of real estate the property of another or shall negotiate or offer or attempt to negotiate a loan secured or to be secured by mortgage or other encumbrance upon or transfer of any such real estate It shall also include any person copartnership association or corporation employed by the owner or owners of lots or other parcels of real estate at a stated salary or upon a commission or upon a salary and commission basis or otherwise to sell such real estate or any parts thereof in lots or other parcels and who shall sell or exchange or offer or attempt to negotiate the sale or exchange of any such lot or parcel of real estate One act in consideration of compensation by fee commission or otherwise of buying selling renting or exchanging any such real estate of or for another or attempting or offering so to do or negotiating a loan upon or leasing or renting or placing for rent any such real estate or collection of rent therefrom shall constitute prima facie evidence that the person copartnership association or corporation so acting or attempting to act is a real estate broker within the meaning of this act

(b) The term "real estate salesman" shall mean and include any person employed by a licensed real estate broker to sell or offer for sale to buy or offer to buy or to negotiate the purchase sale or exchange of any real estate or interest in real estate the property of another or to negotiate a loan upon real estate or to lease or rent or offer to lease or rent or place for rent any such real estate

(c) Neither or the said terms "real estate broker" or "real estate salesman" shall be held to include within the meaning of this act any person firm association partnership or corporation who as owner shall perform any of the acts with reference to property owned by them nor any person holding in good faith a duly executed letter of attorney from the actual owner of any real estate authorizing the sale conveyance or leasing of such real estate for and in the name of such owner or the negotiating of any loan thereon nor shall they be held to include in any way attorneys at law and justices of the peace nor shall they be held to include any receiver trustee in bank-

ruptcy administrator or executor or any other person or corporation acting under the appointment or order of any court or as trustee under the authority of a will or deed of trust or any Banking institution operating under the Banking Laws of Pennsylvania

(d) The term "Department" shall mean the Department of Public Instruction of this Commonwealth

Section 3 The Department shall issue real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses under the provisions of this act and shall supervise and control all such licenses as hereinafter specifically provided

Section 4 (a) Copies of all records and papers or documents filed in the office of the Department and of all proceedings by or before the Department with the Department's action thereon and stenographic notes of testimony or other evidence submitted when certified under the seal of the Department shall be admitted to be read in evidence in all courts in this Commonwealth in all cases where the originals would be admissible in evidence under the provisions of this act Provided That in any proceeding the court having jurisdiction may on cause shown require the production of the original

(b) For every copy of paper filed with the Department in any proceedings before it the Department may charge such fees as it may by general rule or regulation prescribe not exceeding twenty-five cents (25c) per folio

Section 5 Neither the Superintendent of Public Instruction nor any deputy clerk or other employe of the Department shall directly or indirectly wilfully exhibit publish divulge or make known to any person or persons any record report statement letter or any other matter fact or thing contained among the papers documents or records of said Department or ascertain from any of the same or from any investigation or proceedings made or held under the provisions of this act by or before the Department or any of its deputies excepting in such manner as is expressly authorized by this act and excepting when the production of such information in a proceeding in any court is duly required by subpoena issued by special order of the court or other regular process any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor upon conviction whereof the person so offending shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand ($1.000) dollars

Provided however That the provisions of this section shall not apply to any ruling or decision of the Department with the record relative thereto and upon which the same was founded which ruling or decision shall have been duly made and entered under and in accordance with the provisions of this act after investigation and or hearing as hereinafter provided All such records shall immediately upon the entry of such ruling or decision become public records of the Department subject to inspection by any person interested

Section 6 From and after January 1 1930 it shall be unlawful for any person copartnership association or corporation to engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without first obtaining a license as a real estate broker or real estate salesman from the Department

Section 7 (a) It shall be the duty of the Department upon payment of license fees required by this act to issue licenses as real estate broker or real estate salesman to all individuals and as real estate broker alone to all copartnerships associations and corporations who shall be duly qualified under and shall comply with the provisions of this act

(b) Applications for licenses as real estate broker shall be made in writing to the Department upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant or when the application is made by a copartnership association or a corporation as to its members or officers as the Department shall require The application shall be signed by the applicant and shall be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two citizens not related to the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation to any member or officer thereof who shall be owners of real estate within and residents of the county in which the applicant resides or has his their or its place of business certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or association or corporation its members or officers by name and recommending that a license be granted the applicant If the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation any of its members or officers shall have resided or shall have engaged in business for less than one year in the county from which the application is made such application shall also be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two (2) real estate owners not related to the applicant of each of the counties where he or each of such members or officers has formerly resided or engaged in business during the said period of one year prior to the filing of such application certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or its members or officers by name and recommending that the license be granted Where the applicant for a real estate broker's license maintains more than one place of business within the Commonwealth he shall be required to apply for and procure a duplicate license for each branch office so maintained by him such duplicate license to be issued with an additional charge of two dollars and fifty cents for each additional office or place of business Every such application shall state the name of the person copartnership association or corporation and the location of the place or places of business for which such license is desired and the license shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(c) Application for license as real estate salesman shall be made in writing to the Department signed by the applicant setting forth the period of time during which he has been engaged in the business stating the name of the last employer and the name and place of business of the person firm copartnership association or corporation then employing him or into whose employ he is then about to enter All applications shall be made upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant in addition to the above prescribed as the Department shall require The application shall be accompanied by the recommendation of his employer or prospective employer certifying that the applicant is honest truthful and of good repute and recommending that such license be granted All such licenses shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(d) Authority to transact business as a real estate broker or real estate salesman under any license issued by the Department shall be restricted to the person named in such license and shall not inure to the benefit of any other person or persons whatsoever Where a real estate broker's license shall be issued to a corporation or association authority to transact business thereunder shall be limited to one officer of such corporation or association to be designated in the application and named in the license Each other officer of such association or orporation desiring to at as a real estate broker in connection with the business of the said association or corporation or otherwise shall be required to make application for and take out a separate license in his or her own name individually Where the licensee is a copartnership the license issued to such copartnership shall confer authority to act as real estate broker upon one member of such copartnership only who shall be designated in the application and named in the license all the other members of such copartnership shall be required to apply for and take out individual licenses in their own names

(e) A non-resident of this State may be licensed as a real estate broker or a real estate salesman upon complying with all the provisions and conditions of this act relative to resident brokers and salesmen

(f) In connection with the application of a non-resident of this State for a license as Real Estate Broker or Real Estate Salesman the Department may accept in lieu of the recommendations and statements otherwise required to accompany the application for such license the license as real estate broker or real estate salesman issued to such applicant by the proper authority of the State of his domicile upon the payment by the applicant of the proper license fee and the filing with the Department of a duly certified copy of the license issued to such applicant by such other state In such case the licensee shall not be required to maintain a definite place of business within this State provided that he if a broker shall maintain an active place of business within the State of his domicile Provided however and it is hereby expressly stipulated that the provisions of this sub-paragraph "(g)" of Section 7 of this act shall only apply to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of those states under the laws of which similar recognition and courtesies are extended to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of this State Provided further that every non-resident

applicant shall file an irrevocable consent that suits and actions may be commenced against such applicant in the proper court of any county of this State in which a cause of action may arise in which the plaintiff may reside by the service of any process or pleading authorized by the laws of this State on the Department said consent stipulating and agreeing that such service of such process or pleadings on the Department shall be taken and held in all courts to be as valid and binding as if due service had been made upon said applicant personally within the State Said instrument containing such consent shall be authenticated by the seal thereof if a corporation or by the acknowledged signature of a member or officer thereof if otherwise All such applications except from individuals shall be accompanied by the duly certified copy of the resolution of the proper officers or managing board authorizing the proper officer to execute the same In case any process or pleadings mentioned in the case are served upon the Department it shall be by duplicate copies one of which shall be filed in the office of the Department and the other immediately forwarded by registered mail to the main office of the applicant against which said process or pleadings are directed

Section 8 The fees to be charged by and paid to the Department by Licensees for all licenses issued shall be as follows

(1) For each real estate broker's license a fee of ten dollars ($10.00) Provided That there shall be an additional license fee of two and one-half ($2.50) dollars for each additional office or place of business

(2 For each license as real estate broker issued to an officer of a corporation or association or member of a copartnership other than the officer or member named in the license issued to such association corporation or copartnership a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(3) For each real estate salesman's license a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(4) Provided however that for any and all licenses issued subsequently to the first day of July in any year the license fee charge shall be but one-half of the annual license fee as respectively above prescribed The fees herein prescribed for real estate broker's and real estate salesman's license shall be in addition to any and all other license fees or license taxes imposed or to be imposed upon real estate brokers and real estate salesmen by this Commonwealth or any subdivision thereof

Section 9 (a) Every person copartnership association or corporation licensed as a real estate broker under the provisions of this act shall be required to have and maintain a definite place of business within the Commonwealth which shall serve as his their or its office for the transaction of business under the authority of the said license and where the license shall be prominently displayed The said place of business shall be specified in the application for license and designated in the license and no license issued under the authority of this act shall authorize the licensee to transact business from any office other than that designated in the license unless notice in writing shall be given within ten days to the Department of any change of business location designating the new location of such office whereupon the Department shall forthwith issue a new license for the new location for the unexpired period without charge The change of the specified business location without notification to the Department shall automatically cancel the license thereofore issued

(b) All real estate brokers shall also prominently display in their place or places of business the licenses of all real estate salesmen employed by them therein or in connection therewith All licenses issued to real estate salesmen shall designate the employer of such salesmen by name Prompt notice in writing within ten (10) days shall be given to the Department by the real estate salesmen of any change of employer and of the name of the new employer into whose service such salesman is about to enter or has entered and a new license shall thereupon be issued without charge by the Department to such salesmen for the unexpired term of the original license provided that such new employer shall be a duly licensed real estate broker The change of employer or employment by any licensed real estate salesman without notice to the Department as aforesaid shall automatically cancel the license to him theretofore issued and it shall be the duty of the employer named in such license to notify the Department promptly of any such change of employer or employment

Section 10 (a) The Department may upon its own motion and shall promptly upon the verified complaint in writing of any person setting forth specifically the wrongful act or acts complained of investigate any action or business transaction of any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman and shall have the power temporarily to suspend or permanently to revoke licenses theretofore issued by the Department under the provisions of this act at any time when after due proceedings as hereinafter provided it shall find the holder thereof to have been guilty in the performance or attempt to perform any of the acts prohibited to others than licensed real estate brokers or real estate salesmen under the provisions of this act

(1) Of knowingly making any substantial misrepresentation or

(2) Of knowingly making any false promise of a character likely to influence persuade or induce or

(3) Of a continued or flagrant course of misrepresentation or making of false promises through agents or salesmen or

(4) Of any other conduct whether of the same or of a different character than that hereinbefore specified which shall constitute a tort or when it shall be shown that the licensee within five years prior to the issuance of the license then in force has been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of this or any other state of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses

(b) Before refusing suspending or revoking any license the Department shall in writing notify the applicant or licensee of the charges against him accompanying the notice with a copy of the complaint if any filed and the Department shall accord the applicant or licensee ample opportunity to be heard thereon in person or by counsel If the applicant or licensee shall so desire the Department shall grant a hearing upon such charges to be held on not less than ten (10) days prior notice in writing to the applicant or licensee given and shall furnish licensee at the time of giving the said notice with copies of any and all communications reports affidavits and dispositions in the possession of the Department touching or relating to the matter in question At such hearing the applicant or licensee shall be entitled to examine either in person or by counsel any and all persons complaining against him and as well all other witnesses whose testimony is relied upon to substantiate the charges made He shall also be entitled to present such evidence oral and written as he may see fit and as may be pertinent to the inquiry The said hearings may be held by the Department or any member thereof or by any of its duly authorized deputies or by any other person duly deputized by the Department for such purpose in any particular case and they shall be held if the applicant or licensee so desires within the county where the applicant's or licensee's principal place of business is situated At such hearings all witnesses shall be duly sworn by the duly authorized deputies general or special before whom the hearing is held and stenographic notes of the proceedings shall be taken and filed as part of the record in the cause Any party to the proceedings desiring it shall be furnished with a copy of such stenographic notes upon the payment to the Department of such fee as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe therefor not exceeding however twenty-five cents per folio

(c) The refusal of the Department to issue any license after application properly made and compliance by the applicant with the requirements of this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County upon petition for writ of mandamus or other appropriate remedy with the right of appeal to the applicant as in other and similar cases

(d) The decision of the Department in suspending or revoking any license issued under this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County The Department shall maintain in its main office a public docket or other record in which it shall record from time to time as made the rulings or decisions upon all complaints filed with it and all investigations instituted by it in the first instance upon or in connection with which any such hearing shall have been had or in which the licensee charged shall have made no defense The Department shall also give immediate notice in writing of such ruling or decision to the

licensee affected thereby and as well where the investigation shall have been instituted by complaint filed to the party or parties by whom the complaint was made If such ruling shall be to the prejudice of or shall injuriously affect the licensee the Department shall also state in said notice the date upon which the said ruling or decision shall become effective if not theretofore appealed from and such date shall not be less than thirty (30) days from and after the date of the said notice If the licensee cannot at such time be found his whereabouts being then unknown such notice may be given by the Department by advertisement inserted in one issue of a newspaper of general circulation published within the county where was located the principal office of the licensee as designated in the license

Such ruling or decision of the Department shall be final when in favor of the licensee and in dismissal of the complaint filed if any If against the licensee or in any way to the licensee's injury or prejudice the licensee may at any time prior to the date fixed by the Department in its said notice as the date it shall become effective appeal from such decision to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County by serving upon the Department written notice of such appeal Such service shall be made either by filing the said notice of appeal in the office of the Department or by delivering the same to the deputy whether general or special before whom the hearing in the case was had

Within thirty (30) days after the service of such notice of appeal the Department shall file with the prothonotary of the said court of common pleas a transcript of the record of the proceedings in its office duly certified over the Seal of the Department which record shall include all papers on file with the Department affecting or relating to the inquiry or investigation conducted by the Department and all the evidence taken in the said hearing including the stenographic notes of testimony Notice of the filing of the said transcript with the term and number to which filed shall be forthwith given by the Department to the licensee and as well to the party or parties if any upon whose complaint the proceedings before the Department were instituted The cost of the said transcript at twenty-five cents per folio and one dollar for certification shall be entered as part of the record costs in the cause to be paid as the said court may direct In all proceedings upon such appeal the Department of Justice shall appear for and represent the Commonwealth

The appeal shall thereupon be heard in due course by the judge or judges of the said court of common pleas without a jury by whom the proceedings before the Department its findings and rulings shall be given similar weight force and effect as are accorded to the findings and report of a referee selected or appointed under the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to provide for the submission of civil cases by agreement of the parties to a referee learned in the law" approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and its supplements The court may however in its discretion receive and consider any additional pertinent evidence whether oral or written either in open court or by deposition as the said court shall direct and the decision of the Department shall be reviewed in the light of such evidence provided the Court shall order a trial by jury upon demand of any appellant

(e) The order or ruling of the Department in any such proceeding shall become of full force and effect upon the date fixed by the Department in the said notice by it given thereof to the parties thereto unless notice of appeal therefrom shall prior to said date be duly served upon the Department as hereinbefore provided If an appeal shall be so taken such an appeal shall act as supersedeas until ten (10) days from and after the date of the filing of the transcript by the Department in the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and notice thereof by it given to the licensee but not longer unless the said Court of Common Pleas shall upon motion of the licensee grant an order of supersedeas in which case the appeal shall be heard by the said court and its decision entered within thirty (30) days after the granting of such order of supersedeas An appeal shall lie from the decision of the said Court of Common Pleas to the Superior Court but no such appeal shall operate as a supersedeas unless made so by special order of the Appellate Court

Section 11 (a) In all proceedings before the Department and as well in all proceedings upon appeal from any of its decisions the record or a duly certified or exemplified copy thereof in any proceedings at law or in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged or under investigation shall have been a party shall be admissible where the issue of fact involved in such proceedings are pertinent to the inquiry before the Department and the verdict of the jury or judgment of the court in any such action at law or the decree of the court in any such proceeding in equity shall be prima facie as to the facts at issue in such proceeding and necessarily adjudicated therein So also the verdict of the jury in any criminal prosecution in a court of record of this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged shall have been the defendant shall be conclusive as to the facts charged and at issue in such prosecution

(b) Where during the term of any license issued by the Department the licensee shall be convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses and a duly certified or exemplified copy of the record in such proceeding shall be filed with the Department the Department shall revoke forthwith the license by it theretofore issued to the licensee so convicted

(c) In the event that any licensee shall be indicted in this or any other State for forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses and a certified copy of the indictment be filed with the Department or other proper evidence thereof be to it given the Department shall have authority in its discretion to suspend the license issued to such licensee pending trial upon such indictment

(d) In the event of the revocation or suspension of the license issued to any member of a copartnership or to any officer of an association or corporation the license issued to such copartnership association or corporation shall be revoked by the Department unless within a time fixed by the Department where a copartnership the connection therewith of the member whose license has been revoked shall be severed and his interest in the copartnership and his share in its activities brought to an end or where an association or corporation the offending officer shall be discharged and shall have no further participation in its activities

(e) Pending an investigation or proceeding before the Department affecting any licensee and as well pending final decision upon any appeal taken by a licensee from the ruling of the Department no new license shall be issued to such licensee or to a copartnership of which he is a member or employee or to an association or corporation of which he shall be an officer or employee except for the period of such investigation or proceeding and subject to the action of the Department thereon or therein

(f) After the revocation of any license no new license shall be issued to the same licensee within a period of one year from and after the date of such revocation nor at any time thereafter except in the sole discretion of the Department

(g) No license shall be issued by the Department to any person known by it to have within five (5) years theretofore convicted of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses or to any copartnership of which such person is a member or to any association or corporation of which said person is an officer or employe or in which as a stockholder such person has or exercises a controlling interest either directly or indirectly

Section 12 Any person copartnership association or corporation who shall after the first day of January nineteen hundred and thirty engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without a license or shall carry on or continue business after the suspension or revocation of any such license to him or it issued or shall employ any person as a real estate salesman to whom a license as real estate salesman has not been issued or whose license as such shall have been revoked or suspended shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced for the first offense to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars ($50) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100) and for a second and any subsequent offense shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) nor more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) or un-

dergo imprisonment for a period of not more than one (1) year or both in the discretion of the court

Section 13 (a) The Department and each of its duly authorized assistants and deputies and as well any special deputy appointed by it to hold a hearing in any particular case shall have power to administer oaths and to issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers In any hearing in any part of the Commonwealth the process issued by the Department shall extend to all parts of the Commonwealth and such process shall be served either in like manner as are served writs of subpoena in the Court of Common Pleas or by any such person designated by the Department for such purpose The person serving such process shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by the Department not to exceed the fee prescribed by law for similar services in the courts of common pleas and such fees shall be paid in the same manner as provided herein for the fees of witnesses subpoenaed at the instance of the Department All witnesses who shall be subpoenaed and who shall appear in any proceeding before the Department shall receive the same fees and mileage as allowed by law to witnesses in the Court of Common Pleas which amount shall be paid by the party at whose instance the subpoena was issued or upon whose behalf the witness has been called When any witness who has not been subpoenaed at the instance of any party to the proceeding shall be subpoenaed at the instance of the Department or its assistant or deputies general or special the fees and mileage of such witness shall be paid from the funds appropriated to the use of the said Department in the same manner as other expenses of the Department are paid

(b) Where in any proceeding before the Department any witness shall fail or refuse to attend upon subpoena issued by the Department or any of its assistants or deputies general or special or appearing shall refuse to testify or shall refuse to produce any books and papers the production of which is called for by the subpoena the attendance of such witness and the giving of his testimony and the production of the books and papers required shall be enforced by any court of common pleas of this Commonwealth in like manner as are enforced the attendance and testimony of witnesses before commissioners appointed by any court of the United States or of any other State to examine or take the testimony of witnesses within this Commonwealth

(c) The court of common pleas of any county shall upon the application of the Department issue commissions or letters rogatory to other States for the taking of evidence there for use in any proceeding before the Department The Department shall make such application at the instance of any party to the proceeding before it unless in the opinion of the Department such application is made for the purpose of delay Any such party shall be entitled as of right to subpoenas from the Department directed to such witnesses and for the production of such books and papers as the party may desire

Section 14 No violation of any of the provisions of this act on the part of any real estate salesman or other employee of any licensed real estate broker shall be ground for the revocation of the license of the employer of such salesman or employee unless it shall appear upon the hearing had that such employer had guilty knowledge of such violation A course of dealing shown to have been persistently and consistently followed by such employee shall constitute prima facie evidence of such knowledge upon the part of his employer

Section 15 (a) It shall be unlawful for any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman to pay any compensation in money or other valuable thing to any person other than a licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman for the rendering of any service or the doing of any of the acts by this act forbidden to be rendered or performed by other than licensees

(b) No real estate salesman shall accept or receive compensation of any kind from any person other than the licensed real estate broker by whom he is employed for any service rendered or work done by such salesman in buying selling exchanging leasing or negotiating a loan upon real estate or interest therein

(c) The violation of the provisions of this section by any licensee shall be sufficient cause for the suspension or revocation of his license in the discretion of the Department

Section 16 No action or suit shall be instituted nor recovery therein be had in any court of this Commonwealth by any person copartnership association or corporation for compensation for any act done or service rendered the doing or rendering of which is prohibited under the provisions of this act to others than licensed real estate brokers unless such person copartnership association or corporation was duly licensed hereunder as real estate broker at the time of the doing of such act or the rendering of such service

Section 17 The Department may act by a majority vote of the members thereof and authority is hereby given to the Department to adopt fix and establish all rules and regulations in its opinion necessary for the conduct of its business the holding of hearings before it and its deputies and otherwise generally for the carrying out of the provisions of this act

Section 18 If any section subsection sentence clause phrase or requirement of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act each section subsection sentence clause phrase and requirement thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections subsections sentences clauses phrases or requirements be declared unconstitutional

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Dalx,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representativs for concurrence.

BILL SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bill had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts, in which advances of money, repayable on demand, are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive, or to contract to receive, in writing, and collect as compensation, any sum to be agreed upon.

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

Mr. FAY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:
tives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Represntatives for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 197, entitled: "An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens, and to make uniform the law relating thereto," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

FRANK FAY,
H. B. SCOTT,
JOHN E. KUNKLE,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

W. F. STADTLANDER,
EDWARD J. ZINN,
C. W. STAUDENMEIER,
Committee on the Part of the House of Representatives.

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and Certificates discharging such liens shall be filed by the collector of internal revenue in the office of the prothonotary of the county or counties in this State within which the property subject to such lien is situated

Section 2 When a notice of such tax lien is filed the prothonotary shall forthwith enter the same in an alphabetical Federal Tax Lien Index showing on one line the name and the residence of the taxpayer named in such notice the collector's serial number of such notice the date and hour of filing and the amount of tax with the interest penalties and costs He shall file and keep all original notices so filed in numerical order in a file or files and designated Federal Tax Lien Notices

Section 3 When a certificate of discharge of any tax lien issued by the collector of Internal Revenue or other proper officer is filed in the office of the prothonotary where the original notice of lien is filed said prothonotary shall enter the same with date of filing in said Federal Tax Lien Index on the line where notice of the lien so discharged is entered and permanently attach the original certificate of discharge to the original notice of lien

Section 4 Said Federal Tax Lien Index and file or file for said Federal Tax Lien Notices shall be furnished to the prothonotary of each county in this State in the manner now provided by law for the furnishing of books in which deeds are recorded

Section 5 This act is passed for the purpose of authorizing the filing of notices of liens in accordance with the provisions of section three thousand one hundred and eighty-six of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended

Section 6 This act shall be so interpreted and construed as to effectuate its general purpose to make uniform the law of those states which enact it

Section 7 This act may be cited as the Uniform Federal Tax Lien Registration Act

Section 8 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RECESS.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for one hour.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE (Mr. Horace W. Schantz), in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO DEVISE WAYS AND MEANS OF FINANCING THE COMMONWEALTH.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, informed the Senate that the House has concurred in Resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Whereas, The estimate of the Budget Secretary is that the expenses of the Commonwealth for the fiscal biennium beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, will be approximately three hundred and forty million dollars, and

Whereas, The present system of State taxation is evidencing the fact that it is inadequate and not flexible enough to provide sufficient revenues for such a large budget; therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate is hereby authorized to appoint three members of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby authorized to appoint four members of the House of Representatives, who shall constitute a legislative committee which is authorized to devise ways and means of financing the Commonwealth in the future, and to make report of their recommendations to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 457.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948), entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1232.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1232, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1489.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1489, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1504.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1504, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1551.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureaus providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1661.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1661, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2060.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2060, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2088.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2088, entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 2296

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 155.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 155, entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1532.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1532, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1536.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has con-

curred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1533, entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation, providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of tractors and trailers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers; imposing penalties, imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1531.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1531, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1623.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No 1623, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1937.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1937, entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1944

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1944, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1945.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1945, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes modifying time for filing tax reports and transferring certain tax to the Department of Revenue and Auditor General

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1946.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1946, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight passengers baggage or oil or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1955.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1955, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work at the site of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of said new institution

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Represen-

tatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 2099.

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 2099.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considring House Bill No. 2099, entitled: "An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue, and repealing all laws general, special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith,'" respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

FRANK E. BALDWIN,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

THOMAS B. WILSON,
E. P. BROWN,
HARRY E. HIMES.
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

ARTICLE XX

State [Normal Schools] Teachers Colleges

Section 2001 There shall be thirteen [Normal School] State Teachers College Districts in this Commonwealth as now provided and one State [Normal School] Teachers College in each district

Delaware Chester Bucks and Montgomery Counties shall be the first [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College in West Chester shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lancaster York and Lebanon Counties shall be the Second [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Millersville shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Berks Schuylkill and Lehigh Counties shall be the Third [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Kutztown shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Northampton Carbon Monroe Pike Luzerne Lackawanna and Wayne Counties shall be the Fourth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers Collaege at East Stroudsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Wyoming Sullivan Susquehannan Bradford Lycoming and Tioga Counties shall be the Fifth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Mansfield shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Dauphin Northumberland Columbia Montour Union Snyder Perry Juniata and Mifflin Counties shall be the Sixth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College of this district

Cumberland Adams Franklin Fulton Bedford Huntingdon and Blair Counties shall be the Seventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Shippensburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Centre Clinton Clearfield Elk Potter and Cameron Counties shall be the Eighth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Lock Haven shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Cambria Indiana Armstrong and Westmoreland Counties shall be the Ninth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Indiana shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Washington Fayette Greene and Somerset Counties shall be the Tenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at California shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Allegheny Butler and Beaver Counties shall be the Eleventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Slippery Rock shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lawrence Mercer Venango Crawford and Erie Counties shall be the Twelfth State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Edinboro shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Jefferson Clarion Forest Warren and McKean Counties shall be the Thirteenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Clarion shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Section 2002 The [State Normal Schools] Colleges shall be a part of the public school system of the Commonwealth and their purpose the education and [training] preparation of teachers The colleges shall provide proper facilities for instruction in the art and science of teaching for the boarding and lodging of students in residence and other necessary facilities approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 2003 No religious test or qualification shall be erquired to entitle anyone to become a trustee professor teacher or student in any college

Section 2004 Each college shall provide practice teaching facilities so organized and alministered that the students of the college shall acquire therein a practical knowledge of the art of teaching under the instruction and supervision of their proper teachers It shall be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district in this Commonwealth to enter into an agreement between such board of trustees and board of school directors by which all or part of the pupils of such school district may be instructed in the Training School in such college upon terms mutually agreeably to the board of trustees and the board of school directors concerned It shall also be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district or districts to enter into an agreement upon terms mutually satisfactory in accordance with which all or part of the classes of such district or districts may be available for practice teaching facilities for the students of such college Such action of the said school district or school districts and the boards of trustees of such colleges shall be entered respectively upon the minutes of the said respective boards

and must be approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the college to and from the place or places where such practive teaching facilities are available

Section 2005 The Board of Presidents of the State Teachers Colleges shall consist of the presidents of the several colleges The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be the chairman and the Secretary of the State Council of Education shall be the secretary ex-officio thereof The board shall formulate the educational policies of the Colleges It shall meet annually in the City of Harrisburg and may meet more frequently and at other places by resolution of the Board or on the call of the Superintendent of Public Instruction A majority of all members of the Board shall constitute a quorum and any action favored by a majority of the members shall when approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction be binding upon all of the colleges

Section 2006 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall prescribe and conduct such examinations of students in the several colleges as he may deem necessary to determine and fix the standards of instruction in and of graduation from any of the curriculums of said colleges Each graduate from a college shall receive such a Normal School Certificate or College Diploma as the State Council of Education shall prescribe A Normal School Certificate shall be accepted as full evidence of the qualifications of the holder thereof to teach two annual full school terms in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examinations such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a holder of the College Diploma a Provisional College Certificate entitling him to teach for three annual school terms in any public elementary or secondary school in this Commonwealth without further examination such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education.

Section 2007 A holder of a State Normal School certificate who after graduation from college has taught for two school terms in the public elementary schools of this Commonwealth and who presents a certificate of good moral character and of successful teaching for two school terms from the board or boards of school directors in whose employment he has taught countersigned by the proper superintendent or superintendents shall be granted a State Normal School Diploma by the College from which he was graduated signed by the same officers who sign the State Normal School certificates from such college which diploma shall be received as full evidence of his qualifications to teach any of the subjects set forth in his State Normal School certificate or diploma in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examination

Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are residents of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there in insufficient room for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail

Section 2011 It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had this article number twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges not been included therein and that if said article twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges or any part thereof is declared unconstitutional the remainder of this act shall continue in full force and effect

Section 2012 Definitions The word "college" or "colleges" where used in this article shall apply to State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers now existing and such other State Teachers Colleges and State Teachers Training Schools as may hereinafter be created or constituted by in and for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 2 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Hufiman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1956,

Mr. BALDWIN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1956.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Confernce on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 1956, entitled: "An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended, and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue, and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith,' providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education, and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions, respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

FRANK E. BALDWIN,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

THOMAS B. WILSON,
E. P. BROWN,
HARRY E. HIMES.
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend Sections one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Section one hundred one of an Act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and one of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 101 Each city incorporated town borough or township in this Commonwealth now existing or hereafter created shall constitute a separate school district to be designated and known as the "School District of....." except that where such city incorporated town borough township or a part of the school district remaining after its separation would constitute a fourth class school district in which case it shall remain a part of the school district to which it formerly belonged unless or until the change to a new school district is approved by the State [Board] Council of Education as hereinafter provided [In determining whether or not such approval shall be given the State Board of Education shall investigate the necessity therefor and take into consideration the welfare of the pupils and taxpayers of such proposed new school district as well as the effect upon the existing school districts] Where any school district shall so be constituted of two or more municipal divisions the auditors or the controllers of the cities boroughs towns or townships last created and which do not form a separate school district shall meet annually with the auditors of the school district and participate in the audit of the school accounts and such auditors or controller shall have the same rights and powers as are conferred by this act upon the auditors of school accounts Any two or more school districts as herein constituted may by a majority vote of the electors of each of said districts affected and in the manner hereinafter provided be formed into a union school district The several school districts thus established and formed shall be and hereby are divided into four classes as follows

Section 2 That section one hundred sixteen of said act which was amended by the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections one hundred one one hundred sixteen as amended one hundred seventeen two hundred twelve as amended and three hundred one as amended of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' and providing for the creation of union school districts and the government thereof by adding to article one sections one hundred twenty-seven one hundred twenty-eight one hundred twenty-nine and now one hundred thirty" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 116. Whenever a new school district [is] may be created by the creation of a new city borough township or independent school district or an existing school district of the fourth class is affected by the annexation to a city or borough or township of territory included within a school district of the fourth class or by the consolidation of two or more districts as a union district the clerk of the courts or other proper officer shall within ten days thereafter make a certified copy of the petition therefor agreement or ordinance and the decree or order creating such new city borough township or independent school district or union school district or of the decree of the court or vote of the electors effecting such annexation and mail the same to the Superintendent of Public Instruction Department of Public Instruction Harrisburg Pennsylvania Upon receipt of said certified copy which shall be deemed an application for the creation of a new school district of the fourth class or change in the boundaries of an existing school district of the fourth class the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall within sixty days thereafter cause the State Council of Education to be convened and said Council shall thereupon determine and consider such application If the newly created city incorporated town borough or township or independent school district or union school district or the part of a school district remaining after the separation would if the application is approved constitute a school district of the fourth class the State Council of Education shall determine whether such new school district or independent school district or union school district or change in the boundaries of an existing school district of the fourth class is necessary and whether the welfare of the pupils within the territory affected thereby will be promoted by the creation of such district or change in the boundaries of such existing district If the Council shall approve such application it shall certify its findings and its approval of such new district or change in such existing district thereon and transmit a certified copy thereof to the clerk of the courts or other proper officer from whom the application was received who shall file the same in such original proceedings If in the judgment of the Council the said application should not be granted it shall endorse thereon not approved and transmit a certified copy thereof to the clerk of the courts or other proper officer from whom the application was received who shall file the same in the original proceedings and thereafter such district from whose territory the newly created city borough or township or annexed territory was taken and which is no longer coterminous with an existing city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions shall constitute an independent school district Provided The State Council of Education may for cause shown upon subsequent application by ten taxables of a school district of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township vacate such refusal and may approve the creation of such new district of the fourth class or change in boundaries of an existing district of the fourth class and thereupon the same proceedings shall be had as herein provided upon the original application If such refusal is vacated and the application is approved the new city borough incorporated town or township will thereupon become a new school district of the fourth class or the school district of the fourth class remaining after such annexation shall constitute a separate school district as so changed

Section 3 That section two hundred ten is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 210 When a new school district [is] may hereafter be formed by the creation of a new city borough or township the court of common pleas having jurisdiction shall determine and enter in its decree the class of school districts to which such new district if formed shall belong and if of the first second or third class it shall thereupon become a new school district of such class and the court shall appoint a board of school directors for such new school district which shall serve until the first Monday of December next following the first municipal election occurring more than thirty (30) days after the formation of such new school district If the newly created city borough incorporated town or township would constitute a school district of the fourth class the court of common pleas having jurisdiction shall so certify and if and when the new school district is approved by the State Council of Education appoint a board of school directors which shall serve until the first Monday of December next following the first municipal election occurring more than thirty (30) days after the formation of such new school district If a new school district in said newly created city borough incorporated town or township or change in boundaries in an existing district of the fourth class is not approved by the State Council of Education and thereby the school district or districts affected by such proceedings no longer comprises the same territory or ceases to be coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions the district or districts so affected shall thereupon become independent school districts and the court shall enter its decree constituting the territory therein an independent school district and the school directors therein shall thereafter be chosen in the same manner as school directors for other independent school districts

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

MOTION TO READ BILLS THE FIRST TIME.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I move that the bills reported from committees at today's session be read the first time.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON FIRST READING.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the first reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1577, (House Bill No. 1609), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully" as amended extending its provisions to all cases not finaly adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board also when the adjudication is within said period.

And said bill having been read at length the first time.

Ordered, To be laid aside for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until 12.05 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 11.59 P. M., until 12.05 Thursday morning, April 18, 1929.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WEDNESDAY, April 17, 1929.

The House met at 11.00 o'clock A. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph.D., offered the following prayer:

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, early in the morning our songs shall rise to Thee.

We praise, magnify and glorify Thy holy name. We thank Thee for the passion of patriotism. We bless Thee for the foundation which was laid by our forefathers; which was laid upon the Rock of Ages which is the same yesterday, today and forever. We thank Thee for the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords, who was the greatest patriot of all patriots; who came into this world not to be ministered unto but to minister; who gave us the great example of sacrifice and service. So we pray this morning that Thou wilt bless this session which is nearing a close. O Lord we thank Thee for the fellowship during this session and for the harmony and unity; for the upbuilding of this great country of ours.

My country, 'tis of Thee; sweet land of liberty, of Thee I sing. We pray for the sick and the needy and the afflicted, the sorrowing and the dying; especially be Thou with those who are in affliction and distress and finally when Thou art done with us in this world do Thou own and save us in heaven through our Lord, Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mr. Yerg, seconded by Mr. Baily, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2407, (Senate Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L.

319), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2408, (Senate Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

An said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2409, (Senate Bill No. 1242), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment, therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2410, (Senate Bill No. 1286), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2411, (Senate Bill No. 1287), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2412, (Senate Bill No. 1296), entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2418, (Senate Bill No. 1479), entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant providing for the use and maintenance thereof and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2421, (Senate Bill No. 443), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2417, (Senate Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2422, (Senate Bill No. 1012), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

And said bill having been read at length the second time

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and sixty-one), entitled "An act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction and for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Geinett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Cicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudemeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2402, (Senate Bill No. 914), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2401, (Senate Bill No. 567), entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2392, (Senate Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2393, (Senate Bill No. 288), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvana.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2403, (Senate Bill No. 1085), entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments, or other questions, are submitted to the vote of the people.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2416, (Senate Bill No. 1337), entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2400, (Senate Bill No. 510), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

Thte rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2404, (Senate Bill No. 1134), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia and recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2395, (Senate Bill No. 1157), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2415, (Senate Bill No. 1336), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and seventy-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Phamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended extending the provisions of said act to boroughs towns and townships of the first class extending the same to include building drainage imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Health making further provisions for the administration of said act increasing certain fees and payments and providing increased penalties including imprisonment

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act further amending section one of an act entitled 'An act providing for the examination licensure and registration of persons firms or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage and prescribing certain rules regulations and requirements for the construction of plumbing house drainage and cesspools in cities of the second class and imposing fines penalties and forfeitures for violation thereof" approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one extending the provisions of said act to all cities of the third class" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 1 That from and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for any persons to carry on or work at the business of plumbing or house or building drainage in the cities of the second (and) or third class or in boroughs incorporated towns or townships of the first class of this Commonwealth until a certificate or license to engage in or work at said business shall have been granted said persons (by the Director of the Department of Public Safety or Department or Board or Bureau of Health of such cities) nor until they have registered as such (in the office of the Department or Board or Bureau of Health of said cities) as hereinafter provided

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill, which is not in proper form, be recommitted to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I rise in opposition to this motion to recommit. I understand that this bill is a bill that is advocated by the State Department of Health. Its purpose is to extend the present act applying in first and second class cities to townships of the first class. Whether the bill has merit, or whether the bill should meet with your disapproval, in view of the fact that it is a State department of health bill and coming up in the closing days of the Session, I think the motion to recommit would be out of order and that this bill should be allowed to come on the third reading calendar. The entire membership of the House would then have an opportunity of expressing its approval or disapproval. I believe that this bill is entitled to that courtesy and I would ask the members of this House to vote the motion down.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I seconded the motion that this bill be recommitted to the committee on Counties and Townships. A companion bill of the bill before us was offered in the House and the Committee postponed action on it indefinitely. Unfortunately this bill that came from the Senate was not referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships where it belonged and I therefore ask the members of the House to vote for the recommitment of this bill.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the reason given by the gentleman from Delaware, Mr. Talbot, that the bill should be recommitted because it was not referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships, certainly must appear as a very poor reason to the members of the House, everything considered and in view of the fact that we are now in the closing days of the session. Recommitting this bill now, and of course recommitting any bill today, means only one thing and that is the death of the bill. I think that we as members of this House should have enough manhood and womanhood to leave this bill go on the third reading calendar, and at least show sufficient courtesy to the Department of Health that they will at least believe that we are going to give them the same courteous consideration as has been given to other bills in this session. I can see absolutely no harm that can come to any man or woman in this House who registers approval or disapproval of this bill. If we have reached the stage in legislation where we are not going to have enough courage to vote our sentiments on the floor of this House, then I think that we have fallen on evil ways and days. I have no interest in this bill; I am not a plumber. I don't know anything about this bill except that the Department of Health has submitted it with its approval, and I believe we should consult their wishes in the matter. They should know the merits or the lack of merits in a bill and I have falth in their judgment, otherwise the bill would not be here today. I ask you to vote down the motion.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this bill as it is printed now is not in proper form.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in reply to the gentleman from Schuylkill, Mr. Staudenmeier, it seems to me from his explanation that this is a department bill and for that reason that we should go along with it, is worthy of some consideration on the part of the members of this House and because of that very argument, I ask you to recommit this bill.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I hate to take issue with either one of these two gentlemen. We have no assurance that this is a department measure and we never have had. I wish to call your attention to the fact that in February when the state association of cities and boroughs met here they went on record unanimously against this bill and likewise the association of first class townships are on record against this bill. It affects the boroughs and townships and no one else and therefore I hope you will put the bill back in the Committee on Counties and Townships where it rightfully belongs.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The Speaker declared the ayes appear to have it.

Whereupon, A division was called for and 84 members voting in the affirmative and 43 in the negative, the motion was agreed to and the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be reconsidered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2150, (Senate Bill No. 912), as follows:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as last amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hunderd thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 434 Rewards shall be granted by the Commonwealth for improvements only of the character herein set forth namely (a) For grading and draining a section of road not less than one-fourth mile in length (b) for graveling or cindering or using other approved materials on a graded and drained road not less than one-fourth mile in length (c) for constructing a road with broken stone base and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved material top not less than one-fourth mile in length [(d) for macadamizing a road or for constructing a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth miles in length] [(e)] (d) for a bituminous surface treated macadam Telford macadam or traffic bound road [(f)] (e) for constructing a bituminous surface of not less than one-fourth mile in length [(g)] (f) for the erection and construction of bridges of three feet or more span constructed of concrete or stone or a combination of concrete and stone or a steel bridge with a floor constructed of a material approved by the State Highway Department [(h)] (g) for the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes

Whenever any improvements of the character mentioned in this section have been completed by any township of the second class the State [will] shall pay as a reward the following sums namely One—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand six hundred dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed [one] three thousand [five] two hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed [three] four thousand eight hundred dollars per mile [Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars per mile] [Five] Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision [(e)] (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed [four] seven thousand [five] two hundred dollars per mile [Six] Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision [(f)] (e) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed [six] nine thousand six hundred dollars per mile [seven] Six—For bridges constructed under subdivision [(g)] (f) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bride when constructed by the supervisors [Eight] Seven—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision [(h)] (g) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provision for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payment are made under clause one

The aforesaid rewards shall be based upon roads the improvement of which shall be of a width of not less than sixteen feet and corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of reward shall be made as the width of the improved road is reduced or increased but no reward shall be paid for the improvement of any road of less width than twelve feet

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2406, (Senate Bill No. 1137), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2413, (Senate Bill No. 1304), entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2414, (Senate Bill No. 1333), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring

specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1918, as follows:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam by the Department of Labor and Industry and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in order to safeguard life and property within sixty days after this act shall take effect the Secretary of Labor and Industry of the Commonwealth shall establish a section in the Department of Labor and Industry to be known as The Steam Engine and Boiler Operators' License Section to consist of seven inspectors each of whom shall have been engaged for at least ten years in the occupation of engineer in charge of a steam plant or five years as engineer and five years as boiler inspector in the State of Pennsylvania

Section 2 That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to have charge of or to operate a steam boiler steam engine or portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam in the State of Pennsylvania except steam boilers steam engines or portable machinery operated in connection with anthracite coal mines unless said person or persons are upwards of twenty-one years of age and hold a license as hereinafter provided for and it shall be unlawful for any owner or owners user or users of any steam boiler or steam engine or portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam to cause or permit to be operated a steam boiler or steam engine or portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam by any person not duly licensed under this act

Section 3 The Secretary of Labor and Industry may adopt all necessary rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this act not inconsistent with the laws of this State or of the United States and shall prescribe rules for the examination and licensing of engineers in charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam and to prevent the use of such steam boilers and steam engines and other mechanical power unless the persons in charge shall hold such licenses Such regulations shall also specify the terms and conditions under which such licenses shall be issued or renewed and provide for the revoking or suspending for proper cause of any license issued at any time by the said Secretary of Labor and Industry All licenses issued shall be under the hand and seal of the Secretary of Labor and Industry and a record thereof kept of the same

Section 4 The provisions of this act shall not be construed to include or apply to any person in charge of or operating a steam boiler or steam engine under the control of the Government of the United States

Section 5 Within sixty days after the said section shall have been organized no person subject to the provisions of this act shall operate any steam boiler or steam engine nor operate any hoisting or portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam without having a license herein provided for except in case of emergency that has been accepted by the Department as such and then for no longer than ten day of which emergency the owner of such steam boiler or steam engine or mechanical power or the agent superintendent or manager in charge thereof shall promptly notify the Secretary of Labor and Industry in writing stating briefly the circumstances in connection with such emergency

Section 6 Application for a license under the provisions of this act shall be made on blanks to be provided for that purpose by the Secretary of Labor and Industry and shall state clearly the name residence age color and nationality of the applicant All applicants for engineer's license must be twenty-one years of age citizens of the United States and have not less than two years of practical experience on boilers and engines and the application must be signed by a present or past employer and by two licensed engineers who know of such experience

Section 7 The fee for such examination and license or license without examination shall be three dollars Licenses must be renewed each year within ten days of expiration and the fee for such renewal shall be three dollars Any license so issued may be revoked by the Secretary of Labor and Industry for incompetency neglect or intoxication upon duty after notice to the holder thereof and a hearing afforded him before the said Secretary of Labor and Industry In case such revocation by the said Secretary of Labor and Industry it shall not be effective until at least five days have elapsed in which time the holder of said license may ask for a rehearing before one inspector representing the Secretary of Labor and Industry one licensed engineer selected by the holder of said license and one other licensed engineer jointly by those two.

Section 8 No engineer in charge of any steam boiler or steam engine and no operator of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical other than steam at the time this act takes effect who has been in the the employ at least one year as such shall be required to take the examination required by this act if a written request by the owner of the boiler or engine upon which he is engaged or by the agent superintendent or manager of such owner shall be made for an exemption from examination within the time herein fixed for such examination Licenses so granted shall be graded into three classes

1 Licenses in Class one shall entitle licensees to have charge of or operate stationary steam boilers and steam engines

2 Licenses in Class two shall entitle licensees to have charge of or operate portable steam boilers and steam engines

3 Licenses in Class three shall entitle licensees to operate steam boilers as water tenders under the supervision of licensed engineers only

Section 9 The inspector shall have the authority and is hereby empowered to visit any and all engine rooms in the State at all hours It shall be the duty of every engineer to exhibit his license under glass in a conspicuous place in his engine or boiler room

Section 10 Any owner user or other person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations of the Department as herein provided for shall upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any alderman magistrate or justice of the peace for the first offense be penalized by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ten days and for each subsequent offense shall be penalized by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars and costs and upon non-payment thereof imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty days Each day's operation shall be a separate offense

Section 11 All fines collected under this act shall be forwarded to the Department of Labor and Industry who shall transmit the same together with all fees collected thereby to the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

Section 12 The sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) is hereby appropriated to the Department of Labor and Industry to be used for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act

Section 13 The provisions of this act are severable and if any of the provisions thereof are held unconstitutional the decision shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had such unconstitutional provision not been included therein

Section 14 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2420, (Senate Bill No. 1563), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2276, (Senate Bill No. 659), entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1868, as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a highway in Bedford County to the site of the marker erected in honor of Captain Phillips Scouts

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That there is hereby specifically appropriated to the Department of Highways the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a macadam highway from State Highway Route Number Twenty-six to the marker erected near Saxton in Bedford County in honor of Captain Phillips Scouts who was killed at the site in the Indian Massacre of July sixteenth one thousand seven hundred and eighty

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2424, (Senate Bill No. 714), entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The rule requiring bills to be considered in Committee of the Whole being in this case dispensed with,

The House proceeded to the second reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2180, (Senate Bill No. 940), entitled:

An Act regulating the location of cemeteries in townships conferring jurisdiction on the court of quarter sessions to grant or refuse permits therefor and providing penalties

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2321, (Senate Bill No. 1259), entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davidson,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2340, (Senate Bill No. 1335), entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities other than townships to acquire by gift device or bequest lands chattels securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital to appoint trustees of such property and funds subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees and to expend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.H.,2d.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witkin,
Evans	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—6.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2351, (Senate Bill No. 425), entitled:

An Act providing that when Cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Denne	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenhelm,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCallister,		

NAYS—1.

Donnell,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2390, (Senate Bill No. 9), as follows:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease, and the rate of said tax

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the author-

ity of the same That section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act each and every ton of anthracite coal of the weight of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds avoirdupois mined washed screened or otherwise prepared for market in this Commonwealth shall be made subject to a tax of one and one-half per centum (1½) to the thirty first day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine one per centum (1) for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty and one-half (½) of one per centum for the period beginning on the first day of June one thousand nine hundred thirty and ending on the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one of the value thereof when prepared for market which said tax shall be assessed at the time when said coal has been mined washed or screened and is ready for shipment or market After the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred thirty-one no tax shall be assessed on anthracite coal under the provisions of this act saving to the Commonwealth however the right to collect thereafter all taxes imposed or due and owing under the provisions of this act

Section 2 Nothing contained in this repeal shall be construed to prevent the collection of any tax duly collectable to the date when this repeal takes effect

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WELLS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to interrogate the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee.

The SPEAKER. Will the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, Mr. Sterling, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. STERLING. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. WELLS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to ask the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, if this committee has in anywise provided for revenue to take the place of the revenue that will be lost to the State of Pennsylvania by the passage of this act in the next two years?

Mr. STERLING. No. sir, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. WELLS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, if no other means have been provided for, I shall have to vote against this measure.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading.

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—160.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Grenet,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Grimes,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Gwynne,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Harkins,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Hart,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Harter,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hartzock,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haws,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Heffernan,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hefferon,	Moore D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Heffner,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Holmes,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Howe,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Burke,	Huester,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Jones,	Peck,	Tahl,
Catania,	Kahle,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Katz,	Pennock,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	King,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Peters,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Pethick,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Pitts,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Landis,	Powell,	White,
Denne,	Leidich,	Purucker,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Reed,	Williams, J. J.
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Reilly,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rhodes,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rice,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Richards, R.,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Yeakel,
Fox,	Marcus,	Root,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	Mathay,	Royle,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Hess,
Goehring,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Speaker.
Goodnough,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—10.

Clovis,	Himes,	Schrock,	Wells,
Donnell,	McKay,	Simon,	Williams, G. W.,
Fockler,	Reader,		

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. DAVIDSON. Mr. Speaker and ladies and gentlemen of the House, we have with us this morning a former member of this House who represented the district which Mr. Hagmaier and I have been trying to represent for the last two sessions, a man esteemed in his own town and in his own county and I believe in his own State; a man who has courage and a man who is not afraid to use that courage. It gives me great pleasure to present this morning Federal Judge Nelson McVicar of Tarentum.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints the gentlemen from Allegheny, Messrs. Davidson and Hagmaier, to escort Judge McVicar to the rostrum.

It affords the Chair extreme pleasure to introduce to the members of this House at this time a gentleman with whom the Chair has served for a number of sessions, a gentleman whom I have always held in the highest esteem, the Honorable Nelson McVicar of Allegheny, who is now a Federal Judge, He will now address you.

REMARKS BY THE HONORABLE NELSON McVICAR.

The HONORABLE NELSON McVICAR. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I have stood here such a few times that standing here at this particular time in the closing days of the session gives me a considerable feeling of fear.

It has been my pleasure and happiness to have served with the Honorable John W. Vickerman from the Thirteenth Legislative District of Allegheny County in this House for ten years, from 1914 to 1924. Permit me to say that those are among the happiest and probably are the happiest years of my life. During that time, Mr. Speaker, it has been my privilege to serve, as you have already mentioned, with your-

self, and as I look over the House and the list of the members I see quite a number that were here during the same time There are two former speakers of the House, Mr. Spangler of York County, and Mr. Goodnough of Cameron County. I also see a number of other old members, there is Mr. Williams of Tioga, and Mr. Flynn from Elk, and also a number of members from Philadelphia and Allegheny and other counties. The result of this acquaintanceship and the result of this association has made a friendship which has been impressed upon me. I feel now as I travel throughout this Commonwealth that everywhere I go there is some person in that community whom I know and whom I consider as a friend.

Also permit me to say this to you, and I know you don't want to hear speeches, you have heard many of them, but I do believe this, that to be a member of this House affords a great opportunity for public service that is really worth while; a service in supporting good, wise and wholesome legislation for a great Commonwealth such as we have here in Pennsylvania, and in the defeating of bad and vicious legislation. There is not much of it but generally some of it comes up in every session.

Just one other word and it seems to me that I learned this while I was here. The thought I have is that in this House you learn good sportsmanship. You know a good sport plays the game to win, he plays it fairly and he is a good winner or a good loser as the case may be. I found out from the numerous contests in which I took part while a member of this House that the members of this Assembly played the game to win and they played it fairly but they were good winners and they were good losers. I will not trespass on your time any farther. I thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair feels that he is voicing the sentiment of every member of the House when he says that it is a real pleasure to have Judge McVicar with us and we extend an invitation to him to come again whenever it is possible.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2349, (Senate Bill No. 1308), entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M., 2d.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman	Perry,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fox,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fuller,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
		Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE INSISTS UPON ITS AMENDMENTS NON-CONCURRED IN BY THE HOUSE TO HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of

permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its non-concurrence in the amendments made by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. DITTER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints on the part of the House, Messrs. Sterling, Conner and Ditter.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1548.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments, as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "thirty-four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty-two"; also lines 9 to 13, inclusive, by striking out the following: "twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet".

Amend Section 1, page 2, lines 1 to 11, inclusive, by striking out all of said lines, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 432 That the Commonwealth offers rewards as hereinafter provided for the construction and improvement of township roads and the erection and construction of township bridges in townships of the second class

All moneys appropriated by the General Assembly from time to time for the payment of rewards to townships of the second class for the construction and improvement of roads and the erection and construction of bridges as in this act provided for shall be apportioned by the State Highway Department among the several counties of this Commonwealth in proportion to the number of miles of township road located in townships of the second class

Of the amount apportioned to the several counties for road and bridge improvements in townships of the second class under the provisions of this act not more than fifteen per centum of such appropriation shall be available in any one township in any such county In case any excess in the amount set aside for use in the county remains after all applications from the several townships in the county have been considered the township commissioner of the State Highway Department shall apportion the excess amount among the townships that have applications on file for State reward for more than fifteen per centum Should there be not enough applications from all the townships in a county filed on or before May first of the year next succeeding the appropriation to exhaust the apportionment of the State reward fund made to a county then such excess shall be apportioned to the counties where the applications of the townships call for the expenditure of a sum greater than the amount originally apportioned to said county

Application for rewards for the construction and improvement of township roads and for the erection and construction of township bridges shall be made by the township supervisors of townships of the second class on or before May first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and annually thereafter to the State Highway Department on blanks furnished by the department which applications shall be considered by the department by counties in their order of filing [Applications not granted by reason of a lack of funds shall be given first consideration in the following year or years]

Section 2 That section four hundred and thirty-four of said act as amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" and by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto' as amended" is amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows"

Amend Section 1, page 4, line 8, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also line 9, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)"; also line 12, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and"; also line 13 and 14, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)."

Amend Section 1, page 4, lines 17 to 21 inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500) per mile."

Amend Section 1, page 4, line 23, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)"; also lines 27 and 28, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand."

Amend Section 1, page 5, line 1, by striking out the words "dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)."

Amend Section 1, page 5, lines 3 to 7, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in the case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed seven hundred fifty dollars ($750) per mile."

Amend Section 1, page 5, line 10, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)"; also line 13, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and"; also lines 15 and 16, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)."

Amend Section 1, page 5, lines 18 to 22, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile"; also line 25, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,

000)"; also line 28, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and"; also line 29, by striking out the words "between ten thousand."

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 1, by striking out the words "dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)", and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)".

Amend Section 1, page 6, lines 4 to 8, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed two thousand dollars ($2,000) per mile".

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 10, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000"; also lines 15 and 16, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)".

Amend Section 1, page 6, lines 18 to 23, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed two thousand two hundred fifty dollars ($2,250) per mile."

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 25, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($10,000)"; also line 29, by striking out the words "between ten thousand".

Amend Section 1, page 7, line 1, by striking out the words "dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also lines 4 to 8, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000) per mile".

Amend Section 1, page 7, line 10, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)"; also lines 16 and 17, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)", and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)"; also lines 20 to 25, inclusive, by striking out the following: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed twenty-five (25) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors".

Amend Section 1, page 7, line 28, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty"; also same line, by striking out the numerals "($10,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($20,000)".

Amend Section 1, page 8, line 2, by inserting after the word "placed" the word "and"; also lines 3 and 4, by striking out the words "between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)"; also lines 6 to 10, inclusive, by striking out the words: "in case of townships having an assessed valuation of more than thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) per mile of road twenty-five (25) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed".

Amend Section 1, page 7, line 14, by inserting after "supervisors" the word "and".

Amend Section 1, page 4, line 26, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and".

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 13, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and".

Amend Section 1, page 6, line 28, by inserting after the word "mile" the word "and".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	Fuller,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz	Hess,
Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1283, Printer's No. 480, White File Folio 2887, entitled "An act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1076, Printer's No. 973, White Folio 5583, entitled "An act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships where such forests are located" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. GOODNOUGH, from the Committee on Appropriations re-reported House Bill No. 2068, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the reunion of the veterans of the twenty-eighth division in celebration of the tenth anniversary of their return from duty overseas imposing duties upon the Adjutant General and making an appropriation.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1808, (Senate Bill No. 811), as follows:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section four hundred and thirty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by the act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 432 That the Commonwealth offers rewards as hereinafter provided for the construction and improvement of township roads and the erection and construction of township bridges in townships of the second class

All moneys appropriated by the General Assembly from time to time for the payment of rewards to townships of the second class for the construction and improvement of roads and the erection and construction of bridges as in this act provided for shall be apportioned by the State Highway Department among the several counties of this Commonwealth in proportion to the number of miles of township road located in townships of the second class

Of the amount apportioned to the several counties for road and bridge improvements in townships of the second class under the provisions of this act not more than fifteen per centum of such appropriation shall be available in any one township in any such county In case any excess in the amount set aside for use in the county remains after all applications from the several townships in the county have been considered the township commissioner of the State Highway Department shall apportion the excess amount among the townships that have applications on file for State reward for more than fifteen per centum Should there be not enough application from all the townships in a county filed on or before May first of the year next succeeding the appropriation to exhaust the apportionment of the State reward fund made to a county then such excess shall be apportioned to the counties where the applications of the townships call for the expenditure of a sum greater than the amount originally apportioned to said county

Application for rewards for the construction and improvement of township roads and for the erection and construction of township bridges shall be made by the township supervisors of townships of the second class on or before May first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and annually thereafter to the State Highway Department on blanks furnished by the department which applications shall be considered by the department by counties in their order of filing [Applications not granted by reason of a lack of funds shall be given first consideration in the following year or years]

Section 2 That section four hundred and thirty-four of said act which was amended by the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-four) entitled "An act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto'" and by the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred four) entitled "An act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidatig the law relatig thereto' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 434 Rewards shall be granted by the Commonwealth for improvements only of the character herein set forth namely (a) For grading and draining a section of road not less than one-fourth mile in length (b) for graveling or cindering or using other approved materials on a graded and drained road not less than one-fourth mile in length (c) for constructing a road with broken stone base and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved material top not less than one-fourth mile in length (d) for macadamizing a road or for constructing a Telford macadam road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (e) for a bituminous surface-treated macadam road (f) for constructing a concrete brick or bituminous surface road of not less than one-fourth mile in length (g) for the erection and construction of bridges of three feet or more span constructed of concrete or stone or a combination of concrete and stone or a steel bridge with a floor constructed of a material approved by the State Highway Department (h) for the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes

Whenever any improvements of the character mentioned in this section have been completed by any township of the second class the State will pay as a reward the followings sums namely One—[For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per mile Three—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (c) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars per mile Four—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (d) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars per mile Seven — For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when the said pipes have been placed but no payment shall be made under this provision for culverts and drain pipes installed in grading and draining a section of road for which payments are made under clause one] For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (a) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five

hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000) per mile Two—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (b) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ($2,250) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per mile Three—For roads of the character set for in subdivision (c) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road between ten thousand dollars ($10,000) and thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000) per mile Four—For roads of the charatcer set forth in subdivision (d) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand dollars ($4,000) per mile Five—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (e) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($6,750) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per mile Six—For roads of the character set forth in subdivision (f) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed nine thousand dollars ($9,000) per mile and in the case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the cost of making such improvement not to exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile Seven—For bridges constructed under subdivision (g) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed seventy-five per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors and in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the contract price and not in any case to exceed fifty (50) per centum of the actual cost of said bridge when constructed by the supervisors Eight—For the purchase and installation of culvert and drain pipes under subdivision (h) in case of townships having an assessed valuation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) or less per mile of road seventy-five (75) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed and in case of townships having an assessed valuation per mile of road of more than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) fifty (50) per centum of the total cost of said culvert or drain pipes when said pipes have been placed

The aforesaid rewards shall be based upon roads the improvement of which shall be of a width of not less than sixteen feet and corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of reward shall be made as the width of the improved road is reduced or increased but no reward shall be paid for the improvement of any road of less width than twelve feet

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W.H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Miller, H.A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, S.H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T.J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	White,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Donnell,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Eaches,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Embardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 404, entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition of a site for, and construction of, a State Normal School in Allegheny County by the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction; providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor, and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheely,

Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Griffith,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1615, as follows:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all counties of the fifth class the sheriff may appoint one person learned in the law as his solicitor

Section 2 Said solicitor shall advise upon all legal matters that may be submitted to him and shall conduct any litigation when requested so to do by the sheriff The solicitor shall hold office for the term for which the sheriff was elected and shall receive such salary as may be fixed by the Salary Board of the proper county provided however the same shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per annum said salary to be paid monthly upon warrants drawn by the County Commissioners upon the Treasurer of said county

Section 3 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1958, as follows:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the Board of Directors of any corporation whether heretofore or hereafter incorporated under any special or general law shall have power to close the stock transfer books of such corporation for a period not exceeding forty days preceding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend or the date for the allotment of rights or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect Provided however that in case of any such closing of the stock transfer books notice thereof shall be mailed to the stockholders at their last known address as the same appears upon the books of the corporation at least ten days before the closing thereof While the stock transfer books of the corporation shall be so closed no transfers of stock shall be made thereon

Section 2 The Board of Directors of any such corporation in lieu of closing the stock transfer books as aforesaid may if the by-laws of such corporation so provide fix in advance a date not exceeding forty days preceding the date of any meet-

ing of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend or the date for the allotment of rights or the date when any exchange or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect as a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to vote at any such meeting or entitled to receive payment of any such dividend or to any such allotment of rights or to exercise the rights in respect of any such change conversion or exchange of capital stock In such case if otherwise entitled all stockholders of record on the date so fixed and no others shall be entitled to vote at such meeting or to receive payment of such dividends or to receive such allotment of rights or exercise such rights as the case may be notwithstanding any transfer of stock on the books of the company after any such record date fixed as aforesaid

Section 3 No transfer or transfers of shares of such corporations within sixty days of any election or meeting of stockholders shall deprive the holder of said shares of the right to vote in respect of the same at such election or meeting if otherwise entitled thereunto

Section 4 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fox,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Greeby,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gross	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denger,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Erdley,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Evans,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fish,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Flynn,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2319, (Senate Bill No. 1257), as follows:

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the

same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with the Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 8 Whenever in the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of any of the State Highways it shall appear to the commissioner that any part or portion of a State Highway as now defined and described in this act is dangerous or inconvenient to the traveling public in its present location either by reason of grades dangerous turns or other local conditions or that the expense to the Commonwealth in the construction building rebuilding maintenance and repair thereof would be too great or unreasonable and could be materially reduced or lessened by a divergence from the road or route the commissioner is hereby empowered to divert the course or direction of same and he may diverge from the line or route of same as herein described in such direction or directions as in his discretion may seem best in order to correct said danger or inconvenience or lessen the cost to the Commonwealth Provided That the said commissioner shall first submit a plan of the proposed change to the Governor and that the same shall be approved by him

The State Highway Commissioner shall also have power with the approval of the Governor to establish the width and lines of any State highway before or after the construction reconstruction or improvement of the same not however exceeding the maximum width fixed by law for public roads Whenever the State Highway Commissioner shall establish the width and lines of any such State highway he shall cause a description and plan thereof to be made showing the center line of said highway and the established width thereof and shall attach thereto his acknowledgment Thereupon such description plan and acknowledgment shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the proper county in a separate book kept for such purpose which shall be furnished to the recorder of deeds by the county commissioners at the expense of the county

[No owner or occupier of lands buildings or improvements shall erect any building or make any improvements within the limits of any State highway the width and lines of which have been established and recorded as provided in this section and of any such erection or improvement shall be made no allowance shall be had therefor by the assessment of damages]

No person shall hereafter be entitled to recover any damages for any buildings or improvements of any kind which shall or may be placed or constructed upon or within the lines of any such State highway after the same shall have been established and recorded as aforesaid

No person shall be entitled to damages by reason of such establishment of the width and lines of a State Highway and where the Commonwealth by its proper authorities has improved and constructed or shall hereafter improve and construct such State Highway and in so doing has taken or shall take a part only of the lands lying within the lines shown by such plan damages shall be allowed for and to the extent of such actual taking only

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Tahl,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 2144, (Senate Bill No. 11), as follows:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever the Commonwealth with the aid of any county and township of any county has heretofore constructed or improved any section of road as a State-aid highway such section of State-aid highway shall after the passage of this act be deemed a State highway in accordance with

the laws of the Commonwealth relating to State highways and shall be taken over and be hereafter maintained and reconstructed by the Department of Highways in the same manner as State highways All moneys in the Motor License Fund appropriated for the maintenance and construction of State highways shall be available for use for the maintenance and reconstruction of such State highways and for such purposes are hereby reappropriated

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Barton,	Haines,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Harter,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Myers,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Washington,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Reader,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reed,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Davis,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Denne,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, W H.,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate insists on its nonconcurrence in the amendments made and insisted upon by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

And has appointed Messrs. Fay, Kunkle and Scott a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives (if the House of Representatives shall appoint such committee) on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House adhere to its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. KLECKNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints on the part of the House Messrs. Stadtlander, Turner and Staudenmeier.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION NO. 26.

Mr. DUNN asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up Resolution No. 26, file folio 8819, which was twice read, considered and adopted.

In the House of Representatives, April 16, 1929.

Whereas One of the most important if not troublesome and dangerous questions confronting the United States and now before the people for solution is the unemployment of the wage earner and

Whereas There is nothing more important calling for the immediate attention of our public officials than the question of unemployment and

Whereas Many attempts have been made from time to time by national state and municipal authorities to secure an approximate estimate of the number of wage earners unemployed at a given time but without results and

Whereas The question of unemployment like all other questions to be properly and intelligently handled it first becomes necessary to ascertain as accurately as possible all the facts in the case and

Whereas It is also necessary to recognize that there is a serious problem to be solved before it can be properly handled and because of lack of proper information this troublesome question of unemployment is no nearer solution today than it was years ago and

Whereas The provisions of the United States Constitution provides for the taking of the census every ten years and the legislation that it would be necessary to enact by Congress by which supervisors and enumerators will be appointed in all parts of the United States to take up the new census and

Whereas If this same organization that will be set up to do this work is directed to take the census of the unemployed wage earners throughout the United States this will be the means of obtaining for the first time intelligent and accurate information as to the number of unemployed in the United States therefore

Be It Resolved and it is hereby resolved that the Senate and House of Representatives of the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature memorialize the Congress of the United States the United States Senators and Congressmen from Pennsylvania to use their best officers and have legislation enacted which will provide that the supervisors and enumerators taking up the new census will also take the census of the unemployed

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. LOUCKS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. LOUCKS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, now that the Senate has passed the gasoline bill and it is in all probability going to become a law, and being of the group to which I belong and which in my judgment is the most vitally affected, the farmer, I want to make these few statements.

The majority of the farmers at the last general election voted against the bond issue, which meant that they desired that the business of the Commonwealth be done on a pay as you go basis. Now, Mr. Speaker, my interpretation of that vote is not that they said no additional debts should be made but that if any additional debts are made the revenue should be provided to pay the debt when due. In my judgment the taxpayers of Pennsylvania are under no moral or legal obligation to construct highways through this State for the benefit of the general public without receiving a fair recompense for the use of them. I cannot give you definitely the number but from my observations I am satisfied that very considerably more than one-half of all the machines that are operated on the highways of Pennsylvania are operated by individuals whose only contribution to the construction of the highway is the purchase of a driver's or a machine license. Now, how about the other people who pay the balance of the money and the gas tax especially, the small property owner and the farmer whose property is on the highway. When a farmer buys his farm he pays exactly the same price for the road bed that he pays for the balance of his farm on which his buildings are. That is his first contribution. Then as these highways are improved the valuation of the farmer's property increases and he has got considerably more taxes to pay. The way you may get at it definitely is this; the farmer whose property is valued at ten thousand dollars pays each year from $140 to $200 for the construction of the highways and then as a result of the construction of that highway the valuation has been increased and he has got a larger proportion of the school taxes to pay and the county taxes to pay, and instead of paying $150 to $200 he is paying $235 to $250 each year. In addition to that, he pays exactly the same price the other group pays for his license,—for his machine and for his driver's license.

What happens when the roadway is opened up? The group that you see at the head of the procession is composed of the fellows who pay simply the cost of their driver's license and the cost of their machine license, and they come along to us farmers and wave their hands and say, "Stand back you can't afford it," and they state a very great truth there. It takes all the money the farmer can spare to pay these taxes and he has not got any money left to buy gasoline and enjoy the use of the road.

In behalf of this group, in whose hands a great and loving God has placed all things needful to provide the food to feed the people of this great Commonwealth, I am making these remarks. They have gone further than that, they have gone down into their jeans and have paid for the biggest part of the construction of these highways for the public to go over and enjoy the beauties that God has placed in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Out of justice to that group I believe you ought to consider that additional cent added to the gasoline tax as a rebate and an indemnity for what they have done for the people of this Commonwealth.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman under his question of personal privilege will be spread at length on the Legislative Journal.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1802, (Senate Bill No. 470), file folio 2341, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 861), entitled "An act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and State-aid construction, and for certain purposes in counties of the first class, and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor."

on page 3 of today's calendar, appropriation bill on third reading, passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. FRED W. PATTERSON. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read, as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 48.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 73.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 96.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home For Training in Speech of Deaf Children, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 106.

A Further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

SENATE BILL No. 113.

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 123.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 196.

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs,

and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one, two thousand four hundred and ninety-two, and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three; authorizing boroughs to provide, improve, and operate or lease airports.

SENATE BILL No. 202.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind Incorporated at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 203.

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, located at Oakdale, Allegheny County

SENATE BILL No. 204.

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association, located on Sherman Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 207.

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act." as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 224.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

SENATE BILL No. 239.

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 240.

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 242.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of the City of Williamsport Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 262.

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 272.

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any State of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

SENATE BILL No. 273.

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 307.

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Board of Pardons and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

SENATE BILL No. 303.

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

SENATE BILL No. 309.

An Act conferring and imposing certain powers and duties upon the State Board of Pardons with respect to inmates of State penal and correctional institutions released on parole.

SENATE BILL No. 317.

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

SENATE BILL No. 371.

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 372.

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 373.

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children of the City of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 380.

An Act to amend Rule twenty-five of Article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

SENATE BILL No. 245.

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

SENATE BILL No. 410.

An Act to amend sections one and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties"; providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, Common Pleas, Orphans', Municipal and County Court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and, in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby; providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those in office on a named date who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 413.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

SENATE BILL No. 421.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 423.

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 431.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 435.

An Act to add sections three hundred and fifty-three and three hundred and fifty-four to and to amend sections four hundred and ten five hundred and thirty-one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

SENATE BILL No. 442.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 450.

An Act relative to certain judgments prescribing duties of prothonotaries and repealing prior legislation.

SENATE BILL No. 454.

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital of the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 461.

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 464.

An Act providing for the payment by counties of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expense a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

SENATE BILL No. 477.

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that

existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

SENATE BILL No. 503.

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings,' and/ or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces, appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 523.

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

SENATE BILL No. 554.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 559.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 596.

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

SENATE BILL No. 652.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 653.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 674.

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

SENATE BILL No. 684.

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for The Aged, at Philadelphia.

SENATE BILL No. 691.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 534), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films, reels, or stereopticon views or slides; providing a system of examination, approval, and regulation thereof, and of the banners, posters, and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith; creating the Board of Censors; and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels.

SENATE BILL No. 695.

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 717.

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violation of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

SENATE BILL No. 783.

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B to add section twenty-three C and to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

SENATE BILL No. 788.

An Act authorizing district attorneys in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appoint additional Assistant District Attorneys on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys providing that the salaries shall not exceed the salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of such additional Assistant District Attorneys shall not exceed the period of such illness nor a period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

SENATE BILL No. 792.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 794.

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand

nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 853), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

SENATE BILL No. 831.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 761), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

SENATE BILL 845.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants, located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 926.

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county, and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessment upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny County and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election

SENATE BILL No. 928.

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 938.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 958.

An Act to amend section one three hundred and five and three hundred and seven as amended of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

SENATE BILL No. 970.

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

SENATE BILL No. 974.

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

SENATE BILL No. 1025.

An Act requiring all Title Insurance Companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof and regulating the same.

SENATE BILL No. 1036.

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies associations or exchanges providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1037.

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

SENATE BILL No. 1082.

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1088.

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

SENATE BILL No. 1089.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and

commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 1093.

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1131.

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital, of the City of Pittsburgh.

SENATE BILL No. 1136.

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

SENATE BILL No. 1238.

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

SENATE BILL No. 1252.

An Act to amend section seven, paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws, twenty), authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, and the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and to regulate and restrict the location, use and occupancy of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence, specified uses or other purposes, and, for the above purposes, to divide the city into districts, and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein, and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions, and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, conversion, repair, maintenance, use, or occupancy of buildings, structures or land, and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings, structures or land and any illegal act, conduct, business or use in or about such premises, and the method of amendment or change thereof, et cetera," by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment.

SENATE BILL No. 1289.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton

SENATE BILL No. 1290.

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

SENATE BILL No. 1292.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1293.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1295.

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

SENATE BILL No. 1301.

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1303.

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 1305.

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1327.

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 73) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" as amended providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

SENATE BILL No. 1329.

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

SENATE BILL No. 1331.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1332.

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

SENATE BILL No. 1339.

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1340.

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1341.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in the city of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 1342.

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 1343.

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family of Emsworth Allegheny County Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 415.

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs, having a population of less than ten thousand inhabitants townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation.

SENATE BILL No. 465.

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

SENATE BILL No. 455.

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

SENATE BILL No. 781.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 758), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession, control, dealing in, giving away, delivery, dispensing, administering, prescribing, and use of certain drugs, and keeping records thereof; by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit; by providing for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, druggists, and registered nurses for certain causes, and by providing for the enforcement of this act, and penalties;" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs.

SENATE BILL No. 927.

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 261.

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase installation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act

SENATE BILL No. 36.

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital of West Reading Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 92.

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

SENATE BILL No. 128.

An Act making an appropriation to Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 131.

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

SENATE BILL No. 181.

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 186.

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 200.

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 406.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities boroughs towns and townships to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields

SENATE BILL No. 471.

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

SENATE BILL No. 508.

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs, of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

SENATE BILL No. 558.

An Act authorizing counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident insurance for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 561.

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration

of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

SENATE BILL No. 656.

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 704.

An Act supplementing the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 718.

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second A classes; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violations of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

SENATE BILL No. 807.

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

SENATE BILL No. 826.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 827.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 828.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 829.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

SENATE BILL No. 835.

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit additional volumes of the eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large; providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 837.

An Act authorizing the Department of Public Instruction through the State Library and Museum to collect, classify and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

SENATE BILL No. 855.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 856.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 858.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 931.

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties; and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 992.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L.

795) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

SENATE BILL No. 1016.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 887), entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes; designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties; and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes.

SENATE BILL No. 1084.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1140.

An Act providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expense of keeping convicts in State penitentiaries

SENATE BILL No. 1144.

An Act providing for the monthly payment by the counties to the Department of Revenue of charges for clothing maintaining and educating pupils at the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza

SENATE BILL No. 1147.

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 1044) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary workhouse house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

SENATE BILL No. 1148.

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing peralties for the violation thereof" as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1149.

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

SENATE BILL No. 1156.

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER.

The SPEAKER. On behalf of the Chief Clerk of the House, the Chair announces to the members that the luncheon will be served at midnight, twelve o'clock tonight. Tickets permitting you to attend can be secured by applying for them at the office of the Chief Clerk. The members will be guided accordingly.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT.

Mr. BART. RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2424, (Senate Bill No. 714), file folio, 6231, entitled:

An Act relating to townships regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

on page 8 of today's calendar, bills on second reading, be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. BICKETT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, Senate Bill No. 714 was presented in the Senate by Senator Brant of Allegheny County. The question of annexation has received much thought and consideration throughout the state for a number of years. They have found that in the townships at frequent intervals the adjacent boroughs and cities have been reaching out and annexing the most populous and the wealthiest sections of the townships. This has had a very detrimental effect on the school districts and the school system and the general financial status of those townships. The only purpose of this bill is to protect the townships in their entirety, and the people living in the townships. It is unfair and unjust to them to permit an adjoining municipality to come out into these townships, and take away from them their populous territory, a territory that is fully developed, and leave them nothing but undeveloped, barren territory. When they do annex this territory they leave with the remaining and poorer districts of the township the bonded indebtedness which must be assumed by the part remaining in the township. This bill as drawn is particularly fair in this particular. It provides that whenever a petition has been signed by five per cent of the latest and hightest vote in the township the matter may be presented to the voter therein, and it requires that in order for the annexation movement to succeed the majority in the whole township must vote in favor of permitting the particular district to secede, or the part that is wanted by the adjoining municipality to secede. I contend gentlemen that this bill is fair in principal. It is not an effort to break down any existing law pertaining to annexation, but as I say it is fair and equitable and I would ask you to vote this motion down.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, at the present time the annexation laws on the books of Pennsylvania, so far as third class cities are concerned, are unwieldly and unworkable. During the present session, under

the sponsorship of the League of Third Class Cities, a bill was prepared and was passed by the Senate and by this House. That bill received the support of the Third Class City League and the boroughs and townships. This bill as now drawn would nullify every effect of this annexation bill which has [illegible] been passed and is upon the Governor's desk. This bill was supposed to have been left in committee. In some manner, that I know not how, it has come on the calendar during the last minutes of the session. I submit to you that if this bill were passed all the efforts of the League of Third Class Cities and of the members of the Senate and of this House who have interested themselves in the annexation bill which has heretofore been passed, would be of no avail. This is not a good bill in the light of the bill that has been passed and I sincerely trust that you will vote to recommit this bill to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, as far as I am personally concerned I do not care to go into the merits of the bill, but I have stood consistently, and I will as long as I am a member of this body, for the principle that when we come to the closing days of the session and a Senate bill is on second reading, it is no more than fair, courteous and honorable that the bill be permitted to come on to third reading and if there is anything objectionable in the measure, it can be thoroughly discussed on the floor by the membership of the House and it should not be destroyed in this manner. I think it is discourteous and unfair at this stage of the legislature to recommit any Senate bill when it should be considered by this House, and as a matter of courtesy to the Senator from Allegheny, I respectfully ask you to vote this motion down.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I entirely concur with Mr. Richard's criticism and his motion to have this bill recommitted. As stated before if this bill passes it will nullify the Weingartner Senate Bill which is an annexation bill which has had the endorsement of the Third Class City League of Pennsylvania. The Weingartner bill was prepared with greatest consideration and there were many amendments put in that bill in order to make it conform to the wishes of all the members of the House and of the Senate I think the Weingartner bill met with universal approval in its final form.

Senate Bill No. 714 provides that a majority of the whole number voting on such questions shall have voted in favor of such annexation. In other words, if a section of a township desires to be annexed, no matter how great the desire of that section of the township to be annexed may be, and no matter how advantageous it may be to that township, no matter how advantageous it may be to the city which is about to annex it, that annexation may be defeated by other sections of the township who have no particular interest in that portion or in the people of that section who desire to be annexed, by refusing to vote in favor of the annexation because of a selfish reason they may have for holding that section of the township within the township for the purpose of obtaining the taxes from that section. It does not seem to me to be a fair proposition. It certainly is not within the line of self-government, and for that reason it seems to me that this bill should be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations where it can be held and where it will not cause embarrassment and harm to the well-considered existing legislation now laying upon the Governor's desk.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, for the benefit of some of the members who are in their first term I want to agree with Mr. Marcus that things are sometimes done in the closing days of the session that are discourteous. They were done last session. This bill is an example of that very thing. This bill is on the calendar, and for one I would like to know how it got there. It seems to me that after an agreement had been made to keep it in committee that it should have been kept there. I think you are all familiar with the fact that right now there is an attempt being made to pickle a bill which comes from the same committee as this bill. This bill has been put out in the last minutes of the session and is before you to pass, but as Mr. Spangler has well said, this law may very likely nullify bills already passed.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in answer to Mr. Richards as to how this bill reached the floor of this House I have this to say. The bill was passed in the Senate yesterday, messaged to the House and referred to the Judiciary General Committee of which I am the chairman. I immediately went among the members of that committee and I have in my hand a leaflet signed by approximately fifteen members of that committee authorizing the reporting of this bill to the floor of the House. The bill is properly and fairly before you and again I ask you to give this bill fair treatment and vote this motion down.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, what I might say in regard to this bill would not be a supposition. What I am going to tell you is with reference to a telegram in my hands from the President of the Allegheny County Association of Township Commissioners, the people most vitally affected by this bill:

"Senate Bill 714 will be the most vital and protective measure for the integrity of townships in general, has passed the Senate and is now before the House for your consideration. May I most earnestly request you, in behalf of the Allegheny County Association of Township Commissioners, to immediately extend your personal support and influence in securing the passage of this important measure with the assurance of our sincere gratitude and appreciation."

Now, members of the House, I don't believe that there is any one who should be more or better qualified to judge as to whether this is good legislation for the townships or not than this president of the Allegheny County Supervisors Association.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I wish to subscribe to what the chairman of the Judiciary General Committee has said with regard to the manner in which this bill is now on the calendar. It is on the calendar in the most perfect and orderly manner in view of the fact that a majority of that committee, of which I am a member, signed to have it reported back to the House and it is therefore on the calendar most properly. Furthermore, a vote to recommit it at this time means a vote to defeat it.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I must still stand in line with that which has been my policy since coming here, and that is to be back of all legislation concerning first class townships and townships in general. I want to say in behalf of the very able Senator Weingartner, that when the Weingartner bill came up for consideration he did everything within his power to further what the third-class city organization was trying to do, but I must still stand with the first-class townships and substantiate what our friend from Allegheny, Mr. McClure, has said. It has been the attempt of third-class city organizations and of organizations in general, to break up townships throughout

the State for the benefit of the cities. While we all see and recognize the necessity of the extending of the city, and agree that they should expand, yet we must contend that the people who live within the townships have a right to say what is to be done with the territory within their boundaries. If you are what I have always contended you are in this Legislature, and that is the most fair-minded people that we ever had here, you will agree that we in the first-class townships must keep the protection that we have, and that is to say what shall be done with the territory that is within our boundaries. I ask you at this time to vote down this motion to recommit and let this bill come before the House on third reading in order that the merits of the bill may be fully discussed.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The Speaker declared the ayes appear to have it.

Whereupon a division was called for, and thirty-six members voting in the affirmative and eighty-four in the negative, the motion was not agreed to.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILSON, from the Committee on Education, re-reported as committed, House Bill No. 824, entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition of a site for, and construction of a State Normal School in Somerset County, by the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor and making an appropriation.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1076.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1076, file folio 5533, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1076 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. WELTY. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. WHEELER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 1, line 9 of the title, by adding at the end of the line the words "and making an appropriation".

Amend page 4, by adding the following section after line 13 "Section 4 For carrying out the purposes of this act the sum of $25,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the Department or Forests and Waters."

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? It there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate, recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1283, file folio 2887, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill as herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1283 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. FRED A. BELL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. FRED A. BELL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 1, line 14, by striking out after the word "no" and before the word "shall" the word [aid] and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "Aid".

Amend page 1, line 16, by striking out after the word "surface" and before the word "more" the word [not] and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "nor".

Amend page 2, line 4, after the word 'have" and before the word 'macadamized," by inserting the word "been".

Amend page 2, line 5, after the word "have" and before the word "constructed," by inserting the word "been".

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question;

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL No. 1597 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. MARCUS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1597 entitled 'An act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" be recalled from the Governor.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. EACHES presented the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

which was laid over for printing.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur) That Senate Bill No. 22 Printer's No. 682, File Folio 5625, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Hospital of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, be returned to the Governor without amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk presented the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 9.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act" fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax.

SENATE MESSAGE.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

And has appointed Messrs. Buckman, Baldwin and Salus a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives, (if the House of Representatives shall appoint such committee) on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. CONNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a Committee of Conference on the part of the House on House Bill No. 1856, Messrs. Sterling, Conner and Ditter.

SENATE MESSAGE.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all Liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

And has appointed Messrs. Baldwin, Mansfield and Huffman a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives, already appointed on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in in relation to said bill.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-coucurred in by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. E. P. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a Committee of Conference on the part of the House on House Bill No. 1956, Messrs. Wilson, E. P. Brown and Himes.

SENATE MESSAGE.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments, non-concurred in by the House of Representatives, to House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

And has appointed Messrs. Baldwin, Mansfield and Huffman a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives, already appointed on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

Mr. WILSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. E. P. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a committee of Conference on the part of the House on House Bill No. 2099, Messrs. Wilson, E. P. Brown and Himes.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the order by which House Bill No. 2422, (Senate Bill No. 1012), file folio 6319, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

on page 3 of today's calendar, appropriation bills on second reading, was directed to be transcribed for a third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. HAWS. I move that the vote by which this bill passed second reading be reconsidered

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which the first section and title was read and agreed to be reconsidered.

Mr. LUCAS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The first section was read as follows:

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all accumulations in the State Treasury set aside by the State Treasurer and held in the Insurance Tax Fund and which remained as an undistributed surplus in said fund on December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight are hereby specifically appropriated to and shall be paid by the State Treasurer into the State Insurance Fund and shall be available for expenditure for the purposes for which the State Insurance Fund is dedicated

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the section?

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to offer the following amendments.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk.

The amendments were read by the Clerk as follows:

Amend page 1, line 8, by inserting after the word "appropriated" the word "to"

Amend page 1, line 9, by striking out after the word "Treasurer" the word [in] and inserting in lieu thereof the word "into"

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the section as amended?

It was agreed to.

The title was read and agreed to as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund

And said bill having been read at length the second time and agreed to as amended.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third reading.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, on March 20th I introduced a resolution calling for an investigation into state aid institutions. I do not at this time desire to call up that resolution, but I do for the benefit of one of my colleagues wish to straighten out some information that was spread in our community with the intent to do harm to that member. In referring to that information that was printed in our local papers, I would like to interrogate the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee.

The SPEAKER. Will the Chairman of Appropriations Committee, Mr. Goodnough, permit himself to be interrogatd?

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of order.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his point of order.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I doubt whether the gentleman can interrogate the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee under a question of personal privilege

The SPEAKER. I would say to the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Brown, that his interrogation is going rather far afield under a question of personal privilege.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the reason for my request to interrogate the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee is because at the time this resolution was adopted a statement was presented in the newspapers that referred to the report read by the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, and the only desire I had in interrogating the Chairman was for the purpose of securing a statement to the effect that he had not asked this House to adopt the report as handed to him by the Auditor General with reference to the institutions.

The SPEAKER. The Chair is constrained to rule that interrogation under a question of personal privilege is out of order. However, the Chair would suggest to the gentleman from Luzerne that he might privately receive answers to his questions from the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, if the interrogations at this time are out of order, then I will state; and I wish it to be spread upon the Legislative Journal, that the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee notified me that he had not asked the House to adopt any resolution or to vote on this information, and that the article that appeared in our paper, that implicated the member from Luzerne, was an erroneous statement; that this House did not vote on the adoption of this report. This statement spread upon the Journal will relieve the member from Luzerne from further embarrassment.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Brown, will be spread at length upon the Journal.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 786, Printer's No. 227, File Folio 2161, entitled, "An act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 465, Printers No. 796, File Folio No. 6797, entitled, "An act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses"

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If the Chair hears no objection, he will declare a recess at this time until 3.30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILSON presented the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminus with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

which was laid over for printing.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. WILSON presented the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

which was laid over for printing.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. STERLING presented the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all Liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers pro-

viding for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

which was laid over for printing.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Cameron, Mr. Goodnough, will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the remarks of the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Brown, under a question of personal privilege seemed to indicate that an impression obtained that as Chairman of the Appropriations Committee I have attempted to improperly influence legislation in the matter of appropriations to institutions alleged to be sectarian in character. I have done nothing of the kind. What I have done in cases where an institution was challenged as being sectarian was to secure a ruling from the Auditor General setting forth the nature of the information available to him and whether or not in his opinion the institution is sectarian within the meaning of the constitution. This information seemed to me to be necessary to guide the committee in its action on the bill and later, if I was present in the House, when the bill came on for final passage I read the report of the Auditor General into the record to the end that the membership of the House might have the same information to guide them in their action on the bill that I had to guide me. Of course, I have never asked the House to adopt any report made by the Auditor General.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. EDWARD BROWN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in answer to the gentleman from Cameron County, Mr. Goodnough, I wish to state that if I were to leave an impression on this House that Mr. Goodnough as Chairman of the Appropriations Committee was unfair in any activity in connection with Appropriations or reports read, I would feel it my duty, and I do apologize to the chairman for any such remarks.

BILL POSTPONED.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2163, (Senate Bill No. 1145), file folio 6895, entitled:

An Act creating ad appropriating a fund for the purpose of rebuilding, restoring and replacing real and personal property of the Commonwealth damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty; and prohibiting the purchase of insurance for the above purposes.

on page 9 of today's calendar, bills on third reading, be placed upon the postponed calendar.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER.

The SPEAKER. On behalf of the Chief Clerk of the House, the Chair wishes to announce that the hour for holding the luncheon has been changed from 12.00 o'clock to 11.30 o'clock.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in the metropolitan newspapers dated Tuesday, April 16th, appeared the heading, "Up-State Vote Again Defeats Firearms Bill." Further on, "Legion Aids Defeat", and in the article itself it refers to the American Legion as having aided in the defeat of the firearms bill.

The Commander of the Pennsylvania Department of the American Legion is here today. Representatives of the Legislative Committee of the American Legion are here and they have assured me that the American Legion did not take any action, either pro or con, on what is commonly known as the firearms bill. Further, that the Legion at all times has been in favor of legislation which tenders to work for peace and good order and that up to this time it has not sponsored or favored any legislation which would do otherwise.

If you will pardon me for becoming personal as to what the Legion did in this House on this particular bill, let me say this: The Schuylkill County delegation of five members all voted for the firearms bill, three of whom are ex-service men and members of the American Legion, and it is only reasonable to believe that if the American Legion in Pennsylvania had taken any action either in favor or against this particular bill, at least one of the members of the members from Schuylkill Coutny who was an ex-service man would have been acquainted with that action. I think that the articles are unfair and have placed the American Legion in a bad light in this Commonwealth.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman from Schuylkill, Mr. Staudenmeier, under his question of personal privilege will be spread at length upon the Legislative Journal.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1867.

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts bill of lading certificates of stocks certificates of deposit bill of exchange bonds or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Mr. BLUMBERG asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up out of order House Bill No. 1931, (Senate Bill No. 42), file folio 6851, on page 9 of today's calendar, bills on third reading.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1981, (Senate Bill No. 42), as follows:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pensylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as the Real Estate Brokers License Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 2 (a) The term "real estate broker" shall include all persons co-partnerships associations and corporations foreign and domestic who for another and for a fee commission or other valuable consideration shall sell exchange purchase or rent or shall negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall hold himself or themselves out as engaged in the business of selling exchanging purchasing or renting of any real estate interest in real estate the property of another whether the same shall be located within the State of Pennsylvania or elsewhere or shall collect or offer or attempt to collect rental for the use of real estate the property of another or shall negotiate or offer or attempt to negotiate a loan secured or to be secured by mortgage or other encumbrance upon or transfer of any such real estate It shall also include any person copartnership association or corporation employed by the owner or owners of lots or other parcels of real estate at a stated salary or upon a commission or upon a salary and commission basis or otherwise to sell such real estate or any parts thereof in lots or other parcels and who shall sell or exchange or offer or attempt to negotiate the sale or exchange of any such lot or parcel of real estate One act in consideration of compensation by fee commission or otherwise of buying selling renting or exchanging any such real estate of or for another or attempting or offering so to do or negotiating a loan upon or leasing or renting or placing for rent any such real estate or collection of rent therefrom shall constitute prima facie evidence that the person copartnership association or corporation so acting or attempting to act is a real estate broker within the meaning of this act

(b) The term "real estate salesman" shall mean and include any person employed by a licensed real estate broker to sell or offer for sale to buy or offer to buy or to negotiate the purchase sale or exchange of any real estate or interest in real estate the property of another or to negotiate a loan upon real estate or to lease or rent or offer to lease or rent or place for rent any such real estate

(c) Neither of the said terms "real estate broker" or "real estate salesman" shall be held to include within the meaning of this act any person firm association partnership or corporation who as owner shall perform any of the acts with reference to property owned by them nor any person holding in good faith a duly executed letter of attorney from the actual owner of any real estate authorizing the sale conveyance or leasing of such real estate for and in the name of such owner or the negotiating of any loan thereon nor shall they be held to include in any way attorneys at law and justices of the peace nor shall they be held to include any receiver trustee in bankruptcy administrator or executor or any other person or corporation acting under the appointment or order of any court or as trustee under the authority of a will or deed of trust or any Banking institution operating under the Banking Laws of Pennsylvania

(d) The term "Department" shall mean the Department of Public Instruction of this Commonwealth

Section 3 The Department shall issue real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses under the provisions of this act and shall supervise and control all such licenses as hereinafter specifically provided

Section 4 (a) Copies of all records and papers or documents filed in the office of the Department and of all proceedings by or before the Department with the Department's action thereon and stenographic notes of testimony or other evidence submitted when certified under the seal of the Department shall be admitted to be read in evidence in all courts in this Commonwealth in all cases where the originals would be admissible in evidence under the provisions of this act Provided That in any proceeding the court having jurisdiction may on cause shown require the production of the original

(b) For every copy of paper filed with the Department in any proceedings before it the Department may charge such fees as it may by general rule or regulation prescribe not exceeding twenty-five cents (25c) per folio

Section 5 Neither the Superintendent of Public Instruction nor any deputy clerk or other employe of the Department shall directly or indirectly wilfully exhibit publish divulge or make known to any person or persons any record report statement letter or any other matter fact or thing contained among the papers documents or records of said Department or ascertain from any of the same or from any investigation or proceedings made or held under the provisions of this act by or before the Department or any of its deputies excepting in such manner as is expressly authorized by this act and excepting when the production of such information in a proceeding in any court is duly required by subpoena issued by special order of the court or other regular process any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor upon conviction whereof the person so offending shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand ($1.000) dollars

Provided however That the provisions of this section shall not apply to any ruling or decision of the Department with the record relative thereto and upon which the same was founded which ruling or decision shall have been duly made and entered under and in accordance with the provisions of this act after investigation and or hearing as hereinafter provided All such records shall immediately upon the entry of such ruling or decision become public records of the Department subject to inspection by any person interested

Section 6 From and after January 1 1930 it shall be unlawful for any person copartnership association or corporation to engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without first obtaining a license as a real estate broker or real estate salesman from the Department

Section 7 (a) It shall be the duty of the Department upon payment of license fees required by this act to issue licenses as real estate broker or real estate salesman to all individuals and as real estate broker alone to all copartnerships associations and corporations who shall be duly qualified under and shall comply with the provisions of this act

(b) Applications for licenses as real estate broker shall be made in writing to the Department upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant or when the application is made by a copartnership association or a corporation as to its members or officers as the Department shall require The application shall be signed by the applicant and shall be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two citizens not related to the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation to any member or officer thereof who shall be owners of real estate within and residents of the county in which the applicant resides or has his their or its place of business certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or association or corporation its members or officers by name and recommending that a license be granted the applicant If the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation any of its members or officers shall have resided or shall have engaged in business for less than one year in the county from which the application is made such application shall also be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two (2) real estate owners not related to the applicant of each of the counties where he or each of such members or officers has formerly resided or engaged in business during the said period of one year prior to the filing of such application certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or its members or officers by name and recommending that the license be granted Where the applicant for a real estate broker's license maintains more than one place of business within the Commonwealth he shall be required to apply for and procure a duplicate license for each branch office so maintained by him such duplicate license to be issued with an additional charge of two dollars and fifty cents for each additional office or place of business Every such application shall state the name of the person copartnership association or corporation and the location of the place or

places of business for which such license is desired and the license shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(c) Application for license as real estate salesman shall be made in writing to the Department signed by the applicant setting forth the period of time during which he has been engaged in the business stating the name of the last employer and the name and place of business of the person firm copartnership association or corporation then employing him or into whose employ he is then about to enter All applications shall be made upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant in addition to the above prescribed as the Department shall require The application shall be accompanied by the recommendation of his employer or prospective employer certifying that the applicant is honest truthful and of good repute and recommending that such license be granted All such licenses shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(e) Authority to transact business as a real estate broker or real estate salesman under any license issued by the Department shall be restricted to the person named in such license and shall not inure to the benefit of any other person or persons whatsoever Where a real estate broker's license shall be issued to a corporation or association authority to transact business thereunder shall be limited to one officer of such corporation or association to be designated in the application and named in the license Each other officer of such association or corporation desiring to act as a real estate broker in connection with the business of the said association or corporation or otherwise shall be required to make application for and take out a separate license in his or her own name individually Where the licensee is a copartnership the license issued to such copartnership shall confer authority to act as real estate broker upon one member of such copartnership only who shall be designated in the application and named in the license all the other members of such copartnership shall be required to apply for and take out individual licenses in their own names

(f) A non-resident of this State may be licensed as a real estate broker or a real estate salesman upon complying with all the provisions and conditions of this act relative to resident brokers and salesmen

(g) In connection with the application of a non-resident of this State for a license as Real Estate Broker or Real Estate Salesman the Department may accept in lieu of the recommendations and statements otherwise required to accompany the application for such license the license as real estate broker or real estate salesman issued to such applicant by the proper authority of the State of his domicile upon the payment by the applicant of the proper license fee and the filing with the Department of a duly certified copy of the license issued to such applicant by such other state In such case the licensee shall not be required to maintain a definite place of business within this State provided that he if a broker shall maintain an active place of business within the State of his domicile Provided however and it is hereby expressly stipulated that the provisions of this sub-paragraph "(g)" of Section 7 of this act shall only apply to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of those states under the laws of which similar recognition and courtesies are extended to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of this State Provided further that every non-resident applicant shall file an irrevocable consent that suits and actions may be commenced against such applicant in the proper court of any county of this State in which a cause of action may arise in which the plaintiff may reside by the service of any process or pleading authorized by the laws of this State on the Department said consent stipulating and agreeing that such service of such process or pleadings on the Department shall be taken and held in all courts to be as valid and binding as if due service had been made upon said applicant personally within the State Said instrument containing such consent shall be authenticated by the seal thereof if a corporation or by the acknowledged signature of a member or officer thereof if otherwise All such applications except from individuals shall be accompanied by the duly certified copy of the resolution of the proper officers or managing board authorizing the proper officer to execute the same In case any process or pleadings mentioned in the case are served upon the Department it shall be by duplicate copies one of which shall be filed in the office of the Department and the other immediately forwarded by registered mail to the main office of the applicant against which said process or pleadings are directed

Section 8 The fees to be charged by and paid to the Department by Licensees for all licenses issued shall be as follows

(1) For each real estate broker's license a fee of ten dollars ($10.00) Provided That there shall be an additional license fee of two and one-half ($2.50) dollars for each additional office or place of business

(2 For each license as real estate broker issued to an officer of a corporation or association or member of a copartnership other than the officer or member named in the license issued to such association corporation or copartnership a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(3) For each real estate salesman's license a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(4) Provided however that for any and all licenses issued subsequently to the first day of July in any year the license fee charge shall be but one-half of the annual license fee as respectively above prescribed The fees herein prescribed for real estate broker's and real estate salesman's license shall be in addition to any and all other license fees or license taxes imposed or to be imposed upon real estate brokers and real estate salesmen by this Commonwealth or any subdivision thereof

Section 9 (a) Every person copartnership association or corporation licensed as a real estate broker under the provisions of this act shall be required to have and maintain a definite place of business within the Commonwealth which shall serve as his their or its office for the transaction of business under the authority of the said license and where the license shall be prominently displayed The said place of business shall be specified in the application for license and designated in the license and no license issued under the authority of this act shall authorize the licensee to transact business from any office other than that designated in the license unless notice in writing shall be given within ten days to the Department of any change of business location designating the new location of such office whereupon the Department shall forthwith issue a new license for the new location for the unexpired period without charge The change of the specified business location without notification to the Department shall automatically cancel the license theretofore issued

(b) All real estate brokers shall also prominently display in their place or places of business the licenses of all real estate salesmen employed by them therein or in connection therewith All licenses issued to real estate salesmen shall designate the employer of such salesmen by name Prompt notice in writing within ten (10) days shall be given to the Department by the real estate salesmen of any change of employer and of the name of the new employer into whose service such salesman is about to enter or has entered and a new license shall thereupon be issued without charge by the Department to such salesmen for the unexpired term of the original license provided that such new employer shall be a duly licensed real estate broker The change of employer or employment by any licensed real estate salesman without notice to the Department as aforesaid shall automatically cancel the license to him theretofore issued and it shall be the duty of the employer named in such license to notify the Department promptly of any such change of employer or employment

Section 10 (a) The Department may upon its own motion and shall promptly upon the verified complaint in writing of any person setting forth specifically the wrongful act or acts complained of investigate any action or business transaction of any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman and shall have the power temporarily to suspend or permanently to revoke licenses theretofore issued by the Department under the provisions of this act at any time when after due proceedings as hereinafter provided it shall find the holder thereof to have been guilty in the performance or attempt to perform any of the acts prohibited to others than licensed real estate brokers or real estate salesmen under the provisions of this act

(1) Of knowingly making any substantial misrepresentation or

(2) Of knowingly making any false promise of a character likely to influence persuade or induce or

(3) Of a continued or flagrant course of misrepresentation or making of false promises through agents or salesmen or

(4) Of any other conduct whether of the same or of a different character than that hereinbefore specified which shall constitute a tort or when it shall be shown that the licensee within five years prior to the issuance of the license then in force has been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of this or any other state of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses

(b) Before refusing suspending or revoking any license the Department shall in writing notify the applicant or licensee of the charges against him accompanying the notice with a copy of the complaint if any filed and the Department shall accord the applicant or licensee ample opportunity to be heard thereon in person or by counsel If the applicant or licensee shall so desire the Department shall grant a hearing upon such charges to be held on not less than ten (10) days prior notice in writing to the applicant or licensee given and shall furnish licensee at the time of giving the said notice with copies of any and all communications reports affidavits and dispositions in the possession of the Department touching or relating to the matter in question At such hearing the applicant or licensee shall be entitled to examine either in person or by counsel any and all persons complaining against him and as well all other witnesses whose testimony is relied upon to substantiate the charges made He shall also be entitled to present such evidence oral and written as he may see fit and as may be pertinent to the inquiry The said hearings may be held by the Department or any member thereof or by any of its duly authorized deputies or by any other person duly deputized by the Department for such purpose in any particular case and they shall be held if the applicant or licensee so desires within the county where the applicant's or licensee's principal place of business is situated At such hearings all witnesses shall be duly sworn by the duly authorized deputies general or special before whom the hearing is held and stenographic notes of the proceedings shall be taken and filed as part of the record in the cause Any party to the proceedings desiring it shall be furnished with a copy of such stenographic notes upon the payment to the Department of such fee as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe therefor not exceeding however twenty-five cents per folio

(c) The refusal of the Department to issue any license after application properly made and compliance by the applicant with the requirements of this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County upon petition for writ of mandamus or other appropriate remedy with the right of appeal to the applicant as in other and similar cases

(d) The decision of the Department in suspending or revoking any license issued under this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County The Department shall maintain in its main office a public docket or other record in which it shall record from time to time as made the rulings or decisions upon all complaints filed with it and all investigations instituted by it in the first instance upon or in connection with which any such hearing shall have been had or in which the licensee charged shall have made no defense The Department shall also give immediate notice in writing of such ruling or decision to the licensee affected thereby and as well where the investigation shall have been instituted by complaint filed to the party or parties by whom the complaint was made If such ruling shall be to the prejudice of or shall injuriously affect the licensee the Department shall also state in said notice the date upon which the said ruling or decision shall become effective if not theretofore appealed from and such date shall not be less than thirty (30) days from and after the date of the said notice If the licensee cannot at such time be found his whereabouts being then unknown such notice may be given by the Department by advertisement inserted in one issue of a newspaper of general circulation published within the county where was located the principal office of the licensee as designated in the license

Such ruling or decision of the Department shall be final when in favor of the licensee and in dismissal of the complaint filed if any If against the licensee or in any way to the licensee's injury or prejudice the licensee may at any time prior to the date fixed by the Department in its said notice as the date it shall become effective appeal from such decision to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County by serving upon the Department written notice of such appeal Such service shall be made either by filing the said notice of appeal in the office of the Department or by delivering the same to the deputy whether general or special before whom the hearing in the case was had

Within thirty (30) days after the service of such notice of appeal the Department shall file with the prothonotary of the said court of common pleas a transcript of the record of the proceedings in its office duly certified over the Seal of the Department which record shall include all papers on file with the Department affecting or relating to the inquiry or investigation conducted by the Department and all the evidence taken in the said hearing including the stenographic notes of testimony Notice of the filing of the said transcript with the term and number to which filed shall be forthwith given by the Department to the licensee and as well to the party or parties if any upon whose complaint the proceedings before the Department were instituted The cost of the said transcript at twenty-five cents per folio and one dollar for certification shall be entered as part of the record costs in the cause to be paid as the said court may direct In all proceedings upon such appeal the Department of Justice shall appear for and represent the Commonwealth

The appeal shall thereupon be heard in due course by the judge or judges of the said court of common pleas without a jury by whom the proceedings before the Department its findings and rulings shall be given similar weight force and effect as are accorded to the findings and report of a referee selected or appointed under the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to provide for the submission of civil cases by agreement of the parties to a referee learned in the law" approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and its supplements The court may however in its discretion receive and consider any additional pertinent evidence whether oral or written either in open court or by deposition as the said court shall direct and the decision of the Department shall be reviewed in the light of such evidence provided the Court shall order a trial by jury upon demand of any appellant

(e) The order or ruling of the Department in any such proceeding shall become of full force and effect upon the date fixed by the Department in the said notice by it given thereof to the parties thereto unless notice of appeal therefrom shall prior to said date be duly served upon the Department as hereinbefore provided If an appeal shall be so taken such an appeal shall act as supersedeas until ten (10) days from and after the date of the filing of the transcript by the Department in the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and notice thereof by it given to the licensee but not longer unless the said Court of Common Pleas shall upon motion of the licensee grant an order of supersedeas in which case the appeal shall be heard by the said court and its decision entered within thirty (30) days after the granting of such order of supersedeas An appeal shall lie from the decision of the said Court of Common Pleas to the Superior Court but no such appeal shall operate as a supersedeas unless made so by special order of the Appellate Court

Section 11 (a) In all proceedings before the Department and as well in all proceedings upon appeal from any of its decisions the record or a duly certified or exemplified copy thereof in any proceedings at law or in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged or under investigation shall have been a party shall be admissible where the issue of fact involved in such proceedings are pertinent to the inquiry before the Department and the verdict of the jury or judgment of the court in any such action at law or the decree of the court in any such proceeding in equity shall be prima facie as to the facts at issue in such proceeding and necessarily adjudicated therein So also the verdict of the jury in any criminal prosecution in a court of record of this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged shall have been the defendant shall be conclusive as to the facts charged and at issue in such prosecution

(b) Where during the term of any license issued by the Department the licensee shall be convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses

and a duly certified or exemplified copy of the record in such proceeding shall be filed with the Department the Department shall revoke forthwith the license by it theretofore issued to the licensee so convicted

(c) In the event that any licensee shall be indicted in this or any other State for forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses and a certified copy of the indictment be filed with the Department or other proper evidence thereof be to it given the Department shall have authority in its discretion to suspend the license issued to such licensee pending trial upon such indictment

(d) In the event of the revocation or suspension of the license issued to any member of a copartnership or to any officer of an association or corporation the license issued to such copartnership association or corporation shall be revoked by the Department unless within a time fixed by the Department where a copartnership the connection therewith of the member whose license has been revoked shall be severed and his interest in the copartnership and his share in its activities brought to an end or where an association or corporation the offending officer shall be discharged and shall have no further participation in its activities

(e) Pending an investigation or proceeding before the Department affecting any licensee and as well pending final decision upon any appeal taken by a licensee from the ruling of the Department no new license shall be issued to such licensee or to a copartnership of which he is a member or employee or to an association or corporation of which he shall be an officer or employee except for the period of such investigation or proceeding and subject to the action of the Department thereon or therein

(f) After the revocation of any license no new license shall be issued to the same licensee within a period of one year from and after the date of such revocation nor at any time thereafter except in the sole discretion of the Department

(g) No license shall be issued by the Department to any person known by it to have within five (5) years theretofore convicted of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses or to any copartnership of which such person is a member or to any association or corporation of which said person is an officer or employe or in which as a stockholder such person has or exercises a controlling interest either directly or indirectly

Section 12 Any person copartnership association or corporation who shall after the first day of January nineteen hundred and thirty engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without a license or shall carry on or continue business after the suspension or revocation of any such license to him or it issued or shall employ any person as a real estate salesman to whom a license as real estate salesman has not been issued or whose license as such shall have been revoked or suspended shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced for the first offense to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars ($50) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100) and for a second and any subsequent offense shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) nor more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) or undergo imprisonment for a period of not more than one (1) year or both in the discretion of the court

Section 13 (a) The Department and each of its duly authorized assistants and deputies and as well any special deputy appointed by it to hold a hearing in any particular case shall have power to administer oaths and to issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers In any hearing in any part of the Commonwealth the process issued by the Department shall extend to all parts of the Commonwealth and such process shall be served either in like manner as are served writs of subpoena in the Court of Common Pleas or by any person designated by the Department for such purpose The person serving such process shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by the Department not to exceed the fee prescribed by law for similar services in the courts of common pleas and such fees shall be paid in the same manner as provided herein for the fees of witnesses subpoenaed at the instance of the Department All witnesses who shall be subpoenaed and who shall appear in any proceeding before the Department shall receive the same fees and mileage as allowed by law to witnesses in the Court of Common Pleas which amount shall be paid by the party at whose instance the subpoena was issued or upon whose behalf the witness has been called When any witness who has not been subpoenaed at the instance of any party to the proceeding shall be subpoenaed at the instance of the Department or its assistant or deputies general or special the fees and mileage of such witness shall be paid from the funds appropriated to the use of the said Department in the same manner as other expenses of the Department are paid

(b) Where in any proceeding before the Department any witness shall fail or refuse to attend upon subpoena issued by the Department or any of its assistants or deputies general or special or appearing shall refuse to testify or shall refuse to produce any books and papers the production of which is called for by the subpoena the attendance of such witness and the giving of his testimony and the production of the books and papers required shall be enforced by any court of common pleas of this Commonwealth in like manner as are enforced the attendance and testimony of witnesses before commissioners appointed by any court of the United States or of any other State to examine or take the testimony of witnesses within this Commonwealth

(c) The court of common pleas of any county shall upon the application of the Department issue commissions or letters rogatory to other States for the taking of evidence there for use in any proceeding before the Department The Department shall make such application at the instance of any party to the proceeding before it unless in the opinion of the Department such application is made for the purpose of delay Any such party shall be entitled as of right to subpoenas from the Department directed to such witnesses and for the production of such books and papers as the party may desire

Section 14 No violation of any of the provisions of this act on the part of any real estate salesman or other employee of any licensed real estate broker shall be ground for the revocation of the license of the employer of such salesman or employee unless it shall appear upon the hearing had that such employer had guilty knowledge of such violation A course of dealing shown to have been persistently and consistently followed by such employee shall constitute prima facie evidence of such knowledge upon the part of his employer

Section 15 (a) It shall be unlawful for any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman to pay any compensation in money or other valuable thing to any person other than a licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman for the rendering of any service or the doing of any of the acts by this act forbidden to be rendered or performed by other than licensees

(b) No real estate salesman shall accept or receive compensation of any kind from any person other than the licensed real estate broker by whom he is employed for any service rendered or work done by such salesman in buying selling exchanging leasing or negotiating a loan upon real estate or interest therein

(c) The violation of the provisions of this section by any licensee shall be sufficient cause for the suspension or revocation of his license in the discretion of the Department

Section 16 No action or suit shall be instituted nor recovery therein be had in any court of this Commonwealth by any person copartnership association or corporation for compensation for any act done or service rendered the doing or rendering of which is prohibited under the provisions of this act to others than licensed real estate brokers unless such person copartnership association or corporation was duly licensed hereunder as real estate broker at the time of the doing of such act or the rendering of such service

Section 17 The Department may act by a majority vote of the members thereof and authority is hereby given to the Department to adopt fix and establish all rules and regulations in its opinion necessary for the conduct of its business the holding of hearings before it and its deputies and otherwise generally for the carrying out of the provisions of this act

Section 18 If any section subsection sentence clause phrase or requirement of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act each section subsection sentence clause phrase and requirement thereof irrespective

of the fact that any one or more sections subsections sentences clauses phrases or requirements be declared unconstitutional

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?
It was agreed to.
On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. McALEE. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, I desire to say a few words in behalf of this bill. It was sponsored by the distinguished gentleman from Lehigh County, Senator Schantz, President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

There is no class of people in Pennsylvania holding themselves out to serve the public that handles so much of the public's money, as do real estate brokers. There is no class of business in Pennsylvania that has more opportunity to solicit the confidence of the people and of the public than the real estate brokers. Practically every class or profession in Pennsylvania that holds themselves out to serve the public is under the observation and restraint of someone in authority. Lawyers are under the observation and restraint of the courts. Insurance men are under the observation and the restraint of the Insurance Department. The healing arts are under the observation and restraint of the Department of Public Health, and the banks and trust companies are under the observation and the restraint of the Department of Banking. This bill is intended to place the real estate brokers under the observation and restraint of the Department of Public Education of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. This bill is similar to other bills now in effect in twenty-three states of the Union. It is in effect in our neighboring states of New York, New Jersey, Ohio and Delaware.

I live in the eastern end of the State, Northampton County, and have had an opportunity to become familiar with the particular working of the New Jersey act. In New Jersey the act has been highly successful and has been self-supporting, and has protected the people of New Jersey from the slippery dealings of unscrupulous real estate agents. The fees charged in this bill are similar to those charged in the State of New Jersey. This bill only regulates those brokers who receive a fee or compensation for acting for another. It does not affect the owner of a property who desires to sell his own property or who desires to subdivide his unimproved real estate. Nor does it affect the occasional dealer who makes a real estate transaction or a rent transaction. It is true that under this bill a single occasional transaction is regarded as prima facie evidence that such a person is a real estate dealer, but this can be refuted by showing that the person making such an occasional sale or such an occasional rental did not intend to engage in the real estate business and did not hold himself out as such. This bill is intended to protect the public from shrewd and unscrupulous real estate dealers. We in the eastern end of the State have become the dumping ground for unscrupulous and crooked real estate men who have been deprived of the opportunity of continuing their operations in the State of New Jersey. They come into our county; they obtain the confidence of the people, many of whom are workers in our slate mines and our cement mills and in our steel and textile mills. They obtain money from them under false pretenses; obtained on mortgages and judgments on property that has never existed. The people have no redress except to sue and arrest. The agent is arrested and indicted, but before the trial of the case they rob someone else and pay the informer off and have the indictment nolle prossed, because, remember, Members of the House, that to such victims as these money is far more important than in having people sentenced to jail. I feel that this is a very important piece of legislation, and should be passed by the members of this House.

Mr. DONNELL. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, I would like to call the attention of the Members of this House to what a real estate broker is, by the terms of the act. On page 1, beginning at section 2, it says: "The term real estate broker shall include all persons—" now turning to page 2—"who shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale, exchange, purchase or rental or to so hold himself or themselves out as engaged in the business of selling, exchanging, purchasing or renting of any real estate, interest in real estate, the property of another, whether the same shall be located within the State of Pennsylvania or elsewhere, or shall collect, or shall offer or attempt to collect rental." I believe, Mr. Speaker and ladies and gentlemen of the House, that that means what it says or else it should not mean anything. I think if you, as my neighbor, would ask me to rent your property for you when you are away from home and you would offer to pay me anything for that service during that time, that I would be a violator of this act, and therefore, ladies and gentlemen, I consider it mighty poor legislation and think that it should be defeated.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, it is rather a difficult proposition to pass a bill that has been amended as frequently as this bill has been amended. Having left the Committee of Judiciary General with the countless number of amendments that have been offered, it is rather difficult to know just exactly what to oppose. But, getting into the general merits of the bill, it is nothing more than an exclusive opportunity for a particular group of men to pass upon the business of other people. It provides for a board composed of three persons, each of whom is to receive $25.00 per day per person for the services they render. There is to be a secretary to that board, who has the right to hire as many employes as he may think necessary, and just to make it impossible for the individual of average, moderate means to get a license. No individual can get a license to sell real estate under this bill unless he files an application, and that application must be endorsed by two persons who own real estate. If that applicant should be refused a license for something he has done, he cannot appear before this board for a period of one year. The argument of the gentleman from Venango, Mr. Donnell, is correct. If you were to delegate a friend of yours to sell your home and that friend of yours knew someone who might buy your home, and the sale was made, he would be guilty of a misdemeanor under this act. Don't you think that the Members of this House have followed a very wise policy in this session of 1929 in voting down all measures in which there was a provision for the creation of boards? The safe thing to do is to continue to permit the average man, the man who is expected to earn a livelihood, to have an opportunity of following his business without appearing before a board. He has no assurance that he will receive equitable treatment at the hands of that board. The purpose of the bill is said to be to make dishonest men, honest men, but there is no legislation on God's earth that will ever make a dishonest man an honest man. I feel that the method we have today is well enough, and I ask you to leave the legislation as we have it today alone and vote this bill down.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BLUMBERG. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. SPANGLER. For information, I would like to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia to what extent the bill if it becomes a law, would interfere with private sales of real estate, either by a man for himself or for his family, or for his friends?

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, replying to the gentleman from York, let me state that this bill does not apply to any single isolated transaction. It is aimed to regulate the real estate broker whose business is to deal in real estate.

Secondly, I wish to say that, on page 3, it explicitly excludes from the operation of the act the owner himself of any real estate, or anyone who, acting for the owner of the real estate, has a letter of attorney so to act. In regard to that I say that, in so far as the owner is concerned, he can deal with his real estate as he sees fit without any regulation under this act. If you, however, wanted to delegate to some member of your family the right to sell that real estate, or any number of parcels of real estate, then you would give to some person in your family, or stranger, if you saw fit, a letter of attorney, giving him the right to deal with that real estate.

I would like to read you just this section. "Neither of the said terms 'real estate broker' or 'real estate salesman' shall be held to include within the meaning of this act any person, firm, partnership or corporation who as owner shall perform any of the acts with reference to property owned by them, nor any person holding in good faith a duly executed letter of attorney from the actual owner of any real estate."

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, that answers my question.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I wish to compliment the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg, upon his explanation of a point which seems to have gotten around that it would affect a man who is not in the real estate business and wishes to sell a property.

I am sorry, Mr. Speaker, that I do not agree with my distinguished friend from Allegheny County, Mr. Marcus, and I am sorry, also, that he is not proving himself, in the last days of the session, consistent, because this is about the only branch of business that is not regulated by the State government. The bill in itself is very simple. It establishes a board along the same lines as other boards that have been organized, and for the small fee of ten dollars these real estate brokers can get their licenses. The only qualification necessary to procure a license is that the man is able to read and write, and that he has his recommenders, two in number, testifying as to his honesty and truthfulness. For the information of Mr. Marcus, the gentleman from Allegheny, and the rest of the Members of the House, the pay for the board is eliminated entirely; in the bill as it now stands the clause providing for twenty-five dollars a day is stricken from the record.

We realize that legislation cannot make honest men, but legislation can discover dishonest men, and with a statute of this kind written upon our books we can punish the man that is fooling the people. We realize that no perfect legislation in its infancy can be enacted, but, ladies and gentlemen of the House, this is a step in the right direction, and I sincerely hope you will vote "aye" on this bill.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, the bill you have before you is, in substance, the same as the present New Jersey law. I have had some experience with the working of the New Jersey law. A salesman or a broker in New Jersey may take a deposit and may appropriate it to himself, keep it, and give some client or some buyer a faulty agreement. There may be many technicalities of law that prevent you from recovering the money from that broker or salesman. In New Jersey you file a complaint with the Commission, or their department there, there is a hearing—and inevitably the crooked broker turns back the money. Since New Jersey has a law of this kind, and since New York has a law of a similar character, and some of the other states have it, we find that many of the slippery, crooked salesmen of real estate are coming over into Pennsylvania selling lots on commission. This class of salesmen are imposing upon our people, and certainly there is a great need for some remedy. This whole bill gives a person that has been deceived an opportunity to complain.

At the present time a real estate broker pays a license fee of approximately ten dollars a year. It is only a revenue. There is no opportunity for anyone to complain. There is no opportunity to relieve somebody who has been cheated or defrauded. If this bill is passed and is put in operation, then there will be an opportunity so that service can be rendered to those that have been defrauded. There seems to be a question throughout the House to the effect that this law would apply to individual transactions. For instance, the question was put to me, "Suppose a man died, would his wife have to have a license to sell real estate?" That question is almost too absurd to ask. Anybody can sell real estate to any other person without coming under the provisions of this bill unless they determine to set themselves up in the real estate business and make it known to the public that they are real estate brokers. Our present law is clear on that subject. An occasional sale of real estate does not deprive a man from collecting a commission, but if he sets himself up as a broker he is not entitled to a commission. I think that this bill is a step in the right direction. It has worked well in New Jersey, and I think it will work well in Pennsylvania.

Mr. STADTLANDER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I wish to say to you that no reputable citizen need fear this bill. If you have any doubt about this act that it might affect the actions of an honest man, just disabuse your mind of that. It does not, because this act is directed at the man who is dishonest, and if you are honest and if your transactions are honest you need have no fear of this act. We are proposing to do in Pennsylvania merely what has been done in New Jersey and in New York, and we are informed that there is an act now in the Maryland legislature similar to the act which is before us. Are we going to shut ourselves in as an isolated State, where the scum of these scoundrels may come into Pennsylvania and do the dastardly work that they are now doing?

In the western part of the State, almost on the boundary of the Ohio line, real estate agents came over and sold lots to the unsophisticated mill men and the miners in that section. They offered these lots to them at $50, $75 and $100 apiece, and told them that they were ideally located, and when they came to investigate they found these lots were on the hillsides, almost perpendicular, so steep that you would not have been able to build a bird house on them. Therefore I say that we want some legislation that is going to protect these innocent men of Pennsylvania and protect the unsophisticated, an act that makes the real estate broker responsible.

On the matter of having a broker's license refused to you, let me say that, if you have any complaint to make about a license that is refused you, you still have the right to appeal to the court of Dauphin County, and if the Dauphin County courts refuse you, you still have the right to appeal to the Supreme Court, and various cases have been carried to the Supreme Court of the United States. In one case it was declared constitutional, and you need have no fear that this act is unconstitutional.

Now, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I wish to call your attention to the section that was given to you by Mr. Blumberg, although he did not read up far enough in the section. You will see that this also applies to attorneys. No attorney in the House need have any fear of the act. Read this section, which says: "Nor shall they be held to include in any way attorneys at law and justices of the peace, nor shall they be held to include any receiver, trustee in bankruptcy, administrator or executor or any other person or corporation acting under the appointment or order of any court or as trustee under the authority of a will or deed of trust or any banking institution operating under the laws of Pennsylvania." What is fairer than that? You need have no fear that, because you may make a single transaction, you are going to be prosecuted. You are protected under this act. I ask you to vote "aye" on this bill.

Mr. GOEHRING. Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, far be it from me to say to the real estate association that they have no right to organize into a body for the purpose of aiding their vocation. And far be it from me to say to them that they have no right to come down here and ask for a license to sell real estate. They have that right, and we have the right to give it to them, and in doing so we are going to protect, not the crooks, but the innocent man.

Now, our friend from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg, says that the friend selling a piece of property for you is not liable under this act. Section 2, page 1, says what a broker is. It says: "The term 'real estate broker' shall include all persons, co-partnerships, associations and corporations, foreign and domestic, who, for another and for a fee, commission or other valuable consideration, shall sell, exchange, purchase or rent, or shall negotiate the sale, exchange, purchase or rental, or shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale, exchange, purchase or rental." Now, if they want to be honest in their dealings with us, why didn't they say "By holding themselves out as real estate brokers." If they had done that I would have been willing to have gone along with this bill. It is true that, under the provisions of this bill, if you ask one of your friends or neighbor to put a mortgage on your home, or to sell your property, and he placed the mortgage or made the sale of your property, and you paid him $50 or $100, then he is guilty under this act. That is what he is. I say to you that there is no reason why they should not have put in this bill the words, "by holding themselves out as real estate brokers." That would have protected the innocent man.

Now, Mr. Speaker, I want to call your attention to one thing further. There are many errors in this bill, and if you read this bill as it stands you don't know what it means.

On page 4, section 4, you find that it takes out a paragraph, but it does not end the paragraph. There is one error.

On page 19, in line 18, it talks about a license when it means the licensee.

On page 20, in line 17, it takes out a paragraph beginning with "Commission," but it doesn't end that paragraph.

Now, Mr. Speaker, they can talk to us about a single transaction not bringing anyone under the provisions of this act. I call your attention to page 2, line 19, and I will read that to you. "One act in consideration of compensation by fee, commission or otherwise of buying, selling, renting or exchanging any such real estate of or for another or attempting or offering so to do or negotiating a loan upon or leasing or renting or placing for rent any such real estate or collection of rent therefrom shall constitute prima facie evidence that the person, copartnership, association or corporation so acting or attempting to act is a real estate broker within the meaning of this act." There is your one case and there is your exceptional case. That case specifically brings you under this act.

I call your attention further to page 28. Suppose I am a broker, a licensed broker, and you, through your friendship for me, assist me in closing a deal—you are not a lawyer and you are not a licensed broker—you are guilty under this act. I am going to read it to you.

Page 23, section 15 (a) says: "It shall be unlawful for any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman to pay any compensation in money or other valuable thing to any person other than a licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman for the rendering of any service or the doing of any of the acts by this act forbidden to be rendered or performed by other than licensees."

The real estate brokers have been down here for the last four sessions, and with some of their acts I have gone along, because I do believe that they have a right to obtain a license. There is no question about it. We have crooks in the real estate business, and we have crooks in the legal business, and we have crooks in the medical profession, and we have crooks in all kinds of businesses, but that is no reason for making an innocent man a crook, as I think you are attempting to do under this act. Do you mean to tell me that if you have a home for sale, or if you want to put a mortgage on your home, and if you go to someone who is not a real estate broker and they handle the matter for you and you want to compensate them, that they are going to be guilty of a violation of this act? Certainly you don't want that. It is hard for me to speak against this bill, because I have a very friendly feeling for the men who are in the real estate business. I believe in their association. I truly believe in them, and I believe that they have a right to organize, but when they come in and try to put innocent people into a bill and make them guilty of offenses against the law I think that it is time that we protect those innocent people.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, I dislike very much to trespass any further on your time, and I only do it in view of the fact that Mr. Goehring takes exception to my definition of the term of a real estate broker. Mr. Goehring calls your attention to section 2. This section defines a real estate broker, and so far as that goes Mr. Goehring is correct, except that in section 1 it distinctly takes out of the definition of a real estate broker and a real estate salesman the owner or any agent of the owner. Section 2 begins by saying, "The term 'real estate broker' shall include all persons, co-partnerships, associations and corporations, foreign and domestic, who for another and for a fee, commission or other valuable consideration, shall sell, exchange, purchase or rent or shall negotiate the sale, exchange, purchase or rental or shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale, exchange, purchase or rental or shall hold himself or themselves out as engaged in the business of selling, exchanging, purchasing or renting of any real estate," and so forth. But section "c" qualifies that definition, and it says, "Neither of the said terms 'real estate broker' or

'real estate salesman' shall be held to include within the meaning of this act any person, firm, association, partnership or corporation who, as owner, shall perform any of the acts with reference to property owned by them, nor any person holding in good faith a duly executed letter of attorney from the actual owner of any real estate," which also takes out of the provisions of the act the person who does the act for the owner.

So much for that first objection. It is also true, as Mr. Goehring points out, that there are three or four typographical errors in the bill. On page 4, which was eliminated, the page begins with a bracket and the end of the page does not include the last bracket. That is true on page 19. In so far as these typographical errors are concerned, we are aware of them, and we have amendments prepared to pass in the Senate when we ask them to concur in the amendments we have made in this bill.

There is only one other objection that the gentleman from Allegheny has brought to your attention. That is the question of the splitting of commissions. If we are going to regulate the unscrupulous, glib real estate salesman, we have got to regulate as to him first and then we have got to prevent any other real estate broker from dealing with him.

In other words, as we cannot have a crook get the honest man to do his work and then the two split the commission. Therefore we have placed in the act a provision that no real estate broker may split his commission with one who is not a real estate broker.

There is really not very much to this act. It is a regulatory act. All it attempts to do is to regulate those people who deal in real estate. Any person can get a license under the act, because all you need to know is reading, writing and arithmetic, and if you are honest that is the extent of your qualifications. There are no two ways about it. The act distinctly says so. There is a remedy provided for should the commission want to be arbitrary. Mr. Marcus says that you don't get a hearing. The act specifically provides that, before the commission has the right to refuse a license or suspend or revoke a license, before they can take that action they are required to notify the applicant of the charges preferred against him in writing and submitted to him at least five days before any action is taken. It gives the applicant the right to appear before the commission with counsel; it gives the applicant the right to demand any papers relative to any charges preferred against him.

There is another safeguard. Suppose the commission, after they have considered an application, refuses a license, or suspends or revokes it. The applicant has the right to appeal from the ruling of the commission to the courts. Certainly in court he has his remedy.

Every known safeguard to protect the man who wants to honestly deal in real estate has been placed in this bill. The amendments were gotten together and placed in the bill by the Judiciary General Committee, and the bill was then reported out for your consideration. What the bill does is not to make it impossible to get a license, but to regulate those people who are permitted to deal in real estate.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I desire to interrogate the gentlemen from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Philadelphia permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. BLUMBERG. I will, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I would like to ask the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Blumberg, if, under the provisions of this act, a client went to an attorney for a power of attorney to comply with this act, and after the individual received the power of attorney it was found not to be legally drawn, whether that individual would be guilty of a misdemeanor under this act.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, my answer to the interrogation is no, because the act says any person holding in good faith a duly executed power of attorney.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—127.

Adams, E. C.,	Evans,	Metzinger,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Fish,	Miller, H. A.,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Flynn,	Miller, S. H.,	Scott, W. H.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fox,	Moore, D. G.,	Shaffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Fuller,	Moore, W. H.,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gicking,	Muldowney,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Goodnough,	Munley,	Simon,
Behm,	Greeby,	Musmanno,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Myers,	Smith, W. B.,
Bicker,	Hart,	Nothnagle,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Himes,	Pennock,	Stein,
Braham,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Howe,	Peters,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Katz,	Pethick,	Storb,
Burke,	Kirkbride,	Pitts,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Tahl,
Catania,	Kohr,	Reed,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Landis,	Reilly,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Linton,	Reyburn,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Lose,	Rhodes,	Weaver,
Conner,	Lowe,	Rice,	Welty,
Cooke,	Lucas,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Davidson,	McAlee,	Rieder,	Wike,
Davis,	McAlinn,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Dengler,	McDonald,	Root,	Wolfe,
Faches,	McKay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ede,	Memolo,	Schilling,	Hess,
Emhardt,	Meredith,	Schreck,	Speaker.

NAYS—47.

Baily,	Gwynne,	McCann,	Soffel,
Baker,	Hagmaier,	McClure,	Storer,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Michel,	Way,
Barton,	Harding,	Mumford,	Wells,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Post,	White,
Clovis,	Henderson,	Powell,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Holmes,	Purucker,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Huester,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	King,	Schrock,	Wright,
Gelnett,	Lockhart,	Shiely,	Yeakel,
Goehring,	Marcus,	Sheffer,	Yerg,
Gress,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 533.

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' Courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendment.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend section 7, page 3, line 17, by striking out the numerals "($10,500)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($13,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendment made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—187.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baucher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Marcus,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 263 FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. HAINES asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 263, Printer's No. 963, White File Folio 5590, entitled "An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled 'An act relating to dogs and the protection of livestock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to livestock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties'" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

RESOLUTION.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 1663 FROM THE GOVERNOR

Mr. McCLURE asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1663, Printer's No. 1410, File Folio 8679, entitled "An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-two) entitled 'An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties' by excepting counties of the second class and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof" be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1597, entitled "An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith" be recalled from the Governor.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 11

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 811.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act, approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL NON-CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has non-concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 42.

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate.

Mr. CONNER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS Nos. 453, 905, 1057, 1277, 1419 AND 1462.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 453, file folio 1331, entitled, "An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims and repealing existing laws."

House Bill No. 905, file folio 1233, entitled, "An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled 'An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the Republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor.'"

House Bill No. 1057, file folio 3213, entitled, "An Act to amend paragraph one of section seven of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-seven) entitled 'An act authorizing boroughs and townships of the first class to adopt and enforce zoning ordinances regulating the location construction and use of buildings the size of courts and open spaces the density of population and the use of land' providing the manner in which the board of adjustment shall be appointed."

House Bill No. 1277, file folio 3511, entitled, "An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road."

House Bill No. 1419, file folio 3127, entitled, "An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled 'An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of persons employed in tenement houses and shops where clothing cigarettes cigars and certain other articles are made or partially made and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and to provide for the safety and regulating the employment of said persons.'"

House Bill No. 1462, file folio, 2645, entitled, "An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters materials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interested is absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons."

JOHN S. FISHER.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION RETURNING HOUSE BILL No. 1060 TO THE GOVERNOR.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a Resolution of the House and Senate returning to the Governor without amendments House Bill No. 1060, file folio 4051, which was recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

JOHN S. FISHER.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The report was read as follows:

The SPEAKER. The Chair lays before the House the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520.

To the members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 520, entitled: "An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-nine), entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals, and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto,'" respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

R. S. QUIGLEY,
C. W. SONES,
H. B. SCOTT,
Committee on the Part of the Senate

CLARENCE L. EDERER,
JOS. WASHINGTON,
PARIS E. EACHES,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1001 Bounties on Certain Animals A reward or bounty shall be paid for the killing within the Commonwealth only of the following animals For each Canada or bay lynx commonly called bobcat or wildcat fifteen dollars for each gray fox four dollars [and] for each weasel one dollar and for each goshawk killed within the Commonwealth between the first day of November and the first day of May of the next following year and shipped to the office of the Board of Harrisburg within thirty-six hours after killing five dollars

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—189.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Gresby,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Baker,	Griffith,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Gwynne,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Haws,	Mumford,	Stein,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schwartz	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Zeisenhcim,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gicking,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee of Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2418, (Senate Bill No. 1479), file folio 6275, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to equip the Emerson-Brantingham building with a printing plant, providing for the use and maintenance thereof, and making an appropriation.

be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. REED. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate insist on its non-concurrence in the amendments made and insisted upon by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident real estate brokers and real estate salesmen and their business.

And has appointed Messrs. Krause, Frazier and Mansfield a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives (if the House of Representatives shall appoint such committee) on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments non-concurred in by the Senate and that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. MYERS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a Committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Blumberg, Kleckner and Witkin.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 11, Printer's No. 800, File Folio 6821, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That Senate Bill No. 196, Printer's No. 795, File Folio 6793, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto sections two thousand four hundred and ninety two thousand four hundred and ninety-one two thousand four hundred and ninety-two and two thousand four hundred and ninety-three authorizing boroughs to provide improve and operate or lease airports

be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resoultion of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If there is no objection, the Chair will declare a recess until 9.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 9.00 o'clock P. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 441.

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

HOUSE BILL No. 469.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 667.

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 701.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1053.

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars trackless trolly omnibuses bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local autorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships withing the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

HOUSE BILL No. 1171.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1483.

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine gun and providing penalties and providing for certain exemptions and the granting of permits by sheriffs to own and possess machine guns as relics

HOUSE BILL No. 1333.

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailors providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1548.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and certain bonds and certificates of cities of the third class from the provisions thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 1732.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor Licence Fund therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 1854.

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

HOUSE BILL No. 1862.

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

HOUSE BILL No. 1942.

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of July one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additional exemption from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

HOUSE BILL No. 1944.

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first section and third section of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers

HOUSE BILL No. 1973.

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

HOUSE BILL No. 11.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-one), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking associatin standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid, and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended, fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity, and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits.

HOUSE BILL No. 32.

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 92.

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 95.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

HOUSE BILL No. 113.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the

tion for thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

HOUSE BILL No. 125.

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands providing for their adjustment and for granting of patents.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 130.

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by adding thereto clause six authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 131.

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 136.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 150.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 155.

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 153.

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 174.

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 176.

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road Upper Darby Delaware County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 183.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 234.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

HOUSE BILL No. 236.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

HOUSE BILL No. 266.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

HOUSE BILL No. 267.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

HOUSE BILL No. 282.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 285.

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

HOUSE BILL No. 299.

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three, three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 313.

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

HOUSE BILL No. 314.

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 317.

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 360.

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

HOUSE BILL No. 374.

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 395.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 436.

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 440.

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 442.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section

HOUSE BILL No. 490.

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 521.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 530.

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 579.

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 671.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

HOUSE BILL No. 722.

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 745.

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary.

HOUSE BILL No. 746.

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 757.

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

HOUSE BILL No. 758.

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

HOUSE BILL No. 763.

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 767.

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 783.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 789.

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

HOUSE BILL No. 796.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to and regulating the effect of contracts for work and labor to be done and labor or materials to be furnished to any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway tollroad conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipe-line aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works for supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of gas oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by including among the wells enumerated wells for the production of water.

HOUSE BILL No. 799.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 803.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 837.

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

HOUSE BILL No. 838.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or epileptics under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

HOUSE BILL No. 839.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

HOUSE BILL No. 840.

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park, Washington Crossing Park, and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

HOUSE BILL No. 841.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State educational institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

HOUSE BILL No. 842.

An Act to further amend section three of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 5), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof,' approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county, and prescribing its organization, jurisdiction, and powers therein and otherwise," by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

HOUSE BILL No. 897.

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for the work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

HOUSE BILL No. 900.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 911.

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 442), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations, issuing, for money consideration, policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles, or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles; defining motor vehicles; providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts; providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner, and payment of examination expenses, and filing fees; providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues, and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers; providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed; requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received; requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner, and to come under provisions of the act; fixing penalty for violations of the act; providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

HOUSE BILL No. 917.

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth."

HOUSE BILL No. 930.

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 933.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 409), entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying, and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor," providing additional methods of postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

HOUSE BILL No. 934.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 937.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton, Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 939.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations' approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

HOUSE BILL No. 945.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital, located at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 949.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 964.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 969.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 977.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 983.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 992.

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

HOUSE BILL No. 994.

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 997.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 998.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 999.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1000.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1001.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1002.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1006.

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 1036.

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five, and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

HOUSE BILL No. 1089.

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

HOUSE BILL No. 1096.

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1098.

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

HOUSE BILL No. 1133.

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways

HOUSE BILL No. 1140.

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

HOUSE BILL No. 1174.

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1193.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

HOUSE BILL No. 1203.

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

HOUSE BILL No. 1229.

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

HOUSE BILL No. 1237.

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

HOUSE BILL No. 1238.

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

HOUSE BILL No. 1282.

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five), entitled "An act defining commodities; regulating the sale thereof; and providing penalties for violation hereof," as amended by the act of May fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

HOUSE BILL No. 1302.

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1306.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers.

HOUSE BILL No. 1323.

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal

HOUSE BILL No. 1335.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury

HOUSE BILL No. 1338.

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

HOUSE BILL No. 1343.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1352.

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 849), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1357.

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1404.

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1416.

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons"

HOUSE BILL No. 1418.

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

HOUSE BILL No. 1432.

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provision of this Act and imposing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1434.

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

HOUSE BILL No. 1444.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

HOUSE BILL No. 1454.

An act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1466.

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain act

HOUSE BILL No. 1482.

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth authorizing counties boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and requiring certain moneys of the Motor License Fund to be expended as herein provided

HOUSE BILL No. 1499.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsyl-

HOUSE BILL No. 1500.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 1505.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Harrisburg State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 1511.

A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 583), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

HOUSE BILL No. 1516.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1517.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1524.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1527.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1528.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1529.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 1530.

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

HOUSE BILL No. 1531.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth including fixtures and heating or sewerage systems and service lines for the accommodation of buildings.

HOUSE BILL No. 1532.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1533.

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

HOUSE BILL No. 1534.

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital, of Kane, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1540.

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act con-

cerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," further defining game and protected birds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1549.

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant

HOUSE BILL No. 1559.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven. (P. L. 417), entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons, and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, in whole or in part maintained by State aid, to acquire lands for hospital purposes; and to take waters, streams, lands, property, and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes; prescribing the manner in which said land, streams, property, and materials may be taken, and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking," extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in his Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid.

HOUSE BILL No. 1593.

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden

HOUSE BILL No. 1594.

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined.

HOUSE BILL No. 1596.

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the dispcsition of the funds realized from such sale.

HOUSE BILL No. 1597.

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

HOUSE BILL No. 1603.

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

HOUSE BILL No. 1620.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School

HOUSE BILL No. 1623.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways

HOUSE BILL No. 1625.

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1651.

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts" as amended by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service stationery telephone telegraph clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof

HOUSE BILL No. 1653.

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1654.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admitted therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1655.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty.

HOUSE BILL No. 1665.

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1673.

An Act authorizing appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 1696.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

HOUSE BILL No. 1697.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

HOUSE BILL No. 1701.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals providing for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

HOUSE BIL LNo. 1723.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eight day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-six), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over" by authorizing the Secretary of Revenue to fix the number and compensation of State clerks in the office of the county treasurer in counties of the first class.

HOUSE BILL No. 1741.

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "'An act to protect the public health and safety By regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabited houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

HOUSE BILL No. 1746.

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1755.

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department. by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement. maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 1756.

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated

HOUSE BILL No. 1757.

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton Pennsylvania and Phillipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 1758.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 1812.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the officers of the various police stations within the Commonwealth

HOUSE BILL No. 1833.

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

HOUSE BILL No. 1834.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate and drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1851.

An Act authorizing Directors of the Poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom

HOUSE BILL No. 1855.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

HOUSE BILL No. 1857.

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 1861.

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the Department of Property and Supplies

HOUSE BILL No. 1881.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

HOUSE BILL No. 1882.

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon county"

HOUSE BILL No. 1887.

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to adoption."

HOUSE BILL No. 1891.

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1892.

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

HOUSE BILL No. 1893.

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

HOUSE BILL No. 1902.

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

HOUSE BILL No. 1914.

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth' approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty and supplements thereto providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives"

HOUSE BILL No. 1930.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

HOUSE BILL No. 1935.

An Act to amend section five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships"

HOUSE BILL No. 1936.

An Act to amend sections eight nine ten eleven twelve and thirteen of the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act defining and regulating public amusements and places used therefor requiring and regulating the licensing thereof restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto and providing penalties for violation of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 1937.

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports

HOUSE BILL No. 1933.

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved May second one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on or after May first."

HOUSE BILL No. 1939.

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

HOUSE BILL No. 1940.

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

HOUSE BILL No. 1941.

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions

HOUSE BILL No. 1943.

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

HOUSE BILL No. 1945.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the procedure for making reports and paying the tax under said section.

HOUSE BILL No. 1946.

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entited 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

HOUSE BILL No. 1948.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

HOUSE BILL No. 1951.

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

HOUSE BILL No. 1952.

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

HOUSE BILL No. 1953.

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1954.

An Act making an appropriation to the board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1955.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the admission of patients thereto

HOUSE BILL No. 1957.

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general or special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1970.

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including he appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged

on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions an dthe substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foregn fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

HOUSE BILL No. 2024.

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gasses or substances and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 2026.

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, six hundred eighty-eight), entitled, "An act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities, to wit: cities, boroughs and townships in counties of the second class, into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report, together with an act providing a method for such consolidation, and prescribing its powers and duties," and the supplements and amendments thereto; continuing the commissions under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years, requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class, and continuing and enlarging its powers, rights and duties.

HOUSE BILL No. 2034.

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

HOUSE BILL No. 2038.

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

HOUSE BILL No. 2063.

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

HOUSE BILL No. 2064.

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 2098.

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

HOUSE BILL No. 2104.

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 2126.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

HOUSE BILL No. 2132.

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriation and making an appropriation

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 754.

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes

HOUSE BILL No. 305.

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class, where such applications were refused, but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury, and making an appropriation therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 340.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

HOUSE BILL No. 1236.

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons.

HOUSE BILL No. 788.

An Act to amend paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by sheriffs in this Commonwealth and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same" by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

HOUSE BILL No. 1184.

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto

HOUSE BILL No. 1194.

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1071.

An Act to amend section three as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

HOUSE BILL No. 1870.

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised

HOUSE BILL No. 1934.

An Act to further amend an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 649) entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' approved April twenty-nine one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto for the insurance of owners of real estate mortgages and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles liens and encumbrances and of companies entitled to the benefits of and of companies having any of the powers of companies entitled to the benefits of an act entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance safety deposit trust and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April twenty-nine Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and of the supplements thereto" approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five commonly known as title insurance or trust companies" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies

HOUSE BILL No. 1360.

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 774) entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties"

HOUSE BILL No. 1816.

An Act to amend section two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes

HOUSE BILL No. 1977.

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties

HOUSE BILL No. 1745.

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

HOUSE BILL No. 1885.

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 797.

An Act authorizing and empowering the Officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July 17, 1919, (P. L. 1003), entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries, and providing penalties," as amended providing for the method of reimbursement to such licensee and making an appropriation therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 2095.

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State institutions.

HOUSE BILL No. 321.

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Depart-

ments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

HOUSE BILL No. 1378.

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

HOUSE BILL No. 1379.

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

HOUSE BILL No. 1380.

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

HOUSE BILL No. 1410.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

HOUSE BILL No. 1925.

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

HOUSE BILL No. 1931.

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

HOUSE BILL No. 2002.

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment of bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with estates of decedents"

HOUSE BILL No. 2029.

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

HOUSE BILL No. 2058.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 531) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

HOUSE BILL No. 2059.

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 2072.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities

HOUSE BILL No. 2076.

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 2081.

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

HOUSE BILL No. 2084.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 229.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven

(P. L. 101) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation," increasing the compensation of assigned judges

HOUSE BILL No. 301.

An Act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 925.

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

HOUSE BILL No. 1144.

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1163.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

HOUSE BILL No. 1183.

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

HOUSE BILL No. 1583.

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1884.

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner. two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not effected by provisions of this act," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 2082.

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government

HOUSE BILL No. 1214.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

HOUSE BILL No. 1478.

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 2074.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

HOUSE BILL No. 2083.

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue

HOUSE BILL No. 2085.

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine

to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individuals for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

HOUSE BILL No. 2086.

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 2087.

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement

HOUSE BILL No. 1161.

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1473.

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

HOUSE BILL No. 1768.

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

HOUSE BILL No. 1972.

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

HOUSE BILL No. 2012.

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class

HOUSE BILL No. 2013.

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in cities boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

HOUSE BILL No. 2090.

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 883), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

HOUSE BILL No. 993.

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyd associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 967.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof when such indebtedness was legally incurred

HOUSE BILL No. 201.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class

HOUSE BILL No. 1890.

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process

HOUSE BILL No. 332.

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

HOUSE BILL No. 13.

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 165.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 338.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 372.

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 431.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 464.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 478.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home, of Brookville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 753.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 809.

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 887.

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 888.

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 890.

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 952.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 973.

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 978.

An Act making an appropiration to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

HOUSE BILL No. 1070.

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1123.

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1130.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1149.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1170.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1172.

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1353.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1365.

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1429.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1480.

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1507.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1586.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1591.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1927.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 2066.

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 57.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras Pike County.

HOUSE BILL No. 497.

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1112.

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital. of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 806.

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

HOUSE BILL No. 1155.

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses on Bill, numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 520.

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONFERENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1101.

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Panmphlet Laws thirty-four), entitiled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacturing thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws", (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property other than intoxicating liquor or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 3, lines 22 and 23, by striking out the following: "Without being considered in default in compliance with the order to destroy the same," and inserting in lieu thereof the following, "with the consent of the court making such order to which a return of such sale shall be made".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Mercdith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Haws,	Munley,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Black,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Braham,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Burns,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Catania,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Clovis,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1750.

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen

(P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes";

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 11, by striking out after the word "purposes" the following, to line 19 inclusive: "by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons, copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock company or association. limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation as active trustee, agent, attorny

Also on page 2, by striking out the balance of said title as follows: " in fact, or in any other capacity, for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure.	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring.	McDonald,	Sheffer.
Bally,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Groeby,	Memolo.	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers.
Bechtel,	Haines.	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler.
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling.
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Post.	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice.	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dittel,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Royle,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. WHEELER asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 1076, file folio 8835, bill on final passage, recalled from the Governor.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 106, as follows:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships where such forests are located and making an appropriation

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act all lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the Commonwealth or by the Government of the United States for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating any portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and which by existing laws are now exempt from taxation and all lands and property heretofore or hereafter acquired for the purpose of conservation of water or to prevent flood conditions upon which a tax is imposed by existing laws payable by the Commonwealth shall hereafter be subject to an annual charge of one cent per acre for the benefit of the county in which said lands are located two cents per acre for the benefit of the schools in the respective school districts in which such lands are located and two cents per acre for the benefit of the roads in the township where such lands are located which charge shall be payable by the Commonwealth The annual charge payable by the Commonwealth on land acquired by the Government of the United States for forest reserves is to continue only until the receipts of money by treasurers and road supervisors of the said counties and school districts and townships in which national forest reserves are located provided for in Act of April twenty-seventh one thousand nine hundred twenty-five Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-four shall equal or exceed the amount paid by the Commonwealth in lieu of taxes

Section 2 The Secretary of Forests and Waters shall certify to the respective counties school districts and townships throughout the Commonwealth in which such lands are located the number of acres owned by the Commonwealth and the United States Government in each county school district or township upon application of the treasurer or road supervisors of any of the said counties school districts or townships and the charge against the same and shall furthermore certify to the State Treasurer the number of acres as aforesaid and the charge against the same in favor of the respective counties school districts and townships The State Treasurer shall upon requisition of the Secretary of Forests and Waters and the warrant of the Auditor General pay to the several counties school districts and townships the amounts due the same from the Commonwealth and derived under this act

upon due application therefor made by the treasurers or road supervisors of the said counties school districts and townships

Section 3 That the following acts of Assembly are hereby repealed absolutely

The act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing a fixed charge on lands acquired by the State for Forestry Reserves and the distribution of revenue so derived for school and road purposes"

The act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-four) entitled "An act providing a fixed charge on lands acquired by the State for forest reserves and the distribution of the same for school purposes in the townships and boroughs wherein State reserves are located"

The act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four) entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions"

The act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seventy-eight) entitled "An act providing a fixed charge on lands acquired by the State to be held as State forests and the distribution of the same for county purposes within the counties where State forests are located"

All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

Section 4 For carrying out the purposes of this act the sum of $25,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the Department of Forests and Waters

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Glcking,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure.	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo.	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne.	Metzinger,	Soffel.
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Stadtlander
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley.	Sterling.
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hoffner,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peelor,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Washington,
Clovis,	Howe,	Pethick,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kirkpride,	Reed,	White,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wike,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wilson,
Ede,	Linton.	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Loucks	Rieder,	Wood,
Evans	Lowe,	Ronemus	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Kess,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Mr. GRIFITH asked and obtained unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 1283, file folio 8821, bill on final passage recalled from the Governor.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1283, as follows:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That hereafter the Commonwealth agrees to pay toward the maintenance cost of the roads hereinbefore or hereinafter constructed or improved under the State Reward plan one-half the yearly maintenance expense not to exceed for the State's share $100.00 per mile The aforesaid Aid shall be based upon surfaces of gravel shale cinder slag broken stone macadam asphalt brick or concrete of a width of 16 feet and a length of one mile Corresponding reduction or addition in the amount of Aid shall be made as the width of the improved road surface is increased or decreased but no Aid shall be paid for the maintenance of any road having less than ten feet of improved road surface nor more than fifty per centum of the cost of maintaining township reward roads not however exceeding one hundred dollars per mile where such roads have been constructed with a broken stone base and broken stone slag gravel cinders or other approved road material or have been macadamized or constructed as a Telford macadam road or have been constructed of concrete brick or with bituminous surface in accordance with the standards provided by laws of the Commonwealth relating to township rewards roads Such roads shall continue to be maintained by the supervisors but all maintenance where the State contributes shall be done only under the supervision of the Department of Highways No contribution for maintenance shall be made by the Department of Highways until the supervisors of the township shall have agreed to expend for the maintenance of any township reward road an amount from the township moneys at least equal to the amount to be contributed by the State Payments to townships for the maintenance of township reward roads in accordance with this act shall be made from appropriations from the Motor License Fund made for such purposes

Section 2 Before any maintenance work is performed under the provisions of this Act the supervisors of the township of the second class shall petition for the Aid on forms furnished by the Department of Highways accompanied by a statement showing the nature of the maintenance work to be done by the township supervisors together with estimates of the cost of such work Whenever such petitions and estimates have been approved by the Department of Highways it shall certify to the township supervisors the portion of the cost of such maintenance which the Commonwealth agrees to pay The portion agreed upon to be paid by the Commonwealth shall not exceed the amount per mile as hereinbefore provided in this act and where the cost of the maintenance is more or less than that set forth in the contract a proper increase or deduction shall be made by the Commonwealth not exceeding the limitation hereinbefore provided Upon completion of the maintenance work for which the State-aid has been granted and the certifications of the expenditures upon a sworn statement of the majority of the Board of Township Supervisors and such other evidence as the Department of Highways may require the Department shall certify to the Auditor General the amount of maintenance money to be paid to said township and he shall draw a war-

rant upon the State Treasurer as provided by Act of Assembly to the Treasurer of the Board of Supervisors which shall be paid out of moneys appropriated for this purpose

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fish,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bickett,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Black,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Clovis,	King,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Denne,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Ede,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Ederer,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Emhardt,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Erdley,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Evans,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILLS NONCONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has nonconcurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill numbered and entitled as follows :

SENATE BILL No. 1257.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads: defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorprated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts of counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House insist upon its amendments nonconcurred in by the Senate and that a Committee of Conference be appointed.

Mr. RICE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 1257, Messrs. Turner, Reed and Staudenmeier.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1856. The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 1856, entitled: "An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of , one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, Act No.), entitled: 'An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all Liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the

collection of such tax and the creation of liens, and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers, and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits, and fixing penalties'; exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

CLARENCE J. BUCKMAN,
SAM'L W. SALUS,
FRANK E. BALDWIN,
Committee on the part of the Senate

PHILIP STERLING,
PATRICK CONNER,
HARRY DITTER,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——— day of ——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No. ———) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax, requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the——— day of——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No. ———) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetables ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealtrs and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the following words terms and phrases used in this act are for the purpose hereof defined as follows

(a) The term "liquid fuels" shall mean all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power except kerosene fuel oil not used in motor vehicles and gas oil and shall include all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tor and vegetable ferments said distillates and condensates being ordinarily designated as gasoline naphtha benezol benzine and alcohols so usable but not restricted to such designations

(b) The word "dealer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation selling liquid fuels as herein defined to purchasers who purchase for purposes other than resale

(c) The word "consumer" shall include any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which imports or causes to be imported into this Commonwealth liquid fuels as defined in this act for his or its own use and also any person firm copartnership association or corporation who or which uses liquid fuels in this Commonwealth not purchased from dealers as defined in this act and on which no tax was collected by a dealer under the provisions of this act

(d) The word "Department" shall mean the Department of Revenue of this Commonwealth

(e) The word "association" shall mean a limited partnership joint-stock association or any other form of unincorporated company

Section 2 If the proviso at the end of clause (a) of Section one of the act which this act amends should be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional the invalidity of said proviso shall not affect the other amendment of said clause which is effected by this act The General Assembly hereby declares that it would have passed this act omitting said proviso if it had been advised of the unconstitutionality thereof at the time this act was passed

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reed,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reilly,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Root,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wood
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—2.

Baldrige, Patterson, F. W.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee of Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 884.

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 18, by striking out the parenthesis before the word "except"; also in same line by striking out the light face bracket before the word "the"; also in line 19, by striking out the light face bracket after the word "improvements"; also in line 20, by striking out the following at the beginning of the line: "work done by the employes of the City)"; also in line 21 by striking out at the end of said line the words "one Thou" and in line 22 the syllable "sand" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "five hundred"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Meredith	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hartzock,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Munley,	Steedle,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storer,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Hindman,	Perry,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Hoffcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Read,	Wells,
Dietrich,	Klockner,	Rexburn,	Welty,
Ditter,	Kohn,	Rhoades,	Wettach,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	White,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Riedel,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Zeisenheim,
Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1521.

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes and persons to secure employment providing for the licensing registration bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth and of said Department and prescribing penalties

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 2, by striking out the following: the term shall include any person engaged in the business of procuring or offering promising or attempting to provide circus vaudeville theatrical band or orchestra engagements and all other entertainments or exhibitions or performances or of giving information as to where such engagements may be procured or provided the term shall further include all persons whomanage for profit any so called amateur performance or exhibition within this Commonwealth except "employment agent" shall apply whether such persons operates in a building by mail on the street or elsewhere

Amend section 1, page 2, line 26, by striking out the following:

such term also includes the difference between the amount of money received by any such person who furnishes employes performers or entertainers for circus vaudeville theatrical and other entertainments exhibitions or performances and the amount paid by them to the said employes performers or entertainers whom he hires or provides for such entetainments exhibitions or performances

Amend section 2, page 3, line 9, by inserting after the word Departments, the word: "associations"; amend line 11 by inserting after the word themselves the words: "or their members"; amend line 21 by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" the following:

"(g) Employment bureaus or agencies maintained by any association of manufacturers within the Commonwealth for the purpose of obtaining employes for their members and which charge no fee to applicants for employment"

Amend section 9, page 8, line 14, by striking out the words: "and fifty".

Amend section 10, page 8, line 22, by striking out the following: "may suspend or revoke the license of any licensee." and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "shall institute proceedings in the Court of Common Pleas of the county wherein such business is located asking for the suspension or revocation of such license for the causes enumerated hereinafter All matters remaining in abeyance until final hearing"

Such revocation or suspension shall be after due hearing and notice as in the case of a hearing on the matter of the original issuing of the license and may be held as provided under said regulations or in an office of the department designated by the secretary

A daily calendar of all hearings shall be kept by the secretary and posted in the department

Whenever any license is suspended or revoked the employment agent effected may within thirty day by petition appeal to the court of common pleas of the county wherein such business is located The action of said court thereon shall be final

Amend section 10, page 9, line 3, by striking out the following:

Amend section 10, page 9, line 19, by inserting after the word "agent" the following:

"No employment agent shall divide directly or indirectly any fees charged or received by him with any person who secures help through such employment agent or to whom help is referred by such employment agent nor shall any employment agent offer to so divide any fees."

Amend section 13, page 11, line 15 by striking out the words: "in writing"

Amend section 18, page 13, line 21 by striking out the following:

Section 18 The secretary shall promulgate such rules and regulations governing the conduction of the business of an employment agent in addition to those laid down by this act as may in his opinion be necessary for the regulation of special activities of such agents which from their nature require such regulation Such rules and regulations shall have equal force and effect as if incorporated in this act

Amend section 19, page 13, line 29, by striking out the numerals: "19" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "18".

Amend section 20, page 14, line 12, by striking out the numerals: "20" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "19".

Amend section 21, page 14, line 23, by striking out the numerals: "21" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "20".

Amend section 22, page 15, line 1, by striking out the numerals: "22" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "21".

Amend section 23, page 15, line 4, by striking out the numerals: "23" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "22".

Amend section 24, page 17, line 3, by striking out the numerals: "24" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "23".

Amend section 25, page 17, line 23, by striking out the numerals: "25" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "24".

Amend section 26, page 18, line 5, by striking out the numerals: "26" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "25".

Amend section 27, page 18, line 7, by striking out the numerals: "27" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals: "26."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Graeby,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Caumel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 180.

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the following: "and four hundred and three"

Amend section 2, page line 20, by striking out the following: "Section 2 That section four hundred and three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 403 The affirmative vote of a majority of all the members of the board of school directors in every school district in this Commonwealth duly recorded showing how each member voted shall be required in order to take action on the following subjects

Fixing length of school term

Adopting text-books"

Amend section 2, page 3, line 1, by striking out the following: "Appointing or dismissing district superintendents assistant district superintendents associate superintendents principals and teachers

Appointing tax collectors and other appointees

Levying and assessing taxes

Purchasing selling or condemning land

Locating new buildings or changing the locations of old ones

Dismissing a teacher after a hearing

Creating or increasing any indebtedness

Adopting courses of study

Establishing additional schools or departments
Designating depositories for school funds
Entering into contracts of any kind including the purchase of fuel or any supplies where the amount involved exceeds one hundred dollars Provided however That this provision shall not apply to school districts of the second and third classes
Fixing salaries or compensation of officers teachers or other appointees of the board of school directors"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Braham,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burns,	Henderson,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Hines,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Washington,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Way,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davis,	Katz,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	King,	Reilly,	Wells,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Loucks,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fylnn,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1464.

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six, one thousand six hundred sixty-seven, one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction, opening, dedication and drainage of highways.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 6 by adding after the word: "boroughs" the following: "and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six one thousand six hundred sixty-seven one thousand six hundred and sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction opening dedication and drainage of highways."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20 by adding after the last word, the following: "Section 2 That Article sixteen of said act is hereby amended by adding thereto sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six one thousand six hundred sixty-seven one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine to read as follows:

Section 1666 No person shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any borough without first submitting suitable plans thereof to the borough council for its approval Such plans shall be prepared in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the borough council and shall show the profiles of such roads streets lanes or alleys the course structure and capacity of any drainage facilities and the method of drainage of the adjacent or contiguous territory and also any other or further details that may be required under the rules or regulations adopted by the borough council Before acting upon any such plans the council may at its discretion arrange for a public hearing after giving such notice as it may deem desirable in each case The council is authorized to alter such plans and to specify any changes or modifications of any kinds which it in its discretion may deem necessary with respect thereto and may make its approval of such plans subject to any such alterations changes or modifications Any plans when so approved shall be signed on behalf of the borough by such officer as the council may designate and shall be filed in the office of the borough engineer or other proper officer where the same shall be available to public inspection No road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans to approved by the council or with further plans subsequently approved by it in the same manner

Section 1667 In any case where the borough council shall refuse to approve any plans submitted to it in accordance with this section any person aggrieved by the action of such council may within thirty days after such action appeal from such action by petition to the court of quarter sessions of the county which court shall hear the matter de novo and after hearing may enter decree affirming reversing or modifying the action of the council as may appear just in the premises The court shall designate the manner in which notice of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given to all parties interested The decision of the court shall be final

The action of the borough council or the court on appeal in approving any such plan and such approved plan shall be recorded by the person applying for such approval in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county

Section 1668 If any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith shall be opened constructed or dedicated for public use or travel except in strict accordance with plans approved by the council as provided in section one thousand six hundred sixty-six hereof neither the borough council nor any public authorities shall place construct or operate any sewer drain water pipe or other facilities or do any work of any kind in or upon such road street lane or alley and neither the borough council nor any other

public authorities shall have any responsibility of any kind with respect to any such road street lane alley or drainage facilities notwithstanding any use of the same by the public Provided however That nothing herein contained shall prevent the laying of trunk sewers drains water or gas mains if required by engineering necessity for the accommodation of other territory

Section 1669 The borough council its representatives and workmen may enter upon any land and property and maintain marks and monuments so far as the council may deem necessary in carrying out their powers and duties hereunder

Any person who shall construct open or dedicate any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any borough without having first complied with the provisions of this act and of any ordinances of such boroughs adopted pursuant hereto shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to suffer imprisonment not exceeding two years or to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or both in the discretion of the court

Nothing herein contained shall be held to restrict or limit the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth or any county in the exercise of any of its duties powers and functions under the provisions of any Act of Assembly now in force or hereafter to be enacted

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Barton,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Haws,	Munley,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Pierce,	Walker,
Caufiel,	Jones,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	King,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kleckner	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Landis	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Linton,	Rhodes,	White,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Mathay,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	McAlee,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCann,	Schrock,	Zieseniheim,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1598.

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereon has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the aamendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 9 by striking out the word: "this" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the."

Amend section 2, page 5, line 22 by inserting after the word "trustee" the words: "or trustees."

Amend section 3, page 9, line 1, by inserting after the word "been" the word "already"; also line 2 by striking out the word "townships" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "townships."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams P. G.,	Fox,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Bally,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gicking,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Turner,

Burns,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, H. S.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rice,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1043.

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

With the information that the Senate has paassed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 10, by adding after the word "act" the following: "Provided, That the Board shall not declare any portion of the Commonwealth open to the killing of adult antlerless deer unless a petition therefor signed by at least two hundred residents of the county at least one-half of whom are holders of resident hunters licenses has been received by the Board Any such petition shall be filed not later than June twenty-fifth of any year and provided further That any season of the killing of adult anterless deer shall be during the open season for male deer"; also line 24 by striking out the word "May" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July"; amend section 3, page 4, line 10 by striking out the following: "provided however that if such hearing is held at a place designated by the petitioners it shall be at the cost of the petitioners which shall include actual traveling expenses and moderate hotel expenses of the Board of any member thereof or its Executive Secretary or other authorized representatives or employees which costs shall not exceed $50.00; also line 23 by striking out the following: "first Thursday of July" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "fifth day of August"; also line 28 by adding after the word "board," the following: "or its representatives as herein above provided." Amend section 2, page 5, line 13, by striking out the words: "make complaint" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "appeal"; also line 17 by striking out the following: "on special allowance by said court or any of the judges thereof on causes alleged in consequence of the decision and final resolution of the board and"; also line 21 by striking out the words "complaint be made" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "appeal be taken"; also in the same line by striking out the following "and allowed to be filed"; also line 25 by striking out the word "complaint" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "appeal." Amend section 2, page 6, line 3 by striking out the word "October and inserting in lieu thereof the word: "November"; also line 4, by striking out the word "complaint" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "appeal"; also line 5 by striking out the words "made or filed" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "taken"; also line 8 by striking out the words "make complaint" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "take appeal"; also line 13 by striking out the following: "Before any person shall hunt for antlerless deer or deer without visible horns during [() [a special] ()] any open season declared by the board such person shall have a resident hunters' license before hunting on any property where this act requires such license and shall also apply to and obtain from the board at Harrisburg a special deer license the fee for which is hereby fixed at [() [two dollars] ()] one dollar except that no fee shall be charged for a special deer license applied for by an owner or lessee of lands residing upon and cultivating lands open to hunting and lying within the territory opened to antlerless deer or deer without horns hunting by the board under the provisions of this act or applied for by any member of his family or any employee who regularly assists in the cultivation of such lands Such license issued without fee shall be good only on the lands upon which such person resides and cultivates Such licenses shall entitle the holder to kill one deer without visible antlers during such special open season as declared by the board Such special deer licenses shall be issued only in such number for each county or township as the board may [() [deem advisable] ()] determine in its resolution and shall be issued in the order of the applications made to the board

It is unlawful for any person to hunt for or kill or attempt to hunt for to kill antlerless deer during any special open season declared by the board unless complying with the provisions of this section relative to licenses and complying with the rules and regulations prescribed in the resolution by the board Deer killed during such special season shall be disposed of only in the manner provided for the disposition of deer legally killed during the general open season but no provision of this act relative to the number of deer that may be killed by any person or any hunting party or camp shall be construed to prevent the killing of deer by any resident if legally authorized as herein provided

Amend section 2, page 7, line 24 by striking out the word "deer"; also line 25 by adding after the word "section" the following: "The board may dispose of such deer game animals or birds thus killed or removed in such manner as it may deem advisable."

Amend section 2, page 8, line 9, by striking out the following: "The board may dispose of such deer game animals or birds thus killed or removed in such manner as it may deem advisable."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. D.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,

Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storer.
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burns	Hoffman.	Perry,	Tahl,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King.	Reader,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1139.

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein includng securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 18, by inserting after the word "This" the word "act"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gwynne.	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Tahl,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1142.

An Act to amend section twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment to said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty years convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which

amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as folows:

Amend section 2, page 3, line 12, by striking out the word: "thereafter"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Munley,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stein,
Black,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Post,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Powell,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Reed,	Weaver,
Clovis,	King,	Reilly,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Welty,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	White,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2056.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "eight" the word "hundred".

Amend section 2, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word: "improvement" and inserting in lieu thereof the word: "improvements"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harthock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	White,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2061.

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 10, by striking out the word: "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one"; also line 11 by striking out the word "cents" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "cent"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D G.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	White,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenhelm,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1915.

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 27, by striking out the quotation marks, viz: before the word "Except"; also line 28, by striking out the quotation marks, viz: after the word "section"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baily,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baker,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. S.,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Haws,	Myers,	Stein,
Bickett,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Post,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Ridide,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenhelm,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McDonald,	Sheely,	

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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1551.

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission, Board and Bureaus; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendment as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 9, by inserting after the word "size' the words "or bulk"; also in the same line insert after the word "structures" the words "hereafter altered or erected"; also line 10 by inserting after the word "lot" the word "area"; also in the same line after the word "occupied" insert the words: "by buildings or structures or material"

Amend section 2, page 2, line 25 by striking out the word "building" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "buildings"; also line 27 by inserting after the word "districts" the following: "The City Council with or without the recommendation of the Zoning Commission may exempt any class of buildings or structures in any industrial or commercial district of such city from any restrictions regarding the height or number of stories thereof except such as are necessary to protect public health safety or morals."

Amend section 4, page 3, line 25 by striking out the words: "an official paper or a" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "a morning and evening paper".

Amend section 5, page 4, line 2, by striking out the words: "twenty (20)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "forty (40)"; also line 7 by inserting after the word "the" the word "street"; also line 9 by striking out the words: "three-fourths" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "three-fifths"; also line 10 by inserting after the word: "members" the following: "of the Board of Adjustment and a majority vote."

Amend section 6, page 4, line 16 by inserting after the word "city" the following "by and with the advice and consent of the City Council"; also line 17 by inserting after the word "members" the following 'two (2) of whom shall be members of City Council"; also line 24 by inserting after the word "apply" the following: "Provided that no such regulations or restrictions shall be made concerning the location construction alteration repair or maintenance of any church or school or other place of worship or education unless otherwise authorized by law."

Amend section 7, page 5, line 16 by striking out the second word "an".

Amend section 8, page 7, line 8 by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any"; also page 8, line 28 by striking out the words: "given public" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "give public"; also page 9 by striking out the word "applicant"; and inserting in lieu thereof the word "application".

Amend section 10, page 11 by striking out the word "persons" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "person"

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YEAS—193.

Adams, E. C.,	Grecby,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gronet,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storb,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
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SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1674.

An Act to amend Route numbers five hundred and forty-six five hundred and forty-nine five hundred and fifty-six five hundred and sixty-four five hundred and sixty-seven five hundred and seventy-one five hundred and seventy-two five hundred and seventy-three five hundred and seventy-five five hundred and seventy-eight five hundred and eighty five hundred and eighty-one five hundred and eighty-two five hundred and eighty-three five hundred and eighty-four five hundred and eighty-six five hundred and eighty-nine five hundred and ninety-one five hundred and ninety-four five hundred

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highway route number ninety-nine by way of Maurus Street and Saint Michael Street and inserting in lieu thereof the following: Route number five hundred and forty-six Commencing at Hooversville in Somerset County at an intersection with State highway route fifty-two and running thence in a southerly direction to intersection with State highway route one hundred and nineteen at or near Kantner in said county a distance of approximately [three] five miles

Route number five hundred and forty-nine Commencing at Matamoras Pike County at an intersection with State highway route number [seven] eight and running thence along the Delaware River to Millrift

Route number five hundred and fifty-six Commencing on State highway route number ninety-seven at its intersection with East Avenue in the borough of Johnsonburg Elk County and extending thence to connect with the western end of Maurus Street and the borough line of the borough of Saint Marys and connecting therein with State highway route number ninety-nine by way of Maurus Street and Saint Michael Street

Route number five hundred and sixty-four Beginning at a point on State highway route number one hundred and seventy-five at five points Howerton Northampton County thence along a certain road for a distance of one mile by way of Howerton Church to Weaversville

Route number five hundred and sixty-seven Beginning at an intersection of the Millerton road with State highway route number [one hundred and ninety-six] three hundred and eight in Wells Township Bradford County thence through said Wells Township and Jackson Lawrence and Tioga Townships Tioga County to State highway route route number twenty-two at a point between Somers Lane and Tioga [shall be adopted by the Commonwealth as a State highway]

Route five hundred and seventy-one Commencing at Cherry Tree Indiana County at an intersection with State highway route number sixty-two and running thence by way of Clark's School House to an intersection with State highway route number two hundred and sixty-two [between Hillsdale and] at Arcadia

Route number five hundred and seventy-two Commencing at Edgewood on State highway route number two hundred and twenty-eight in Indiana County and extending in an eastwardly direction through Center Township by way of the properties of Darwin Steward Bert McCoy and Frank George to Homer City on State highway route number [eighty-nine] sixty-eight

Route number five hundred and seventy-three Commencing at Rossiter Indiana County at an intersection with State highway route number four hundred and [thirty-five] thirty-three in Canoe Township and running thence by way of Johnsonburg and Hortons in Banks Township to Glen Campbell and intersecting with State highway route number sixty-two

Route number five hundred and seventy-five Commencing at a point in State highway route number one hundred and seventy-one at Hamlin Wayne County and running thence eastwardly through East Corners and [Pootana] Peetona and thence by way of Thek's Corners Knapp's Corners Lakeville Uswick and P. J. Kearney's Corner to Wilsonville and connecting with State highway route number [two hundred and fifty-four] seven

Route number five hundred and seventy-eight Commencing at Normanville in Fayette County at an intersection with State highway route number three hundred and sixty-six and running thence by way of Indian Head Melcroft and Champion to an intersection with State highway route number one hundred and eighty-six at or near Jones Mills in Westmoreland County

Route number five hundred and eighty Beginning at a point on the boundary line of Marple and Springfield Townships at the Springfield Friends Meeting House in Delaware County thence over public road running in a westerly direction in Marple Township and intersecting with State road at a point one-half mile more or less east of Crum Creek

Route number five hundred and eighty-one Commencing at Davis' Corners in the Township of Rockland in the County of Venango and extending thence to [Victory] Egypt Corners County of Venango on the Lake to Sea Highway route sixty-five

Route number five hundred and eighty-two Commencing at the Stone House on route [five] two hundred and seven in the County of Venango and extending thence to the line of the Borough of Utica

Route number five hundred and eighty-three Commencing in Forest City in Susquehanna County at an intersection with State highway route number two hundred and ninety-six and running thence by way of the Curtis Road to the North and South turnpike at Curtis Valley in Wayne County thence to an intersection with State highway route number two hundred and twenty-seven at Creamton

Route number five hundred and eighty-four From a point on the Bethany Turnpike commonly known as the Red School House to a point on the Newburg Turnpike at W O'Neill's farm thence in a northerly direction by way of Rock Lake Church Fitzsimmons Brothers' Farm to the Crosbys' School House in Preston Township in Wayne County

Route number five hundred and eighty-six Commencing at an intersection with State highway [route number] routes numbers two hundred and forty and two hundred and forty-nine in Anthony Township Montour County and running thence north by way of Cumley to the Iron Bridge

Route number five hundred and eighty-one Beginning at the intersection of State highway route number [forty-four] fifty-eight [and the Jacksonville road] in the village of Hublersburg Centre County thence along [said] Jacksonville road in Walker [township to the Marion township line thence along the Marion township line to the Howard township line] Marion and Howard Townships and continuing to the cross roads at the home of Charles Walizer thence [along Howard township road] to the Howard Borough line and continuing along Walnut Street to Dramond and intersecting with State highway route number two hundred and nineteen

Route number five hundred and ninety-one Beginning at Roseburg in Perry County on route one hundred and ninety-one thence in an easterly direction by way of Eschol to a junction of the Marklesville-New Bloomfield road and the Newport-Marklesville road at the Lutheran Church situated about one-half mile west of the bridge crossing Big Buffalo Creek

Route number five hundred and ninety-four Commencing in State highway route number two hundred and eighty-six at or near the residence of the late J M Van Horn about three miles south of Everett in the County of Bedford and running thence by way of the road to Mattie and Robinsonville in said count to a point in said road about two miles southeast of Calhoun Schoolhouse

Route number five hundred and ninety-five Commencing at a point in State highway route number three hundred and twenty-nine at Chaneysville in the County of Bedford and running thence south by way of Town Creek road to a point in said road about two miles and a half south of Pine Lick Schoolhouse

Route number five hundred and ninety-eight Commencing at a point on State highway route number ninety-three in the County of Forest and running thence across the Allegheny River by way of West Hickory and Fleming Hill to Neilltown and intersecting with State highway route number five hundred and eleven and by spur from West Hickory in a southerly and westerly direction on the road to Fogle Farm a distance of one and seven tenths miles

Route number five hundred and ninety-nine Beginning at [a point in route number one hundred and thirty-one from Philadelphia to Maryland state line commencing at Philadelphia and running over route number one hundred and thirty to Media thence by way of Wawa Markham by spur to Cheyney and Concordville by spur from the Chester road to] Chelsea on route number one hundred and eighty and continuing [by said spur] by way of Larking Cross Roads in Upper Chichester Township to Boothwyn Station and connecting with the State-aid highway running from Marcus Hook to Boothwyn in Delaware County

Route number six hundred and two Commencing at Gilmore in McKean County at a point on State highway route number two hundred and eleven thence running in a northerly direction through Bell's Camp to the New York State line near settlement called State Line

Route number six hundred and three Commencing at P R R Station in Granville in Mifflin County thence in a [western] southwestwardly direction to intersect with State highway route number thirty-three at McVeytown

Route number six hundred and eight Beginning at Wakefield in Lancaster County on route one hundred and thirty-six thence via Orkryn Elim and Oak Hill to the State-aid road at Kirks Bridge

Route number six hundred and nine Commencing at the east end of the Hemlock Creek Bridge on State highway route number three and running through [Buckhorn] Buckhorn thence to State highway route number two hundred and forty-nine at Jerseytown Columbia County

Route number six hundred and ten Beginning at route number two hundred and ninety-one at Lincoln Falls thence to Shunk in Fox Township Sullivan County

Route number six hundred and eleven Beginning at route number nineteen at Sonestown thence to Nordmont on route number sixteen in Sullivan County

Route number six hundred and fourteen Commencing at a point on State highway route number two hundred forty-six then westward on Potter Run Road to the Borough of Volant thence [southeastward] southwestward to the Village of East Brook where same intersects with State-aid road in Lawrence County

Route number six hundred and sixteen Commencing at Greene County Home on State highway route number one hundred and twelve and running thence by way of Fordyce and Girards Fort Lazell Corners to the West Virginia State line at Rosedale and by spur from Lazel Corners to point on State highway route number four hundred and fifty-one in Dunkard Township Greene County

Route number six hundred and twenty From the borough line of the Borough of Biglerville at Fourth Street through the village of Table Rock thence in a southeasterly direction crossing State highway route number one hundred and twenty-three at Dick Schriver's through the village of Hunterstown to the "white house" thence in a northeasterly direction by way of Pines Church through the village of New Chester by way of Turkey-pit school house to the village of Hampton on State highway route number three hundred and forty-two in Adams County

Route number six hundred and twenty-one Commencing at an intersection with State Highway Route number one hundred and sixty-two at Pike and Coal Streets in the borough of Port Carbon Schuylkill County and running thence to and into the borough of Saint Clair and intersecting with State highway route number one hundred and [ninety-one] sixty-one

Route number six hundred and twenty-two Beginning on State highway route number sixty-three at or near the Gourley farm in Indiana County and running thence through Valier to Hamilton Jefferson County

Route number six hundred and twenty-three Beginning at Morton's blacksmith shop on proposed spur to route number three hundred and thirty-two and thence to Conestoga Centre and Mount Zion Church in Lancaster County

Route number six hundred and twenty-four Commencing at an intersection with State highway route number one hundred and twenty-[seven] nine about three-fourths of a mile east of Middletown in Dauphin County and running thence by way of Deodate to the dividing line between Dauphin and Lebanon Counties and thence to Upper Lawn in Lebanon County running thence northeast and south intersecting at a point in route [eighty-four] two hundred and eighty one-half mile west of the village of Colebrook Lebanon County

Route number six hundred and twenty-seven Beginning at route one hundred and seventy-six at Allenwood [Pennsylvania] thence west to Devitt's Camp in Union County

Route number six hundred and twenty-eight Beginning at route twenty-six at Third Street in Lewisburg and extending north on Third Street to Saint Anthony Street thence northwest on present township road to Buffalo Crossroads thence north to Mazeppa [Pennsylvania] in Union County

Route number six hundred and twenty-nine Beginning at route one hundred and seventy-six at White Deer [Pennsylvania] thence west on White Deer and Loganton Turnpike to White Deer Furnace in Union County

Route number six hundred and thirty-one Commencing at a point on State highway route number two hundred and sixty-two at or near Commodore Indiana County [and running thence to Cookport] thence to a point near Cookport thence to Beringer

Route number six hundred and thirty-two Beginning at Elysburg [Pennsylvania] on route one hundred and eighty-two and extending south-east to Bear Creek Gap about four miles in Northumberland County

Route number six hundred and thirty-three Beginning at route one hundred and sixty-one about two miles east of Sunbury and extending to Augustaville in Northumberland County

Route number six hundred and thirty-four Beginning at East Lewisburg [Pennsylvania] on route eighteen and extending about one mile to the cross roads at the east end of Montandon [Pennsylvania] in Northumberland County

Route number six hundred and thirty-five Beginning on Broadway in Milton Northumberland County at route eighteen and extending east to the Northumberland-Montour county line a distance of about [three] five miles on road to Limestoneville [Pennsylvania]

Route number six hundred and thirty-nine Starting at a point on the dividing line between Allegheny and Westmoreland Counties in the town of Trafford and extending in an easter ly direction by way of Harrison City and Jeannette to the City of Greensburg in Westmoreland County

Route number six hundred and forty Commencing at Jacob Young's Corner on [State] route [legislative] number two hundred and four [traffic route number fifty-one known as] thence over county application number three thousand six hundred and forty known as old Black Hawk Road [extending to the South Beaver Township line thence in South Beaver Township] to Saints Rest School House thence [y Revision] to intersect Brush Run Road thence along said Brush Run Road to the Ohio State line near Achor in Beaver County

Route number six hundred and forty-one Commencing at a point on the dividing line between Beaver and Allegheny Counties on the Beaver Road thence by way of said Beaver Road in Beaver County to Merchant Street in the Borough of Ambridge by way of Duss Avenue thence over said Duss Avenue through Harmony Township to the Borough of Baden thence by way of State Street through the Borough of Baden and by way of the Philipsburg and Beaver Road in Economy Towship to Conway Borough thence through Conway Borough by way of Second Avenue to Freedom Borough thence by way of Third Avenue in Freedom Borough to Rochester Borough by way of Second Street through East Rochester and Rochester Township and thence through Rochester Borough by way of Railroad Street Harrison Street overgrade bridge Main Street and Madison Street to Big Beaver Bridge into West Bridgewater connecting with State highway route number two hundred and four

Route number six hundred and forty-four Beginning at a point on State highway route four hundred and ninety-two in the town of New Salem Borough thence leading to Saint Paul's Church in the village of Stovertown by way of Bair's Mill in York County

Route number six hundred and fifty Commencing on State highway route number fifty-nine near Falls Creek Clearfield County [and running thence by spur through Falls Creek to Pancoast] thence by way of Falls Creek the Red Mill and Rockdale Mills in Washington Township by the Beechwood Cemetery to Allens Mills Jefferson County and by spur from Falls Creek to Pancoast

Route number six hundred and fifty-one Beginning at the intersection of Lancaster Street and the William Penn Highway in Annville Township Lebanon County thence running north and [northeast] northwest to Kauffmans Meeting House thence northwest to a corner of land of John Longenecker thence north to an improved road in the village of Belle Grove Lebanon County

Route number six hundred and fifty-three Beginning on State highway route number [sixty-two] one eighty-four [leading from Hazleton to Berwick] at Butler Avenue in the borough of Conyngham in Luzerne County thence over Butler Avenue and the Ridge Road through the townships of Sugar Loaf and Butler to Drums thence to connect with State Highway route number one hundred and seventy leading from Hazleton to Wilkes-Barre.

Route number six hundred and fifty-six Commencing at Quakertown on State Highway Route three hundred eighty-six in Bucks County and extending thence by way of Weisel Keelersville and Hagersville to Kulp's Corner on State Highway Route number two hundred seventy in Bucks County

thence by way of Deep Run Presbyterian Church Bedminster Centre and Bedminster to covered bridge crossing Tohickon Creek at the Bedminster-Tinicum Township line thence connecting with State Highway Route number one hundred fifty-six thence over Route one hundred fifty-six to Pipersville thence by way of Hinkletown Gardenville and Mechanicsville to intersection with State Highway Route number one hundred fifty-five at Buckingham

Route number six hundred and fifty-eight Commencing at [Eureka a point on the line dividing the counties of Montgomery and Bucks thence in an easterly direction over State highway] route number one hundred and seventy-eight [to] on Main Street Chalfont in Bucks County [thence in a northeasterly direction over Main Street Chalfont and certain township roads in New Britain Township to a certain county road] thence in a northerly direction to Mount Pleasant thence [in a northwesterly direction over certain township roads in] through Hilltown Township and intersecting at a point in Silverdale Borough with State highway route number two hundred and seventy

Route number six hundred and sixty Commencing at the north borough line of Mohnton Borough in Berks County at end of concrete road known as Application number thirty-two nineteen thence southwest [nine-tenths of a mile to the west] through the borough [line] of Mohnton [thence southwest one mile] to Venneida's Mill thence [right or northwest two-tenths of a mile to road leading to right thence northwest one mile to Legislature routes west to route one hundred forty-eight at Gouglersville Station [seven point two] being about three and one-tenth miles in length

Route number six hundred sixty-one Beginning on [Legislative] route three hundred ten [station twenty-seven point three] at Berne church in Berne Township in Berks County thence [north eight-hundredths of a mile to Penn Township line thence north seventeen-hundredths of a mile thence northeast sixty-five-hundredths of a mile to Berne Township line thence] northeast [to] by way of Fair View Hotel [one and forty-five hundredths or two and thirty-five-hundredths miles from a point of beginning thence northeast one and two-tenths miles to] and Risser's Mill [thence northeast six-tenths of a mile] to borough [line] of West Leesport thence [northeast five-tenths of a mile to Schuylkill River and east] through borough [line] of West Leesport [thence east four-tenths of a mile] to [Legislative] route one hundred and sixty [Pottsville pike mile twenty-six point three or five and five-tenths miles in length]

Route number six hundred and sixty-two Commencing at Lorane in Exeter Township Berks County along Philadelphia and Reading Railroad tracks thence north [fifteen hundredths of a mile thence west fifteen-hundredths of a mile thence north eight-tenths of a mile] to the Philadelphia pike State highway route number one hundred forty-six [station nine point five] near the Motor Inn Comfort Station a distance of about one and one-tenth miles

Route number six hundred and sixty-three Commencing on State highway route number one hundred and forty-seven [at station mile four point twelve] near the Pennsylvania Railroad crossing in Berks County thence northerly across Schuylkill River [thence northerly and across Reading Railroad across a creek] to J. A. Flannery's Mill [five-tenths of a mile from a point of beginning] thence [northwesterly for one-tenth of a mile thence four-tenths of a mile] north to State highway route number one hundred and forty-six [at station mile point forty-two]

Route number six hundred and sixty-four Commencing on State highway route number one hundred and ninety-seven [at station nine point one] near Philip Hoch's house in Oley Township Berks County thence northeast by way of [for eighty-five one-hundredths of a mile to Pike Township line center line of stone arch bridge over Pine Creek thence northeast one and three-tenths miles from point of beginning to] Lobachsville [thence along west side of Pine Creek northeast through Pike Township two and eight-tenths miles or four and one-tenth miles from point of beginning] to the Pike—District Township line

Route number six hundred and sixty-six Commencing at a points on State highway route number two hundred and nineteen in the village of Moshannon Snow Shoe Township Centre County and running in a northwesterly direction through Snow Shoe and [Rush] Burnside Townships Centre County through the village of Karthaus Township Clearfield County

Route number six hundred and sixty-nine Commencing at a point on State Highway route number two hundred and thirty-four on Brisbin Street borough of Houtzdale Clearfield County thence to borough line thence through Woodward and Gulich Townships to an intersection on State highway route number two hundred and seventy-six about one mile southeast of Smith Mills Clearfield County

Route number six hundred and seventy-one Commencing at the intersection of State highway route number three hundred and sixty-five near the Hillside Home South Abington Township running thence in a [southerly] southeastwardly direction to the intersection of Hartlick's road near the residence of William Stone thence in a southerly direction [over road known as Hartlick's road and] past the reservoir of the Scranton Gas and Water Company known as Mud Pond to intersection of Newton Road [near] between the residence of William Pallman [thence to] and Green's Corners thence in a southerly direction to dividing line between the City of Scranton and South Abington Township in the County of Lackawanna

Route number six hundred and seventy-three Commencing at [Orange Street at the] an intersection with Route number four in Berwick Borough [line] thence extending in a westerly direction through Fowlersville and Ringrose Corner to Orangeville on State highway route number sixteen Columbia County

Route number six hundred and seventy-four Commencing at the southern terminus of State highway route number three hundred and eighty-four at the Blair-Bedford County line near Potetown [and also at the Blair and Bedford County line near Ore Hill Blair County] and running by way of Bloomfield Schoolhouse and Baker's Summit in Bedford County at the Southern terminus of the present macadam road near Long's Schoolhouse and by spur from Bloomfield Schoolhouse to the Blair-Bedford County line near Ore Hill Blair County

Route number six hundred and seventy-five Commencing on State highway route number two hundred and sixteen at the village of Airville York County and extending thence by way of Ross Corner Chanceford Church Corner Catch and Woodbine Station to bridge on Muddy Creek Forks

Route number six hundred and eighty-one Beginning at State Highway route number five hundred and forty-five at a point (between the borough of Bridgeville and the village of Sygan Allegheny County thence in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southern outer belt route of Allegheny County major highway plan at or near the property of A. Marshall Bell) near the junction of Dolphin Run and Millers Run west of the village of Treveskyn thence in a general northerly direction to the Noblestown improved road in the borough of Oakdale Allegheny County

Route number six hundred and ninety-three Commencing at a point [on] where State highway route number two hundred thirty-eight in Wilmington Township Lawrence County turns northwestward at Neshannock cemetery thence [northward] westward to the village Pulaski

Route number six hundred and ninety-four Commencing at Pulaski [Pennsylvania] Lawrence County and continuing to route two hundred thirty-eight at West Middlesex Mercer County

Route number six hundred and ninety-seven From end of improved road out of Cambridge Crawford County running [east] southeast to New Richmond on route number two hundred

Route number six hundred and ninety-eight Commencing near Big Spring on route number one hundred and thirty-six in Lancaster County thence to Lampeter Strasburg Black Horse and connecting with [routes] route number two hundred and fifteen [and three hundred and forty-four]

Route number seven hundred Commencing at Joanna thence eastwardly to an intersection with State highway route number three hundred and twenty-eight in Berks County

Route number seven hundred and one Commencing in the borough of Brookville in Jefferson County at an intersection with State Highway route number sixty-four and running thence to the Miller School and Bethel Church

Route number seven hundred and three Commencing at the village of Templeton and running to an intersection with State

highway route number sixty-six near Goheenville in Armstrong County

Route number seven hundred and five Commencing at North Vandergrift on State highway route number sixty-nine in Armstrong County and extending thence by way of Dime to a point near Bethel Church on State highway route number two hundred and three [at station five hundred and twenty plus thirty]

Route number seven hundred and ten Commencing at Hallstead Susquehanna County on State highway route number ten and entending to a point on the dividing line between the State of Pennsylvania and the State of New York to meet an improved highway from Corbettsville in the State of New York

Route number seven hundred and thirteen Beginning at the western line of Sullivan County near the village of Ellenton in McNett Township Lycoming County and running thence [westerly] northwesterly to the Bradford County line

Route number seven hundred and fifteen Commencing at Seven Valleys at the terminus of State highway route number four hundred ninety-two and extending thence by way of Hanover Junction and Larue to Glen Rock on State highway route number four hundred forty-one in York County

Route number seven hundred and seventeen Commencing at a point on State highway route number one hundred twenty-six in the County of York east of the Borough of Abbottstown and extending thence in a northeastwardly direction a distance of about one mile passing the Paradise Protectory to St. Mary's Church

Route number seven hundred and nineteen Beginning at a point about three hundred feet west of Cobbs Creek on [in the boundary line between the Counties of Delaware and Philadelphia where Race Street in the City of Philadelphia if continued would pass through Cobbs Creek Park and follow the creek and tracks of the Philadelphia and Western Railway and which would intersect with] the township line road being the boundary between Upper Darby and Haverford Townships in the County of Delaware and a continuation of the Philadelphia City line road thence along said line road to Haverford Avenue thence to Monoa Road and thence by the latter road to the Philadelphia and West Chester turnpike road at Monoa in the County of Delaware

Route number seven hundred and twenty-one Commencing at a point on the road from Saxton to Broadtop City and New Grenada at the line of Carbon Township and the Borough of Coalmont in Huntingdon County thence through the Borough of Coalmont and through a portion of Carbon Township and the borough of Dudley and through another portion of the Township of Carbon to [stakes in the road at] a point near the H and B T M Railroad crossing near the house in which August McTava now resides thence on the same road [at or near stakes in the road at the] from a point near Sandy Flat and at the end of Application number forty-two hundred and seventy-nine southerly [thence] to the Fulton County line

Route number seven hundred and twenty-two Commencing at [route five at] the junction of route [five] fifty-five and the Sinking Valley Road in Huntingdon County thence up the Sinking Valley road in a northerly or westerly direction to the Blair County line

Route number seven hundred and twenty-six Commencing at Well's Corners on Route number one hundred and thirty-two in Delaware County thence in a northeasterly direction by Well's Crest Road through Bortonville thence by said road crossing the bridge over Ridley Creek thence turning sharply left and running through the Furness property to Orange Street Media

Route number seven hundred and twenty-eight Commencing at Gradyville on Route number one hundred and seventy-nine in Edgmont Township Delaware County thence by way of Glen Mills in Thornburg Township to an intersection with Route number five hundred and seventy-six at Thornton

Route number seven hundred and twenty-nine Commencing at the termination of Seventeenth Street in the City of Chester and running thence across Ridley Creek into Ridley Township and thence to Bullens Lane thence [north across private property] to Crum Creek Bridge thence easterly by Third Avenue to Parker Avenue in the Borough of Collingdale to the intersection of Parker Avenue at the Chester Pike in Delaware County

Route number seven hundred and thirty Commencing on boundary line between the County of Delaware and the City of Philadelphia at a point commonly called Bow Creek being a point in a public road known as Island Road and thence continuing along said Island road as now laid out in a westerly direction to Fourth Avenue in the town of Lester in the Township of Tinicum and thence along the newly constructed portion of the said Island Road from the said Fourth Avenue to Wanamaker Avenue in said Township of Tinicum and thence by the said Wanamaker Avenue in a northerly direction to a point west of Essington Station in Delaware County

Route number seven hundred and thirty-one Commencing at a point on Route number five hundred and forty-two in Ridley Township Delaware County [Ridley Park and] thence [by spur] over Swarthmore Avenue and Swarthmore Road through Ridley Township to Morton thence continuing [by said spur] across the Baltimore Pike to a point intersecting with State highway number two hundred and twenty-five near Marple

Route number seven hundred and thirty-two Commencing at [a point] or near Culp Blair County running thence through Sinking Valley by way of Arch Springs [Blair County] to State highway route [five] seven hundred and twenty-two

Route number seven hundred and thirty-four Commencing in Martinsburg Borough Blair County at an intersection with State highway route number two hundred and eighty-six and running along the Piney Creek road [on State highway route number four hundred and ninety-four] to Smithfield Schoolhouse

Route number seven hundred and thirty-five Commencing at a point where the Penowa-Ohio River road intersects the State line in the County of Washington and running thence by way of Penowa and Avella to a point in State highway route number two hundred and forty-two at the Manchester Schoolhouse in Washington County

Route number seven hundred and thirty-six Commencing at the county line of the Counties of Allegheny and Washington at Floreffe and running thence by way of Elrama Shire Oaks Coal Bluff and Courtney to New Eagle Borough and intersecting with State highway route number two hundred and forty-seven in Washington County

Route number seven hundred and thirty-seven Commencing at a point on State highway route number sixty-nine at or near the Poke Run Church Westmoreland County and extending in a northwesterly direction paralleling Puckety Creek and through a portion of Allegheny County to the town of New Kensington

Route seven hundred and thirty-eight Beginning at the Borough of Cassville on Route number one hundred and ninety-two and extending [by way of Floyd Kurfman's farm] to a point opposite the Green School House on road leading to Broad Top City

Route seven hundred and thirty-nine Beginning at Kelly School House on Route number three hundred and eighty-seven Butler County and continuing [eastward] northeastwardly to Slate Lick in Armstrong County

Route number seven hundred and forty-nine [Commencing at Good's Corner in Cambria County at an intersection with State highway route number fifty-two and running thence to the city of Johnstown to intersect with Middle Avenue]

Route number seven hundred and fifty-two Beginning at a point on State highway route number one hundred [sixty-five] sixty-six in the Borough of Wind Gap Northampton County running thence by way of Clearfield Moorestown Klecknersville and Rockville connecting with east end of concrete highway [now being built by the county and township] known as application number forty-four hundred and ninety

Route number seven hundred and fifty-four Commencing at village of South Tamaqua Schuylkill County in State highway route nnmber two hundred and twenty-six and running thence by way of Clamtown and Hecla to New Ringgold

Route number seven hundred and sixty Beginning at the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie depot in the village of West Pittsburgh Lawrence County thence [westerly] southerly to route number seventy-seven

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Griffith,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.	Hermanson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Howe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Katz,	Powell,	[illegible]er,
Conner,	King,	Purucker	[illegible]mann,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reed,	
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reilly,	[illegible]h,
Denne,	Landis,	Reyburn,	[illegible]r,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	[illegible]
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	[illegible]
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	[illegible]ams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2060.

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railways companies

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out the following: "to the Harrisburg Railways Com-"; also line 3 by striking out the syllable "pany"; also the same line by adding after the word "Park" the following: "to certain street railway companies".

Amend the first whereas clause, page 1, line 2, by inserting after the word "Company" the words "and its lessors".

Amend the second whereas clause, page 1, line 7, by adding after the word "Company" the words "and its lessors"; also in the same line by striking out the syllable "fran-"; also line 8 by striking out the syllable "chise" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "franchises"; also line 9 by striking out the word "Cameron" and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'Thirteenth"; also line 10 by striking out the word "and"

Amend the third whereas clause, page 1, line 11 by striking out the following:

"Whereas Said Harrisburg Railway Company has expressed a willingness to abandon said franchise if the Commonwealth will grant to it a right-of-way to operate its lines on Commonwealth Avenue running through Capitol Park."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 5 by striking out the words: "the Harrisburg Railways Company" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "any or all the East Harrisburg Passenger Railway Company Harrisburg City Passenger Railway Company" also in the same line strike out the words "Harrisburg Railways Company" and insert in lieu thereof the words "companies or any of them"; also line 7 by inserting after the word "line" the following: "with the necessary poles wires and other appliances"; also line 8 by inserting after word "Avenue" the following: "and any extension thereof"; also line 9 by striking out the following: "Harrisburg from Walnut"; also line 10 by striking out the following: "Street to North Street" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Harrisburg"; also line 11 by inserting after the word "Company" the following: "its successors or assigns"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1504.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of additional State buildings in Harrisburg and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out the word "an"; also in the same line strike out the following "office build-"; also in line three strike out the syllable "ing" and in lieu thereof insert the words "State Building"; also in the same line strike out the words "Capitol Park" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Harrisburg".

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five"; also in the same line strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight"; also in the same line insert before the word "thousand" the word 'forty"; also in line 5 strike out the numerals "($4,500,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "($5,840,000)"; also in line 6, strike out the words "by it"; also in the same line strike out the word "in", and insert in lieu thereof the words: "by it for the following purposes (a) For"; also line 11 by adding after the word "constructed" the following:

(b) For erecting constructing and completing a building together with the necessary grading and terracing on surrounding land to be known as the "Farm Show Building" to be located in the city of Harrisburg on such site or the property of the Commonwealth now under the control of the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital as the Governor shall select Upon the selection of such site the Governor shall certify the same to the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital and thereafter said site shall be under the control and jurisdiction of the Department of Property and Supplies until the Farm Show Buildng shall be completed and thereafter under the control of the State Farm Products Show Commission Such building shall be erected constructed and completed in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the Secretary of Property and Supplies and the Governor

Amend section 2, page 1, line 14, by striking out the word "said" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "the aforesaid office"

Amend section 3, page 2, line 8, by inserting after the word "fees" the following: "required for carrying out the purposes of this act."

Amend section 4, page 2, line 11, by inserting after the word "the" and before the word "building" the word "office"; also line 16 by adding after the word "Act" the following: "but the Farm Show Building shall be completed ready for furnishing."

Amend page 2, line 17 by striking out sections 5 and 6, as follows:

Section 5 The work of constructing the said building shall be done under one or more contracts in the discretion of the Department of Property and Supplies but any and all contracts shall be awarded after advertising for bids once a week for four successive weeks in at least twelve newspapers published in different parts of the Commonwealth The Secretary of Property and Supplies shall have power to reject any and all bids and to readvertise for bids in like manner as above provided Before any contract is entered into the Secretary of Property and Supplies shall require from the contractor a bond to the Commonwealth in such sum as the Secretary shall deem sufficient conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms of the contract The contract and bond shall be approved by the Attorney General

Section 6 As the work on the erection and construction of such office building advances the secretary may from time to time make payments to any contractor on account of his contract At no time however prior to the completion and acceptance of the work covered by any contract shall the total payments on account to any contractor exceed ninety per centum (90) of the total cost of work done thereunder

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett.	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Meredith,	Simon,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peelor	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1232.

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the word "ladies'" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Ladies'".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—190.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Grenet,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baker,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Haines,	Millar,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holmes,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Post,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1489.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by striking out after the word "of" the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "(5,5000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($8,500)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—192.

Adams, E. C.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Griffith,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Gross,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Haws,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Black,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Denno,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Goodnough,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1661.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "thousand" the words "five hundred"; also line 5, by striking out the numerals "($5,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($5,500)".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—194.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Goehring,	McClure,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2296.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend the preamble, page 1, line 6, by striking out the word "twenty-one" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-nine one".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Tahl,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Walker,
Conner,	Jones,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Fish,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Goehring,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 457.

An act to amend routes numbers three hundred, three hundred and forty, three hundred and fifty-nine as amended, and three hundred and sixty-one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth".

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the words "route number three hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "routes numbers three hundred three hundred and forty three hundred and fifty-nine as amended and three hundred and sixty-one".

Amend Section 1, page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "hundred" the words "and fifty-nine".

Amend Section 1, page 2, line 2, by inserting after the word "Commonwealth" the following: "as amended by act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend route three hundred and thirty-two as amended route three hundred and fifty-nine as amended route three hundred and sixty-five as amended and routes three hundred and five three hundred and twenty-two and three hundred and thirty of section one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth'" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route three hundred and fifty-nine A certain section of public road beginning at Orviston thence to Beech Creek thence over route number two hundred nineteen to Mill Hall intersecting with Route fifty-eight thence by spur over route fifty-eight to Logantown and by spur via Booneville to Tylersville and thence by way of Carroll to Big Rock connecting with Route five hundred and three and thence from Mill Hall over route two hundred and nineteen to Lock Haven thence on road toward Swissdale a distance of about three and one-half miles [thence from Lock Haven over Route one hundred and five to Renovo thence by spur from Renovo to State Camp on Big Run]

Section 2 That Routes three hundred three hundred and forty three hundred and sixty-one of said act are hereby amended to read as follows

Route three hundred A certain public road begining at Pine Flats Indiana County at a point on route number fifty-four thence [by way of] to Spruce [to Cherry Tree Borough connecting with route numbered sixty-two]

Route three hundred and forty A certain section of public road beginning at Chambersburg Franklin County a point on route number thirty-five and passing through Salem Pleasant Hall by spur to [and] Upper Strasburg and from Pleasant Hall to [Roxbury] a point one route [number] two hundred sixty-four thence over route two hundred sixty-four to Gelseninger Hill on route thirty-five thence over route thirty-five to Green Village thence to Scotland

Route three hundred and sixty-one A certain public road beginning at Ice Cove a point on State Highway Route eleven in Kingston Township Luzerne County thence by way of Hillside [Huntsville] Lehman Center Meeker Pike's Creek to Kyttle a point on State Highway route one hundred and seventy-seven in Ross Township Luzerne County".

Amend Section 1, page 2, by striking out all of line 3 to 16, inclusive.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bickett,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Davis	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2088.

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, page 2, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the words, "or surety bonds of surety companies".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stein,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peters,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Turner,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	White,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Yorg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Ziegenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication from His Excellency the Governor which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor, House Bill No. 263, file folio 5599, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 263 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. YEAKEL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. YEAKEL. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 8, line 9, by inserting after the word "Agriculture" and before the word "Any", a bracket [

Amend page 8, line 15 by inserting after the word "act" at the end of the line, a bracket "]".

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none, and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES.

Mr. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS. Mr. Speaker, representing the Committee on Rules, I desire to offer a resolution from that Committee. At a meeting of the Committee to-day it was thought wise to make certain recommendations to the House at this time in the matter of the arrangement of committees for the session of 1931. In the work of the House a condition has arisen that makes it necessary, in the judgment of the Committee on Rules, to recommend a reclassification of the committees and to that end this resolution is offered.

Mr. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer a report of the Committee on Rules, which was twice read, considered and adopted.

Resolved, That Rule No. 27 of the Rules of the House of Representatives be amended to read as follows:

27. The following committees shall be appointed at the beginning of each session until otherwise ordered:

A Committee on Aeronautics.
A Committee on Agriculture.
A Committee on Appropriations.
A Committee on Banking.
A Committee on Boroughs.
A Committee on Building and Loan Associations.
A Committee on Cities.
A Committee on Congressional Apportionment.
A Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
A Committee on Corporations.
A Committee on Counties.

A Committee on Education.
A Committee on Elections.
A Committee on Federal Relations.
A Committee on Fisheries.
A Committee on Forestry.
A Committee on Game.
A Committee on Geological Survey.
A Committee on Highways.
A Committee on Insurance.
A Committee on Judicial Apportionment.
A Committee on Judiciary General.
A Committee on Judiciary Local.
A Committee on Judiciary Special.
A Committee on Law and Order.
A Committee on Legislative Apportionment.
A Committee on Manufacturers.
A Committee on Military Affairs.
A Committee on Mines and Mining.
A Committee on Municipal Corporations.
A Committee on Pensions and Gratuities.
A Committee on Printing.
A Committee on Public Health and Sanitation.
A Committee on Public Utilities.
A Committee on Railroads and Railways
A Committee on Repeal Bills.
A Committee on Rules.
A Committee on State Government.
A Committee on Townships.
A Committee on Ways and Means.

The Committees on Apportionment shall be appointed only at such times when apportionments are required to be made.

SAMUEL J. PERRY,
JOHN M. FLYNN,
GEO. W. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH C. MARCUS.
ROBERT S. SPANGLER

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE INSISTES UPON ITS NON-CONCURRENCE IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1257.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced informed that the Senate insists on its non-concurrence in the amendments made and insisted upon by the House of Representatives to Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

And has appointed Messrs. McClure, Kunkle and Weingartner, a committee of conference, to confer with a similar Committee of the House of Representatives, (already appointed) on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to said bill.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1076.

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and the Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located and making an appropriation.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled, as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Confer-

ence on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses on Bill, numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——— day of ——— one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all Liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1259.

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook, Philadelphia, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh, and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh; providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

SENATE BILL No. 1308.

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission, and designating October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day.

SENATE BILL No. 1335.

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

SENATE BILL No. 11.

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and township reward roads, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

SENATE BILL No. 9.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act," fixing the time when taxation of anthracite coal shall cease and the rate of said tax

SENATE BILL No. 425.

An Act providing that when cities of the Third Class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks, curbs, gutters or sewers or make other improvements, they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness, secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties.

SENATE BILL No. 811.

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An Act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the resolution from the House of Representatives, as follows:

In the House of Representatives, April 17, 1929.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur), That House Bill No. 1663, Printer's No. 1410, File Folio 8679, entitled "An act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws, ninety-one), entitled 'An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third and fourth classes, and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness, and the establishing and maintainig of sinking funds, fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties,' by excepting counties of the second class, and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof," be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Whereas, The estimate of the Budget Secretary is that the expenses of the Commonwealth for the fiscal biennium beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine will be approximately three hundred and forty million dollars, and

Whereas, The present system of State taxation is evidencing the fact that it is inadequate and not flexible enough to provide sufficient revenues for such a large budget, therefore be it

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the President Pro Tempore of the Senate is hereby authorized to appoint three members of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby authorized to appoint four members of the House of Representatives who shall constitute a legislative committee which is authorized to devise ways and means of financing the Commonwealth in the future, and to make report of their recommendations to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses on Bill, numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 42.

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 42.

Mr. BLUMBERG. Mr. Speaker, I desire to call up the report of the Committee of Conference of Senate Bill No. 42.

The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 42, entitled: "An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing, regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

THAD. S. KRAUSE,
BERTRAM G. FRAZIER,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

ARNOLD M. BLUMBERG,
MORTON WITKIN,
ROBERT G. KLECKNER,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the Licensing regulation and supervision of Resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pensylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That this act shall be known and may be cited as the Real Estate Brokers License Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

Section 2 (a) The term "real estate broker" shall include all persons co-partnerships associations and corporations foreign and domestic who for another and for a fee commission or other valuable consideration shall sell exchange purchase or rent or shall negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall offer or attempt to negotiate the sale exchange purchase or rental or shall hold himself or themselves out as engaged in the business of selling exchanging purchasing or renting of any real estate interest in real estate the property of another whether the same shall be located within the State of Pennsylvania or elsewhere or shall collect or offer or attempt to collect rental for the use of real estate the property of another or shall negotiate or offer or attempt to negotiate a loan secured or to be secured by mortgage or other encumbrance upon or transfer of any such real estate It shall also include any person copartnership association or corporation employed by the owner or owners of lots or other parcels of real estate at a stated salary or upon a commission or upon a salary and commission basis or otherwise to sell such real estate or any parts thereof in lots or other parcels and who shall sell or exchange or offer or attempt to negotiate the sale or exchange of any such lot or parcel of real estate One act in consideration of compensation by fee commission or otherwise of buying selling renting or exchanging any such real estate of or for another or attempting or offering so to do or negotiating a loan upon or leasing or renting or placing for rent any such real estate or collection of rent therefrom shall constitute prima facie evidence that the person copartnership association or corporation so acting or attempting to act is a real estate broker within the meaning of this act

(b) The term "real estate salesman" shall mean and include any person employed by a licensed real estate broker to sell or offer for sale to buy or offer to buy or to negotiate the purchase sale or exchange of any real estate or interest in real estate the property of another or to negotiate a loan upon real estate or to lease or rent or offer to lease or rent or place for rent any such real estate

(c) Neither of the said terms "real estate broker" or "real estate salesman" shall be held to include within the meaning of this act any person firm association partnership or corporation who as owner shall perform any of the acts with reference to property owned by them nor any person holding in good faith a duly executed letter of attorney from the actual owner of any real estate authorizing the sale conveyance or leasing of such real estate for and in the name of such owner or the negotiating of any loan thereon nor shall they be held to include in any way attorneys at law and justices of the peace nor shall they be held to include any receiver trustee in bankruptcy administrator or executor or any other person or corporation acting under the appointment or order of any court or as trustee under the authority of a will or deed of trust or any Banking institution operating under the Banking Laws of Pennsylvania

(d) The term "Department" shall mean the Department of Public Instruction of this Commonwealth

Section 3 The Department shall issue real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses under the provisions of this act and shall supervise and control all such licenses as hereinafter specifically provided

Section 4 (a) Copies of all records and papers or documents filed in the office of the Department and of all proceedings by or before the Department with the Department's action thereon and stenographic notes of testimony or other evidence submitted when certified under the seal of the Department shall be admitted to be read in evidence in all courts in this Commonwealth in all cases where the originals would be admissible in evidence under the provisions of this act Provided That in any proceeding the court having jurisdiction may on cause shown require the production of the original

(b) For every copy of paper filed with the Department in any proceedings before it the Department may charge such fees as it may by general rule or regulation prescribe not exceeding twenty-five cents (25c) per folio

Section 5 Neither the Superintendent of Public Instruction nor any deputy clerk or other employe of the Department shall directly or indirectly wilfully exhibit publish divulge or make known to any person or persons any record report statement letter or any other matter fact or thing contained among the papers documents or records of said Department or ascertain from any of the same or from any investigation or proceedings made or held under the provisions of this act by or before the Department or any of its deputies excepting in such manner as is expressly authorized by this act and excepting when the production of such information in a proceeding in any court is duly required by subpoena issued by special order of the court or other regular process any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor upon conviction whereof the person so offending shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand ($1,000) dollars

Provided however That the provisions of this section shall not apply to any ruling or decision of the Department with the record relative thereto and upon which the same was founded which ruling or decision shall have been duly made and entered under and in accordance with the provisions of this act after investigation and or hearing as hereinafter provided All such records shall immediately upon the entry of such ruling or decision become public records of the Department subject to inspection by any person interested

Section 6 From and after January 1 1930 it shall be unlawful for any person copartnership association or corpora-

tion to engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without first obtaining a license as a real estate broker or real estate salesman from the Department

Section 7 (a) It shall be the duty of the Department upon payment of license fees required by this act to issue licenses as real estate broker or real estate salesman to all individuals and as real estate broker alone to all copartnerships associations and corporations who shall be duly qualified under and shall comply with the provisions of this act

(b) Applications for licenses as real estate broker shall be made in writing to the Department upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant or when the application is made by a copartnership association or a corporation as to its members or officers as the Department shall require The application shall be signed by the applicant and shall be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two citizens not related to the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation to any member or officer thereof who shall be owners of real estate within and residents of the county in which the applicant resides or has his their or its place of business certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or association or corporation its members or officers by name and recommending that a license be granted the applicant If the applicant or in the case of a copartnership or corporation any of its members or officers shall have resided or shall have engaged in business for less than one year in the county from which the application is made such application shall also be accompanied by the recommendation of at least two (2) real estate owners not related to the applicant of each of the counties where he or each of such members or officers has formerly resided or engaged in business during the said period of one year prior to the filing of such application certifying to the honesty truthfulness and good repute of the applicant or its members or officers by name and recommending that the license be granted Where the applicant for a real estate broker's license maintains more than one place of business within the Commonwealth he shall be required to apply for and procure a duplicate license for each branch office so maintained by him such duplicate license to be issued with an additional charge of two dollars and fifty cents for each additional office or place of business Every such application shall state the name of the person copartnership association or corporation and the location of the place or places of business for which such license is desired and the license shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(c) Application for license as real estate salesman shall be made in writing to the Department signed by the applicant setting forth the period of time during which he has been engaged in the business stating the name of the last employer and the name and place of business of the person firm copartnership association or corporation then employing him or into whose employ he is then about to enter All applications shall be made upon a blank provided for the purpose by the Department and shall contain such information as to the applicant in addition to the above prescribed as the Department shall require The application shall be accompanied by the recommendation of his employer or prospective employer certifying that the applicant is honest truthful and of good repute and recommending that such license be granted All such licenses shall expire December thirty-first of the year issued unless sooner revoked by the Department

(e) Authority to transact business as a real estate broker or real estate salesman under any license issued by the Department shall be restricted to the person named in such license and shall not inure to the benefit of any other person or persons whatsoever Where a real estate broker's license shall be issued to a corporation or association authority to transact business thereunder shall be limited to one officer or such corporation or association to be designated in the application and named in the license Each other officer of such association or corporation desiring to act as a real estate broker in connection with the business of the said association or corporation or otherwise shall be required to make application for and take out a separate license in his or her own name individually Where the licensee is a copartnership the license issued to such copartnership shall confer authority to act as real estate broker upon one member of such copartnership only who shall be designated in the application and named in the license all the other members of such copartnership shall be required to apply for and take out individual licenses in their own names

(e) A non-resident of this State may be licensed as a real estate broker or a real estate salesman upon complying with all the provisions and conditions of this act relative to resident brokers and salesmen

(f) In connection with the application of a non-resident of this State for a license as Real Estate Broker or Real Estate Salesman the Department may accept in lieu of the recommendations and statements otherwise required to accompany the application for such license the license as real estate broker or real estate salesman issued to such applicant by the proper authority of the State of his domicile upon the payment by the applicant of the proper license fee and the filing with the Department of a duly certified copy of the license issued to such applicant by such other state In such case the licensee shall not be required to maintain a definite place of business within this State provided that he if a broker shall maintain an active place of business within the State of his domicile Provided however and it is hereby expressly stipulated that the provisions of this sub-paragraph "(g)" of Section 7 of this act shall only apply to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of those states under the laws of which similar recognition and courtesies are extended to licensed real estate brokers and real estate salesmen of this State Provided further that every non-resident applicant shall file an irrevocable consent that suits and actions may be commenced against such applicant in the proper court of any county of this State in which a cause of action may arise in which the plaintiff may reside by the service of any process or pleading authorized by the laws of this State on the Department said consent stipulating and agreeing that such service of such process or pleadings on the Department shall be taken and held in all courts to be as valid and binding as if due service had been made upon said applicant personally within the State Said instrument containing such consent shall be authenticated by the seal thereof if a corporation or by the acknowledged signature of a member or officer thereof if otherwise All such applications except from individuals shall be accompanied by the duly certified copy of the resolution of the proper officers or managing board authorizing the proper officer to execute the same In case any process or pleadings mentioned in the case are served upon the Department it shall be by duplicate copies one of which shall be filed in the office of the Department and the other immediately forwarded by registered mail to the main office of the applicant against which said process or pleadings are directed

Section 8 The fees to be charged by and paid to the Department by Licensees for all licenses issued shall be as follows

(1) For each real estate broker's license a fee of ten dollars ($10.00) Provided That there shall be an additional license fee of two and one-half ($2.50) dollars for each additional office or place of business

(2) For each license as real estate broker issued to an officer of a corporation or association or member of a copartnership other than the officer or member named in the license issued to such association corporation or copartnership a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(3) For each real estate salesman's license a fee of five dollars ($5.00)

(4) Provided however that for any and all licenses issued subsequently to the first day of July in any year the license fee charge shall be but one-half of the annual license fee as respectively above prescribed The fees herein prescribed for real estate broker's and real estate salesman's license shall be in addition to any and all other license fees or license taxes imposed or to be imposed upon real estate brokers and real estate salesmen by this Commonwealth or any subdivision thereof

Section 9 (a) Every person copartnership association or corporation licensed as a real estate broker under the provisions of this act shall be required to have and maintain a definite place of business within the Commonwealth which shall serve as his their or its office for the transaction of business under the authority of the said license and where the license shall be prominently displayed The said place of business shall be specified in the application for license and designated in the license and no license issued under the

authority of this act shall authorize the licensee to transact business from any office other than that designated in the license unless notice in writing shall be given within ten days to the Department of any change of business location designating the new location of such office whereupon the Department shall forthwith issue a new license for the new location for the unexpired period without charge The change of the specified business location without notification to the Department shall automatically cancel the license theretofore issued

(b) All real estate brokers shall also prominently display in their place or places of business the licenses of all real estate salesmen employed by them therein or in connection therewith All licenses issued to real estate salesmen shall designate the employer of such salesmen by name Prompt notice in writing within ten (10) days shall be given to the Department by the real estate salesmen of any change of employer and of the name of the new employer into whose service such salesman is about to enter or has entered and a new license shall thereupon be issued without charge by the Department to such salesmen for the unexpired term of the original license provided that such new employer shall be a duly licensed real estate broker The change of employer or employment by any licensed real estate salesman without notice to the Department as aforesaid shall automatically cancel the license to him theretofore issued and it shall be the duty of the employer named in such license to notify the Department promptly of any such change of employer or employment

Section 10 (a) The Department may upon its own motion and shall promptly upon the verified complaint in writing of any person setting forth specifically the wrongful act or acts complained of investigate any action or business transaction of any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman and shall have the power temporarily to suspend or permanently to revoke licenses theretofore issued by the Department under the provisions of this act at any time when after due proceedings as hereinafter provided it shall find the holder thereof to have been guilty in the performance or attempt to perform any of the acts prohibited to others than licensed real estate brokers or real estate salesmen under the provisions of this act

(1) Of knowingly making any substantial misrepresentation or

(2) Of knowingly making any false promise of a character likely to influence persuade or induce or

(3) Of a continued or flagrant course of misrepresentation or making of false promises through agents or salesmen or

(4) Of any other conduct whether of the same or of a different character than that hereinbefore specified which shall constitute a tort or when it shall be shown that the licensee within five years prior to the issuance of the license then in force has been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of this or any other state of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses

(b) Before refusing suspending or revoking any license the Department shall in writing notify the applicant or licensee of the charges against him accompanying the notice with a copy of the complaint if any filed and the Department shall accord the applicant or licensee ample opportunity to be heard thereon in person or by counsel If the applicant or licensee shall so desire the Department shall grant a hearing upon such charges to be held on not less than ten (10) days prior notice in writing to the applicant or licensee given and shall furnish licensee at the time of giving the said notice with copies of any and all communications reports affidavits and dispositions in the possession of the Department touching or relating to the matter in question At such hearing the applicant or licensee shall be entitled to examine either in person or by counsel any and all persons complaining against him and as well all other witnesses whose testimony is relied upon to substantiate the charges made He shall also be entitled to present such evidence oral and written as he may see fit and as may be pertinent to the inquiry The said hearings may be held by the Department or any member thereof or by any of its duly authorized deputies or by any other person duly deputized by the Department for such purpose in any particular case and they shall be held if the applicant or licensee so desires within the county where the applicant's or licensee's principal place of business is situated At such hearings all witnesses shall be duly sworn by the duly authorized deputies general or special before whom the hearing is held and stenographic notes of the proceedings shall be taken and filed as part of the record in the cause Any party to the proceedings desiring it shall be furnished with a copy of such stenographic notes upon the payment to the Department of such fee as it shall by general rule or regulation prescribe therefor not exceeding however twenty-five cents per folio

(c) The refusal of the Department to issue any license after application properly made and compliance by the applicant with the requirements of this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County upon petition for writ of mandamus or other appropriate remedy with the right of appeal to the applicant as in other and similar cases

(d) The decision of the Department in suspending or revoking any license issued under this act shall be subject to review by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County The Department shall maintain in its main office a public docket or other record in which it shall record from time to time as made the rulings or decisions upon all complaints filed with it and all investigations instituted by it in the first instance upon or in connection with which any such hearing shall have been had or in which the licensee charged shall have made no defense The Department shall also give immediate notice in writing of such ruling or decision to the licensee affected thereby and as well where the investigation shall have been instituted by complaint filed to the party or parties by whom the complaint was made If such ruling shall be to the prejudice of or shall injuriously affect the licensee the Department shall also state in said notice the date upon which the said ruling or decision shall become effective if not theretofore appealed from and such date shall not be less than thirty (30) days from and after the date of the said notice If the licensee cannot at such time be found his whereabouts being then unknown such notice may be given by the Department by advertisement inserted in one issue of a newspaper of general circulation published within the county where was located the principal office of the licensee as designated in the license

Such ruling or decision of the Department shall be final when in favor of the licensee and in dismissal of the complaint filed if any If against the licensee or in any way to the licensee's injury or prejudice the licensee may at any time prior to the date fixed by the Department in its said notice as the date it shall become effective appeal from such decision to the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County by serving upon the Department written notice of such appeal Such service shall be made either by filing the said notice of appeal in the office of the Department or by delivering the same to the deputy whether general or special before whom the hearing in the case was had

Within thirty (30) days after the service of such notice of appeal the Department shall file with the prothonotary of the said court of common pleas a transcript of the record of the proceedings in its office duly certified over the Seal of the Department which record shall include all papers on file with the Department affecting or relating to the inquiry or investigation conducted by the Department and all the evidence taken in the said hearing including the stenographic notes of testimony Notice of the filing of the said transcript with the term and number to which filed shall be forthwith given by the Department to the licensee and as well to the party or parties if any upon whose complaint the proceedings before the Department were instituted The cost of the said transcript at twenty-five cents per folio and one dollar for certification shall be entered as part of the record costs in the cause to be paid as the said court may direct In all proceedings upon such appeal the Department of Justice shall appear for and represent the Commonwealth

The appeal shall thereupon be heard in due course by the judge or judges of the said court of common pleas without a jury by whom the proceedings before the Department its findings and rulings shall be given similar weight force and effect as are accorded to the findings and report of a referee selected or appointed under the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to provide for the submission of civil cases by agreement of the parties to a referee learned in the law" approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and its supplements The court may however in

its discretion receive and consider any additional pertinent evidence whether oral or written either in open court or by deposition as the said court shall direct and the decision of the Department shall be reviewed in the light of such evidence provided the Court shall order a trial by jury upon demand of any appellant

(e) The order or ruling of the Department in any such proceeding shall become of full force and effect upon the date fixed by the Department in the said notice by it given thereof to the parties thereto unless notice of appeal therefrom shall prior to said date be duly served upon the Department as hereinbefore provided If an appeal shall be so taken such an appeal shall act as supersedeas until ten (10) days from and after the date of the filing of the transcript by the Department in the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County and notice thereof by it given to the licensee but not longer unless the said Court of Common Pleas shall upon motion of the licensee grant an order of supersedeas in which case the appeal shall be heard by the said court and its decision entered within thirty (30) days after the granting of such order of supersedeas An appeal shall lie from the decision of the said Court of Common Pleas to the Superior Court but no such appeal shall operate as a supersedeas unless made so by special order of the Appellate Court

Section 11 (a) In all proceedings before the Department and as well in all proceedings upon appeal from any of its decisions the record or a duly certified or exemplified copy thereof in any proceedings at law or in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged or under investigation shall have been a party shall be admissible where the issue of fact involved in such proceedings are pertinent to the inquiry before the Department and the verdict of the jury or judgment of the court in any such action at law or the decree of the court in any such proceeding in equity shall be prima facie as to the facts at issue in such proceeding and necessarily adjudicated therein So also the verdict of the jury in any criminal prosecution in a court of record of this or any other State in which the applicant or licensee charged shall have been the defendant shall be conclusive as to the facts charged and at issue in such prosecution

(b) Where during the term of any license issued by the Department the licensee shall be convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction in this or any other State of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses and a duly certified or exemplified copy of the record in such proceeding shall be filed with the Department the Department shall revoke forthwith the license by it theretofore issued to the licensee so convicted

(c) In the event that any licensee shall be indicted in this or any other State for forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses and a certified copy of the indictment be filed with the Department or other proper evidence thereof be to it given the Department shall have authority in its discretion to suspend the license issued to such licensee pending trial upon such indictment

(d) In the event of the revocation or suspension of the license issued to any member of a copartnership or to any officer of an association or corporation the license issued to such copartnership association or corporation shall be revoked by the Department unless within a time fixed by the Department where a copartnership the connection therewith of the member whose license has been revoked shall be severed and his interest in the copartnership and his share in its activities brought to an end or where an association or corporation the offending officer shall be discharged and shall have no further participation in its activities

(e) Pending an investigation or proceeding before the Department affecting any licensee and as well pending final decision upon any appeal taken by a licensee from the ruling of the Department no new license shall be issued to such licensee or to a copartnership of which he is a member or employee or to an association or corporation of which he shall be an officer or employee except for the period of such investigation or proceeding and subject to the action of the Department thereon or therein

(f) After the revocation of any license no new license shall be issued to the same licensee within a period of one year from and after the date of such revocation nor at any time thereafter except in the sole discretion of the Department

(g) No license shall be issued by the Department to any person known by it to have within five (5) years theretofore convicted of forgery embezzlement obtaining money under false pretenses extortion criminal conspiracy to defraud or other like offense or offenses or to any copartnership of which such person is a member or to any association or corporation of which said person is an officer or employe or in which as a stockholder such person has or exercises a controlling interest either directly or indirectly

Section 12 Any person copartnership association or corporation who shall after the first day of January nineteen hundred and thirty engage in or carry on the business or act in the capacity of a real estate broker or a real estate salesman within this Commonwealth without a license or shall carry on or continue business after the suspension or revocation of any such license to him or it issued or shall employ any person as a real estate salesman to whom a license as real estate salesman has not been issued or whose license as such shall have been revoked or suspended shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced for the first offense to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars ($50) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100) and for a second and any subsequent offense shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) nor more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) or undergo imprisonment for a period of not more than one (1) year or both in the discretion of the court

Section 13 (a) The Department and each of its duly authorized assistants and deputies and as well any special deputy appointed by it to hold a hearing in any particular case shall have power to administer oaths and to issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers In any hearing in any part of the Commonwealth the process issued by the Department shall extend to all parts of the Commonwealth and such process shall be served either in like manner as are served writs of subpoena in the Court of Common Pleas or by any person designated by the Department for such purpose The person serving such process shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by the Department not to exceed the fee prescribed by law for similar services in the courts of common pleas and such fees shall be paid in the same manner as provided herein for the fees of witnesses subpoenaed at the instance of the Department All witnesses who shall be subpoenaed and who shall appear in any proceeding before the Department shall receive the same fees and mileage as allowed by law to witnesses in the Court of Common Pleas which amount shall be paid by the party at whose instance the subpoena was issued or upon whose behalf the witness has been called When any witness who has not been subpoenaed at the instance of any party to the proceeding shall be subpoenaed at the instance of the Department or its assistant or deputies general or special the fees and mileage of such witness shall be paid from the funds appropriated to the use of the said Department in the same manner as other expenses of the Department are paid

(b) Where in any proceeding before the Department any witness shall fail or refuse to attend upon subpoena issued by the Department or any of its assistants or deputies general or special or appearing shall refuse to testify or shall refuse to produce any books and papers the production of which is called for by the subpoena the attendance of such witness and the giving of his testimony and the production of the books and papers required shall be enforced by any court of common pleas of this Commonwealth in like manner as are enforced the attendance and testimony of witnesses before commissioners appointed by any court of the United States or of any other State to examine or take the testimony of witnesses within this Commonwealth

(c) The court of common pleas of any county shall upon the application of the Department issue commissions or letters rogatory to other States for the taking of evidence there for use in any proceeding before the Department The Department shall make such application at the instance of any party to the proceeding before it unless in the opinion of the Department such application is made for the purpose of delay Any such party shall be entitled as of right to subpoenas from the Department directed to such witnesses and

for the production of such books and papers as the party may desire

Section 14 No violation of any of the provisions of this act on the part of any real estate salesman or other employee of any licensed real estate broker shall be ground for the revocation of the license of the employer of such salesman or employee unless it shall appear upon the hearing had that such employer had guilty knowledge of such violation A course of dealing shown to have been persistently and consistently followed by such employee shall constitute prima facie evidence of such knowledge upon the part of his employer

Section 15 (a) It shall be unlawful for any licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman to pay any compensation in money or other valuable thing to any person other than a licensed real estate broker or real estate salesman for the rendering of any service or the doing of any of the acts by this act forbidden to be rendered or performed by other than licensees

(b) No real estate salesman shall accept or receive compensation of any kind from any person other than the licensed real estate broker by whom he is employed for any service rendered or work done by such salesman in buying selling exchanging leasing or negotiating a loan upon real estate or interest therein

(c) The violation of the provisions of this section by any licensee shall be sufficient cause for the suspension or revocation of his license in the discretion of the Department

Section 16 No action or suit shall be instituted nor recovery therein be had in any court of this Commonwealth by any person copartnership association or corporation for compensation for any act done or service rendered the doing or rendering of which is prohibited under the provisions of this act to others than licensed real estate brokers unless such person copartnership association or corporation was duly licensed hereunder as real estate broker at the time of the doing of such act or the rendering of such service

Section 17 The Department may act by a majority vote of the members thereof and authority is hereby given to the Department to adopt fix and establish all rules and regulations in its opinion necessary for the conduct of its business the holding of hearings before it and its deputies and otherwise generally for the carrying out of the provisions of this act

Section 18 If any section subsection sentence clause phrase or requirement of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act each section subsection sentence clause phrase and requirement thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections subsections sentences clauses phrases or requirements be declared unconstitutional

On the question,

Will the House adopt a report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Aston,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Petrikin,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Denne	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, C. W.,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Wright,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim
Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Gochring,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee of Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1663, file folio 8679, for the purpose of amendment.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER

RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1663 passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which this bill passed third reading be reconsidered.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to offer amendments at this time.

The SPEAKER. The amendments will be read by the Clerk for information.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 14, by inserting after the word "and" the following: "certain bonds and certificates of"

The SPEAKER. Will the House give unanimous consent to the insertion of the amendments at this time? Is there any objection? The Chair hears none, and the amendments will be inserted in accordance with the instructions of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill as amended lie over for printing.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

The SPEAKER. The Chair lays before the House the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 1956

The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 1956, entitled: "An Act to amend Section one hundred and one hundred sixteen as amended, and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue, and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith,' providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education, and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city, borough, incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions, respectufully submit the following bill as our report:

FRANK E. BALDWIN,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

THOMAS B. WILSON,
E. P. BROWN,
HARRY E. HIMES,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or two or more of said municipal divisions

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That Section one hundred one of an Act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" which was amended by the act approved the twenty-third day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-one) entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and one of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' as amended" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 101 Each city incorporated town borough or township in this Commonwealth now existing or hereafter created shall constitute a separate school district to be designated and known as the "School District of ....." except that where such city incorporated town borough or township or a part of the school district remaining after its separation would constitute a fourth class school district in which case it shall remain a part of the school district which which case it shall remain a part of the school district to which school district is approved by the State [Board] Council of or not such approval shall be given the State Board of Education shall investigate the necessity therefor and take into consideration the welfare of the pupils and taxpayers of such proposed new school district as well as the effect upon the existing school districts] Where any school district shall so be constituted of two or more municipal divisions the auditors or the controllers of the cities boroughs towns or townships last created and which do not form a separate school district shall meet annually with the auditors of the school district and participate in the audit of the school accounts and such auditors or controller shall have the same rights and powers as are conferred by this act upon the auditors of school accounts Any two or more school districts as herein constituted may by a majority vote of the electors of each of said districts affected and in the manner hereinafter provided be formed into a union school district The several school districts thus established and formed shall be and hereby are divided into four classes as follows

Section 2 That Section one hundred sixteen of said Act which was amended by the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty-three) entitled "An act to amend sections one hundred one one hundred sixteen as amended one hundred seventeen two hundred twelve as amended and three hundred one as amended of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith' and providing for the creation of union school districts and the government thereof by adding to article one sections one hundred twenty-seven one hundred twenty-eight one hundred twenty-nine and now one hundred and thirty" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 116 Whenever a new school district [is] may be created by the creation of a new city borough township or independent school district or an existing school district of the fourth class is affected by the annexation to a city or borough or township of territory included within a school district of the fourth class or by the consolidation of two or more districts as a union district the clerk of the courts or other proper officer shall within ten days thereafter make a certified copy of the petition therefore agreement or ordinance and the decree or order creating such new city borough township or independent school district or union school district or of the decree of the court or vote of the electors effecting such annexation and mail the same to the Superintendent of Public Instruction Department of Public Instruction Harrisburg Pennsylvania Upon receipt of said certified copy which shall be deemed an application for the creation of a new school district of the fourth class or change in the boundaries of an existing school district of the fourth class the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall within sixty days thereafter cause the State Council of Education to be convened and said Council shall thereupon determine and consider such application If the newly created city incorporated town borough or township or independent school district or union school district or the part of a new school district remaining after the separation would if the application is ap-

proved constitute a school district of the fourth class the State Council of Education shall determine whether such new school district or independent school district or union school district or change in the boundaries of an existing school district of the fourth class is necessary and whether the welfare of the pupils within the territory affected thereby will be promoted by the creation of such district or change in the boundaries of such existing district If the Council shall approve such application it shall certify its findings and its approval of such new district or change in such existing district thereon and transmit a certified copy thereof to the clerk of the courts or other proper officer from whom the application was received who shall file the same in such original proceedings If in the judgment of the Council the said application should not be granted it shall endorse thereon not approved and transmit a certified copy thereof to the clerk of the courts or other proper officer from whom the application was received who shall file the same in the original proceedings and thereafter such district from whose teritory the newly created city borough or township or annexed territory was taken and which is no longer coterminous with an existing city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions shall constitute an independent school district Provided The State Council of Education may for cause shown upon subsequent application by ten taxables of a school district of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township vacate such refusal and may approve the creation of such new district of the fourth class or change in boundaries of an existing district of the fourth class and thereupon the same proceedings shall be had as herein provided upon the original application If such refusal is vacated and the application is approved the new city borough incorporated town or township will thereupon become a new school district of the fourth class or the school district of the fourth class remaining after such annexation shall constitute a separate school district as so changed

Section 3 That Section two hundred ten is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 210 When a new school district [is] may hereafter be formed by the creation of a new city borough or township the court of common pleas having jurisdiction shall determine and enter in its decree the class of school districts to which such new district if formed shall belong and if of the first second or third class it shall thereupon become a new school district of such class and the court shall appoint a board of school directors for such new school district which shall serve until the first Monday of December next following the first municipal election occurring more than thirty (30) days after the formation of such new school district If the newly created city borough incorporated town or township would constitute a school district of the fourth class the court of common pleas having jurisdiction shall so certify and if and when the new school district is approved by the State Council of Education appoint a board of school directors which shall serve until the first Monday of December next following the first municipal election occurring more than thirty (30) days after the formation of such new school district If a new school district in said newly created city borough incorporated town or township or change in boundaries in an existing district of the fourth class is not approved by the State Council of Education and thereby the school district or districts affected by such proceedings no longer comprises the same territory or ceases to be coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions the district or districts so affected shall thereupon become independent school districts and the court shall enter its decree constituting the territory therein an independent school district and the school directors therein shall thereafter be chosen in the same manner as school directors for other independent school districts

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee on Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—195.

Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett	MacGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reader,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	White,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Lose,	Rieder,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fox,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee of Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to infrom you that I have this date approved and signed a resolution of the House and Senate recalling from the Governor House Bill No. 1597, file folio 8609.

Accordingly, the original bill is herewith returned.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the bill together with the message be laid upon the table.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

The SPEAKER. The Chair lays before the House the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 2099.

The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 2099, entitled: "An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue, and repealing all laws general, special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith, " respectfully submit the following report:

FRANK E. BALDWIN,
W. D. MANSFIELD,
HARVEY HUFFMAN,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

THOMAS B. WILSON,
E. P. BROWN,
HARRY E. HIMES,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" is hereby amended to read as follows

ARTICLE XX

State [Normal Schools] Teachers Colleges

Section 2001 There shall be thirteen [Normal School] State Teachers College Districts in this Commonwealth as now provided and one State [Normal School] Teachers College in each district

Delaware Chester Bucks and Montgomery Counties shall be the first [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College in West Chester shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lancaster York and Lebanon Counties shall be the Second [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Millersville shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Berks Schuylkill and Lehigh Counties shall be the Third [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Kutztown shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Northampton Carbon Monroe Pike Luzerne Lackawanna and Wayne Counties shall be the Fourth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at East Stroudsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Wyoming Sullivan Susquehanna Bradford Lycoming and Tioga Counties shall be the Fifth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Mansfield shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Dauphin Northumberland Columbia Montour Union Snyder Perry Juniata and Mifflin Counties shall be the Sixth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Bloomsburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College of this district

Cumberland Adams Franklin Fulton Bedford Huntingdon and Blair Counties shall be the Seventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Shippensburg shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Centre Clinton Clearfield Elk Potter and Cameron Counties shall be the Eighth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Lock Haven shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Cambria Indiana Armstrong and Westmoreland Counties shall be the Ninth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Indiana shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Washington Fayette Greene and Somerset Counties shall be the Tenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at California shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Allegheny Butler and Beaver Counties shall be the Eleventh [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Slippery Rock shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Lawrence Mercer Venango Crawford and Erie Counties shall be the twelfth State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Edinboro shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Jefferson Clarion Forest Warren and McKean Counties shall be the Thirteenth [Normal School] State Teachers College District and the State [Normal School] Teachers College at Clarion shall be the State [Normal School] Teachers College in this district

Section 2002 The [State Normal Schools] Colleges shall be a part of the public school system of the Commonwealth and their purpose the education and [training] preparation of teachers The colleges shall provide proper facilities for instruction in the art and science of teaching for the boarding and lodging of students in residence and other necessary facilities approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Section 2003 No religious test or qualification shall be required to entitle anyone to become a trustee professor teacher or student in any college

Section 2004 Each college shall provide practice teaching facilities so organized and administered that the students of the college shall acquire therein a practical knowledge of the art of teaching under the instruction and supervision of their proper teachers It shall be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district in this Commonwealth to enter into an agreement between such board of trustees and board of school directors by which all or part of the pupils of such school district may be instructed in the Training School in such college upon terms mutually agreeable to the board of trustees and the board of school directors concerned It shall also be lawful for the board of trustees of any college and the board of school directors of any district or districts to enter into an agreement upon terms mutually satisfactory in accordance with which all or part of the classes of such district or districts may be available for practice teaching facilities for the students of such college Such actions of the said school district or school districts and the boards of trustees of such colleges shall be entered respectively upon the minutes of the said respective boards and must be approved by the Superintendent of Public Grounds The Board of Trustees of any college may provide for the transportation of students of the

college to and from the place or places where such practice teaching facilities are available

Section 2005 The Board of Presidents of the State Teachers Colleges shall consist of the presidents of the several colleges The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be the chairman and the Secretary of the State Council of Education shall be the secretary ex-officio thereof The board shall formulate the educational policies of the Colleges It shall meet annually in the City of Harrisburg and may meet more frequently and at other places by resolution of the Board or on the call of the Superintendent of Public Instruction A majority of all members of the Board shall constitute a quorum and any action favored by a majority of the members shall when approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction be binding upon all of the colleges

Section 2006 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall prescribe and conduct such examinations of students in the several colleges as he may deem necessary to determine and fix the standards of instruction in and of graduation from any of the curriculums of said colleges Each graduate from a college shall receive such a Normal School Certificate or College Diploma as the State Council of Education shall prescribe A Normal School Certificate shall be accepted as full evidence of the qualifications of the holder thereof to teach two annual full school terms in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examinations such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a holder of the College Diploma a Provisional College Certificate entitling him to teach for three annual school terms in any public elementary or secondary school in this Commonwealth without further examination such subjects as may be written upon the face of the certificate in accordance with the regulations of the State Council of Education

Section 2007 A holder of a State Normal School certificate who after graduation from college has taught for two school terms in the public elementary schools of this Commonwealth and who presents a certificate of good moral character and of successful teaching for two school terms from the board or boards of school directors in whose employment he has taught countersigned by the proper superintendent or superintendents shall be granted a State Normal School Diploma by the College from which he was graduated signed by the same officers who sign the State Normal School certificates from such college which diploma shall be received as full evidence of his qualifications to teach any of the subjects set forth in his State Normal School certificate or diploma in any public elementary school in this Commonwealth without further examination

Section 2008 The cost of boarding and tuition shall be fixed by the trustees of the several State Teachers Colleges with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction but no difference in the charge for boarding and tuition shall be made in favor of any students pursuing similar studies

Section 2009 The tuition of all students at the State Teachers Colleges who are resident of Pennsylvania and who are not less than seventeen years of age and who sign an agreement to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth for not less than two years and who are pursuing therein regular courses for the preparation of teachers shall be paid by the Commonwealth and sufficient appropriations shall be made for this purpose The trustees of any State Teachers College when it does not interfere with its purpose to educate and prepare teachers may with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction admit other students than those preparing to teach Provided That all such students except those in the practice school shall pay regular tuition And provided That when there is sufficient room for all who apply preference shall be given to residents of Pennsylvania and those preparing to teach

Section 2010 It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prescribe all forms and to give all instructions required for carrying into full effect the acts establishing and regulating the State Teachers Colleges on all points not herein set forth in detail

Section 2011 It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this act would have been adopted had this article number twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges not been included therein and that if said article twenty relating to Normal Schools and Colleges or any part thereof is declared unconstitutional the remainder of this act shall continue in full force and effect

Section 2012 Definitions The word "college" or "colleges" where used in this article shall apply to State Normal Schools State Teachers Colleges and the Cheyney Training School for Teachers now existing and such other State Teachers Colleges and State Teachers Training Schools as may hereafter be created or constituted by in and for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section 2 This act shall take effect on the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

On the qestion,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baker,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Myers,	Steadle,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Burke,	Holmes,	Post,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Katz,	Reed,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fockler	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee on Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform Senate accordingly.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If there is no objection, the Chair will now declare a recess for the purpose of participating in the lunch which will be served in the House Caucus Room.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair,

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses on Bill, numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 197.

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

The SPEAKER. The Chair lays before the House the report of the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 197.

The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 197, entitled: "An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens, and to make uniform the law realting thereto," respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

FRANK FAY,
H. B. SCOTT,
JOHN E. KUNKLE,
Committee on the Part of the Senate

W. F. STADTLANDER,
ELLWOOD J. TURNER,
C. W. STAUDENMEIER,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens shall be filed by the collector of internal revenue in the office of the prothontary of the county or counties in this State within which the property subject to such lien is situated

Section 2 when a notice of such tax lien is filed the prothonotary shall forthwith enter the same in an alphabetical Federal Tax Lien Index showing on one line the name and the residence of the taxpayer named in such notice the collector's serial number of such notice the date and hour of filing and the amount of tax with the interest penalties and costs He shall file and keep all original notices so filed in numerical order in a file or files and designated Federal Tax Lien Notices

Section 3 When a certificate of discharge of any tax lien issued by the collector of Internal Revenue or other proper officer is filed in the office of the prothonotary where the original notice of lien is filed said prothonotary shall enter the same with date of filing in said Federal Tax Lien Index on the line where notice of the lien so discharged is entered and permanently attach the original certificate of discharge to the original notice of lien

Section 4 Said Federal Tax Lien Index and file or files for said Federal Tax Lien Notices shall be furnished to the prothonotary of each county in this State in the manner now provided by law for the furnishing of books in which deeds are recorded

Section 5 This act is passed for the purpose of authorizing the filing of notices of liens in accordance with the provisions of section three thousand one hundred and eighty-six of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended

Section 6 This act shall be so interpreted and construed as to effectuate its general purpose to make uniform the law of those states which enact it

Section 7 This act may be cited as the Uniform Federal Tax Lien Registration Act

Section 8 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed

On the question,

Will the House adopt the Report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Boggs,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Keffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Washington
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Wheeler
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	White,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schrock	Ziesenheim
Fish,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
[illegible]ler,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCann,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee on Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning, Thursday, April 18th, at 12.05 o'clock A. M.

Mrs. PENNOCK. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to, and at 11.59 o'clock P. M., the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 12.05 o'clock.

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SENATE.

THURSDAY, April 18, 1929.

The Senate met at 12.05 o'clock A. M.

The PRESIDENT. PRO TEMPORE (Horace W. Schantz) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Christian H. Shirk, offered the following prayer:

Thou God of Infinite Mercy, we thank Thee that Thou hast safely brought us to this final period of our legislative session. If we have left undone, officially, things we ought to have done or have done that which we should not have done, we pray for Thy forgiveness and ask that Thou mayest overrule our mistakes to good advantage.

We pray Thy blessing to rest upon any that have been handicapped through ill-health during these sessions from giving their time to their senatorial duties. We pray that they may speedily and fully recover.

Grant that we may have a safe return to our homes, and if, under Thy providence, we should never again have the pleasure of thus meeting together, we pray that each one of us may take part in the Great General Assembly and answer to the roll call there when Thou dost call us to the life of larger activities, to rule with Thee forever.

We ask for the forgiveness of all our sins and for the supply of all our needs; and we ask Thee to do for us exceedingly abundantly above all that we can ask of Thee. And Thy name shall have all the praise, world without end. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding session, when, on motion of Mr. DAVIS, the further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 465, on final passage, recalled from the Governor, entitled:

An act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instructions as they may require

and Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured.

on final passage, recalled from the Governor, are not up from the printer and will go over in their order.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 1143, as follows:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three(Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended by the act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled 'An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents' requiring building and loan associations to pay the cost of examinations by the Department of Banking" be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 9 Maintenance of Department—(a) Expenses—All moneys derived by the department from fees assessments charges penalties and otherwise shall be paid by the Secretary through the Department of Revenue into the State Treasury for safe-keeping and shall by the State Treasurer be placed in a separate fund to be available for the use of the department upon requisition of the secretary All such moneys so paid into the State Treasury are hereby specifically appropriated to the department for the purpose of paying the salaries of the secretary the deputies the examiners and the other employes of the department the expenses of the department including the rental and furniture of such rooms or quarters as the secretary may deem necessary outside of the Capitol and for the purchase through the Department of Property and Supplies of surety bonds for such officers or employes of the department as may be required to furnish them supplies materials motor vehicles workmen's compensation insurance covering the officers and employes of the department and liability insurance covering vehicles purchased out of moneys of said fund and the officers and employes of the department operating said vehicles In the event that the use of motor vehicles is required only temporarily then

such moneys in the fund are available for the payment to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of such motor vehicles on a mileage basis at such amount per mile as the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor shall determine

The Auditor General shall upon requisition of the secretary from time to time draw warrants upon the State Treasurer for the amounts specified in such requisitions not exceeding however the amount in such fund at the time of the making of any such requisition

(b) Assessments of Expenses upon Corporations and Individuals—All the expenses incurred in and about the conduct of the business of the department including the cost of the regular examinations of corporations and persons under the supervision of the department the compensation of the secretary deputies examiners and other employes of the department together with all other general or overhead expenses of the department shall be charged to and paid by the corporations and persons subject to the supervision of the department in equitable proportions at such times and in such manner as the secretary shall by general rule or regulation annually prescribe

Provided however That building and loan associations shall be examined at least once in each year and more frequently if the condition of any building and loan association shall be such that in the opinion of the Secretary of Banking an additional examination is necessary and provided further That the Secretary of Banking may upon the request of any building and loan association appoint a certified public accountant to make at the expense of the association the annual examination instead of an examiner of the department and the building and loan association making such request shall be entitled to and furnished with a copy of the report of the examination

Provided however That the charge for examination of building and loan associations shall not exceed the expenses incurred in connection with such examination including a proportionate part of the salary of the examiner or other employe engaged in such examination but not including departmental overhead properly chargeable to building and loan supervision for which an appropriation shall be made by the General Assembly

The expenses incurred in connection with any special examination or investigation of any corporation or person including a proportionate part of the salary of any examiner or other employe of the department engaged in such examination or investigation shall be charged to and paid by such corporation or person

On failure or refusal of any such corporation or person after thirty days' written notice to pay any sum lawfully assessed or charged against it or him by the secretary under the provisions of this clause the secretary shall call upon the Department of Justice to bring an action at law to recover the same

Section 2 This act shall become effective on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 490, (House Bill No. 46), as follows:

An Act to amend route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixty-nine route four hundred and fifty-one route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That routes numbers three hundred and seventy-six four hundred and ninety-six and five hundred and eleven of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" As amended by act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven Pamphlet Laws seven hundred entitled "An act to amend routes three hundred and seventy-six three hundred and seventy-seven three hundred and eighty-five three hundred and eighty-six three hundred and ninety-three three hundred and ninety-four three hundred and ninety-five three hundred and ninety-seven three hundred and ninety-eight four hundred and two four hundred and thirty-eight four hundred and forty four hundred and sixty-eight four hundred and ninety-three four hundred and ninety-six five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve five hundred and fifteen five hundred and twenty-seven and five hundred and forty-two of section one of an act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth'" are hereby amended to read as follows

Route three hundred and seventy-six A certain public road beginning at station one thousand eighty-four plus ninety-two in Westmoreland County on Route number one hundred eighteen between Greensburg and Washington being Rankin Cross Roads near J C. Rankin and McConnell farms and extending by way of Lebanon School House and Fells Church to Elizabeth in Allegheny County thence to West Elizabeth thence following an improved county road through the corporate limits of the City of Clairton to the corporate limits of what was formerly Wilson Borough thence following the township road through the Township of Jefferson to Aber School thence [to the intersection of an unimproved portion of what is known as New England in Mifflin Township thence to Lebanon Church Crossing an improved County road known as the Lebanon Church Road Following the route of the Old Pittsburgh Turnpike] to an intersection known as Bonner's Corner on the Pittsburgh-McKeesport Boulevard crossing an improved county road known as the Lebanon Church Road

Route four hundred and ninety-six Beginning at Asbury Chapel Erie County on route number two hundred and seventy-two thence northerly along present township road to intersection with route number eighty-six thence westerly along route number eighty-six to Avonia thence westerly along West Lake Road to North Springfield thence southerly and westerly along which is known as the "Middle Road" to its intersection with route number eighty-five Erie County

Route five hundred and eleven Beginning at Pleasantville Borough in the County of Venango and extending to a point on the dividing line between Venango and Forest Counties

thence by way of Neilltown [and Fogle Farm] to Tionesta in the County of Forest

Section 2 That Route four hundred and four four hundred and forty-two four hundred and fifty-two four hundred and sixty-nine four hundred and fifty-one of said act are hereby amended to read as follows

Route four hundred and four Beginning at a point in the Borough of State College Centre County on State Highway Route number fifty-six thence in a northwesterly direction [a distance of five miles more or less to the village of Waddles on State Highway Route number three hundred and forty-six in Centre County] to Route number one hundred seven near Martha Centre County

Route four hundred forty-two Beginning at the limits of the City of Lancaster Lancaster County at Lititz Avenue and running thence to Lititz on the Lancaster Turnpike Road thence by spur by way of Erb's Lime Kiln connecting with Route five hundred and twelve at Shenks Cross Roads thence from Lititz [thence] along Lititz and Lexington Turnpike Road to Lexington Hotel thence over township road by way of Zartman's Mill to Brickerville and intersecting with State Highway Route number one hundred thirty-seven

Route four hundred and fifty-two Beginning at a point on State highway route number ninety-three [in the Borough of Tidioute] in Warren County and running thence through Triumph and Deerfield Townships to a point on State highway route number eighty-nine above the town of Newton

Route four hundred sixty-nine Beginning at Degolia in McKean County and running thence to Smethport in the County of McKean by way of Minard Run Valley Aiken Simpson and Ormsby

Route four hundred and fifty-one Beginnning at a point in State Highway Route number two hundred and sixty-eight at Dry Tavern and running thence by way of Carmichaels Paisley Sugar Grove Church Ramseys Cross Roads Monongahela Hill Cemetery Old Glass Works Greensboro Penn Pitt Coal Company Poland Station Dilliner [and Derr Brothers farm to the West Virginia State line at Rosedale] to a point on the west side of the Monongahela River in Greene County opposite State Highway route number one hundred and sixteen in Fayette County

Route Five Hundred and Thirty-three Begining at a point on State highway route number six at Dundaff Street in the Borough of Dickson City thence in a northwesterly direction along Scott Road [to Hall's Corners thence in a northerly direction to Shennens Corners to the Blakely Home thence to a point on State highway route number three hundred and twenty-two at or near Blakely Home Corners] to an intersection with road leading to Justus thence by way of Justus in a northerly direction to Craig thence in a westerly direction by way of Wallsville Church to an intersection with State highway route number three hundred and sixty-five at Greens' Corners

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

BILL OVER IN ORDER.

The PRESIDENT. Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number one hundred and ninety-three of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of cimmissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

on final passage, is not up from the printer and will go over in its order.

BILLS ON THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 681, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled: "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder".

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1058, (House Bill No. 1103), entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class, and granting power to employ a solicitor.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1101, (House Bill No. 566), entitled:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eight-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five).

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix.	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis.			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1263, (House Bill No. 1007), entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1590, (House Bill No. 1889), entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—37.

Apple,	Daix,	Heaton,	Painter,
Aron,	Davis,	Huffman,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Earnest,	Hunsicker,	Salus,
Baumer,	Einstein,	Krause,	Scott,
Bell,	Fay,	Lamb,	Sones,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Leslie,	Sordoni,
Boyd,	Freeman,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Brandt,	Gelder,	McCrossin,	Woodward,
Clark,	Harvey,	Norton,	Schantz,
Coyne,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—12.

Buckman,	Homsher,	Lanius,	Prince,
Ealy,	Kitts,	Mansfield,	Roberts,
Harris,	Kunkle,	Parkinson,	Williamson,

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate ill No. 1645, (House Bill No. 1347), entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1736, (House Bill No. 1638), entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits"

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate proceeded to the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1780, (House Bill No. 891), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, the American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

And said bill having been read at length the third time and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

SENATE BILL No. 1577 (HOUSE BILL No. 1609) DROPPED FROM CALENDAR.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 1577, (House Bill No. 1609), entitled:

An act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 764), entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in cases of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully," as amended; extending its provisions to all cases not finally adjudicated that may or shall have been begun in court within the limitations fixed to have proceeded before the Workmen's Compensation Board; also when the adjudication is within said period.

be dropped from the calendar.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RECESS.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for twenty minutes.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 197.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 1012 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 9, by striking out the word "in" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "into".

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Scott,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Sones,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Woodward,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Schantz,
Davis,			Pres. Pro. Tem.

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

RECESS.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 10.30 a. m.

Mr. BOWERS. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. WILLIAMSON, from the Committee on Executive Nominations, reported with a favorable recommendation, nominations by His Excellency the Governor of the Commonwealth, as follows:

MEMBERS OF THE WASHINGTON CROSSING PARK COMMISSION.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR WOMEN.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, January 1, 1929.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following:

MEMBERS OF THE WASHINGTON CROSSING PARK COMMISSION.

Samuel S. Eastburn, Langhorne, from January 18, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Henry Y. Pickering, Yardley, from July 6, 1927, until the thrd Tuesday of January, 1931, ore until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Allen W. Hagenbach, Allentown, from January 18, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

W. Clayton Hackett, Easton, from January 18, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

William D. Ridgway, Bethayres, from July 6, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Louis H. Hitchler, Oxford, from January 18, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Edwin B. Malone, Philadelphia, from July 6, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Fred B. Gernerd, Allentown, from July 6, 1927, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Thomas Scott, Bristol, from March 21, 1928, until the third Tuesday of January, 1931, or until his successor is appointed and qualified.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR WOMEN.

P. M. Newman, Williamsport, from June 13, 1927, for the term of two years, and until his successor is qualified.

(Mrs.) Mary L. S. Boak, Hughesville, from June 13, 1927, for the term of two years, and until her successor is qualified.

(Mrs.) Mary Townsend Bowman, Williamsport, from June 13, 1927, for the term of two years, and until her successor is qualified.

(Mrs.) Minnie E. Pepperman, Williamsport, from June 13, 1927, for the term of four years, and until her successor is qualified.

(Miss) Hazel McGuire, Renovo, from June 13, 1927, for the term of four years, and until her successor is qualified.

(Mrs.) Ida H. McCormick, Williamsport, from June 13, 1927, for the term of four years, and until her successor is qualified.

Frank Smith, Philadelphia, from November 30, 1927, for the term of four years, and until his successor is qualified.

Robert H. Thorne, Williamsport, from December 21, 1927, for the term of four years, and until his sucessor is qualified.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON.,

That Rule 38, which requires reports of committees on nominations made by the Governor to lie on the table one day be dispensed with, and the Senate do not resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting upon all the nominations reported at to-day's session.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That the Senate do advise and consent to the nominations reported.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1663, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase idebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendments, the vote had on final passage and third reading was reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendment the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 15, by inserting after the word "and" the words "and certain bonds and certificates."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE BILL No. 912 RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 912, entitled:

An Act relating to evidence in civil and criminal proceedings in equity.

with the information that the House has passed the same with amendment, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I move that Rule 21, which requires amended bills to be noted on the calendar, be in this case dispensed with, and that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Representatives to the foregoing bill.

Mr. NORTON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

Said amendment having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 19, by striking out the words "concrete brick or."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 288.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 443.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 443, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 567.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 914.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 510.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 659.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County, and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1085.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1085, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1134.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen

(Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharges and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages or real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-residents and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustee duranto absentia and recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1137.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1137, enttiled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1157.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1185.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1241.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting counties allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1242.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1242, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1286.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1286, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1287.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1287, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1296.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend Clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1304.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1333.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1333, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1306.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 95), entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1337.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL No. 1338.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1563.

He also returned to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 11, as follows:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That whenever the Commonwealth with the aid of any county and township or any county or any township has heretofore constructed or improved any section of road as a State-aid highway or whenever any township or any county and township has heretofore constructed any reinforced concrete township reward road such section of State-aid highway or township reward road shall after the passage of this act be deemed a State highway in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth relating to State highways

and shall be taken over and be hereafter maintained and reconstructed by the Department of Highways in the same manner as State highways All moneys in the Motor License Fund appropriated for the maintenance and construction of State highways shall be available for use for the maintenance and reconstruction of such State highways and for such purposes are hereby reappropriated

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the condsideration of Senate Bill No. 465, as follows:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That from and after the passage of this act the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in third class counties of this Commonwealth may be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in third class counties of this Commonwealth to lay before them matters upon which they are to pass to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Section 2 All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 786, as follows:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Insurance Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealh of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all cases where the State Workmen's Insurance Fund has issued or may issue policies of insurance to employers agreeing to pay compensation to employes in designated classification of occupation in accordance with the Workmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and its supplements and after injury or death resulting to said employe when engaged solely in the designated occupation for which he was insured by the fund and said employe or his representatives has elected to waive claim under said Workmen's Compensation Act and to proceed at common law for damages the said State Workmen's Insurance Fund is empowered and directed to contribute to the reimbursement of the employer for all recoveries had at common law in such a case amounts not greater than the scale of compensation benefit fixed by the Workmen's Compensation Act of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen and its supplements.

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE.

Agreeably to order,

The Senate resumed the third reading and consideration of Senate Bill No. 1635, (House Bill No. 18), entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway routes numbers one hundred and eighteen as amended one hundred and seventy as amended one hundred and eighty-eight as amended one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four

hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineers chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and town and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioners providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That State Highway Route number one hundred and eighteen of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of act inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended by Act approved the twenty-first day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-six is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred eighteen From Greensburg to Washington Commencing in Greensburg and running by way of Madison and West Newton to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Fayette Counties thence to Belle Vernon thence to a point on the dividing line between Fayette and Washington Counties thence by way of Charleroi Falllowfield Bentleyville Ellsworth to route one hundred thirteen and thence over route number one hundrd thirten to Washington

Section two That Route one hundred seventy of said act as amended by act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred seventy From Mauch Chunk to Wilkes-Barre—Commencing in Mauch Chunk and running over route one hundred and sixty-two to Nesquehoning and thence by way of Hudsondale Weatherly and Beaver Meadow to a point on the dividing line between Carbon and Luzerne Counties thence by way of Hazleton Fairview and Ashley to a point on the boundary line of the City of Wilkes-Barre Luzerne County

Section three That Route one hundred ninety-three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and ninety-four From McConnellsburg to Mifflintown—Commencing in McConnellsburg and running over route one hundred and ninety-two to Knobsville thence by way of Fort Littleton and Burnt Cabins to a point on the dividing line between Fulton and Huntingdon Counties thence by way of Shade Gap and Shade Valley and by spur to Blairs Mills and thence to a point on the dividing line between Huntingdon and Juniata Counties thence by way of Reeds Gap and Walnut into Mifflintown Juniata County

Section four That Route two hundred and four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route two hundred and four From Beaver to the Ohio State Line—Commencing in Beaver and running over Route seventy-six to Bridgewater thence by way of Fallston Patterson Heights and Darlington thence northwestwardly to a point on the Ohio State line near East Palestine Ohio

Section 5 That route one hundred and eighty-eight as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eight) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and eighty-eight from Indiana to Pittsburgh commencing in Indiana and running by way of West Lebanon to a point [on the dividing line between Indiana and Armstrong counties thence to a point on the dividing line between Armstrong and Westmoreland counties thence] in the Borough of Apollo where it intersects with Route number sixty-nine thence by way of Route number sixty-nine to the

village of North Vandergrift in Parks Township Armstrong County thence through Westmoreland county by way of Vandergrift to Weinels Cross Roads to a point on Route sixty-nine thence by way of Route sixty-nine to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties thence over Route seventy to a point on the boundary line of the City of Pittsburgh Allegheny County

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingärtner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

PRESENTATION OF TESTIMONIAL TO HONORABLE HORACE W. SCHANTZ.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President and gentlemen of the Senate, there has been assigned to me a very pleasant duty and honor. It is my very pleasant privilege to present a gift. We could not bring it into this hall to show it to you. It is a beautiful electric oven, and it is being installed in the home of President Pro Tempore Schantz at the present time. We had asked him what he would like to have, and he thought of many things in the way of gifts but could not choose, and finally said "I do not know what I want." But after going home and having a talk with his good wife he decided that what he really wanted was an electric oven. So, that has been bought, and at the present time it is being installed in his home.

It is unnecessary for me to make any extended remarks on the attainments of this gentleman we know so well; but we will go back to the very beginning of his life, in 1875, when the light of day first shown upon him in Lehigh County. From that day on his character has been molded along the lines of truth and integrity; as a man he has always been sterling and upright. I looked over "Smull's" this morning, with the thought of memorizing the list of positions he has occupied during his lifetime; and I found it a long one: Instructor of youth, Supervisor, Justice of the Peace, Deputy Register of Wills and Solicitor of the Board of Prison Inspectors and County Auditors, and District Attorney—until he entered the Senate, in 1914, I believe. There are very few men who have a record like that; and we of the Senate are proud to have such a man in our midst. I hope he will accept our earnest good wishes along with this gift, and when the electricity is turned on and that oven burns brightly I hope he will say, "I will not forget the boys of the Senate of 1929."

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. President, Senator Daix and members of the Senate, I certainly appreciate the kind words uttered to the Senate by Senator Daix, and I would, at the beginning of the few remarks I will make, congratulate the body on the wise selection they have made of my successor. I am proud to see in front of him such beautiful roses and other flowers as an emblem of appreciation from his constituents, his neighbors and his friends and their gratification over the fact that he has been elevated and is being elevated to the fine post of President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

When you conferred this honor upon me I intended to be impartially fair in my decisions. If I have in any regard failed, fallen short of the fulfillment of those intentions, I assure you they were errors and mistakes of the head and not of the heart. I intended, no matter how grievously I may have failed, to treat you all graciously and kindly and with the utmost consideration.

So far as I am concerned, I am closing my ninth session in the Senate of Pennsylvania. I have been here for eight regular sessions and one special session, and I have never left any session with a better feeling, or more harmonious consideration and accord on the part of each and every individual member of this body than now; and regardless of what anybody may think or say to the contrary, I want to say that the relations between the President of the Senate and myself have been cordial to the greatest degree. I want to thank him, the Lieutenant-Governor, from the bottom of my heart for the consideration he has given me, for the times he has permitted me to preside over this dignified and illustrious body, permitted me to function as your Presdent Pro Tempore. Under the Constitution of Pennsylvania the Lieutenant-Governor is the President of the Senate, and the President Pro Tempore is to serve only when the President of the Senate desires relief or is unavoidably absent. Our Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. James, has been on duty considerably and yet has permitted me to preside on a number of occasions, and I want to thank him for that consideration.

So far as the Executive Department of the Commonwealth is concerned, I am sure that we have never left here with better understanding and better feeling between the Executive and the Senate than at the close of this session.

The oven which you have presented to Mrs. Schantz and myself is, I know, highly appreciated,—and not for its intrinsic value only but for the memories it carries with it, for the spirit in which I believe you have presented it, and, absolutely, for the spirit in which we receive it.

This modern age has many contrivances of which we knew nothing when I started to serve as a member of this body. Among the forces which we now utilize for our comfort and convenience electricity is in the forefront. Many things that are done by electricity now were done in a cruder way a few years ago; and I am sure that on the electric range or heater, or oven—whatever you call it—many things will be prepared which will satisfy the healthy appetite of your President Pro Tempore. I am getting older every day, of course, but my appetite, I am glad to say, is still intact; and I am sure that in that oven many meals will be prepared, many good things to eat, and, I dare say, to drink, which will take my memory back to the days of the session of 1929.

I thank you all from the bottom of my heart for this token for your courtesy, for your friendship, for your kind greeting

and I certainly hope that when the session of 1931 opens each and every one of you will either be back here in your seat or in a position of higher honor, dignity and trust. I thank you.

PRESENTATION OF GAVEL TO HONORABLE HORACE W. SCHANTZ.

Mr. McKIRDY. Mr. President and members of the Senate, I can conceive of no greater privilege than of one friend paying tribute to another. In addition this is an official opportunity to express on behalf of the Senate and its officers and employes the high regard they have for the very wonderful presiding officer who has demonstrated his splendid character, fairness and ability to this session.

He needs no symbol of authority, but under the laws, regulations, rules and edicts it is customary to place in the hands of this man, this officer, some such symbol.

Therefore, it is a great pleasure to present to Senator Schantz, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, this gavel as a token of his right to preside over this assemblage and as evidence of an honorable and successful administration.

Mr. SCHANTZ. Mr. Chief Clerk, Mr. McKirdy I want to thank you and all the officers, page boys and everybody that contributed toward the presentation of this souvenir and emblem of authority. Unfortunately, of course, the use and the necessity for the emblem will terminate today; but it will be taken home and placed somewhere where it shall often remind me of the co-operation, the courtesy, the willingness of all the officers and clerks and page boys of the Senate to work with me.

This is, indeed, a fine and splendid gavel; and it indicates the dignity and the great importance of this upper branch of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania. I predict that the day will not be far distant when some of these boys and young men who have been serving so faithfully during the session will occupy some of the seats that are occupied now by the dignified members of this body; and I trust that some day in the future I may come back here as a spectator and see similar presentations to some of the young men that have been serving and aiding us so faithfully during this session. I thank you boys and officers from the bottom of my heart.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Schantz, I suggest to you that although your duties as the presiding officer of this body are at an end,—and you may have had some use for this particular implement while here,—I think there is another presiding officer over in a home in Lehigh County, who may have occasion to use it; so do not store it away but have it handy, so it will be within reach when needed.

May I express my appreciation, now, as President of this Senate, for the courtesy and kindness you have extended to me in being so willing on every occasion to assume the responsibilities and sometimes the tiring duties of repeating this calendar?

We are proud of the part played by the so-called "Pennsylvania Dutch" in the affairs of our great Commonwealth. These are Pennsylvanians of German extraction, and for the last 200 years they have taken a prominent part in the upbuilding of our State. This year we have had a Pennsylvania-German as President Pro Tempore of the Senate and a Pennsylvania-German as Speaker of the House of Representatives; and, in line with the policy of the administration, I have in mind the fact that the Executive Department and the Legislative Department have wanted to be in harmony; and the result has been that no session of the Legislature, in my memory, has been more harmonious and more beneficial to the public than the sessions of 1929. And I want to thank Senator Schantz for his kindness and courtesy.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the election of a President Pro Tempore, and ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HOMSHER offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate do now proceed to the election of a President Pro Tempore, and that the Clerks act as tellers.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President: The office of President Pro Tempore of the Senate is one of the most exalted to which one can aspire in Pennsylvania.

It is an office that can only be reached after a broad knowledge of statesmanship has been attained and after a long experience in this body.

The candidate for this office whom I am directed by the caucus of the Republican Senators to name, not only has these qualifications in a marked degree, but in addition, is a gentleman of such culture and exquisite refinement of manner that has made his election to the office unanimously accorded in by his Republican colleagues of the Senate.

So it is now my pleasant privilege to nominate for the office of Pro Tempore for the interim, the Honorable Augustus F. Daix, of Philadelphia.

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President and members of the Senate, I deem it an honor and a pleasure to take this opportunity of seconding the nomination of this candidate for the position of President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Honorable Augustus F. Daix, Jr. He has shown his character and his ability and his knowledge of legislative procedure in his work as Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary General, and he has had ample opportunity to demonstrate these qualities while handling its great volume of business, which he has done to the best interests of this great State and its people. His method of conducting the committee meetings, and of deciding the questions of delegations, hearings and consultations, has proven to us that we should nominate and elect him to the position of President Pro Tempore of this Senate during the interim,—with the view of re-electing him to that position for the session of 1931, to assist the incoming Lieutenant Governor; and I know that his selection will redound to the honor and good judgment of the Republican members, of the Republican Party and of the State of Pennsylvania.

Therefore, I second his nomination to the position of President Pro Tempore of the Senate of Pennsylvania for the interim.

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. President, I desire to place in nomination for this office the name of Honorable Warren R. Roberts, of Northampton County; and I would add that though we of the Democratic party are but a small minority in this body, we nevertheless represent one million votes in Pennsylvania.

Mr. McCROSSIN. Mr. President, I second the nomination of Honorable Warren R. Roberts, of Northhampton County, as President Pro Tempore for the interim.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I move that the nominations be closed.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The PRESIDENT. The roll will be called by the Chief Clerk.

The roll was taken as follows:

FOR MR. AUGUSTUS F. DAIX.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Prince,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Quigley,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Roberts,
Bell,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Salus,
Bowers,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Freeman,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Gelder,	Mansfield,	Sordoni,
Buckman,	Harris,	McClure,	Weingartner,
Clark,	Harvey,	Norton,	Williamson,
Coyne,	Heaton,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,	Homsher,	Parkinson,	

FOR MR. WARREN R. ROBERTS.

Baumer,	Huffman,	McCrossin,
Daix,	Lanius,	Sones,

The PRESIDENT. The Clerks agree in their tally, and the result of their ballot is Mr. Augustus F. Daix forty-three votes and Mr. Roberts six votes. The Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. DAIX, has received the vote of the majority of all the members of the Senate and is, therefore, declared elected to the office of President Pro Tempore of the Senate to serve during the interim beginning after this day's session has adjourned.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appoints the Senator from Allegheny, Mr. Leslie, the Senator from Lancaster, Mr. Homsher, and the Senator from Northampton, a committee to escort the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Daix, the newly elected President Pro Tempore of the Senate, to the Bar of the Senate, where the oath of office will be administred by the Honorable John E. Fox, Additional Law Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, we have the honor to present the Honorable Augustus F. Daix of Philadelphia County, the President Pro Tempore elect of the Senate, prepared to take the oath of office.

The oath of office was accordingly administered.

The PRESIDENT. May I express to you, Senator Daix, my sincere congratulations, and also those of the Senate, upon your election as President Pro Tempore.

The PRESIDENT. Members of the Senate, may I present to you the Honorable Augustus F. Daix, Jr., President Pro Tempore for the interim?

Mr. DAIX. Mr. President, Mayor Mackey, members of the Senate of Pennsylvania and friends, there are times in one's life when it is difficult to find words suitable for the occasion,—and this is one of them. To just merely thank you for the honor that you have done me inadequately express my feeling at this time. I have looked for some time with ambition at this office, but I have seen able and good men ahead of me; and they have inspired me to follow in their footsteps.

In electing me to the office of President Pro Tempore of the Senate you have done me a great honor, gentlemen, and one that I feel deeply. I can hardly give utterance to the thoughts that come into my mind on this occasion, because I fear I would be unable to carry conviction to your minds without that heartfelt expression that comes not only from the lips but absolutely from the heart; and I do want to express to you the appreciation I feel for the honor you have done me.

I feel that I can look forward with pride to the fact—and I claim it without fear of contradiction—that irrespective of party every man in the Senate of Pennsylvania is my friend; and that, to me, is everything. I want you to overlook whatever little errors I may make in this office, for those I do make will come from the head and not from the heart. And I only hope that when my tenure of office expires and I step down, that you will feel just the same toward me as you have felt toward my predecessors.

Time is going to pass quickly, and this, you may say, is just the beginning of the end; for when you start out it means the end is coming along quicker and quicker. I trust, if God permits me to be here at the next session, that you gentlemen will favor me with this honor once again; and I tell you, as I look upward into the face of a Living God, I will do my best to uphold the traditions of this Senate and of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as to the manor born. And I highly appreciate the honor done our good old City of Philadelphia, I think of all she stands for, and it always hurts when a derogatory word is spoken against her. But, after all, from our great old river on the eastern end clear through to Senator Kitts' border county of Erie on the northwest, or whether it be the junction of the Allegheny and the Monongahela, let us say one thing and mean it,—Thank God we are Pennsylvanians! I thank you.

RECESS.

Mr. SALUS Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for ten minutes.

Mr. ARON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The PRESIDENT. Gentlemen of the Senate, of course, it has been a most unusual compliment to Senator Daix to have been elected President Pro Tem of the State Senate, and it is an evidence of the fact that in the performance of the duties of State Senator he has demonstrated his fidelity and ability; and not only here is he highly regarded but likewise in the city of his birth, Philadelphia. And we have here today a gentleman who speaks for that city, a city of two million persons; and, as an evidence of their love and affection and their high regard, I have the very great honor and pleasure to introduce to you the Honorable Harry A. Mackey, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

Mr. MACKEY. Mr. President and gentlemen of the Senate of Pennsylvania, this is surely a very gracious act upon your part, to grant the privilege of this platform to just a mere mayor of a city. I want to acknowledge the courtesy of your officers in calling me here and giving me this opportunity to express on behalf of the City of Philadelphia my appreciation of the honor you have visited on one of our most useful citizens.

I was very much pleased to notice the mindful suggestion of some of our Senators, that in voting for Senator Daix they added the "Junior" to his name,—because that is one of the traditions of his life, that he still clings to. We are not so sure he is entitled to it now, but at least it is with him; and we love to look upon him as a junior. And I know there is an Augustus F. Daix the third in Philadelphia,—and he is here today. I notice a great deal of satisfaction among members of Senator Daix's family, and I accepted this invitation to come here today very gladly, because kindly words that are spoken of a friend are golden words unto us, and the honor bestowed upon a friend is appreciated by his friends just as well.

I want to speak of Senator Daix as a citizen of Philadelphia. Modest, unpretentious, never seeking the limelight, yet in his own quiet, persistent way he has been one of the greatest factors for establishing Philadelphia as she really is today, and in proclaiming her greatness and her worth. He was born in Philadelphia, early became a member of the bar, associated him always with well worthwhile men, men who had vision

of the future, who looked down the vista of the years and saw the greatness of the things they were enjoying, men of great activity on behalf of our organizations in Philadelphia, that give themselves over to the adornment of the city has made his record a very, very fine one in that respect; and I speak with satisfaction of the trade organizations and improvement associations, the great body of volunteer citizens known as The United Business Men's Association, which he helped organize and of which he was for years the president. I speak of the banking interests he represents as attorney. I speak for the citizens of Philadelphia,—that we are very grateful for the honor you have bestowed upon one of our fellow citizens.

Now, before I sit down I want to say just a word, perhaps, as this Senate scatters to all parts of the State; and just taking the risk of perhaps jarring for a minute those five adventures of the Democratic fold. As you 44 Republicans who voted here this morning go back to your homes and look into the future, I want you to look for us there in Philadelphia, giving no credit to the rumors that might have reached you either by speech or by the Press,—when you come to Philadelphia or call upon Philadelphia for your support you will find your party was never more solidly organized or the future so absolutely sure as it is today; and those who are looking for division of thought down there will have to look in vain in the future. I think perhaps that might be of some satisfaction to you 44 Republicans as you go back to your respective communities.

Now, Senator Daix, I have brought you just a little reminder of this event. The clock and my secretary were both so small I was afraid I would lose them both on the train. I want you to look upon that in the future as a reminder of this occasion, so that it may visualize to you the esteem and affection the citizens of Philadelphia have for you.

Mr. DAIX. Mr. Mayor, I can assure you, sir, that, in accepting this timepiece, time will pass on but the memory of today and of your kind words will remain with the recipient forever. I thank you.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

PRESENTATION OF TESTIMONIAL TO HONORABLE AUGUSTUS F. DAIX.

Mr. BUCKMAN. Mr. President, Senator Daix, member of the Senate of Pennsylvania, in taking the floor today to give another remembrance to our distinguished Senator from Philadelphia I am carried back 12 years when I went through an experience just similar to what he is going through today; and while it is a great honor and a great achievement to be elevated to that rostrum it is a very tedious and hard ordeal for any man to go through, and I sympathize with Senator Daix for the nervous strain under which he is laboring.

It is my pleasure at this time to give him some other little remembrance, that comes from the Committee on Judiciary General of the Senate of Pennsylvania. That committee, over which he has presided so long and so well, and those of us who have had the privilege and pleasure of serving upon that committee, know how well he has served not only the committee and the Senate of Pennsylvania but the whole Commonwealth.

He has presided in season and out of season, day and night, at executive sessions, committee hearings, individual conferences with the members of the committee and the members of the Senate, in a manner that bespeaks the careful, hard-working, painstaking man that he is. As I say, any man who has served upon that committee knows what a hard-working committee that is,—and especially our new members who have come into this Senate at the present session know that that is a committee by which a very large part of the real constructive work is done in this body.

And you, Senator Daix, have been fair to all of us; you have been more than fair,—you have been patient and painstaking, especially to the new members who were not familiar with the ways of legislation. You, Senator Daix, came to this Senate two years after I came; and you have been here continuously since. If my recollection serves me correctly your first session was the session of 1913. You have therefore served about 18 years here, whereas I have served here 20 years; and in all that time it has been my privilege and pleasure to observe the thorough manner in which you represent not only your constituents and your city but the way in which you serve the whole Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

And at this time, Senator Daix, I have been instructed by the Committee on Judiciary General, of which you are chairman, to inform you, if you do not already know it, that when you get home to-night with your family you will find in that home some beautiful rugs, or carpets, which I trust you will use and keep and enjoy many, many years to come.

Mr. DAIX. Senator Buckman and gentlemen of the Senate, you spoke a very true word, sir, when you said it was an ordeal; that is absolutely true. It is a great honor but all the same, as I said in the beginning of my remarks, when I accepted this position to which I was elected by you gentlemen, there is no one can face such an audience as this without feeling emotion.

I want to thank the members of the Committee on Judiciary General and any outside of that committee who were kind enough to give me this gift. It will always be cherished in my home in memory of the boys of the Senate of 1929. I thank you, Senator Buckman.

PRESENTATION OF TESTIMONIAL TO HONORABLE M. G. LESLIE.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President and members of the Senate, it seems as though for some reason or other a very pleasant duty has devolved upon me this morning. When these proceedings started here I was somewhat amazed, because the first thing I heard was that some committee or other—and I think the Senate body itself—was going to present to the former presiding officer some electrical appliance; and from my knowledge of our presiding officer I saw no reason why he should be electrocuted. I thought maybe they were going to suggest that he be sent to the electric chair; but after listening for a while I found that the thoughts of the Senators were in the right place. It then dawned upon me what I might say in any presentation I might make.

In acting as chairman of the various committees of the Senate men must have not only knowledge, they must have keen judgment; and, above all things else, they must have courage,—because for a man at the head of any committee of this Senate not to have courage and a desire to do the right thing for all the people, regardless of what part of the Commonwealth he or she may hail from, will not make a successful chairman of any committe. In the performance of our duties as chairmen of committees or as Senators we cannot please all the people all the time. We sometimes pass legislation, very often pass legislation that is detrimental to our own

constituents. Sometimes we pass legislation that looks most peculiar on its face. Some two years ago we passed in this Legislature an Act of Assembly increasing the salaries of the members of this Senate, and in the passing of this act, if we look back at it, in many ways we can see how unfair that particular Act was when applied to the different members of this body. For instance, under the new condition of affairs we pay to Senator Aron the sum of $3,000. Senator Aron is five foot three, weighs about 130 pounds, and can go into a clothing store and buy a new suit without any trouble as to fit; whereas our Senator from Montgomery County, Senator Boyd, is six foot three, weighs 200 pounds, and has to have his clothes made by contract, yet we are making him work for $2,500. So, you see it is impossible for us to please and be fair to all people of this Commonwealth in one Act of Assembly.

One of the most important chairmanships, when considered in relation to the interests of Pennsylvania, is the chairmanship of the Committee on Appropriations. In that committee the finances of this Commonwealth must be measured to fit circumstances and conditions; and to fit every circumstance and condition in Pennsylvania to the satisfaction of everyone, all of its citizens, is an absolutely impossible task. In acting as chairman of that committee a man must have, above all things else, courage, conviction, and must stand by right when right is right, regardless of what the feeling of some of the people might be when they leave this body.

As chairman of that committee we have had the most outstanding, courageous character in the history of Pennsylvania, a man who has been on the battle line of politics for the last 40 years, who has always been on the firing line, with the shock troops at the front,—doing right when right was right, regardless of what the consequence might be or the feeling of some individual.

It is with great pleasure that I at this time, on behalf of the Senate, present to the Honorable Max G. Leslie this gift; and I want to say to him, "We present this to you because of your manly character, because of your outstanding strength and your courage and convictions in the hour of necessity."

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, members of the Senate and friends, I now join the army of weakness. I appeal for strength and courage to express my thoughts in answer to the thoughts of the Senator from Philadelphia, Mr. Salus, in making this presentatiion to me on this occasion.

I have served in this body for 12 years, in five sessions; and I know of no time in my life, covering a period of a number of years in the thick of public life and toil, associating with and working with men of character, men of stability, honesty and integrity, men who stood for only one thing, and that was—this great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

It does require courage, and it requires conviction to be placed in a position where one is besieged with requests for favors, sectional and personal, and yet having to refuse or compromise in order to take care of the interest of the people of this great State. But I am not the only chairman of the Appropriations Committee that has stood up,—because I have spent 12 years on that committee and I can speak for all of my predecessors. They have all stood up for the particular purpose that there should not be a weak link in the chain, so there would be no justification for a criticism that would charge them or their colleagues on that committee or the members of this Senate with giving way to personal favor in opposition to the interests of the State.

In the performance of their duty they have ofttimes been charged with selfishness; but I have yet to learn of a time when selfish purpose was the method or the mood or the thought. It has always been for the best interests of the Commonwealth.

So, if I have rendered a service equal to that of my predecessors, I am highly gratified; and this token of respect—I know not what it may be—I will now look upon with appreciation of the thought of those from whom it has come, of their love and admiration. It will be an heirloom that will go down in the history of my family as long as the kin that I have brought here on earth shall continue to bring others to take their places. I thank the members of the Senate, and I thank them from the bottom of my heart.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was twice read as follows:

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 18, 1929.

To the Honorable ,the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate the following persons for appointment as Notaries Public, for terms of four years to compute from the date of confirmation:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

James Houlahen, Millvale .

BLAIR COUNTY.

Charles W. Eckenlaub, Altoona.

DAUPHIN COUNTY.

H. S. Berkstresser, Royalton.

DELAWARE COUNTY.

Miss Eleanor A. Bolton, Chester.

ERIE COUNTY.

J. M. Kellogg, Erie.

LEHIGH COUNTY.

Miss Marie K. Cunningham, Bethlehem.

MERCER COUNTY.

Miss Hele Guyton, Stoneboro.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

Miss Bessie G. Frankenfield, Easton.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.

Miss Elsie Lee Bulla, Philadelphia, 4536 N. Colorado St.
Mrs. M. B. Hemphill ,Philadelphia, 705 W. Carpenter.

JOHN S. FISHER.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By unanimous consent,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That Rule 38 which requires nominations made by the Governor to be referred to proper committees be dispensed with, and the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session, for the purpose of acting on the foregoing nominations,

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon,

A motion was made by Mr. WILLIAMSON,

That the Senate do advise and consent to said nominations.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

Two-thirds of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO HONORABLE JOHN E. FOX.

Mr. EARNEST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. EARNEST offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be extended to the Honorable John E. Fox, Judge of the twelfth Judicial District, for his favor and courtesty in administering the oath of office to the newly elected President Pro Tempore, the Honorable Augustus F. Daix, Jr.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR ARTHUR H. JAMES.

Mr. SALUS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SALUS offered the following resolution, which was twice read considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be tendered to Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James, for the able and impartial manner in which he performed the arduous duties of his office during the session of this body now about to close.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO HONORABLE HORACE W. SCHANTZ, PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. SCOTT offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be tendered to the Honorable Horace W. Schantz, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, for the able and impartial manner in which he has performed the arduous duties of his office during the session now about to close.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE SENATE.

Mr. WOODWARD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. WOODWARD offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be tendered to A. Boyd Hamilton, Secretary; John E. McKirdy, Chief Clerk; William A. Hillgrove, Assistant Clerk; Herman P. Miller, Senate Librarian; Alex S. Cooper, Assistant Librarian; Miss A. C. Carroll, Assistant to Secretary; Clark C. Rice, Journal Clerk; Harry J. Imber, Assistant Journal Clerk; George L. Whipkey, Executive Clerk; J. Hauer Reinoehl, Message Clerk; Thomas H. Dann, Sergeant-at-Arms; and all other officers and employes of the Senate, for the able manner in which they attended to the duties of their respective offices, and the uniform courtesy manifested by them toward all the Senators.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO THE CHAPLAIN.

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARRIS offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be tendered to Reverend Christian H. Shirk, Ph.D., Chaplain of the Senate.

COMMITTEE TO NOTIFY THE HOUSE THAT THE SENATE IS READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE.

Mr. HARVEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. HARVEY offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That a committee of two Senators be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is ready to adjourn sine die.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appoints as such Committee Messrs. Gelder and Earnest.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE TO INFORM THE GOVERNOR THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BOYD offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Governor, in conjunction with a similar committee (if the House shall appoint such committee), and inform him that the General

Assembly will be ready to adjourn sine die this day at twelve o'clock noon.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appoints as such Committee Messrs. Boyd, Harris and Huffman.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

RESOLUTION TO DISCHARGE STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE.

Mr. KITTS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is the objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. KITTS offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, That at the close of today's session the standing committees of the Senate be discharged from the consideration of all bills in their custody, and that the Chairman of each Committee return the bills to the Chief Clerk of the Senate.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE PRINTING OF THE JOURNALS OF THE TWO HOUSES.

Mr. BELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to offer a resolution at this time.

The PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none.

Mr. BELL offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and agreed to:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur) That the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives be directed to have the copy of the Journals of the two Houses of this session prepared and placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding within thirty days after the close of session, and the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding is hereby directed to have the said Journals printed, bound and delivered to the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives within ninety days after the receipt of the copy therefor.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 1257.

Mr. McCLURE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight, entitled "An Act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing the salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees: providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highways Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highways, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Mr. WEINGARTNER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 1257.

To the members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled: "An act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, ... ' respectively submit the following bills as our report:

JOHN. J. McCLURE,
GEO. T. WEINGARTNER,
JOHN E. KUNKLE,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

ELWOOD J. TURNER,
GEORGE L. REED,
CHAS. STAUDENMEIER,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make

maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with the Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 8 Whenever in the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of any of the State Highways it shall appear to the commissioner that any part or portion of a State Highway as now defined and described in this act is dangerous or inconvenient to the traveling public in its present location either by reason of grades dangerous turns or other local conditions or that the expense to the Commonwealth in the construction building rebuilding maintenance and repair thereof would be too great or unreasonable and could be materially reduced or lessened by a divergence from the road or route the commissioner is hereby empowered to divert the course or direction of same and he may diverge from the line or route of same as herein described in such direction or directions as in his discretion may seem best in order to correct said danger or inconvenience or lessen the cost to the Commonwealth Provided That the said commissioner shall first submit a plan of the proposed change to the Governor and that the same shall be approved by him

The State Highway Commissioner shall also have power with the approval of the Governor to establish the width and lines of any State highway before or after the construction reconstruction or improvement of the same not however exceeding the maximum width fixed by law for public roads Whenever the State Highway Commissioner shall establish the width and lines of any such State highway he shall cause a description and plan thereof to be made showing the center line of said highway and the established width thereof and shall attach thereto his acknowledgment Thereupon such description plan and acknowledgment shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the proper county in a separate book kept for such purpose which shall be furnished to the recorder of deeds by the county commissioners at the expense of the county

[No owner or occupier of lands buildings or improvements shall erect any building or make any improvements within the limits of any State highway the width and lines of which have been established and recorded as provided in this section and of any such erection or improvement shall be made no allowance shall be had therefor by the assessment of damages]

No person shall hereafter be entitled to recover any damages for any buildings or improvements of any kind which shall or may be placed or constructed upon or within the lines of any such State highway after the same shall have been

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

HOUSE MESSAGE

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 263, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence bill of the House of Representatives as follows:

House Bill No. 263, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owner or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Said amendments having been printed as required by the Constitution, were twice read as follows:

Amend section 2, page 8, line 9, by striking out the words "Any other department bureau or"; also by striking out lines 10 to 15, inclusive.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Geiger,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward,
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 1143, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provisions and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE.

He also presented for concurrence bills of the House of Representatives, as follows:

House Bill No. 924, (Senate Bill No. 1782), entitled:

An Act providing for acquisition of a site for and construction of a State Normal School in Somerset County by the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor and making an appropriation

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 2038, (Senate Bill No. 1783), entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the reunion of the veterans of the twenty-eighth division in celebration of the tenth anniversary of their return from duty overseas imposing duties upon the Adjutant General and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1868, (Senate Bill No. 1784), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a highway in Bedford County, to the site of the marker erected in honor of Captain Phillips Scouts.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 1913, (Senate Bill No. 1785), entitled:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam, by the Department of Labor and Industry and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO UNEMPLOYMENT OF WAGE EARNERS.

He also presented extract from the Journal of the House, which was twice read as follows:

Whereas One of the most important if not troublesome and dangerous questions confronting the United States and now before the people for solution is the unemployment of the wage earner and

Whereas There is nothing more important calling for the immediate attention of our public officials than the question of unemployment and

Whereas Many attempts have been made from time to time by national state and municipal authorities to secure an approximate estimate of the number of wage earners unemployed at a given time but without results and

Whereas The question of unemployement like all other questions to be properly and intelligently handled it first becomes necessary to ascertain as accurately as possible all the facts in the case and

Whereas It is also necessary to recognize that there is a serious problem to be solved before it can be properly handled and because of lack of proper information this troublesome question if unemployment is no nearer solution today than it was years ago and

Whereas The provisions of the United States Constitution provides for the taking of the census every ten years and the legislation that it would be necessary to enact by Congress by

which supervisors and enumerators will be appointed in all parts of the United States to take up the new census and

Whereas If this same organization that will be set up to do this work is directed to take the census of the unemployed wage earners throughout the United States this will be the means of obtaining for the first time intelligent and accurate information as to the number of unemployed in the United States therefore

Be it Resolved and it is hereby resolved that the Senate and House of Representatives of the one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature memorialize the Congress of the United States the United States Senators and Congressmen from Pennsylvania to use their best officers to have legislation enacted which will provide that the supervisors and enumerators taking up the new census will also take the census of the unemployed

Mr. LESLIE. Mr. President, I move that the resolution be committed to the Committee on Judiciary General.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL No. 1257.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing between the two Houses in relation to Snate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petition providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

RECESS.

Mr. KRAUSE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess for fifteen minutes.

Mr. WILLIAMSON. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 11, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 465, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney, or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be present during the deliberation of the grand juries, in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instruction as they may require.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL No. 786, RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases, to contribute toward losses of their insured.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment. The vote had on final passage and third reading were reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended.

RECESS.

Mr. HEATON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now take a recess until 11.30 a. m.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

AFTER RECESS.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed the Senate will be in order.

HOUSE MESSAGES.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION TO APPOINT COMMITTEE TO INFORM THE GOVERNOR THAT THE SENATE IS READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate, as follows:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Governor, in conjunction with a similar committee(if the House shall appoint such committee), and inform him that the General Assembly will be ready to adjourn sine die this day at twelve o'clock noon.

HOUSE CONCURS IN RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE PRINTING OF THE JOURNALS OF THE TWO HOUSES.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in resolution from the Senate as follows:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved, (if the House of Representatives concur), That the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives be directed to have the copy of the Journals of the two Houses of this session prepared and placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding within thirty days after the close of session, and the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding is hereby directed to have the said Journals printed, bound and delivered to the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives within ninety days after the receipt of the copy therefor.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1103.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1103, entitled:

An act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 18.

He also presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 18, entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route Number fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendent of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

BILLS SIGNED.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes: defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line! describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships of counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the saem, and relieving said townships o rcounties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and towsnhips desiring the

same in the improvement of townships or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the ipmrovement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties ,townships, boroughs(and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, nad kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Senate Bill No. 443, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

Senate Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing the Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses.

Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing· requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

Senate Bill No. 912, entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Senate Bill No. 1085, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are· submitted to the vote of the people.

Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventn day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights

powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia and recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

Senate Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

Senate Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association

Senate Bill No. 1242, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment, therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 1286, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1287, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

Senate Bill No. 1333, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Senate Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen

(Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520.

Mr. QUIGLEY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the report of the Committee of Conference on House Bill No. 520.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

The report was read as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON HOUSE BILL No. 520.

To the members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 520, entitled: "An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-nine), entitled 'An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals, and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto,'" respectfully submit the following bill as our report:

R. S. QUIGLEY,
C. W. SONES,
H. B. SCOTT,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

CLARENCE L. EDERER,
JOS. WASHINGTON,
PARIS E. EACHES,
Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1001 Bounties on Certain Animals A reward or bounty shall be paid for the killing within the Commonwealth only of the following animals For each Canada or bay lynx commonly called bobcat or wildcat fifteen dollars for each gray fox four dollars [and] for each weasel one dollar and for each koshawk killed within the Commonwealth between the first day of November and the first day of May of the next following year and shipped to the office of the Board at Harrisburg within thirty-six hours after killing five dollars

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the same?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49.

Apple,	Ealy,	Hunsicker,	Parkinson,
Aron,	Earnest,	Kitts,	Prince,
Baldwin,	Einstein,	Krause,	Quigley,
Baumer,	Fay,	Kunkle,	Roberts,
Bell,	Frazier,	Lamb,	Salus,
Bowers,	Freeman,	Lanius,	Schantz,
Boyd,	Gelder,	Leslie,	Scott,
Brandt,	Harris,	Mansfield,	Sones,
Buckman,	Harvey,	McClure,	Sordoni,
Clark,	Heaton,	McCrossin,	Weingartner,
Coyne,	Homsher,	Norton,	Williamson,
Daix,	Huffman,	Painter,	Woodward.
Davis,			

NAYS—0.

A majority of all the Senators having voted "aye" the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

NOTIFICATION THAT THE HOUSE IS READY TO ADJOURN.

Messrs. Hefferman, Wood and Haines, a committee of the House of Representatives, being introduced, informed the Senate that the House of Representatives will be ready to adjourn sine die at 12 o'clock noon, and were extended the thanks of the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO NOTIFY HOUSE THAT SENATE IS READY TO ADJOURN.

Mr. GELDER. Mr. President, the Committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is ready to adjourn sine die desires to report to the Senate that they have fulfilled the duties of their appointment.

The PRESIDENT. The Committee is discharged with the thanks of the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO WAIT UPON THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. BOYD. Mr. President, the Committee appointed to act with a like committee from the House of Representatives to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, desires to report that they have fulfilled the duties of their appointment and that the Governor has indicated to your

committee that he has no further communication to deliver to this session of the Legislature.

The PRESIDENT. The Committee is discharged with the thanks of the Senate.

HOUSE MESSAGE.

HOUSE CONCURS IN AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL No. 1697.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented communication from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House Bill No. 1697, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, (P. L. 493), entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations," as amended; by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger, to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) announced that the Chief Clerk having reported that the following bills had passed both houses of the General Assembly and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

House Bill No. 247, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

House Bill No. 1103, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties," by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof.

House Bill No. 18, entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highways Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or any part of nay State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and inporporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act' 'as amended

House Bill No. 13, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to protect children and aged persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

House Bill No. 165, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 180, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five and four hundred and three of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, borouhs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

House Bill No. 229, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,

(P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation" increasing the compensation of assigned judges

House Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 305, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class where such applications were refused but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury and making an appropriation therefor

House Bill No. 324, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 134) entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the Public records of the State and providing for their publication and distribution" by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion and Disabled American Veterans of the World War

House Bill No. 327, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army, navy, marine corps, revenue cutter service, or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms, or while doing certain other things for personal profit, and fixing penalties.

House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale

House Bill No. 338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 462, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 497, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital, Association at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 533, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Court of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' Courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Alleghany County.

House Bill No. 753 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 754, entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 663), entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Sheriffs in this Commonwealth, and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same," by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

House Bill No. 797, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and poviding penalties" and its amendment of May twentieth one thousand nine hunded and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three) entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foeign countries and providing penalties'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor

House Bill No. 806, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State Property.

House Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four, six, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five and twenty-six of the act, approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten), entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing, sparring, and wrestling matches and exhibitions; establishing a State Athletic Commission; making an appropriation therefor; and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes; and prescribing penalties."

House Bill No. 884, entitled:

An Act to amend section five, article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended.

House Bill No. 887, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infant's Home and Hospital of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 888, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill 899, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act, approved the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and providing penalties for the violation thereof," as amended, by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking, shall, pending their approval, be turned into the State Treasury.

House Bill No. 952, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 973, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

House Bill No. 987, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

House Bill No. 993, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

House Bill No. 1043, entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1070, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1071, entitled:

An Act to amend section three, as amended, of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

House Bill No. 1101, entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors prohibiting the manufacture advertising furnishing traffic in and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof defining intoxicating liquor providing for penalties forfeitures and the abatement of nuisances and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws" (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county

House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

House Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1163, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

House Bill No. 1170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1172, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1183, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

House Bill No. 1184, entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto

House Bill No. 1194, entitled:

An Act to amend section one as amended sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death by providing for the filing of liens prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts and taxing of joint estates

House Bill No. 1236, entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons

House Bill No. 1214, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (P. L. 16) entitled "An act relating to mutual saving fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of repayment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

House Bill No. 1353, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1360, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, 774), entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association, for the purpose of holding annual meetings, to secure more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties."

House Bill No. 1365, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1379, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive together with eighty-one and one-half

House Bill No. 1380, entitled:

An act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from Volume one to sixty inclusive

House Bill No. 1410, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline; providing for the management and control thereof, and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto.

House Bill No. 1429, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1464, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

House Bill No. 1478, entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

House Bill No. 1480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1507, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1521, entitled:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes, and persons to secure employment; providing for the licensing, registration, bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business; conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth, and of said Department; and prescribing penalties.

House Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" increasing the compensation of directors.

House Bill No. 1586, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1591, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1598, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and

nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporatoin of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" as amended, reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors, administrators, or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax.

House Bill No. 1612, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the Governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary to be paid by the county

House Bill No. 1745, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom; for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly."

House Bill No. 1750, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with Counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes;" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons; copartnership, unincorporated association, company, joint-stock, company or association limited partnership, bank or corporation from any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association or company, or from any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation, as active trustee, agen, attorney-in-fact, or in any other capacity, for the use, benefit or advantage of any person or persons, copartnership or unincorporated association, or company, non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth, or for the use, benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association, limited partnership, bank or corporation formed, erected, or incorporated by, under or in pursuance of, any law of the United States, or of any State or government, other than this Commonwealth, and not doing business within this Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

House Bill No. 1816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes.

House Bill No. 1870, entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupation of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised:

House Bill No. 1884, entitled:

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing the salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointeees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and re-

quiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

House Bill No. 1885, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 1915, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 27) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agricultural and horticultural from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed

House Bill No. 1925, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny

House Bill No. 1927, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Franklin County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1931, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

House Bill No. 1934, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty), entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto; for the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages, and others interested in real estate, from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances; and of companies entitled to the benefits of, and companies having any of the powers of, companies entitled to the benefits of an act, entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance, safety deposit, trust, and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and of the supplements thereto,' approved June twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, commonly known as title insurance of trust companies," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies.

House Bill No. 1958, entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise right and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor counties of the third class

House Bill No. 1977, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 2002, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents."

House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships; and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

House Bill No. 2029, entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands

House Bill No. 2056, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 2058, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-

five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

House Bill No. 2059, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof

House Bill No. 2061, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation.

House Bill No. 2066, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 2072, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

House Bill No. 2074, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights nd measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

House Bill No. 2076, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 2081, entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard

House Bill No. 2082, entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

House Bill No. 2083, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue.

House Bill No. 2084, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

House Bill No. 2085, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and providing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

House Bill No. 2086, entitled:

An act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State Employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which state employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund

House Bill No. 2087, entitled:

An act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retire-

ment system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances return benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement.

House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

House Bill No. 2095, entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State or Semi-State institutions

House Bill No. 47, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital at Charleroi Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act to amend route number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 948). entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways, and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six, approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 1035),

House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

House Bill No. 1007, entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judical process and providing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1076, entitled:

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located

House Bill No. 1232, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies, Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 1347, entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

House Bill No. 1489, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

House Bill No. 1504, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureaus providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

House Bill No. 1597.

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 1638, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 859),

entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one), entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal,' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits".

House Bill No. 1661, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1674, entitled:

An Act to amend route number five hundred and fifty-six of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of powers including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil

House Bill No. 1889, entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the apppintment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township

House Bill No. 2088, entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond

House Bill No. 2060, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 229, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

House Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 188), entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays, and for the payment, acceptance and protesting of bills, notes, drafts, checks, and other negotiable paper on such days," as amended.

House Bill No. 667, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 701, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1053, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registrations of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

House Bill No. 1171, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1483, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns and providing penalties

House Bill No. 1536, entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation, providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the Secretary of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of tractors and trailers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers; imposing penalties, imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

House Bill No. 1548, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

House Bill No. 1782, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor.

House Bill No. 1854, entitled:

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

House Bill No. 1862, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

House Bill No. 1942, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports by capital stock tax payers

House Bill No. 1944, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

House Bill No. 1973, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

House Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-one), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking associatin standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid, and providing penalties, and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended, fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity, and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits.

House Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

House Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteeen, (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this

Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal," as amended; allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs.

House Bill No. 125, entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteeen, (P. L. 571), entitled "An act to amend an act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands; providing for their adjustment, and for the granting of patents'."

House Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by adding thereto clause six authorizing said cities to regulate sales at public auctions and to provide penalties.

House Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal; providing for the assessment and collection thereof; and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

House Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 155, entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 156, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 174, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 176, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road Upper Darby Delaware County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 183, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 234, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

House Bill No. 236, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries

House Bill No. 266, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission of Erie.

House Bill No. 267, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Erie, Pennsylvania, and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

House Bill No. 283, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 285, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

House Bill No. 299, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three, three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 313, entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

House Bill No. 314, entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement construction reconstruction and/or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A and third class and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

House Bill No. 360, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Penn-

sylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

House Bill No. 374, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 395, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of, and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359), entitled: "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 436, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 440, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 442, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section

House Bill No. 490, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township, Warren County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 521, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 579, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 671, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

House Bill No. 722, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 745, entitled:

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary.

House Bill No. 746, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital located at Bellefonte Centre County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 757, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

House Bill No. 758, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," fixing the open season for muskrats.

House Bill No. 763, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 767, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act creating in Cities of the First Class a Bureau of Building Inspection Regulating the Erection Enlargement Alteration Repair Moving Removal Demolition and Inspection of Buildings and other Structures and the Erection Encroachment Extension Repair Inspection and Use of Party Walls Defining Certain Words and Terms Used Repealing Conflicting Legislation and Providing Penalties for Violations of this Act

House Bill No. 796, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act defining the rights and liabilities of parties to and regulating the effect of contracts for work and labor to be done and labor or materials to be furnished to any building bridge wharf dock pier bulkhead vault subway tramway tollroad conduit tunnel mine coal-breaker flume pump screen tank derrick pipe-line aqueduct reservoir viaduct telegraph telephone railway or railroad line canal mill-race works for supplying water heat light power cold air or any other substance furnished to the public well for the production of gas oil or other volatile or mineral substance or other structure or improvement of whatsoever kind or character the same may be providing remedies for the recovery of debts due by reason of such contracts and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" by including among the wells enumerated wells for the production of water.

House Bill No. 799, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act mking an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane prior to June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of state penal, and correctional institutions, mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or epileptics under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

House Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

House Bill No. 840, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park, Washington Crossing Park, and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

House Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State educational institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

House Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 5), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny, and prescribing its powers and duties; regulating the procedure therein, and providing for the expenses thereof,' approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county, and prescribing its organization, jurisdiction, and powers therein and otherwise," by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

House Bill No. 897, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough ,or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent fected by provisions of this act "providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway.

House Bill No. 900, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School located at Polk Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 911, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 442), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations, issuing, for money consideration, policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles, or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles; defining motor vehicles; providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts; providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner, and payment of examination expenses, and filing fees; providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues, and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers; providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed; requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received; requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner, and to come under provisions of the act; fixing penalty for violations of the act; providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

House Bill No. 917, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "A supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine amending the twenty-fourth section by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one-half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth approved the twenty-eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five amending the same to provide for the payment of the net proceeds of the entire two per centum tax for the purpose indicated in the original act and supplement including townships among the distributees"

House Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of cooperative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties

House Bill No. 933, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-

seven, (P. L. 409), entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying, and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor," providing additional methods of postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

House Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building, and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

House Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton. Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 939, entitled :

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations' approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

House Bill No. 945, entitled :

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 949, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital, located at Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 964, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 969, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 977, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 982, entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia, as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania, and making an appropriation for the expense of the Commission.

House Bill No. 983, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

House Bill No. 994, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 997, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions providing State aid for certain agricultural associations and regulating the payment thereof."

House Bill No. 998, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 999, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1000, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1001, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1002, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1006, entitled:

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings or securing sites or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes to be known as the school building aid fund.

House Bill No. 1086, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand two hundred and five and one thousand two hundred and five A of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith.

House Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

House Bill No. 1096, entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury; and validating expenditures from such funds

House Bill No. 1098, entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

House Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs, towns and townships, may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth, and providing that all contracts for the construction, building, rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways.

House Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all or part of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer.

House Bill No. 1174, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 1193, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

House Bill No. 1208, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

House Bill No. 1229, entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers, sailors, marines and veteran organizations, and providing for the distribution of the same.

House Bill No. 1237, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

House Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

House Bill No. 1282, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five), entitled "An act defining commodities; regulating the sale thereof; and providing penalties for violation hereof," as amended by the act of May fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

House Bill No. 1302, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital of Bellevue Allegheny County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers

House Bill No. 1328, entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal

House Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by person and coporations into the county treasury

House Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of, said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

House Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, of Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1352, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

House Bill No. 1357, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 882), entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions; defining its powers and duties; and making an appropriation;" continuing said Commission; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1404, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

House Bill No. 1416, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and

children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons"

House Bill No. 1418, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

House Bill No. 1432, entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and impsoing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1434, entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by arcraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

House Bill No. 1444, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts

House Bill No. 1454, entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mine fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners operators and lesses of such mines and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1466, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain act

House Bill No. 1482, entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth and city streets connecting such highways suspending in part State-aid highway construction providing for State-aid to certain cities and for the assessment of benefits in certain cases against owners of real estate in such cities authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1499, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1500, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital

House Bill No. 1505, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Harrisburg State Hospital

House Bill No. 1511, entitled:

A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 566), entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities, and all county or other public employes, if any, paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof, and out of the treasury of said cities; and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions," extending provisions of said act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city.

House Bill No. 1516, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1517, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1524, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1527, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1528, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1529, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two, as amended, clause (a) of section seven hundred and four, and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 1530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1531, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1532, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1533, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1534, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital, of Kane, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1540, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," further defining game and protected and unprotected birds.

House Bill No. 1549, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant

House Bill No. 1559, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, (P. L. 417), entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons, and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, in whole or in part maintained by State aid, to acquire lands for hospital purposes; and to take waters, streams, lands, property, and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes; prescribing the manner in which said land, streams, property, and materials may be taken, and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking," extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid.

House Bill No. 1593, entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden

House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined.

House Bill No. 1596, entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasng the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof," by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale.

House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating in counties of the second class a salary board prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith

House Bill No. 1603, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1620, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Polk State School

House Bill No. 1623, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

House Bill No. 1625, entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1651, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts" as amended by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service stationery telephone telegraph clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof

House Bill No. 1653, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1654, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admitted therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," as amended.

House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred fifteen.

House Bill No. 1665, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 1673, entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1696, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place.

House Bill No. 1697, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

House Bill No. 1701, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals providing for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and substations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

House Bill No. 1741, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "'An act to protect the public health and safety By regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabited houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1746, entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

House Bill No. 1755, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended, providing for the construction and maintenance of State Highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1756, entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated

House Bill No. 1757, entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Easton Pennsylvania and Phillipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1758, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of

Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1812, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1833, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1834, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended.

House Bill No. 1851, entitled:

An Act authorizing directors of the poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom.

House Bill No. 1855, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," as amended, providing when bonds shall be due.

House Bill No. 1857, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters; prescribing its powers and duties; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1861, entitled :

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the State Aeronautics Commission

House Bill No. 1881, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants."

House Bill No. 1882, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, (P. L. 1341), entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon County."

House Bill No. 1887, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act, approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 127), entitled "An act relating to Adoption."

House Bill No. 1891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1892, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

House Bill No. 1893, entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1902, entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm.

House Bill No. 1914, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, (P. L. 279), entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth,' approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and supplements thereto; providing for the punishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives."

House Bill No. 1930, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

House Bill No. 1935, entitled:

An Act to amend sections five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships."

House Bill No. 1936, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled, "An act defining and regulating public amusements, and places used therefor; requiring and regulating the licensing thereof; restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

House Bill No. 1937, entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day

of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports,

House Bill No. 1938, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act, approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred eighty-four), entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax,' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on and after May first."

House Bill No. 1939, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three, four, five, six and seven and section eight as amended, of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-five), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers, bill brokers, note brokers, exchange brokers, merchandise brokers, factors or commission merchants, real estate brokers and agents, and pawnbrokers, whether persons, firms, limited partnerships, or corporations; providing for the collection of said tax, and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers.

House Bill No. 1940, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, Anno Domini supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred twenty), entitled "A further and changing the date for filing reports.

House Bill No. 1941, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock bonks and savings institutions.

House Bill No. 1943, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

House Bill No. 1945, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes, modifying time for filing tax reports and transferring certain tax to the Department of Revenue and Auditor General.

House Bill No. 1946, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by extending the provsions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight baggage oil or passengers except by taxicab, motor bus or motor omnibus or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water power hydro-electric palace-car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

House Bill No. 1948, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, (P. L. 193), entitled "A further supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation,' approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," as amended; by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

House Bill No. 1951, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 1952, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

House Bill No. 1953, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennyslvaina

House Bill No. 1954, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1955, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work at the site of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of said new institution

House Bill No. 1957, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenues to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1970, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates

including the appointments bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widows and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estates as asse's for paymnt thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents or the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

House Bill No. 2024, entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gases or substances and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2026, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An Act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method of such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties

House Bill No. 2034, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

House Bill No. 2038, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class, fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments; and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties.

House Bill No. 2063, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

House Bill No. 2064, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws, general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

House Bill No. 2098, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an apropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

House Bill No. 2104, entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

House Bill No. 2132, entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finances and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriations and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1378, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven inclusive

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

Senate Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper county and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties

Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five, three hundred fifty-six, and three hundred fifty-eight, of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent

Whereupon,

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant-Governor Arthur H. James) in the presence of the Senate signed the same.

REPORT OF CHIEF CLERK ON COMPARING BILLS.

Mr. HOMSHER. Mr. President, on behalf of the Chief Clerk, I desire to report having compared and found correct bills number and entitled as follows, as having passed both branches of the Legislature and signed by the presiding officers thereof:

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts Page 194) entitled "An Act to provide for the rodinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning Junefirst one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" providing for deficiencies in certain appropriations made to the Legislative Department by said Act for the fiscal biennium ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled:

An act to validate deeds and acknowledgments thereof by an Executor and records of same made prior to the first day of January nineteen hundred where the will of the deceased owner contains a power of sale where the purchase money was paid where any possession of the lands conveyed was taken or claimed pursuant to the conveyance and has continued to date of this act and where the invalidity of such conveyance or acknowledgment record possession or right of possession has not been determined by action in court

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled:

An act regulating the collection of county taxes in cities and providing for discounts and penalties

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled:

An act authorizing and regulating the establishment and operation by counties of hospitals for the treatment of women afflicted with nervous diseases providing for the acquisition of property for such hospitals by the power of eminent domain the incurring of indebtedness and the levying of taxes authorizing counties to pay for patients cared for in hospitals of other counties and authorizing counties to receive gifts or trust funds for the erection and maintenance of such hospitals

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled:

An act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas of the Seventh Judicial district

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and township reward roads, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three) entitled "An act enlarging the powers of county commissioners to erect county bridges, empowering them to erect and construct new bridges whenever the existing bridge or bridges are not sufficient for any cause to accommodate the public travel" giving county commissioners power to widen and straighten county bridges.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled:

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts heretofore entered into by boards of school directors where there is no evidence of fraud or conspiracy and to ratify confirm and validate payments on such contracts by the school district

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 243) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the fourth class to appoint county detectives defining their powers and duties fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury" increasing the number and salaries of county detectives in said counties

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 992), entitled "An act prohibiting cities, boroughs, towns, and townships to increase or diminish the salary, compensation or emoluments of elected officers after their election," so far as the same relates to cities of the second class.

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 716) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending said act to counties of the seventh class

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled:

An Act validating proceedings by boroughs for the grading drainage paving curbing and guttering of streets alleys and public highways and validating municipal liens therefor

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital, of West Reading, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital of Huntingdon Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 40, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done by corporations before the recording of their charters

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department.

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled:

An Act to amend article five, section two, clause twenty-two of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities, of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto."

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospital located at Bethlehem Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 508) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class to condemn enter upon take appropriate occupy and use street railway transit facilities and properties used and useful in connection with the transportation of passengers by street underground or elevated railway motor bus taxicabs or trackless trolleys principally within such cities and the franchises and leases for operating the same providing the procedure therefor and for the determination by the Public Service Commission subject to appeal and subject to the right of trial by jury of the amount of compensation to be paid for the properties facilities and franchises so taken providing for the obtaining of the assent of the electors thereto and for the deduction from the indebtedness of such cities in calculating their borrowing power of such sum as may be required to be borrowed for said purposes and empowering such cities to operate maintain use lease license or contract for the operation of the facilities and property so acquired" authorizing the condemnation and taking of the properties facilities and franchises of any one company without condemning or taking all the properties facilities and franchises pertaining to the entire system

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled·

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1122) entitled "An act providing that every advertisement and notice required by authority of law or rules of court to be published in any county in the Commonwealth or in any city coincident to the boundaries of a county may in addition to the publication of such advertisements or notices required to be made in newspapers published and printed in the English language be also published by the public officer body or court directed by law or rules of court to publish such advertisement or notice in newspapers printed in the English language in one or more daily newspapers printed in a foreign language or languages such newspapers printed in a foreign language or languages to be printed in and have general circulation in the county or the city coincident to the boundaries of said county for at least three years continuously before the publication of such advertisements or notices and further providing for the prices to be charged for publishing such advertisements or notices in any such foreign newspapers how often the same shall be published and the stipulation and regulations under which the same shall be published"

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled:

An Act authorizing the register of wills in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary payable by the county

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of article three and section seventeen of article four of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 148) entitled "An act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey of certain toll-bridges over the Delaware River" authorizing the appointment of policemen and defining their powers and duties and authorizing the adoption of rules and regulations for the prevention of disorder the preservation of the public safety and the regulation of traffic and providing penalties

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an assistant district attorney in counties of the sixth class; and providing for his salary payable by the county.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges, the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries, investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents, as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled:

An Act to promote the public health; authorizing cities of the third class to appoint boards of health from the directorates of corporations not for profit, organized principally to preserve and promote the health of the public of such cities; defining the powers and duties of such boards of health and of health officers; and regulating the organization of such boards.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Punxsutawney Hospital Association of Punxsutawney Jefferson County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled:

An Act in furtherance of the policy of the Federal Government to aid in the development and fostering of a United States Merchant Marine authorizing the recording of certain chattel mortgages on vessels when in course of construction or otherwise prescribing the effect of such recording with respect to creditors of the owners of such vessels and with respect to mortgagers and purchases or transferers of such vessels defining the priorities of such chattel mortgagees in the proceeds realized from the sale of such vessels on any process issuing under the laws of this Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled:

An Act for assessment and collection of poll taxes from employes of the Federal Government in order to qualify all such persons to vota

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled:

An Act to amend clause two of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establisn a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital Allentown Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital Carlisle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled:

An Act validating sales and conveyances of certain real estate by boroughs in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania made since the approval of the act the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 970) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to sell certain real estate and prescribing procedure to be followed

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children before they are of School Age, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the Act of May twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and forty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred) entitled "An act relating to the election of county treasurers and for other purposes" by providing for the removal by the courts of quarter sessions of constables in cases of malfeasance or misfeasance in office et cetera.

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled:

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof.

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled:

A Further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled:

An act to amend section three hundred and eighty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning township and revising amending and consolidating the law regulating thereto" as amended by adding thereto paragraph ten

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several Fire Companies of the City of Harrisburg

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the state debt

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania to be used by said commission in the payment of the cost of the construction reconstruction relocation alteration or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporation at above or below grade of public highways exclusive of state highways designated as primary routes and regulating the expenditure of the amount hereby appropriated

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled:

An act to amend section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by defining and limiting road taxes and providing for the payment of existing indebtedness incurred for road purposes

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they apply to cities of the second class A

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1011) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one creating a department of city planning providing for its organization and powers regulating the platting of ground prohibiting the recording of plans and sales of lots therein before their approval under penalties making it a misdemeanor for the recorder of deeds to record an unapproved plan restricting accepting laying out opening and improving private streets prohibiting the erection of buildings on land not abutting on public streets or streets not shown on the official master plan or an approved

plat transferring to the department of city planning powers conferred by other statutes over plats or subdivisions of land the reservation of location of mapped streets for future use and authorizing the assessment of damages for same the preparation and compilation of an official street map providing penalties for the violation of this act and repealing certain statutes" by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they apply to cities of the second class A

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering county commissioners under certain circumstances to use for another purpose land acquired by the county for a particular purpose

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled:

An Act authorizing the employment of stenographers by District Attorneys of counties of the Fourth and Fifth Classes and fixing their compensation to be paid by said Counties

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act classifying patrolmen police operators firemen fire alarm operators and officers of the police and fire departments in second class cities for the payment of salaries or compensation providing an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minimum salaries or compensation for such employes

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts, in which advances of money, repayable on demand, are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive, or to contract to receive, in writing, and collect as compensation, any sum to be agreed upon.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of townships, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two four and seven of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 568) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs with the assent of the electors duly obtained at an election to use moneys borrowed for purposes which have proved impracticable or impossible for any other lawful municipal purpose" extending said act to cases where moneys borrowed are in excess of the amount required and authorizing the use with the assent of electors of such excess for other purposes

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled:

An Act to amend the last two paragraphs of section thirteen of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 857) entitled "An act to provide for the personal registration of electors as a condition of their right to vote at elections and their enrollment as members of

political parties as a further condition of their right to vote at primaries in cities of the first class of this Commonwealth by removing from office all existing registration commissioners and their appointees in said cities and authorizing the Governor to appoint registration commissions therein defining the jurisdiction of said commissions and the powers and duties of the commissioners constituting same and of their appointees including registrars inspectors of registration clerks and counsel fixing their qualifications terms of office and compensation granting them certain immunity from arrest on registration days and empowering such inspectors to arrest without warrant certain persons committing certain offenses in violation of this act in their presence as well as to enter and inspect buildings given as residences of electors to interrogate the inmates thereof to copy or demand a list of the lodgers therein and to supervise the conduct of registrars regulating the registration of electors at polling places by registrars and at the offices of commissions by commissioners and the right of parties or bodies of electors to have watchers thereat and the preparation and use of street lists and other records of those registered allowing the names of persons not entitled to vote to be struck from the registers in certain cases permitting all records regarding registration to be inspected and copied by any elector under certain conditions directing how the registers shall be used at elections and primaries compelling the attendance of witnesses and payment of witness fees and providing penalties for refusal to obey subpoenas directing receivers of taxes to appoint chief clerks of commissions as deputies to collect poll taxes and give receipts therefor authorizing such clerks to administer oaths sign subpoenas and vouchers and to collect and disburse witness fees prescribing a method for challenging persons applying for registration and the procedure for the correction of registers and for appealing from actions of registrars to said commissions and allowing for appeals from the decisions of the commissions in certain cases to courts of common pleas imposing certain duties upon election officers and upon the councils treasurers controllers receivers of taxes police officers and other officials of said cities and upon the courts judges prothonotaries sheriffs commissioners peace officers and other officials of the judicial districts and counties in which said cities are situated or with which they are coextensive legalizing certain acts required hereby if done on any Sunday or legal holiday requiring said cities to provide for the maintenance of said commissions and the compensation of their appointees and the payment of all expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of this act and to transfer the unexpended balances of all appropriations heretofore made for the personal registration of electors of said cities during the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen to and for the use of the said commissions punishing and fixing penalties for violations hereof and repealing all legislation inconsistent herewith"

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled:

An act prescribing the maximum allowable stresses to govern the design and erection of structural steel in buildings in cities of the first class

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 242, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended prohibiting assessors and assistant assessors from being school directors

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the tewnty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" as amended

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth, and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase instillation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for the redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 271, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any state of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of an act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (P. L. 244)entitled "An act applying to third class counties only and regulating the selection drawing and summoning of all jurors and talesmen and defining their qualifications in such counties creating a jury board and defining its powers, and procedure providing for the appointment of a clerk to the jury board and fixing his maximum salary providing for the custody of the jury wheel and the filing and custody of jury lists providing for the public drawing of jurors and the methods thereof giving the trial judge the right to excuse jurors prescribing the time of challenging jurors or the array and regulating the procedure if array is quashed repealing all act or parts of act inconsistent therewith" by fixing the fees and mileage chargeable by the sheriff for summoning jurors

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvements leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and/ or including provision for the accommodation of patriotic soceties or groups and/ or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled:

An Act authorizing the judges of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts in counties of the third class to employ stenographers typists and clerks to facilitate the business of the courts and to provide for the payment of their compensation by the county and validating former employments and payments therefor

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382) entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter.

Senate Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission

Senate Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Board of Pardons and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled:

An Act creating a State Board of Parole Commissioners within the Department of Justice establishing the office of State Supervisor of Paroles and Secretary of the State Board of Parole Commissioners and prescribing the powers and duties of each

Senate Bill No. 311, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 316, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of any city of the first class of this Commonwealth had and held for the purpose of increasing the indebtedness of such city of the first class or the refunding of the existing indebtedness providing for the redemption of the same and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance to such proceedings and elections

Senate Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

Senate Bill No. 328, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 330, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand four hundred and forty-five of article fourteen of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Senate Bill No. 336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty, two thousand five hundred and twenty-one, two thousand five hundred and twenty-two, and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Senate Bill No. 337, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and four of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 158) entitled "An act creating a legislative Reference Bureau providing for the election of a director by the General Assembly designating the officers and employes of such bureau defining their duties fixing their salaries

abolishing the present Legislative Reference Bureau and making an appropriation"

Senate Bill No. 343, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1116) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 48) entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of will of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' as amended"

Senate Bill No. 345, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections two and three of the act, approved the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 708) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the courts of common pleas and the judges of the orphans' courts"

Senate Bill No. 348, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twelve hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas and the judges of the orphans' courts.'"

Senate Bill No. 353, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1064) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of appraisers appointed by registers of wills of the several counties to appraise the value of estates subject to the payment of collateral inheritance tax' approved the twenty-sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five relative to compensation of appraisers"

Senate Bill No. 356, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 1021) entitled "An act fixing the number of compensation mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the General Assembly and providing for their election or appointment term of office and manner of filling vacancies"

Senate Bill No. 359, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 599) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several clerks of the courts of common pleas of the county of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth"

Senate Bill No. 362, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1057) entitled "An act fixing the salaries of real estate assessors in counties containing a population of more than one million five hundred thousand (1,500,000) inhabitants"

Senate Bill No. 364, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 814) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the messenger in the Legislative Reference Bureau"

Senate Bill No. 371, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 373, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children of the City of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 375, entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 377, entitled:

An Act requiring the Auditor General to prepare lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

Senate Bill No. 378, entitled:

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for cooperative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

Senate Bill No. 379, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph two, section nine, article four and paragraph three, section fourteen, article four of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act to amend rule twenty-five of article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Senate Bill No. 382, entitled:

An Act to amend sections nine and ten of article four and rules nine ten and twelve of article twelve of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 176) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the antharcite coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

Senate Bill No. 384, entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or coun-

ties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, manitenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Senate Bill No. 396, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 401, entitled:

An Act regulating the publication of official advertising in cities of the second class.

Senate Bill No. 402, entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

Senate Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association New Castle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 406, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

Senate Bill No. 407 entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

Senate Bill No. 410, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties;" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, common pleas, orphans', municipal, and county court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby; providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 411, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended exempting corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations organized for the purpose of the processing and curing meats their products and by-products.

Senate Bill No. 412, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (P. L. 184), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax," exempting wholesale venders or wholesale dealers engaged in the business of processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products.

Senate Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases

Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the

third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Senate Bill No. 417, entitled:

An Act to provide for the better protection of the lives, bodies and health of new born children and parturient women, by providing for the licensing and the revocation of licenses of midwives and regulating the practice of midwifery; directing the State Board of Medical Education and Licensure to make such rules and regulations as it deems advisable; requiring the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth to supervise, control and instruct midwives in the performance of their duties and to enforce the provisions of this act; and providing penalties, and repealing inconsistent acts.

Senate Bill No, 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital Brownsville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 421, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 423, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 425, entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the third class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks curbs gutters or sewers or make other improvements they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties

Senate Bill No. 428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 429, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 273) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Senate Bill No. 430, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eighteenth day of April A. D. one thousand nine hundred nineteen (P. L. 24) entitled "An act authorizing the issue and sale of bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania defining the powers and duties of the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in relation thereto making an appropriation of the proceeds of such bonds for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth providing for the payment of interest on and the redemption of such bonds by the Sinking Fund Commission and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act" prescribing the method for making exchanges and transfers of registered and coupon bonds issued under the authority of said act and fixing the future compensation of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth for services in connection with the said bonds

Senate Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pensylvania.

Senate Bill No. 433, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

Senate Bill No. 434, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

Senate Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and nineteen to add sections three hundred and fifty-two and three hundred and fifty-three to and to amend sections four hundred and ten five hundred and thirty-one and six hundred and nineteen subsection (a) of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Funds providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

Senate Bill No. 439, entitled:

An Act to amend sections five hundred and two five hundred and three and five hundred and four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by correcting the section references therein

Senate Bill No. 441, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital Germantown Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 442, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 443, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge

Sente Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns

Senate Bill No. 446, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 447, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 448, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries and repealing prior legislation.

Senate Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 454, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 455, entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 456, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets, in the city of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers, Pennsylvania National Guard.

Senate Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 461, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of the third class of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instructions as they may require

Senate Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

Senate Bill No. 468, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

Senate Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended State-aid construction appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred eleven (P. L. 468) and its supplements and amendments.

Senate Bill No. 471, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

Senate Bill No. 475, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 477, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of

township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

Senate Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants tenants in common or co-parceners

Senate Bill No. 481, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital located at Danville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital located at Torrance Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 485, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 21) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 487, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article three, section twenty-two of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 488, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 506, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof

Senate Bill No. 508, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 262) entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or large part of a stock of goods wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures not in the ordinary course of business providing certain requirements therefor and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents making their violation a misdemeanor" excepting the sale of furniture fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses

Senate Bill No. 526, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 528, entitled:

An Act to amend section two and three of the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 470) entitled "An act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated or misbranded drugs defining the word "drug" prescribing penalties for violation of this act and the method of its enforcement" as amended

Senate Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township Berks County from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association providing for the control management supervision restoration and improvemen thereof authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor

Senate Bill No. 535 entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of municipalities had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred seventy-four (P. L. 65) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

Senate Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law

Senate Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 551, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment of the cost of the care, maintenance, education and treatment of certain children committed to institutions from counties having more than one poor district by the poor district in which they resided.

Senate Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or any department or division thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident policies for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Senate Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 561, entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

Senate Bill No. 562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 563, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five sections five hundred and six five hundred and eight five hundred and forty-three and one thousand four hundred and six as amended sections one thousand four hundred and thirty-two one thousand six hundred and fourteen and one thousand eight hundred and one and sections two thousand six hundred and twenty-two and two thousand six hundred and twenty-six as amended of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

Senate Bill No. 564, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

Senate Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire land in Fall Township, Bucks County, known as "Pennsbury", to be known thereafter as "Pennsbury Memorial", providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, improvement and maintenance thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof.

Senate Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled, "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing requiring boroughs cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours providing penalties for removing destroying defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities except in certain cases further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged or their agents or contractors shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided and repealing certain acts

Senate Bill No. 571, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine (P. L. 671) entitled "An act for the relief of the heirs of James Caldwell deceased and relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

Senate Bill No. 572, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (P. L. 201) entitled "An act regulating navigation upon inland lakes"

Senate Bill No. 573, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 63) entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture of flour and meal food products the employment of adult females and minors therein and to provide penalties for violations of the provisions hereof

Senate Bill No. 574, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete statutes relating to minors

Senate Bill No. 575, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete statutes regulating the employment of men women and children in manufacturing and other establishments

Senate Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and County purposes, and, in cities co-extensive with counties, for

city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes," by exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes loans, shares of stock or other securities held by bankers or brokers solely for trading purposes, and accounts or debit balances owing by customers of bankers and brokers in the usual course of business.

Senate Bill No. 577, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 582, entitled:

An Act to amend clause eight of section three hundred eighty-one and clause four of section three hundred eighty-six as amended of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing townships to lend or lease road machinery owned by them

Senate Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 587, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand and four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 862) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Senate Bill No. 588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a momerial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 590, entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence

Senate Bill No. 596, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 597, entitled:

An Act providing for the reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments boards commissions and officers thereof including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools or Teachers' Colleges abolishing reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments boards and commissions defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers and of the several administrative departments boards commissions and officers fixing the salaries of the Governor Lieutenant-Governor and certain other executive and administrative officers providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments boards and commissions and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments boards and commissions shall be determined

Senate Bill No. 601, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township Berks County to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control management supervision restoration and improvement thereof authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate Bill No. 603, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to consent to the opening of a public road through lands of the Commonwealth in Smithfield Township Huntingdon County

Senate Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 653, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for hospital maintenance

Senate Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 658, entitled:

An Act empowering the Department of Welfare to transfer male prisoners from unsuitable penal and correctional institutions to other penal and correctional institutions regulating future commitments by the courts of counties having unsuitable institutions and imposing the cost of maintenance and transfer of such prisoners upon the county from which transfeered or committed.

Senate Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper county and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties

Senate Bill No. 661, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Welfare to determine the legal residence of indigent insane, feeble-minded and

epileptic persons returned to this Commonwealth by the authorities of another state, or transferred from one poor district to another by the Department, and requiring the proper district to pay the costs of the care, and treatment of such persons in accordance with the laws relating to indigent insane persons.

Senate Bill No. 669, entitled:

An Act to authorize municipalities or townships to make assessments for municipal improvements outside of their corporate limits where any street, alley or highway lies partly in one municipality or township and partly in another.

Senate Bill No. 670, entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

Senate Bill No. 672, entitled:

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

Senate Bill No. 677, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf at Mount Airy Philadelphia to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils

Senate Bill No. 678, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 788) entitled "An act to protect the health of the persons employed in bakeries by requiring the ventilation drainage sanitation and purity of bakeries the cleanliness of persons employed therein and of all bakery products tools implements ingredients and other things used in connection with their manufacture delivery and sale by regulating and in certain cases restricting the use of such bakeries by regulating the manufacture sale and delivery of such products by requiring all persons employed or permitted to work therein to be certified as free from certain diseases and skin affections by prohibiting the presence of all animals by requiring a certificate of compliance and regulating the issuance of same by providing for the enforcement of this act and by providing penalties for violations hereof"

Senate Bill No. 679, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry; and abolishing the Department of Factory Inspection; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

Senate Bill No. 680, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seventeen and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred twenty-four), entitled "An act to protect the public health and welfare, by regulating the employment of females in certain establishments, with respect to their hours of labor and the conditions of their employment; by establishing certain sanitary regulations in the establishments in which they work; by requiring certain abstracts and notices to be posted; by providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry and others; by prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; by defining the procedure in prosecutions; and by repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions thereof."

Senate Bill No. 682, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement or repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain act relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

Senate Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 684, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 686, entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certan operators thereof and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue for violation of the provisions of the public service company law authorizing the recession of such suspension and providing for the disposition of fees

Senate Bill No. 687, entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

Senate Bill No. 691, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels and films or reels depicting local matters or synchronized with conversation dialogue or sound.

Senate Bill No. 694, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Senate Bill No. 695, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 696, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums

Senate Bill No. 698, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the reassessment between the period of the triennial assessment, of property, and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation."

Senate Bill No. 704, entitled:

An Act supplementing the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

Senate Bill No. 705, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home; providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

Senate Bill No. 710, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 603) entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bonds securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations and validating past transactions of such character

Senate Bill No. 712, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violation of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Senate Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance and operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second and second A class granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away delivery dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keep-

ing records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providng for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs

Senate Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

Senate Bill No. 787, entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

Senate Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act authorizing salary boards in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to provide for the appointment of Assistant District Attorneys and other employees in the office of the District Attorney on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys and employees or on account of unusual conditions and circumstances and increased business in the office providing that the salaries shall not exceed the minimum salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of Assistant District Attorney shall not exceed the term and period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions or a law judge thereof.

Senate Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments become necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

Senate Bill No. 790, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 791, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class and fixing their salaries payable by the county

Senate Bill No. 792, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

Senate Bill No. 795, entitled:

An Act requiring county commissioners to provide at the expense of the county telephone typewriter and stenographer services for the County Superintendent of Schools

Senate Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with the approval of the court.

Senate Bill No. 806, entitled:

An Act to repeal section three of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 984), entitled "An act for the encouragement of unincorporated co-operative associations of agricultural and industrial workers; providing that membership therein, and interest in the funds and property thereof, may be made non transferable; and imposing penalties upon persons making or accepting unlawful assignment, transfer, or pledge of such membership or interest."

Senate Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State

Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

Senate Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six, as amended, and sections seven hundren and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 810, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An Act concerning townships and revising amending and sonsolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Senate Bill No. 816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes of which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency and exercising the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 826, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 827, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 829, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 831, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 761), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 833, entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers composed of trust companies or banking companies or both under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 834, entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers and composed of trust companies or banking companies or both to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect classify and edit an eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

Senate Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect, classify, and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarters sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

Senate Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contrac tfor supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth" by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contract from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

Senate Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania" approved June twenty-fifth one thousand nine hundred nineteen (P. L. 581) as heretofore amended by providing for a Department of Supplies and Purchases and a Department of City Architecture and regulating the said departments.

Senate Bill No. 844, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 845, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 848, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 851, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

Senate Bill No. 853, entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 854, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 855, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 856, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 857, entitled:

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson, prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto.

Senate Bill No. 858, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 859, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 860, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees Allentown State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lancaster General Hospital Lancaster Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 912, entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 285) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended

Senate Bill No. 919, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred and two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one

thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended by removing the exemption of the county of Clinton retaining the existing poor districts and the existing number of directors overseers and authorities in charge of said districts the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief thereby creating a county poor district administered by County Commissioners

Senate Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks, savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

Senate Bill No. 922, entitled:

An act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 924, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of the act" by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State highway routes

Senate Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish as public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 926, entitled:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and the poor districts thereof and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the organization of the municipal court and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation

Senate Bill No. 927, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 928, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

Senate Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act relating to deductible assets in the calculation of the percentage of the assessed valuation of taxable property representing indebtedness in proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness by counties cities boroughs towns and townships municipal districts and divisions

Senate Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to ratify conform and validate as debts of the municipality bonds and obligations issued by municipal corporations for the payment of the cost of a public improvement which were to rest alone for their security and payment upon assessments for benefits

Senate Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers

and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 932, entitled:

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

Senate Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

Senate Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 938, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men, furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 129) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof" restricting the powers therein conferred in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record to the orphans' court of such counties.

Senate Bill No. 957, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 958, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three hundred and five, and three hundred and six three hundred and seven as amended, of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

Senate Bill No. 959, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

Senate Bill No. 970, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

Senate Bill No. 971, entitled:

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled, "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 352—proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

Senate Bill No. 974, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to Insurance; establishing an Insurance Department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of Insurance Companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of Fire Insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of Insurance Agents and Brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign Insurance Companies, Associations or Exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 976, entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

Senate Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended further regulating the qualifications of members of council

Senate Bill No. 979, entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 985, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

Senate Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 990, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

Senate Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

Senate Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P .L. 795) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Senate Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; providing for the enumeration of all deformed, crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

Senate Bill No. 1015, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

Senate Bill No. 1016, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 887) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes"

Senate Bill No. 1019, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of said hospitals

Senate Bill No. 1020, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval: providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

Senate Bill No. 1025, entitled:

An Act requiring all title insurance companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof, and regulating the same.

Senate Bill No. 1026, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 1027, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

Senate Bill No. 1029, entitled:

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts expenditures or payments heretofore made ratified or approved by boards of school directors and providing for and directing in the manner herein provided the stay of execution and upon certain conditions as to costs the satisfaction of judgments of surcharge entered on account of such contracts payments or expenditures.

Senate Bill No. 1036, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 1037, entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 1038, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1081, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the

violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1082, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1083, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1084, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1085, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments, or other questions, are submitted to the vote of the people.

Senate Bill No. 1088, entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

Senate Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

Senate Bill No. 1127, entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds, or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully taken killed or caught, to be personal property and the subjects of larceny.

Senate Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Roselia Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the City of Pittsburgh.

Senate Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devisd at a valuation the ascertainment of curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

Senate Bill No. 1136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein includng securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Senate Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentaries.

Senate Bill No. 1141, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions

Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty. to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of, this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty (P. L. 538) entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and the neighborhood thereof from damage from gunpowder to incorporate an association for the establishment of a house of refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1146, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Senate Bill No. 1147, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 144) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 1148, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (P. L. 762), entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (P. L. 63) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Senate Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurer's sales and sheriff's sales for the non-payment of taxes

Senate Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments

by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefore; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

Senate Bill No. 1154, entitled:

An Act to authorize and require the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States cricuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

Senate Bill No. 1156, entitled:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

Senate Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents

Senate Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 1239, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county borough township school and poor taxes

Senate Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act to amend pragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association

Senate Bill No. 1242, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1246, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his term of appointment and salary" and the amendments thereto

Senate Bill No. 1249, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1251, entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

Senate Bill No. 1252, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of popul»

tion and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment

Senate Bill No. 1253, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July on thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads, defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and off all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks

Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways. and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State High ways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Senate Bill No. 1255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Pennsylvania State College for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry and for the purchase of necessary equipment

Senate Bill No. 1259, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

Senate Bill No. 1286, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Law seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof"

Senate Bill No. 1287, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Law five hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers and

making an appropriation" extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve

Senate Bill No. 1289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

Senate Bill No. 1290, entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

Senate Bill No. 1292, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1293, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1295, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 1299, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

Senate Bill No. 1301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1303, entitled:

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status capital resources experience outstanding contracts or commitments plant equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same

Senate Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania who may die from injuries received or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment providing method of payment fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

Senate Bill No. 1307, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 1308 entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine establishing a commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine as General Pulaski's Memorial Day

Senate Bill No. 1327, entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 73), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended, providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law, nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

Senate Bill No. 1329, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

Senate Bill No. 1331, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1332, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

Senate Bill No. 1333, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and mainatining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extend of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings

Senate Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Irter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Senate Bill No. 1339, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1340, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1341, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1342, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1344 entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A Joint Resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

House Bill No. 1, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties.

House Bill No. 7, entitled:

An Act to provide for the treatment and care of sick or disabled United States Veterans having a legal residence in the State of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by adding thereto article three empowering townships of the second class to provide a supply of water and for the necessary water mains and connections

House Bill No. 10, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertently paid for wholesale liquor licenses and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

House Bill No. 12, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital, West College Avenue, York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 13, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 16, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 18, entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or country roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

House Bill No. 19, entitled:

An Act for the compensation by counties of persons detained as material witnesses in criminal prosecutions

House Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of tipstaves in courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 25, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts relating to agriculture

House Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 33, entitled:

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors except in cities of the first class and counties of the second class

House Bill No. 39, entitled:

An Act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Justices of the Peace and Aldermen in this Commonwealth and imposing liability for costs upon the County in certain cases

House Bill No. 40, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws twenty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of natural gas companies"

House Bill No. 46, entitled:

An Act to amend route number four hundred and sixty-nine of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 47, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, at Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act to amend section fifteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixteen) entitled "An act defining fratrnal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws"

House Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred forty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the deputy coroner of counties having a population of one million five hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 53, entitled:

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof

House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras Pike County.

House Bill No. 69, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 206), entitled "An act relating to the organization and jurisdiction of orphans' courts, and to establish a separate orphans' court in and for counties having more than one hun-

dred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and to provide for the election of judges thereof," as amended.

House Bill No. 76, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital, at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 77, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital Franklin Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 81, entitled:

An Act directing the Recorder of Deeds of each county of the Commonwealth to refuse for record all deeds or other transfers of real estate or interest in real estate unless a certificate is attached to said instruments, giving the precise residence of the grantee or grantees named therein, and requiring a list thereof to be delivered to the proper Board of Revision of taxes or other officials charged with the assessment of real estate.

House Bill No. 88, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of its hospital.

House Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in securities designated by law for the investment of trust funds.

House Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

House Bill No. 100, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital, Oil City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts relating to the regulation of the sale of milk

House Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act requiring the assessors for county taxation purposes to collect certain agricultural information and fixing the duties of the county commissioners in connection therewith and imposing penalties"

House Bill No. 108, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

House Bill No. 115, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital, of Indiana County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas of the thirty-eighth judicial district

House Bill No. 125, entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands providing for their adjustment and for granting of patents.'"

House Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

House Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, of Altoona, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 134, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 148, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section one article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 149, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved June first one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to fix the number and salaries of clerks and employes in the State Treasury"

House Bill No. 150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 153, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties of the second class; fixing their salaries payable by the county, and repealing existing laws.

House Bill No. 155, entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose

of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

House Bill No. 156, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 158, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty, thirty, forty, one hundred and sixty, one hundred and sixty-three, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and eighty-five, two hundred and fifty-eight, and to correct the printing of section two hundred and three of an act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 162, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Ridley Park Delaware County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 164, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 165, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital West Chester Chester County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 173, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital Kittanning Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 174, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 176, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital, Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 177, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts conveyances transfers and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as requred by law and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law providing for the subsequent filing of such registration and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases

House Bill No. 183, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 185, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act providing for the filling of vacancies in the office of constable in any borough town ward of any city borough or town or township of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 189, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks in counties of the second class"

House Bill No. 190, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved th seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 900) entitled "An act to provide for the immediate registration of all births and deaths throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by means of certificates of births and deaths and burial or removal permits requiring prompt returns to the Central Bureau of Vital Statistics as required to be established by the State Department of Health and in order to secure prompt and faithful registration of births marriages deaths and diseases of practitioners of medicine and surgery of midwives nurses and undertakers and of all persons whose occupation is deemed to be of importance in obtaining complete registration of births deaths marriages and diseases throughout the State as provided in section ten of the act entitled 'An act creating the Department of Health and defining its powers and duties' approved the twenty-seventh day of April nineteen hundred and five and providing penalties for violations of this act"

House Bill No. 191, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital at Johnstown Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 194, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixteen) entitled "An act regulating the selling offering or exposing for sale of agricultural seeds and mixtures of the same for seeding purposes forbidding the sale of seeds unfit for seeding purpose and providing for the prohibition of such sales by injunction providing for the taking and examination of samples of agricultural seeds by the Secretary of Agriculture and his agents and the publication of information gained from such examinations providing for the enforcement of the act and providing penalties for its violation" by authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to declare seeds not complying with the provisions of the act to be a public nuisance

House Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act providing for the certification of inspected seed potatoes agricultural and vegetable seeds prohibiting the use of the words "certified" "inspected" "registered" or similar terms in connection with the sale of seed potatoes and agriculture and vegetable seeds unless inspected and certified as provided in this act providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Agriculure prescribing penalties and conferring jurisdiction in certain cases upon the Courts of Common Pleas

House Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" permit-

ting cross suits in actions of trespass and regulating the practice in such cases

House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class

House Bill No. 205, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 208, entitled:

A Supplement to an act entitled An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive, Judicial, and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the Public Schools, for the two fiscal years, beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," as approved the eleventh day of May, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (App. Act. 194), providing for deficiencies in certain appropriations made to the Executive and Judicial Departments by the act to which this is a supplement, and for other minor expenses incurred or to be incurred to May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, by certain of the Executive and Judicial Departments not provided for by said act.

House Bill No. 218, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eighteen article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act relating to the grading and sale of grapes in this Commonwealth providing penalties for violations and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Agriculture

House Bill No. 226, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," by adding thereto section four hundred and fifteen; permitting certain stock insurance companies heretofore organized to come within provisions of this act.

House Bill No. 227, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to provide for the protection of insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, and the appointment of a guardian for the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, unable to care for their own property; authorizing the guardian to support the wife and children of the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics; defining the powers of the guardian, and authorizing the sale of real estate of the ward," as amended; extending jurisdiction to cases where the real or personal estate of such persons is located in the county.

House Bill No. 229, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 101) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation," increasing the compensation of assigned judges

House Bill No. 234, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

House Bill No. 235, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association, of Roaring Spring, Blair County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 236, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

House Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective

House Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association of the City of Pittston Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 243, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cannonsburg General Hospital Association at Cannonsburg Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 247, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations; (providing) prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages; and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

House Bill No. 250, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association, of Monongahela City, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 254, entitled:

An Act to authorize the establishment nad organization of a Bureau of Music in cities of the first class and ratifying ordinances of such cities heretofore passes for that purpose

House Bill No. 255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 260, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and

remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

House Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to tax traction-engines and providing that the same shall be assessed by the several assessors of the counties of this Commonwealth in the same manner as other articles of personal estate liable for taxation are assessed" approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-two)

House Bill No. 263, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-six as amended, and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 522), entitled "An act relating to dogs, and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs, providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture; providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show and breeding purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs, and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners; providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs, and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs, and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth; imposing powers and duties on certain State, county, city, borough, town, and township officers and employes; directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury; and making an appropriation thereof; and providing penalties."

House Bill No. 264, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two as amended and sections four five and six of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-seven) entitled (An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine butterine and other similar products when colored in imitation of yellow butter to provide for license fees to be paid by manufacturers wholesale and retail dealers and by proprietors of hotels restaurants dining-rooms and boarding houses for the manufacture or sale of oleomargarine butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter and to regulate the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter and prevent and punish fraud and deception in such manufacture and sale as an imitation butter and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act and the means and the method of procedure for its enforcement and regulate certain matters of evidence in such procedure" by extending the provisions thereof to persons who act as agents for the sale of or obtain orders for the delivery of or who handle or distribute oleomargarine butterine or other similar products

House Bill No. 266, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Park and Harbor Commissionof Erie.

House Bill No. 267, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania for maintenance of said home and payments of expenses of administration including salaries of officials and clerks and for repair
providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

House Bill No. 269, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

House Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 276, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine entitled "An act fixing the salary of sheriffs in counties of the sixth class providing for the payment for the care and maintenance of prisoners where the sheriff is the keeper or warden of the jail requiring all fees and mileage earned by sheriffs in such counties to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county providing for the appointment and compensation of deputies and clerks and prescribing penalties"

House Bill No. 277, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 282, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 283, entitled:

An Act to provide for a second additonal law judge of the court of common pleas of the Twenty-seventh Judicial District

House Bill No. 284, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of associations lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans organizations labor union foundation federation or other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act" conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act

House Bill No. 285, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

House Bill No. 286, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgomery Hospital, at Norristown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 299, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to

eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 302, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-seven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 305, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class, where such applications were refused, but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury, and making an appropriation therefor.

House Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital Ellwood City Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 313, entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

House Bill No. 314, entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement, construction, reconstruction and / or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A, and third class; and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

House Bill No. 324, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

House Bill No. 326, entitled:

An Act to enable city county poor ward school borough and township tax collectors their executors and administrators if they are deceased or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes to collect taxes for the payment of which they have become personally liable without having collected the same by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants or by the expiration of their terms of office and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act

House Bill No. 327, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army navy marine corps revenue cutter service or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms or while doing certain other things for personal profit and fixing penalties.

House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

House Bill No. 335, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 340, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section

House Bill No. 341, entitled:

An Act providing for the location care and maintenance of graves of soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and for the compilation and preservatoin of records relating to such soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and their burial placed by county commissioners at the expense of the counties and imposing certain duties upon persons firms corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries

House Bill No. 345, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 346, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 701) entitled "An act relating to the acquisition and holding of property real and personal by any literary scientific educational religious charitable benevolent or beneficial society church congregation association or body incorporated or any trustee or trustees of any trust for charitable or benevolent objects or purposes fixing the amount of such property which may thus be acquired and held and providing for the increase of such amount and a method of procedure for obtaining the right to such increase" by increasing limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations societies or congregations

House Bill No. 350, entitled:

An Act to further amend Section one of the Act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine), entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for persons to unlawfully use or wear the insignia or button of the American Legion or the official decorations of said organization" as amended by extending the provisions of said act to the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

House Bill No. 352, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital city of Scranton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 353, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act to encourage the breeding of horses to regulate the public service of stallions and jacks to prevent misrepresentation of same to require the licensing of stallions and jacks and to provide for

the enforcement thereof" as amended decreasing the amount of the annual license fee

House Bill No. 359, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-two) entitled "A supplement to 'An act relating to corporations and to estates held for corporate religious and charitable uses' approved the twenty-sixth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five increasing the limit of real and personal estates which may be held by such corporations" by further increasing the limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations societies or congregations

House Bill No. 360, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

House Bill No. 362, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 370, entitled:

An Act to correct the printing error in section five of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-one) entitled "An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deception by regulating the weighing testing buying and selling of milk and cream providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests and providing penalties" as amended by section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to amend sections one four and five of an act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and forty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deceptions by regulating the weighing testing buying and selling of milk and cream providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests and providing penalties"

House Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 374, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 376, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and twenty-one) entitled "An act to exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes actual places of religious worship places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit and institutions of purely public charity and repealing prior acts relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor for anyone not duly authorized by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion the Disabled American Veterans of the World War to sell or give away the official flower of any of said organizations or solicit or receive contributions by means thereof and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 381, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of an act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended

House Bill No. 390, entitled:

An Act providing for the purchase of digests and law books for the offices of district attorneys of the Commonwealth by the boards of commissioners of counties and for the payment of the same out of the funds of the county

House Bill No. 393 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 395, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 400, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the personal registration of electors in ctities of the third class of this Commonwealth to make such registration a condition of the right to vote in such cities and to provide penalties for violation of its provisions" as amended requiring county commissioners to prepare "street lists" of registered voters and poviding for the disposition of such "street lists"

House Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association, Incorporated, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the crier of the courts of common pleas in the several counties of this Commonwealth having more than one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 419, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 427, entitled:

An Act providing that in any case where the Trustees of the Proprietors of any Certified Township of this Commonwealth have been incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth and in the act incorporating them there is a limitation of the amount of property which may be held at any one time by such corporation that all money or property held by such corporation over and above the limitation fixed in the act of incorporation shall be distributed amongst and paid to the public school district of such Certified Township or the public School Districts of the sub-divisions into which such Certified Township is divided providing for the method of apportioning such money or property and conferring power on the Court of Common Pleas of the County in which such Certified Township or the larger part thereof is located to enforce the provisions of this Act

House Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts" permitting defendants when held for court by such magistrates to name two persons whom the Commonwealth must subpoena at the trial thereof.

House Bill No. 436, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 440, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 442, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section

House Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1086), entitled "An act regulating the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties containing a population of not less than one hundred ninety thousand nor more than seven hundred thousand inhabitants," by providing that fees charged shall not include State tax.

House Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act providing for the payment of the cost incurred in the trial of convicts and prisoners escaping or attempting to escape from the several penitentiaries and reformatories of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the respective counties from whose courts the said escaping convicts or prisoners have been committed and providing for the maintenance of such convicts under sentence for escape et cetera" extending said act to persons escaping from correctional institutions and providing for the payment of costs in certain cases by the counties from which persons convicts and prisoners were originally committed

House Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims; and repealing existing laws.

House Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act to amend routes number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 458, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 462, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 463, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the conversion of National banking associations into State banks or trust companies

House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended.

House Bill No. 470, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the merger and consolidation of National banking associations with State banks trust companies or banks and trust companies

House Bill No. 474, entitled:

An Act for the preservation of records by State banks trust companies savings banks banks and trust companies and private bankers

House Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home of Brookville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, at Susquehanna, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 485, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions with capital stock heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

House Bill No. 490, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 494, entitled:

An Act to amend section eight of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act to encourage and authorize the formation of co-operative associations productive and distributive by farmers mechanics laborers or other persons"

House Bill No. 495, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended increasing the minimum pay of supervisors

House Bill No. 497, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 498, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 499, entitled:

An Act providing a method whereby territory within a borough contiguous to or separated from a third class city by a river or stream may be detached from the borough and annexed to such city

House Bill No. 514, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for any president vice-president cashier treasurer secretary teller bookkeeper clerk employe or agent of any mutual savings bank savings bank bank of discount and deposit trust company title insurance company surety company or safe deposit company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or of any private bank or unincorporated association receiving deposits of money or of any building and loan association incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or authorized to do business therein his or their aiders and bettors to embezzle abstract or wilfully misapply any of the moneys funds or credits of such institution or to issue certificates of deposit draw any order or bill of exchange make any acceptance assign any note bond draft bill of exchange mortgage judgment or other instrument in writing without authority from the directors of such institution with intent to deceive or defraud or to make a false entry in the books reports or statements thereof with like intent prescribing penalties and authorizing the Banking Commissioner to institute prosecutions" extending the penalties provided by said act to cases where officers directors employes and agents of aforesaid institutions commit certain acts as individuals or as officers directors employes or members of corporations or copartnerships with intent to injure or defraud such institutions or to deceive any bank examiner

House Bill No. 515, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete acts relating to State banks

House Bill No. 516, entitled:

An Act regulating the certification of checks by officers directors agents and employes of banking institutions trust companies and savings banks and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 517, entitled:

An Act providing for the approval of the names and changes of names of title insurance companies trust companies and title insurance and trust companies by the Secretary of Banking

House Bill No. 518, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act requiring each and every director of a bank of discount banking company co-operative banking association, trust company safe deposit company real estate company mortgage company title insurance company guarantee company surety and indemnity company and savings bank which has been or may hereafter be incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth with the right to receive moneys on deposit to take an oath of office and prescribing the form thereof said oath to be filed with the Commissioner of Banking" and providing for the disqualification of directors who do now own sufficient capital stock or dispose hypothecate or pledge the same during their term

House Bill No. 519, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause five of section twenty-nine of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" by providing the manner in which trust companies may use uninvested trust funds

House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 521, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 524, entitled:

An Act to repeal section eight of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (one Sm L. ninety) entitled "An act for the assigning of bonds specialties and promissory notes"

House Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 531, entitled:

An Act relating to regulating and validating the issue of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, the judges of the Orphans' Courts, the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

House Bill No. 537, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand seventy-five) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the Auditor General and the State Treasurer"

House Bill No. 539, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws

nine hundred eleven) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the deputy factory inspectors"

House Bill No. 540, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of February one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the Private Secretary to the Governor of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 541, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy) entitled "An act to fix the salary of county solicitor in counties containing a population of more than two hundred and fifty thousand and less than one million and providing for the payment thereof"

House Bill No. 542, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the stenographer and typewriter and the two stenographers in the Department of Mines"

House Bill No. 543, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act fixing the pay of assessors in the several townships of the second class"

House Bill No. 544, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-two) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and providing for the expenses of county solicitors in counties of this Commonwealth over one hundred and fifty thousand population and less than two hundred and fifty thousand population"

House Bill No. 545, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several court clerks of the courts of common pleas of the County of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 546, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one and two of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act amending sections four and six of an act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred three entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Fisheries to provide for its proper administration and to provide for the protection and propagation of fish by the Department of Fisheries' by fixing the salaries of the Commissioner and the clerks in the Department of Fisheries and repealing certain acts"

House Bill No. 547, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand seventy) entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of interpreters in each county of this Commonwealth and providing for their compensation"

House Bill No. 548, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the Assistant Librarian of the Senate and the Assistant Resident Clerk of the House of Representatives"

House Bill No. 549, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-four) entitled "An act regulating the number of employees in the Adjutant General's Department and in the State Arsenal fixing the annual salaries to be paid to each authorizing the Adjutant General to make the appointment of employees in the Adjutant General's Department and the State Arsenal and giving authority to make such assignments to duty and to change or alter such assignments as may in his judgment be necessary to subserve the interests of the Commonwealth fixing the salary of the Adjutant General and providing for payment of such salaries as now provided by law"

House Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the fees of tipstaves in judicial districts containing more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than five hundred thousand inhabitants' approved the fifth day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three by further regulating the salary of tipstaves and court criers in judicial districts containing more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 551, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nine entitled 'An act to fix the salary of the deputy recorder of deeds in the office of any recorder of deeds of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million and over' so as to make it apply to counties having a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 552, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred three) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing the board of public charities to appoint two assistant general agents and prescribing their duties' "

House Bill No. 553, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the employment traveling auditor in the Department of the Auditor General and fixing their salaries"

House Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-three) entitled "Act to amend the first section of an act approved the fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of wills of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 555, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act creating the office of Second Assistant Deputy Attorney General in the Attorney General's Department and fixing the salary of said assistan

House Bill No. 556, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the storekeeper in the office of the Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings"

House Bill No. 557, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act providing for the appointment by the district attorney in counties having a papulation of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants of a chief county detective an assistant county detective and special county detective defining their duties fixing their salaries and authorizing the payment of the same together with the necessary traveling expenses by the county"

House Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the Attorney General the Deputy Attorney General and the salaries of the clerks and private secretary of the Attorney General's Department"

House Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to authorize the employment of additional employes by the Adjutant General"

House Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of an act approved the thirteenth day of May nineteen hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health safety and welfare of minors by forbidding their employment or work in certain establishments and occupations and under certain specified ages by restricting their hours of labor and regulating certain conditions of their employment by requiring employment certificates for certan minors and prescribing the kinds thereof and the rules for the issuance reissuance filing return and recording of the same by providing that the Industrial Board shall under certain conditions determine and declare whether certain occupations are within the prohibitions of this act requiring that certain minors shall during the period of their employment attend certain schools to be established as therein provided and to be approved by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and regulating the conditions of such attendance authorizing the State Board of Education in certain cases to appoint attendance officers to aid in enforcing the provisions of this act and creating the salary and expenses of such officers a charge against the school district wherein they are employed requiring abstracts and notices to be posted providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry the attendance officers of school districts and police officers and defining the procedure in prosecutions thereunder and establishing certain presumptions in relation thereto providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by providing that in school districts of the first second and third classes the physical examination of a minor provided for by said act shall be made by a physician employed by the board of school directors of the school district in which such minor resides that the certificate of physical fitness provided for by said act shall be signed by said physician and that no fee or other compensation shall be required to be paid by such minor or by his parent or guardian

House Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five)

House Bill No. 570, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth" increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter

House Bill No. 572, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having seven hundred and fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys' approed the twenty-fifth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven so as to increase the salary of the first assistant district attorney and to provide for the classification of the other assistant district attorneys for whose appointment provisions is made by said act as second third and fourth assistants and assistants and to increase the salary of some and to decrease the salary of others of said assistant district attorney

House Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend sections thirty-three and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended limiting the numbers of wards in townships of the first class to fifteen redistricting townships having a greater number terminating the tenure of office of existing commissioners in such townships and providing for the election of new commissioners

House Bill No. 579, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 580, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-ninth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety) entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the county of Warren"

House Bill No. 581, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 581) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by making the city solicitor of said cities an elective officer.

House Bill No. 582, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 195) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the thirty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act fixing the salary of the real estate assessors in counties having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 584, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-two) entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act amending the eighty-ninth section of the act entitled "An act relating to counties and townships and to county and township officers"' approved the fifteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four and amendment thereto approved the twenty-

fourth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven making the compensation of assessors two dollars and fifty cents per day"

House Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the first day of March Anno Domini nineteen hundred and five entitled an act 'to provide for the appointment by the district attorneys of the several counties of this Commonwealth having a population of over five hundred thousand and less than one million of a special detective officer and assistant special detective officers not exceeding ten in number making said special detective officers general police officers with the same powers conferred on constables in cases of crime and criminal procedure and defining their duties and fixing the salaries of the same and authorizing the payment of necessary traveling expenses"

House Bill No. 587, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the classification of the townships of the Commonwealth with respect to their population into two classes and to prescribe the form of government for townships of each class"

House Bill No. 589, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several clerks of the courts of common pleas of the county of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 590, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having seven hundred fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys."

House Bill No. 592, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the tenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the clerk deputy clerk court clerks and employes in the office of the clerk of court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions of the peace of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties having a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 594, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having seven hundred fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 596 entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws fourteen) entitled "An act authorizing an increase in the number of clerks employed in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing the salary of the same"

House Bill No. 608, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act regulating the pay of election officers at all elections hereafter to be held within this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 609, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act creating the office of the Deputy Auditor General and fixing his duties and salary"

House Bill No. 612, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty) entitled "An act regulating the salaries of the chaplains of the Senate and House of Representatives"

House Bill No. 613, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide for the election of assistant assessors for the valuation of real estate for taxation in townships of the first class and fixing the compensation of assessors in such townships"

House Bill No. 614, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to fix the salary of the deputy recorder of deeds in the office of any recorder of deeds of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million and over"

House Bill No. 615, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-nine), entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to compensate the Harbor Master and Port Warden of the city of Philadelphia' approved April fifteen Anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-nine increasing the salary of the Harbor Master to five thousand dollars per annum"

House Bill No. 616, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 14), entitled "An act providing for the appointment of an executive clerk and two additional janitors and two additional transcribing clerks for the Senate, and fixing their compensation."

House Bill No. 618, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred two) entitled "An act to fix the salaries to be paid to the jury commissioners county jailor and jail physician in counties having over eight hundred thousand and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding United States Census"

House Bill No. 621, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section first of the act of Assembly approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled "An act to amend an act to fix the annual salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants" being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled "An act to carry into

effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants by a further classification of counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of county officers therein" and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved the twenty-first day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine fixing the salaries to be paid to the jail physician and to the county jailer in counties containing over five hundred thousand and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 626, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys and providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than five hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys

House Bill No. 627, entitled:

An Act to repeal section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy) entitled "An act providing that the district attorneys in all counties whose population does not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand shall be paid a salary and fixing the same which shall be in lieu of all fees and in full compensation for their services and providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in said counties and for the compensation of the same and providing that the fees heretofore allowed the district attorneys upon indictments shall remain in amount as heretofore but shall hereafter be as part of the costs for the use and benefit of the proper county"

House Bill No. 628, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-six) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three to provide for the valuation of real estate for taxation in the townships of the first class and fixing the compensation of assessors in such townships

House Bill No. 629, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 22), entitled "An act to provide for the election of additional officers and appointment of additional employes of the House of Representatives to those already provided for by law."

House Bill No. 630, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, (P. L. 110), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the several state officers of the Commonwealth, the number of clerks to be employed in the several departments,' and their compensation and providing for the incidental expenses of said department, approved May fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, increasing the salary of messenger in charge of flag room."

House Bill No. 631, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 129), entitled "An act fixing the compensation of members of the general assembly, and the number, duties and compensation of the officers and employees thereof."

House Bill No. 634, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eight) entitled "An act creating the office of first assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over one million inhabitants prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his salary

House Bill No. 635, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerk deputy clerk court clerks and employes in the office of the clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions of the peace of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over"

House Bill No. 636, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled "An act fixing the salary of members of the body acting as a board of revision of taxes in counties containing a population of one million two hundred and fifty thousand or over"

House Bill No. 638, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to fix salary of court criers court interpreters and tipstaves in judicial districts containing more than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than one million inhabitants"

House Bill No. 640, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act creating the office of assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over five hundred thousand and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants providing for the appointment of said officers prescribing the powers duties and terms of office and fixing the salaries of said officers"

House Bill No. 642, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 109) entitled "An act regulating the compensation of county commissioners within this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 643, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 52), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an assistant clerk of the separate orphans' courts in counties having less than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and to provide a salary for the same"

House Bill No. 646, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, (P. L. 8), entitled "An act to amend the thirteenth section of an act entitled, 'An act to amend and alter the fee bill, passed the twenty-second day of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and increasing the compensation of witnesses attending court.'"

House Bill No. 647, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty) entitled "An act fixing a salary for interpreters of the German and French languages in certain counties in this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 648, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for a geological survey of the State"

House Bill No. 650, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of wills of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over"

House Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred six) entitled "An act regulating the salaries of county commissioners their employes when said commissioners are directors of the county poor in counties of less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 653, entitled:

An act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled an act to amend 'An act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants by fixing the salaries of county engineers' being a supplement to an act approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'An act to amend "An act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants"' being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled 'An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants fixing the compensation of county officers therein' approved twenty-fourth April one thousand nine hundred and three so as to authorize the county engineer in counties where such office exists to appoint a deputy engineer and to fix his salary"

House Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act fixing the numbers compensation mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the General Assembly and providing for their election or appointment and manner of filling vacancies"

House Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-two) entitled "An act to fix the number and salaries of officers clerks and employes in the State Treasury

House Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws eleven) entitled "An act providing for the election of a city clerk in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth prescribing his duties term and compensation and empowering him to administer oaths and certify ordinances resolutions and other proceedings of councils"

House Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of expenses incident to the inauguration of the Honorable Herbert C. Hoover as President of the United States

House Bill No. 660, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 664, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 667, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 671, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

House Bill No. 673, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other incorporated districts or municipalities had pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds certificates of indebtedness and securities issued in pursuance of such proceedings

House Bill No. 675, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, at Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 676, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 678, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act to provide for the collection and use of data relating to the criminal business of this Commonwealth, and making non-compliance with the terms of this act a misdemeanor.

House Bill No. 690, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 701, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 706, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 714, entitled:

An Act to prohibit false labels and misrepresentation in the sale of certain food products and providing penalties for the violation thereof

House Bill No. 715, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the eect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of property therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other prior acts of Assembly"

House Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act validating certain porceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

House Bill No. 719, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men and providing for suits thereon by laborers and mateial-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection alteration addition and repair of public buildings" as amended extending the provisions of said act to roads and bridges

House Bill No. 722, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 734, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 739, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 745, entitled:

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six Article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary

House Bill No. 746, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital, located at Bellefonte, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 748, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital, Braddock, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 753, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 754, entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 757, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

House Bill No. 758, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

House Bill No. 760, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixty-five and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquital on the grounds of insanity

House Bill No. 762, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 763, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 767, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 778, entitled:

An Act providing for the acceptance of a grant of land by the Commonwealth located in Northumberland County and releases of mortgages thereon and for the use and occupancy of such land.

House Bill No. 779, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital, in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand five hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by sheriffs in this Commonwealth and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same" by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

House Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

House Bill No. 793, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto section two thousand seven hundred and twenty-five relative to the leasing of parts of park grounds for amateur athletic and sport purposes.

House Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary.

House Bill No. 797, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transporation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties" and its amendment of May twentieth one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three) entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licensees and making an appropriation therefor.

House Bill No. 798, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-one of an act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 799, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs, and the officers of counties, cities, of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second; third and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties."

House Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital of Reading Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerniing townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act prescribing the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture with regard to farm products providing for co-operation with the Department of Internal Affairs to establish standard receptacles for farm products authorizing the Department of Agriculture to establish and promulgate standards for the grade and other classification of farm products and to promulgate regulations for the enforcement thereof defining farm products to include agricultural horticultural vegetable fruit and floricultural products of the soil live stock and meats wool hides poultry eggs dairy products nuts mushrooms and honey and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 830, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and three of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

House Bill No. 832, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding a section providing for the appropriation of money to fire companies for fire protection.

House Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four six ten fourteen sixteen seventeen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-five and twenty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten) entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions establishing a State Athletic

Commission making an appropriation therefor and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes and prescribing penalties"

House Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act to amend sections thirty-one and thirty-two as amended of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and sixty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the organization government discipline maintenance and regulation of the armed land forces of this Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care, treatment, removal, and maintenance of the indigent insane, prior to June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State penal and correctional institutions mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) epileptics (institutions) under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

House Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

House Bill No. 840, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park Washington Crossing Park and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

House Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Educational Institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

House Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county and prescribing its organization jurisdiction and powers therein and otherwise" by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

House Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 847, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 848, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled "An act relative to the eligibility of candidates for the office of district attorney" as amended

House Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act to amend section six as amended and section nine of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred eighty) entitled "An act dedicating certain lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania situated in the City and County of Erie to public use as an historical memorial and public State park aiding in the development of the harbor of Erie and creating a commission to manage and control said lands and said harbor improvements empowering said commission to purchase or receive by gift other lands for the purpose of this act providing for the appointment of members of said commission and that the Secretary of Internal Affairs and the Commissioner of Fisheries shall be ex-officio members thereof defining the duties and powers of said commission excepting rights and privileges in said lands heretofore granted and making an appropriation" vesting jurisdiction in said commission over the Harbor of Erie and the shores and certain areas extending from the shores of the peninsula on the lake side.

House Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and prior sessions.

House Bill No. 870, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Garretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 879, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kensington Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 880, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 881, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 884, entitled:

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 885, entitled:

An Act providing a penalty for the removal defacing covering-up destruction of notices posted by administrative departments board and commissions of the State government.

House Bill No. 887, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 888, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 889, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 890, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, The American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

House Bill No. 895, entitled:

An Act to validate contracts for the erection and construction of school buildings and additions to existing school buildings and to authorize payments on such contracts by the school districts where there is no evidence of fraud or conspiracy.

House Bill No. 896, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of taxes erroneously or inadvertently paid to the county treasurer or delinquent tax collector of counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 897, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for the work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway

House Bill No. 900, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School, located at Polk, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 905, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor"

House Bill No. 906, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association of Erie Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 908, entitled:

An Act permitting county commissioners when acting as trustees of property for public purposes to invest moneys in such trust in such securities as are lawful investments for funds in the hands of fiduciaries.

House Bill No. 909, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 911, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-two), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations issuing for money consideration policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles defining motor vehicles providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner and payment of examination expenses and filing fees providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner and to come under provisions of the act fixing penalties for violations of the act providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

House Bill No. 915, entitled:

An Act relating to the finances of the State government providing for the settlement assessment collection and lien of taxes bonus and all other accounts due the Commonwealth the collection and recovery of fees and other money or property due or belonging to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof including escheated property and the proceeds of its sale the custody and disbursement or other disposition of funds and securities belonging to or in the possession of the Commonwealth and the settlement of claims against the Commonwealth the resettlement of accounts and appeals to the courts refunds of moneys erroneously paid to the Commonwealth auditing the accounts of the Commonwealth and all agencies thereof of all public officers collecting moneys payable to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof and all receipts of appropriations from the Commonwealth and imposing penalties affecting every department government every political subdivision of the State and certain officers of such subdivisions every person association and corporation required to pay assess or collect taxes or to make returns or reports under the laws imposing taxes for State purposes or to pay license fees or other moneys to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof every State depository and every debtor or creditor of the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 916, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred eighteen and six hundred twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws page seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

House Bill No. 918, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of an act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and ninety-eight) entitled "An act imposing a tax for State purposes on marine insurance underwriting profits and providing for the collection of such tax."

House Bill No. 919, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred two as amended three hundred three three hundred four three hundred five three hundred six three hundred seven three hundred eight three hundred nine three hundred ten and twelve hundred one as amended of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred twenty as amended two hundred twenty-one two hundred twenty-two two hundred twenty-three two hundred twenty-four two hundred twenty-five as amended and two hundred eighty-five as amended of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 921, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bond securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" approved the second day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and three) so as to include corporations either public or private of this or any other State or of the United States of America or of any territory or dependency thereof or of any foreign country or any subdivision or agency thereof and to validate all purchases sales assignments transfers mortgages pledges or other disposition thereof at any time heretofore made

House Bill No. 922, entitled:

An Act limiting the damages for the conversion of property of fluctuating value.

House Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

House Bill No. 926, entitled:

An Act providing for real estate deputy sheriffs in counties of the first second and third classes and fixing their salaries payable by said counties and repealing section two of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to appoint by deed chief deputies with power to act as sheriff in case of and during the temporary disability of the sheriff to act in person and fixing the salaries of such chief deputies in counties containing more than five hundred thousand inhabitants" and other acts general special or local so far as inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 928, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act relating to domestic animals defining domestic animals so as to include poultry providing methods of improving the quality thereof and of preventing controlling and eradicating diseases thereof imposing certain duties upon practitioners of veterinary medicine in Pennsylvania regulating the manufacture use and sale of tuberculin mallein and other biological products for use with domestic animals defining the powers and duties of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and the officers and employees thereof fixing the compensation of the Deputy State Veterinarian and providing penalties for the violation of this act" regulating the bringing and importation of cattle sheep goats swine poultry and wild and semi-wild animals into the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act regulating the quarantining of animals poultry premises localities and areas in the Commonwealth defining quarantines and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture its officers and agents in establishing and enforcing quarantines and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

House Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

House Bill No. 933, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine) entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor" providing additional methods for postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

House Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing

the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

House Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "Supplementary to an Act" entitled "An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations" approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

House Bill No. 940, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 138), entitled "An act requiring counties having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand, to establish a pension fund for the employes of such counties, and providing for the administration of such fund and payments therefrom," authorizing the county poor district and the employes thereof to join such pension fund.

House Bill No. 945, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital, located at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 946, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 324), entitled "An act for the distribution by the Commonwealth and counties to townships and school districts of moneys received from the United States from Forest Reserves within the Commonwealth;" providing for the distribution of said moneys directly by the Commonwealth to townships and school districts.

House Bill No. 949, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 952, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 964, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 969, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 973, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

House Bill No. 977, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

House Bill No. 980, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 982, entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the expenses of the commission.

House Bill No. 983, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 984, entitled:

An Act to fix the fees to be charged by coroners in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 986, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 987, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

House Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act authorizing treasurers in counties of the second class to sit personally or by deputy for the purpose of the collection of taxes in the various municipalities in the county and imposing expenses in connection therewith upon the county.

House Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

House Bill No. 993, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

House Bill No. 994, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 996, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives located at Eagleville Montgomery County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 997, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

House Bill No. 998, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 999, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1000, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1001, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1002, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1003, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale of gambling machines; and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 1004, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the county treasurers of the several counties of this Commonwealth to sell at public sale, all seated lands upon which taxes assessed on such seated lands by authority of any county, borough, town, township, school district and poor district, are delinquent and remain unpaid, and fixing penalties for such delinquency authorizing county commissioners to purchase such lands under certain circumstances.

House Bill No. 1006, entitled:

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

House Bill No. 1007, entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws 1043), entitled: "An Act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act regulating the appointment of persons to public positions in counties and cities of the first class.

House Bill No. 1017, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended prohibiting assessors and assistant assessors from being school directors.

House Bill No. 1021, entitled:

An Act to provide for the taking of tax duplicates by sureties on the bonds of delinquents or defaulting tax collectors and the appointment of such sureties of a collector for the collection of taxes due on such duplicates

House Bill No. 1035, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page one hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the Public Schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" making an additional appropriation to carry on the work of erecting the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge

House Bill No. 1040, entitled:

An Act to validate deeds and other conveyances of real estate made in this Commonwealth by married women direct to their husbands without the husband having joined in the said conveyance and the intervention of a second party.

House Bill No. 1043, entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1044, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1045, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act defining vocational education providing for the establishment and regulation of vocational schools and providing for State aid in the maintenance thereof and for the payment of tuition by certain school districts and reimbursement thereof by the State" as amended

House Bill No. 1053, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street

cars bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

House Bill No. 1057, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph one of section seven of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs and townships of the first class to adopt and enforce zoning ordinances regulating the location construction and use of buildings the size of courts and open spaces the density of population and the use of land" providing the manner in which the board of adjustment shall be appointed.

House Bill No. 1059, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and paragraph (a) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An Act relating to the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution and the fees costs and expenses therein" by providing that in no such proceedings shall it be necessary to join the spouse of any interested party.

House Bill No. 1060, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four), entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions" extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests

House Bill No. 1065, entitled:

An Act to repeal section seventeen and to amend sections three five eleven and fourteen as amended and section fifteen of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties" substituting the Department of Revenue for the Department of Agriculture as the agency having supervision over the issuance of dog and kennel licenses

House Bill No. 1070, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1071, entitled:

An Act to amend section three as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

House Bill No. 1072, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital Easton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1079, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of boroughs had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto and validating the appropriation purchase or leasing of private property by boroughs for the purpose of making enlarging and maintaining public parks parkways and playgrounds playfields swimming pools public baths bathing places indoor recreation centers and gymnasiums authorized to be appropriated purchased and leased in pursuance of such proceedings of election or conditioned thereon

House Bill No. 1086, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establsh and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1087, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-seven entitled "An act regulating the confinement of children under the age of sixteen years awaiting trial" providing for the management of houses of detention for juveniles in counties of the second class and imposing expenses in connection therewith on the county

House Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

House Bill No. 1092, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1093) entitled "An act creating in counties having a population of from eight hundred thousand to one million five hundred thousand a board for the assessment and revision of taxes providing for the appointment of the members of such board by the county commissioners fixing their salaries payable by the county defining the powers and duties of such board and regulating the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes authorizing the appointment of subordinate assessors and clerks defining their duties and providing for their compensation payable by such counties imposing a penalty on subordinate assessors for failure

to comply with certain provisions of this and abolishing the office of ward borough and township assessor in so far as respects the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes."

House Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of section three hundred and eighty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended construing the validity of township contracts

House Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and forty-seven), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge, and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audits and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds, transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended.

House Bill No. 1095, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," as amended; providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

House Bill No. 1096, entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury and validating expenditures from such funds

House Bill No. 1097, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act relating to the right to practice medicine and surgery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing a Bureau of Medical Education and Licensure as a bureau of the Department of Public Instruction and means and methods whereby the right to practice medicine and surgery and any of its minor branches may be obtained and exemptions therefrom and providing for an appropriation to carry out the provisions of said act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said bureau and providing penalties for violation thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the payment of annual registration fees into the State Treasury

House Bill No. 1098, entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

House Bill No. 1100, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" as amended by providing that appeals in all compensation cases from the court of common pleas shall be to the Superior Court.

House Bill No. 1101, entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacturing thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties, forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws," (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

House Bill No. 1103, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor.

House Bill No. 1111, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" providing for the entry of nolle prosequi in certain larceny cases

House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1117, entitled:

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Auditor General or any other agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or resettlement of State taxes

House Bill No. 1118, entitled:

An Act to cede jurisdiction to the United States over the tracts of lands and buildings occupied by the Army Air Depot and Flying Field located in and adjacent to the Borough of Middletown Dauphin County.

House Bill No. 1123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1128, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and three of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and sixty), entitled "An act conferring on the Department of Highways power to enter upon private property, and open and maintain drainage channels along roads or highways constructed at the expense of the Department of Highways or under its supervision; and providing penalty for interference with such drains or ditches; and providing for the payment of damages," by providing a method for ascertaining damages and disposition of penalties.

House Bill No. 1130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act supplementary to the laws of the Commonwealth relating to guardians and committees of minors weak-minded persons lunatics and habitual drunkards and regulating the filing and notice of accounts and the compensation and removal of guardians and committees of veterans and of minor children and incompetent dependents of veterans.

House Bill No. 1132, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 998) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen four hundred and fifteen and five hundred and nine relating to the commitment and transfer of veterans to United States Veterans' Hospitals for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

House Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways .

House Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all or part of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

House Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a home for disabled and indigent soldiers ad sailors of Pennsylvania" as amended

House Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act relative to the management and control of the Blair County Jail" by providing that the keeper of said jail shall or shall not reside therein as the county commissioners may determine

House Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establisnment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the city of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1163, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

House Bill No. 1168, entitled:

An Act for the elimination of special forest fire hazards authorizing the Chief Forest Fire Warden under certain circumstances to declare any such hazard a public nuisance providing for the abatement of the same and for the collection of the cost of abatement and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1171, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1172, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1174, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred

fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1175, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1182, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

House Bill No. 1183, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

House Bill No. 1184, entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto

House Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital Renovo Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital Lock Haven Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1190, entitled:

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1193, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

House Bill No. 1194, entitled:

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein. to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid"; by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

House Bill No. 1208, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth, and validating such improvements assessments, claims, and liens; providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

House Bill No. 1209, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1214, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

House Bill No. 1218, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines designed as 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the home of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended

House Bill No. 1222, entitled:

An Act providing for the maintenance of roads and streets on the boundary line between cities or boroughs and townships and the procedure in such cases

House Bill No. 1227, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen entitled 'An act regulating the operation of motor-boats and providing a penalty' giving the Board of Commissioners of Navigation jurisdiction to enforce the provisions of this act" conferring police powers on employes of the board

House Bill No. 1228, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act regulating the operation of motor-boats and providing a penalty" extending said act to boats propelled by internal combustion motors

House Bill No. 1229, entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

House Bill No. 1231, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital, located at Frankford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1232, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia

House Bill No. 1235, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts fixing and relating to the salaries of officers and employes of the executive branch of the State government

House Bill No. 1236, entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons.

House Bill No. 1237, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the County of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

House Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

House Bill No. 1240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital, Berwick, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1277, entitled:

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road

House Bill No. 1280, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the construction opening or dedication of any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township of the first or second class without the approval of the township commissioners or supervisors making certain provisions with regard to the modification approval and filing of plans thereof providing for appeals prohibiting any public authorities from doing any construction work or operating any public facilities on roads streets lanes alleys or drainage facilities constructed opened or dedicated for public use without the approval of the commissioners or supervisors and authorizing commissioners and supervisors to enter on land and do certain acts thereon when necessary for carrying out their powers and duties thereunder and declaring the violation of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor

House Bill No. 1282, entitled:

An Act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violations thereof" as amended by the act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one).

House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 1288, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and three and repeal section one of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the Berks county prison and to discharged convicts' approved the eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight" reducing the number of the board of inspectors at the Berks County prison from nine to three fixing their terms of office and the method of filling vacancies and terminating the terms of office of the members of the present board.

House Bill No. 1302, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital, of Bellevue, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers

House Bill No. 1308, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1326, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of an act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act regulating the printing of the laws of this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1328, entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal.

House Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury

House Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

House Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf of Edgewood Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1346, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

House Bill No. 1347, entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges

House Bill No. 1348, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to nuncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor"

House Bill No. 1352, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 1353, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1357, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing said Commission and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1360, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 774) entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties"

House Bill No. 1361, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the Courts of Common Pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions."

House Bill No. 1362, entitled:

An Act conferring authority on the Department of Highways or any county or township to enter upon private property adjacent to any public road or highway and place thereon snow fence between November first and April first of the succeeding year providing the method of ascertaining damages and payment of same by the authorities responsible for the maintenance of the said public road or highway to the owner of adjacent property and repealing certain acts

House Bill No. 1365, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1379, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

House Bill No. 1380, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

House Bill No. 1404, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1405, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

House Bill No. 1408, entitled:

An Act to regulate procedure where a defendant desires to have joined as additional defendants persons whom he alleges are liable over to him or jointly or severally liable with him for the cause of action declared on

House Bill No. 1410, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

House Bill No. 1412, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the issue and transfer of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth" by authorizing the countersignatures of assistant treasurers thereon by permitting the signatures countersignatures and seals thereon in facsimile printed or engraved and validating certificates of stock heretofore so executed and issued

House Bill No. 1416, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons"

House Bill No. 1418, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws

four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

House Bill No. 1419, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of persons employed in tenement houses and shops where clothing cigarettes cigars and certain other articles are made or partially made and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and to provide for the safety and regulating the employment of said persons"

House Bill No. 1420, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws forty-one) entitled "An act to protect the life and limbs of those employed in the construction of new buildings in this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1421, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy) entitled "An act to protect the health and lives of employes in certain occupations by requiring the use of blowers or similar apparatus in connection with certain kinds of machinery and specifying the equipment to be used in connection therewith regulating the use of such blowers and apparatus and providing penalties for violation of this act"

House Bill No. 1422, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws ninety-nine) entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor constituting a day's work in this state to eight hours"

House Bill No. 1428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1429, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1431, entitled:

An Act to amend Sections one thousand seventeen and one thousand forty-seven of "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" approved May fourth one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 1432, entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1434, entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

House Bill No. 1441, entitled:

An Act to repeal section twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 364), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes, and for municipal improvements, and for the removal of nuisances; the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened, and the manner of distributing the proceeds of such sales," in so far as the same relates to counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth classes.

House Bill No. 1444, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

House Bill No. 1445, entitled:

An Act to amend clause fifty-three of section twelve hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1450, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings in incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by providing for and regulating appeals from approvals and disapprovals by the Department of Internal Affairs of proceedings to incur or increase indebtedness and declaring the effect of the approvals by the Department

House Bill No. 1454, entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mines fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1455, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act requiring all counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities and incorporated districts to sell any bonds or other securties issued by them to the highest responsible bidder after due public notice" providing for private sales where no bids are received

House Bill No. 1457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1458, entitled:

An Act fixing the time of holding elections on questions submitted to electors of boroughs.

House Bill No. 1459, entitled:

An Act relating to licenses, permits, fees, fines, penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

House Bill No. 1462, entitled:

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters ma-

terials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interests is absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons

House Bill No. 1464, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1466, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts

House Bill No. 1467, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended, seventeen as amended, twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State highways in boroughs; providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases; providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State-aid highways; requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases before constructing State-aid highways; and authorizing the Secretary of Highways to change the width, lines and location of State-aid highways; and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

House Bill No. 1478, entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

House Bill No. 1480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1482, entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth and city streets connecting such highways suspending in part State-aid highway construction providing for State-aid to certain cities and for the assessment of benefits in certain cases against owners of real estate in such cities authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1483, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns

House Bill No. 1498, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

House Bill No. 1499, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1500, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital

House Bill No. 1501, entitled:

An Act defining the rights of life tenants and remaindermen in and to alll extraordinary cash dividends stock dividends liquidation dividends conversion rights right to subscribe to stock or any other right given because of ownership of stock in the estate of any grantor settlor or testator

House Bill No. 1503, entitled:

An Act providing for the purchase by the Commonwealth of a building in the City of Harrisburg for the use of the Department of Property and Supplies and making an appropriation therefor

House Bill No. 1504, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

House Bill No. 1505, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Harrisburg State Hospital

House Bill No. 1507, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1508, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1511, entitled:

A supplement to the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities and all county or other public employes if any paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof and out of the said cities and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions" extending provisions of act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city

House Bill No. 1516, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1517, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

House No. 1521, entitled:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes and persons to secure employment providing for the licensing registration bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth and of said Department and prescribing penalties

House Bill No. 1522, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in counties of the sixth class

House Bill No. 1524, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1525, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital of Warren Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1526, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1527, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1528, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1529, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1531, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1532, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1533, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1534, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1535, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1536, entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailors providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and township

within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

House Bill No. 1540, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relative thereto" further defining game and protected and unprotected birds

House Bill No. 1548, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 1549, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant

House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission. Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

House Bill No. 1552, entitled:

An Act regulating loans by building and loan associations

House Bill No. 1553, entitled:

An Act regulating the granting of loans by building and loan associations where the security in whole or part is to be a mortgage or lien on real estate providing penalties and fixing the time during which indictments under this act may be found and prosecuted

House Bill No. 1554, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended

House Bill No. 1558, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts" establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein by the board of magistrates prescribing their powers and duties and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers

House Bill No. 1559, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane in whole or in part maintained by State aid to acquire lands for hospital purposes and to take waters streams lands property and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water for hospital purposes prescribing the manner in which said lands streams property and materials may be taken and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking" extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid

House Bill No. 1560, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1561, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

House Bill No. 1580, entitled:

An Act fixing the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties of the third class.

House Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

House Bill No. 1584, entitled:

An Act authorizing guardians of minors to expend parts of the income of said minors in life insurance policies with leave of the orphans' court and stipulating the rights of such minors in regard thereto upon becoming of age

House Bill No. 1586, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1587, entitled:

An Act for the election of the president, members of town council and auditors in incorporated towns of the Commonwealth; regulating the manner of voting for such officers; and repealing inconsistent general, local and special laws.

House Bill No. 1588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital, at McKees Rocks, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1589, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four section three article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand

nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business

House Bill No. 1591, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1593, entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden

House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined

House Bill No. 1596, entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof" by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale

House Bill No. 1597, entitled:

An Act creating, in counties of the second class, a salary board, prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof, also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 1598, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereon has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

House Bill No. 1603, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1612, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the Federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the Governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1613, entitled:

An Act to amend section fifteen of an act, approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 67), entitled "An act regulating the practice, bail, costs and fees on appeals to the Supreme Court and Superior Court;" removing the distinction against private corporations in the matter of giving bail in such appeal.

House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary

House Bill No. 1619, entitled:

An Act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 1620, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Polk State School

House Bill No. 1623, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

House Bill No. 1625, entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1630, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to fix regulate and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth" as amended

House Bill No. 1636, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1637, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1638, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from adecedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corp-

oration or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits"

House Bill No. 1640, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (1 Smith Laws 370) entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same for the better security of rents and for other purposes therein mentioned."

House Bill No. 1642, entitled:

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on nonresident operators or nonresident owners of motor vehicles operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said nonresident upon whom civil process may be served, and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit.

House Bill No. 1651, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts" as amended by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service stationery telephone telegraph clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof

House Bill No. 1653, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1654, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldier Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty.

House Bill No. 1661, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase idebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

House Bill No. 1665, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1673, entitled:

An Act authorizing appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

House Bill No. 1674, entitled:

An Act to amend route number five hundred and fifty-six of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty--seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1675, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1696, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to recrod certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place

House Bill No. 1697, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for Recording of Deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property

House Bill No. 1701, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals providing for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and sub-stations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1703, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the county of Luzerne" as amended enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the County of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District

House Bill No. 1708, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

House Bill No. 1726, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment of counsel fees out of moneys recovered for counties townships boroughs school districts or poor districts upon appeals from the county auditor's settlements of the accounts of public officers

House Bill No. 1727, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in certain counties of the third class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the county assessors in such counties

House Bill No. 1741, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1744, entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia

House Bill No. 1745, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

House Bill No. 1746, entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

House Bill No. 1750, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation from any person or persons co-partnership or unincorporated association or company or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1752, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries of certain county officers in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 1755, entitled:

An act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of Highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting

county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highway solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the construction and maintenance of State highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1756, entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated

House Bill No. 1757, entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional inter-state bridge across the Delaware River between Easton, Pennsylvania and Phillipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1758, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

House Bill No. 1767, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

House Bill No. 1772, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal contract was entered into as required by law.

House Bill No. 1774, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

House Bill No. 1781, entitled:

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page one ninety-four) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture furnishings and equipment

House Bill No. 1782, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriations from the Motor License Fund therefor

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1785, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" as amended

House Bill No. 1793, entitled:

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 1812, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1816, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes

House Bill No. 1833, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

House Bill No. 1834, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

House Bill No. 1842, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1851, entitled:

An Act authorizing Directors of the Poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for their burial in case of death therefrom

House Bill No. 1854, entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operation of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

House Bill No. 1855, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——day of ——, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, (P. L. Act No. ——), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenue derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties;" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil, and gas oil.

House Bill No. 1857, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the State Aeronautics Commission

House Bill No. 1862, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

House Bill No. 1867, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchanges, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

House Bill No. 1870, entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised

House Bill No. 1881, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

House Bill No. 1882, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon county"

House Bill No. 1884, entitled:

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner. two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing

salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not effected by provisions of this act," as amended.

House Bill No. 1885, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1887, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to adoption."

House Bill No. 1889, entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

House Bill No. 1890, entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process

House Bill No. 1891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1892, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

House Bill No. 1893, entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1902, entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

House Bill No. 1914, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth' approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty and supplements thereto providing for the purnishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives"

House Bill No. 1915, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

House Bill No. 1925, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

House Bill No. 1930, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

House Bill No. 1931, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

House Bill No. 1934, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 640) entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' approved April twenty-nine one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto for the insurance of owners of real estate mortgages and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles liens and encumbrances and of companies entitled

to the benefits of and of companies having any of the powers of companies entitled to the benefits of an act entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance safety deposit trust and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April twenty-nine Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and of the supplements thereto," approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five commonly known as title insurance or trust companies" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies

House Bill No. 1935, entitled:

An Act to amend section five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships"

House Bill No. 1936, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight nine ten eleven twelve and thirteen of the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act defining and regulating public amusements and places used therefor requiring and regulating the licensing thereof restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto and providing penalties for violation of this act."

House Bill No. 1937, entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports

House Bill No. 1938, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved May second one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on or after May first."

House Bill No. 1929, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

House Bill No. 1940, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

House Bill No. 1941, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions

House Bill No. 1942, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports by capital stock taxpayers

House Bill No. 1943, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

House Bill No. 1944, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers

House Bill No. 1945, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June ohe thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes modifying time for filing tax reports and transferring certain tax to the Department of Revenue and Auditor General

House Bill No. 1946, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight passengers baggage or oil or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

House Bill No. 1948, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

House Bill No. 1951, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 1952, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

House Bill No. 1953, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1954, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1955, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work at the site of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of said new institution

House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to [further] amend section one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town township or two or more of said municipal divisions

House Bill No. 1957, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general or special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

House Bill No. 1958, entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

House Bill No. 1970, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including he appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foregn fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 1973, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase, or gift, or lease, or condemnation, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata, in whole or in part; to provide for the control, management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

House Bill No. 1977, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2002, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment of bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and

survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with estates of decedents"

House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor, therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

House Bill No. 2024, entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gasses or substances and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2026, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An Act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method of such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties

House Bill No. 2029, entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

House Bill No. 2034, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

House Bill No. 2038, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

House Bill No. 2056, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 2058, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters euipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

House Bill No. 2059, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

House Bill No. 2060, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

House Bill No. 2061, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

House Bill No. 2063, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

House Bill No. 2064, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 2066, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 2072, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities

House Bill No. 2074, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

House Bill No. 2076, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 2081, entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

House Bill No. 2082, entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government

House Bill No. 2083, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue

House Bill No. 2084, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

House Bill No. 2085, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individuals for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

House Bill No. 2086, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

House Bill No. 2087, entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement

House Bill No. 2088, entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

House Bill No. 2095, entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State or Semi-State institutions.

House Bill No. 2098, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind

at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled: "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establsh and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

House Bill No. 2104, entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

House Bill No. 2132, entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriation and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

The PRESIDENT. Gentlemen of the Senate: Now we come to the parting of the ways, and to you as representative of the entire Senate body may I express my personal appreciation for the kindness and courtesy you have shown to the Lieutenant Governor; and during the years, gentlemen, may happiness, prosperity and God be with you.

ADJOURNMENT.

The PRESIDENT. This being the day and hour fixed by Concurrent Resolution for the final adjournment, and the hour of twelve o'clock noon having arrived, I hereby declare the Senate adjourned sine die.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, April 18, 1929.

The House met at 12.05 o'clock A. M.

The SPEAKER (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

PRAYER.

The Chaplain, Rev. Martin W. Schweitzer, Ph. D., offered the following prayer:

Almighty God, as the hours of the closing of the session of this Legislature and the beginning of a new day has occurred, we thank Thee for Thy wonderful kindness towards the children of men. We thank Thee that Thou has prolonged and protected our unworthy lives. Above all we thank Thee for the lack of bitterness and for the fine fellowship during this session. We thank Thee for that wonderful brotherly love and for the divine fellowship that has been brought about during this session. We pray Thee that Thou wilt bless the Governor of this Commonwealth and all of his cabinet members. We pray Thee that Thou wilt bless the Speaker of the House and we thank Thee for his wise executive ability as our leader. We pray Thee that Thou wilt bless all the members from far and near, all of the employes and all who have taken part in these sessions, and have helped in them. If we have lacked in any way it was from the head and not from the heart. We pray that Thou wilt go with us to our various homes and that we may have the blessed satisfaction of knowing that we have done the very best that we could for the sake of the citizens of this Commonwealth. We are mindful of the fact that some of us may be taken away through the natural consequences of life, but if we have the privilege of returning to do Thy work here help us that we may be faithful and loyal. Bless all of the homes that are here represented; bless all of the loved ones and may we feel that as we have been together here so we may have pleasant memories of our associations and that we may continue that fellowship, and may all mercy and peace from God and every good thing be with us now and forevermore. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVED.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal of yesterday.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday, when, on motion of Mrs. Pitts, seconded by Mr. Conner, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2407, (Senate Bill No. 1185), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—205.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines.	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler

Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,	McCallister,		

NAYS—2.

Barton,	Sheely,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order.

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2408, (Senate Bill No. 1241), entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2409, (Senate Bill No. 1242), entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing States employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,

Baker,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,			
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2410, (Senate Bill No. 1286), entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions, for the use of the Commonwealth, and providing for the collection thereof."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2411, (Senate Bill No. 1287), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,

Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker,
Fockler,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2412, (Senate Bill No. 1296), entitled:

An Act to amend Clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel	Gwynne	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2421, (Senate Bill No. 443), entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinegr,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon.	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,

Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fish.	Mathay,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,		Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2417, (Senate Bill No. 1338), entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett.	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A., Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley.	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl.
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle.	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2422, (Senate Bill No. 1012), as follows:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That all accumulations in the State Treasury set aside by the State Treasurer and held in the Insurance Tax Fund and which remained as an undistributed surplus in said fund on December thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight are hereby specifically appropriated to and shall be paid by the State Treasurer into the State Insurance Fund and shall be available for expenditure for the purposes for which the State Insurance Fund is dedicated

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,

Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2068, entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the reunion of the veterans of the twenty-eighth division in celebration of the tenth anniversary of their return from duty overseas imposing duties upon the Adjutant General and making an appropriation.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—207.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J. F. M.,2d,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Barton,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hines,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2402, (Senate Bill No. 914), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reilly,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gicking,			

NAYS—0

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2401, (Senate Bill No. 567), entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Simon,
Barton,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bickett,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Voltz,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Huester,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Jones,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Davis,	King,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2392, (Senate Bill No. 1306), entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 95), entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow or minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Heffner,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rice,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2398, (Senate Bill No. 288), entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvana.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shellenberger,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bicker,	Harter,	Myers,	Stein,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Marcus,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2403, (Senate Bill No. 1085), entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—182.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Staudenmeier
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Stein,
Black,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Bowers,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Himes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wells,
Davidson,	Kahle,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2416, (Senate Bill No. 1337), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,

Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Talbot,
Catania,	Himes,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Root,	Wright,
Evans,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Hess,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Speaker.
	McCallister,		

NAYS—1.

Turner,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2400, (Senate Bill No. 510), entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. S.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peelor,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Peters,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pethick,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Jones,	Pitts,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Post,	Welty,
Davidson,	King,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2404, (Senate Bill No. 1134), entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharges and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages or real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-residents and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia and recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof,

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlee,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.
Aston,	Goehring,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Stark,
Black,	Haws,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Steedle.
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Patterson,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Himes,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver.
Conner,	Jones,	Post.	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	White,
Donnell,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Linton,	Richards. R.,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Fish,	Lowe,	Root,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lucas,	Royle,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schrock,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2395, (Senate Bill No. 1157), entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Aston,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Baily,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baker,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Baldrige,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bausher,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Behm,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stein,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burns,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Catania,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Katz,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wells,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Root,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Royle,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McCann,	Shaffer,	Hess,
Gelnett,	McClure,	Sheely,	Speaker,
Gicking,	McDonald,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2150, (Senate Bill No. 912), entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Gochring,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	McKay,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,

Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Post,	Voltz,
Clovis,	Jones,	Powell,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reader,	Weaver,
Davis,	King,	Reed	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice.	White,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Fox,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2406, (Senate Bill No. 1137), entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McDonald,	Shortz,
Aston,	Gicking,	McGregor,	Shutt,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Simon,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Soffel,
Batchelor,	Gross,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Steedle,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Haws,	Myers,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reader,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kleckner,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	White,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wike,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Root,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Schwartz,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Shaffer,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Sheely,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCann,	Sheffer,	Hess,
			Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2413, (Senate Bill No. 1304), entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Goehring,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Goodnough,	Michel,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Grenet,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Griffith,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Grimes,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Gross,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Bickett,	Hart,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burns,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Washington,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Conner,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Cooke,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dengler,	Kleckner	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,

Dunn,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
			Speaker,

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2414, (Senate Bill No. 1333), entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—186.

Adams, E. C.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hart,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Black,	Hartsock,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Peck,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Pennock,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffran,	Perry,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Peters,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Pethick,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pierce,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pitts,	Voltz,
Caufflel,	Holcombe,	Post,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reilly,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reyburn,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Rhodes,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Rice,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Richards, B.,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Richards, R.,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Riddle,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rieder,	Wike,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Ronemus,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Linton,	Root,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Royle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Sautter,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Schilling,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Schreck,	Wright,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Yerg,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Scott, J. G.,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Scott, W. H.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,	
Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1918, entitled:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam, by the Department of Labor and Industry; and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—188.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Schwartz,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Simon,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Peck,	Storer,
Bowers,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burns	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Caufflel,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Clark, M. S.	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Clovis,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Conner,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Davis,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wood,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Royle,	Yerg,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Hess,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Speaker.
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	

NAYS—1.

Witherspoon,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2420, (Senate Bill No. 1563), entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, P. G.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.	Greeby,	McKay,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Smith, W. B.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Black,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Boggs,	Haws,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermanson,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Clovis,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 1868, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the Motor License Fund for the construction of a highway in Bedford County to the site of the marker erected in honor of Captan Phillips Scouts

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—185.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,
Aston,	Gicking,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Bausher,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Wells,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	King,	Reader,	White,
Denne,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Leidich,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lockhart,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Lose,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Lucas,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Hess,
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2276, (Senate Bill No. 659), entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County, and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

And said bill having been read at length the third time, considered and agreed to,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fox,	McCann,	Schwartz,
Aston,	Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,
Bally,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Baker,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baldrige,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Behm,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Bell, F. A.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Bell, W. T.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.
Bicker,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Black,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Munley,	Stark,
Boggs,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Steedle,
Braham,	Heffran,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Peck,	Storer,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peelor	Sullivan,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pennock,	Tahl,
Catania,	Holmes,	Perry,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Peters,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clovis,	Katz,	Pitts,	Washington,
Conner,	King,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Powell,	Weidemann,
Davis,	Kohr,	Purucker,	Wells,
Dengler,	Landis,	Reader	Welty,
Denne,	Leidich,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Lowe,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Embardt,	Lynch,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Hess, Speaker.

NAYS—1.

Witherspoon

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return the same to the Senate with information that the House has passed it without amendment.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 263, as follows:

An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section twenty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties" which was amended by section twelve of an act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-three) entitled "An act to amend section two to further amend section three to amend sections four five and seven to further amend section eleven to amend sections twelve fourteen eighteen twenty-two and twenty-five to further amend sections twenty-six twenty-eight and twenty-nine and to amend sections thirty-two thirty-four and thirty-five of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled 'An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to livestock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certan State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties' changing certain license fees burial fees paid to owners of live stock killed by dogs and mileage fees paid to appraisers of damages caused thereby changing certain regulations as to the keeping and killing of dogs and providing for a quarantine on dogs in fixed areas in certain cases" is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 26 Whenever any person sustains any loss or damage to any live stock or poultry by dogs or any live stock or poultry of any person is necessarily destroyed because of having been bitten by a dog except when such loss destruction or damage shall have been caused by a dog harbored by the owner of such live stock or poultry such person or his agent or attorney may immediately after the damage was done complain to any township auditor or to any justice of the peace alderman or magistrate of the township town borough or city Such complaint shall be in writing shall be signed by the person making such complaint and shall state when where and how such damage was done and by whose dog or dogs if known Claims covering damage due to rabies [resulting from a bite of a rabid dog] shall be made immediately following the death of the animal and shall be supported by a certificate from a licensed and duly qualified veterinarian or a report from the laboratory of [the Bureau of Animal Industry of] the Department of Agriculture to the effect that such animal was affected with rabies Such township auditor justice of the peace alderman or magistrate shall at once notify an auditor of the district if there be any and where

there is no auditor then the controller of the district and together they shall at once examine the place where the alleged loss or damage was sustained and the live stock or poultry injured or killed They shall then jointly fix a time for taking testimony relative to such claim and shall give notice of such time to the claimant and to the dog owner if known Such appraisers shall examine under oath or affirmation any witness called before them After making diligent inquiry in relation to such claim such appraisers shall determine whether any damage has been sustained and the amount thereof and if possible who was the owner of the dog or dogs by which such damage was done If the two appraisers can not agree as to the amount of damage sustained the Secretary of Agriculture through his officers or agents may appoint a disinterested citizen to assist in determining the amount of damage sustained

Any owner or keeper of such dog or dogs shall be liable to the owner of such live stock or poultry in a civil action for all damages and costs or to the Commonwealth to the extent of the amount of damages and costs paid by the Commonwealth as hereinafter provided

When the inhabitants of any city borough or township or of any part thereof have suffered an excessive amount of damage by dogs to live stock or poultry a petition may be presented to the Secretary of Agriculture signed by twenty or more of such residents who are owners of live stock or poultry alleging such excessive damage and requesting that a quarantine be placed on all dogs within the limits of such city borough or township or such part thereof Upon receipt of such petition the Secretary of Agriculture may through his authorized agents have an investigation made of the facts alleged therein and if convinced that conditions in such city borough or township or such designated area demands such stringent measures he may establish a dog control quarantine therein

When such quanantine is established at least ten notices thereof shall be posted throughout the area affected thereby and notice thereof also be published in at least one issue of a newspaper of general circulation throughout such city borough or township

It shall be unlawful for any person residing in the area affected by such quarantine to permit a dog owned or harbored by him to run at large in such quarantined area or to leave the premises where it is kept unless accompanied by and under the control of himself or a handler

Any police officer may kill any dog running at large in a quarantine area in violation of such quarantine without any liability for damages for such killing

Section 2 That section thirty-five of said act which was amended by section seventeen of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred thirty-three) entitled "An act to amend section two to further amend section three to amend sections four five and seven to further amend section eleven to amend sections twelve fourteen eighteen twenty-two and twenty-five to further amend sections twenty-six twenty-eight and twenty-nine and to amend sections thirty-two thirty-four and thirty-five of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled 'An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties' changing certain license fees burial fees to owners of live stock killed by dogs and mileage fees paid to appraisers of damages caused thereby changing certain regulations as to the keeping and killing dogs and providing for a quarantine on dogs in fixed areas in certain cases" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 35 The Secretary of Agriculture through his officers and agents shall be charged with the general enforcement of this law To this end the Secretary of Agriculture may employ all proper means for the enforcement of this act and may enter into agreements with local agencies and organizations to that end The said officers and agents of the Secretary of Agriculture in the enforcement of this act are hereby authorized to enter upon the premises of any or persons for the purpose of investigation upon displaying his badge of identification furnished by the Department of Agriculture

Section 3 That section thirty-six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 36 Any person violating or failing or refusing to comply with any of the provisions of this act shall upon conviction in a summary proceeding before a magistrate alderman or justice of the peace be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars and costs of prosecution or to undergo imprisonment not exceeding thirty days or both

All fines collected under the provisions of this act shall be forthwith paid to the county treasurer and by him paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—183.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McAlee,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McAlinn,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goehring,	McCallister,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McCann,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Greeby,	McClure,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	McKay,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Meredith,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Millar,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Black,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Bowers,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Braham,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Wells,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Wettach,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	White,
Davis,	Katz,	Reed,	Wike,
Denne	King,	Reilly,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Leidich,	Richards, E.,	Witkin,
Ede,	Linton,	Riddle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Reider,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Wright,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Iless,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Speaker.
Fuller,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	
		Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2424, (Senate Bill No. 714), entitled:

An Act relating to townships, regulating the annexation of parts of townships to boroughs and cities, and the incorporation of boroughs and cities within the limits of townships.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, this is the so-called annexation bill introduced by Mr. Brandt in the Senate. As a matter of fact it is not an annexation bill because if this bill becomes a law it will destroy the right of any city to annex contiguous territory to that city and for that reason I am opposed to it. The bill provides that before any contiguous territory to a borough or to a third class city can be annexed that a majority of the whole township from which that section of the territory desiring to be annexed belongs will have to consent to the annexation. Now it is always the custom when there is an annexation of a particular piece of contiguous territory to a city or a borough that it does not consist of the whole township but merely of a small portion of it, but this bill goes very much farther and it affects the individual city or borough interested and the parties interested in the annexation and it will deprive those people of the right of having the privileges of the city including light, sewage and other privileges that a section of a township desires when it petitions for annexation. Because of these facts and because as I say it will not only defeat the right of self-determination but it will also defeat the bill now in the hands of the Governor, I ask the House to vote this bill down.

Mr. BALDRIGE. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I think you have all heard my expressions against annexations by the larger cities, but this is one I think is very good, and the only one that I ever saw come into the House that I could see my way clear to vote for. I will tell you the purpose of this bill. This bill was introduced into the Senate by Senator Brandt of Allegheny County and it applies particularly to a condition in our own county and especially in my own district. This bill is for the protection of the interests of our rural public schools and the rural communities in our county as well as some of the other counties. We have such a situation like this in one of our large townships, where one part of the township close to the city of Pittsburgh is built up very closely and is very populous, and has control of most of the wealth of that township. If that part of the township can vote and take all of that wealth and population out of that township at the expense of the rest of it, and give it to the city of Pittsburgh, the balance of the township will not have sufficient funds to rebuild and renew their schools. It is only fair if a township or a part of a township is going to be annexed for all of the townsship to vote on the question, and I ask you to vote "aye" on this bill.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in the closing hours of the session I do not wish to take up very much time nor to engage in much argument. In fairness to third class cities and to the boroughs and counties and in fairness to the annexation bill that has just been passed by the House and by the Senate, I think that some explanation is due. Mr. Bladrige has told you that this is an annexation bill. He has told you that it is designed to meet a particular condition. That is true. It has been designed selfishly to meet the condition in one township in Allegheny County and I submit to you that it is not within the province of this legislature to enact laws for the benefit of a certain section. I submit to this House that this Legislature should not enact legislation covering a particular condition when forty-one third class cities in this state have been fighting for years for a proper annexation bill. There was introduced in the Senate, at the request of the League of Third Class Cities, Senate Bill No. 415. It went through the Senate, it was amended and was subjected to the criticisms of the various boroughs, townships and the League of Third Class Cities; it came to the House and was subjected to another public hearing, and was amended to the entire satisfaction of every interest. This bill if passed would destroy every good thing that Senate Bill No. 415 has accomplished. Is one township in Allegheny to be set over against such cities as Wilkes-Barre, Allentown, Reading, New Castle, McKeesport and the rest of the forty-one third class cities? This bill is a nullification bill entirely, and I ask you to vote it down.

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I arise with regret to oppose remarks of my friend from Lawrence, Mr. Richards, wherein he states that this bill is designed for selfish purposes. The truth of the matter is that it is designed for the correcting of a situation that needs to be corrected. As the law now stands it is possible to have a situation such as this. You may have a township with various subdivisions in it, one of which, because of the concentration of population may desire annexation, and then another subdivision may be taken by a contiguous borough or city without consent of the remaining subdivisions of that township. Incidentally I have here a telegram from William Edward Armstrong, President of the Allegheny County Supervisors Association:

"George F. Howe, House of Reps., Harrisburg, Pa.

Senate Bill Number 714 representing the most vital and protective measure affecting the integrity of townships in general has passed the Senate and is now before the House for your consideration. May I most earnestly request you in behalf of the Allegheny County Association of Township Commissioners to kindly extend your personal support and influence in securing the passage of this important measure with the assurance of our sincere gratitude and appreciation.

(Sgd.) William Edward Armstrong
President Allegheny County Association of
Township Commissioners."

This is a representative body and it seems to me, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, that on subjects that refer to townships we ought to follow out and support the ideas as reflected by those who are charged with the responsibility of township affairs and the gentleman referred to calls on us to vote for this bill.

One more word, and that is this. This bill brings into play the time proven fundamental principle of the referendum and it should be favorably acted upon.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Musmanno?

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Allegheny, permit himself to be interrogated?

Mr. MUSMANNO. With pleasure, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. WITKIN. Mr. Speaker, may I ask the gentleman whether he is for or against this bill?

Mr. MUSMANNO. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I might say to the gentlemen from Philadelphia that if he had been awake he would know that I am for this bill.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—24.

Baldrige,	Evans,	McCann,	Rhodes,
Barton,	Fox.	McClure.	Riddle,
Bell, W. T.,	Fuller,	McDonald,	Stadtlander,
Brown, T. J.,	Gross,	McGregor,	Storer,
Davidson,	Hagmaier,	Michel,	Sullivan,
Denne,	Himes,	Miller, S. H.,	Wettach,
Dietrich,	Kahle,	Musmanno,	Wood,
Dunn,	Marcus,	Purucker,	Ziesenheim,

NAYS—107.

Adams, E. C.,	Fockler,	Peck.	Sowers,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett	Peelor,	Spangler,
Aston.	Gicking.	Pennock,	Stark.
Baily,	Goodnough,	Pethick,	Staudenmeier,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Haines,	Pierce,	Stein,
Baldi J.F.M.,2d.,	Harding.	Pitts,	Sterling,
Batchelor,	Hartsock,	Post,	Stevenson,
Bausher,	Haws,	Powell,	Storb,
Bechtel,	Heffernan,	Reader,	Tahl,
Behm,	Henderson,	Reed,	Talbot,
Bicker,	Hermansen,	Reilly,	Turner,
Bickett,	Holcombe,	Reyburn,	Walker,
Black,	Huester,	Rice,	Washington,
Blumberg,	Jones,	Richards, B.,	Way.
Braham,	King,	Rieder.	Weaver,
Brown, E. P.,	Kirkbride,	Ronemus,	Weidemann,
Burns.	Kohr,	Root.	Wells,
Catania,	Leidich,	Schilling,	White,
Cauffiel.	Linton,	Schreck,	Wike,
Clark, J. G.,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Williams, J. J.,
Clark, M. S.,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Witherspoon,
Clovis,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Witkin,
Conner,	McKay.	Scott, W. H.,	Wolfe.
Cooke,	Memolo,	Shaffer,	Wright,
Eaches,	Moore., D. G.,	Sheely,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Moore, W. H.,	Shellenberger,	Yerg,
Erdley,	Nothnagle.	Shortz,	Hess,
Fish,	Patterson, F. W.,	Simon,	Speaker.

Less than the majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative, and the bill falls.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 2180, (Senate Bill No. 940), entitled:

An Act regulating the location of cemeteries in townships; conferring jurisdiction on the court of quarter sessions to grant or refuse permits therefor; and providing penalties.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third reading?

BILL DROPPED FROM THE CALENDAR.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that this bill be dropped from the calendar.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD READING.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the third reading and consideration of House Bill No. 924, entitled:

An Act providing for the acquisition of a site for and construction of a State Normal School in Somerset County by the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees therefor and making an appropriation

And said bill having been read at length the third time considered and agreed to,

On the qestion,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McCallister,	Shellenberger,
Aston,	Gicking.	McCann.	Shortz,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Shutt,
Baker,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Simon,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bicker,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Mumford,	Sterling,
Boggs.	Harter,	Munley,	Stevenson,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Storb,
Braham,	Haws,	Myers,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Talbot,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clovis,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Jones,	Powell,	Wells,
Davis,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Welty,
Dengler,	Katz,	Reader,	Wettach,
Denne,	King,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Ditter,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dunn,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Eaches,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ede,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ederer,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Emhardt,	Lose.	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Erdley,	Loucks,	Root,	Wolfe,
Evans,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wood,
Fish,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Flynn,	Lynch,	Schrock,	Yeakel,
Fockler,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Yerg,
Fox,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Ziesenheim,
Fuller,	McAlinn,	Sheely,	Hess,
			Speaker.

YEAS—2.

Batchelor, Moore, D. G.,

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

QUESTION OF PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I arise to a question of parlimentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of parlimentary inquiry.

Mr. SPANGLER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to know what benefit can de derived from passing House Bills at this time?

The SPEAKER. The Chair will explain that when a person sponsors a bill it is always a great satisfaction to see that it has passed finally.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE.

Mr. SCHILLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 1918, file folio 8697 entitled:

An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of engineers having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines and the licensing of operators of hoisting and portable machinery when the motive power is mechanical and other than steam by the Department of Labor and Industry and providing for collecting of fees and appropriating funds for the enforcement of this act

on page 7 of today's calendar, bills on third reading, passed finally be reconsidered.

Mr. D. GLENN MOORE. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was not agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMITTEE REPORTS ON HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the difference existing between the two Houses on House Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

An Act to further amend sections one hundred one, one hundred sixteen and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special of local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2099.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the difference existing between the two Houses on House Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 209) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

BILL DROPPED FROM THE CALENDAR.

Mr. STERLING. Mr. Speaker, I move that House Bill No. 2163, (Senate Bill No. 1145), file folio 6903, entitled:

An Act creating and appropriating a fund for the purpose of rebuilding restoring and replacing real and personal property of the Commonwealth damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty and prohibiting the purchase of insurance for the above purposes

on page 9 of to-day's calendar, bills on third reading postponed, be dropped from the calendar.

Mr. HAGMAIER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE.

HOUSE BILLS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bills from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1007.

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1889.

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

HOUSE BILL No. 1347.

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges

HOUSE BILL No. 891.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

With the information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence, bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 681. (HOUSE BILL No. 2425).

An Act to amend section three hundred and one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 736) entitled: "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder".

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary General.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1638.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act appproved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at

the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits' defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisments in such estates

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 3, section 1, line 9, by striking out after the word "twenty-six" the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend page 5, section 1, line 5, by striking out the word "personal" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provisional".

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Goehring,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Michel,	Simon,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Smith W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Sterling,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stevenson,
Blumberg,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Boggs,	Henderson,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Hermansen,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Walker,
Burke,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Burns,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Kahle,	Powell,	Wells,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Purucker,	Welty,
Clovis,	King,	Reader,	Wettach,
Conner,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	White,
Davis,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Root,	Wood,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Hess,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1143.

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred nine) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the Department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 5, line 14, by striking out the word "the"; also line 15, by striking out the words: "secretary bring shall call upon"

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Gelnett,	McCann,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gicking,	McClure,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shortz,
Baker,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Griffith,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Peters,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pierce,	Way,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	Jones,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reed,	White,
Davis	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.
Dietrich,	Landis,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dunn,	Linton,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Root,	Wolfe,
Ede,	Lose,	Royle,	Wood,
Ederer,	Loucks,	Sautter,	Wright,
Emhardt,	Lowe,	Schilling,	Yeakel,
Erdley,	Lucas,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Evans,	Lynch,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fish,	Marcus,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 46.

An Act to amend route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixey-nine route four hundred and fifty-one route five hundred and thirty-three route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

Amend title page 1, line 1, by striking out the following: "route four hundred and sixty-nine" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixty-nine route four hundred and fifty-one route five hundred and thirty-three route four hundred and ninety-six as amended route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended."

Amend section 1, page 1, line 4 by striking out the words: "route number four hundred and sixty-nine" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "routes numbers three hundred and seventy-six four hundred and ninety-six and five hundred and eleven;" also line 11 by striking out the words "is here-"; also line 12 by striking out the words: "by amended to read as follows" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "As amended by act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred) entitled "An act to amend routes three hundred and seventy-six three hundred and seventy-seven three hundred and eighty-five three hundred and eighty-six three hundred and ninety-three three hundred and ninety-four three hundred and ninety-five three hundred and ninety-seven three hundred and ninety-eight four hundred and two four hundred and thirty-eight four hundred and forty four hundred and sixty-eight four hundred and ninety-three four hundred and ninety-six five hundred and eleven five hundred and twelve five hundred and fifteen five hundred and twenty-seven and five hundred and forty-two of section one of an act approved the eigth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-one) entitled 'An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth" are hereby amended to read as follows

Route three hundred and seventy-six A certain public road beginning at station one thousand eighty-four plus ninety-two in Westmoreland County on Route number one hundred eighteen between Greensburg and Washington Being Rankin Cross Roads near J. C. Rankin and McConnell farms and extending by way of Lebanon School House and Fells Church to Elizabeth in Allegheny County thence to West Elizabeth thence following an improved county road through the corporate limits of the City of Clairton to the corporate limits of what was formerly Wilson Borough thence following the township road through the Township of Jefferson to Aber School thence [to the intersection of an unimproved portion of what is known as New England in Mifflin Township thence to Lebanon Church Crossing an improved County road known as the Lebanon Church Road following the route of the Old Pittsburgh Turnpike] to an intersection known as Bonner's Corner on the Pittsburgh-McKeesport Boulevard crossing an improved County road known as the Lebanon Church Road

Amend section 1, page 2, line 1, by striking out the following: Route Four Hundred Sixty-nine Beginning at Degolia in McKean County and running thence to Smethport in the County of McKean by way of Minard Run Valley Aiken Simpson and Ormsby; also line 4 by inserting after the word "Ormsby" the following: Route four hundred and ninety-six Beginning as Asbury Chapel Erie County on route number two hundred and seventy-two thence northerly along present township road to intersection with route number eighty-six thence westerly along route number eighty-six to Avonia thence westerly along West Lake Road to North Springfield thence southerly and westerly along which is known as the "Middle Road" to its intersection with route number eighty-five Erie County

Route five hundred and eleven Beginning at Pleasantville Borough in the County of Venango and extending to a point on the dividing line between Venango and Forest Counties thence by way of Neilltown [and Fogle Farm] to Tionesta in the County of Forest

Section 2 That Route four hundred and four four hundred and forty-two four hundred and fifty-two four hundred and sixty-nine four hundred and fifty-one and five hundred and thirty-three of said act are hereby amended to read as follows

Route four hundred and four Beginning at a point in the Borough of State College Centre County on State Highway Route number fifty-six thence in a northwesterly direction [a distance of five miles more or less to the village of Waddles on State Highway Route number three hundred and forty-six in Centre County] to Route number one hundred seven near Martha Centre County

Route four hundred forty-two Beginning at the limits of the City of Lancaster Lancaster County at Lititz Avenue and running thence to Lititz on the Lancaster Turnpike Road thence by spur by way of Erb's Lime Kiln connecting with Route five hundred and twelve at Shenks Cross Roads thence from Lititz [thence] along Lititz and Lexington Turnpike Road to Lexington Hotel thence over township road by way of Zartman's Mill to Brickerville and intersecting with State Highway Route number one hundred thirty-seven

Route four hundred and fifty-two Beginning at a point on State highway rout number ninety-three [in the Borough of Tidioute] in Warren County and running thence through Triumph and Deerfield Townships to a point on State highway route number eighty-nine above the town of Newton

Route four hundred sixty-nine Beginning at Degolia in McKean County and running thence to Smethport in the County of McKean by way of Minard Run Valley Aiken Simpson and Ormsby

Route four hundred and fifty-one Beginning at a point in State Highway Route number two hundred and sixty-eight at Dry Tavern and running thence by way of Carmichaels Paisley Sugar Grove Church Ramseys Cross Roads Monongahela Hill Cemetery Old Glass Works Greensboro Penn Pitt Coal Company Poland Station Dilliner [and Derr Brothers farm to the West Virginia State line at Rosedale] to a point on the west side of the Monongahela River in Greene County opposite State Highway route number one hundred and sixteen in Fayette County

Route Five Hundred and Thirty-three Beginning at a point on State highway route number six at Dundaff Street in the Borough of Dickson City thence in a northwesterly direction along Scott Run [to Hall's Corners thence in a northerly direction to Shennens Corners to the Blakely Home thence to a point on State highway route number three hundred and twenty-two at or near Blakely Home Corners] to an intersection with road leading to Justus thence by way of Justus in a northerly direction to Craig thence in a westerly direction by way of Wallsville Church to an intersection with State highway route number three hundred and sixty-five at Greens' Corners

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Metzinger,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Michel,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Millar,	Simon,
Barton,	Grimes,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gross,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Black,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peck,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Post,	Wells,
Cooke,	Katz,	Powell,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Landis,	Reilly,	White,
Dietrich,	Leidich,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Ditter,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lowe,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lucas,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lynch,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wood,
Evans,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 566.

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five) for further study of the criminal laws of the Commonwealth

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend page 3, section 4, line 8, by striking out the word "fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen"; also same line by striking out the numerals "($50,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals "($15,000)."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheely,
Baily,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, W. H.,	Soffel,
Behm,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harding,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Harter,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran.	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, T. J.,	Himes,	Perry,	Turner,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Peters,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clovis,	Huester,	Post,	Weidemann,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Welty,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Wettach,
Davidson,	King,	Reader,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Dengler,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Denne,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Lockhart,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Erdley,	Marcus,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlinn,	Schrock,	Zeisenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fuller,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RECESS.

The SPEAKER. If there is no objecton, the Chair will declare a recess until 10.30 o'clock A. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The House reconvened at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

The Speaker (Aaron B. Hess) in the Chair.

INFORMATION REQUESTED BY RESOLUTION No. 17.

The SPEAKER laid before the House communications which were read by the Clerk as follows:

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia.

12th April, 1929.

Mr. E. F. White, Chief Clerk,
House of Representatives,
Harrisburg, Pa.

My dear sir:

I beg to hand you herewith copy of a statement complying with the provisions of Resolution No. 17, file of the

House of Representatives, passed by the House on March 18, 1929, and concurred in by the Senate on March 20th.

I believe you will find this statement satisfactory. Additional copies will be furnished, or I will send them direct to any others who should receive them.

Yours very truly,

(Sgd.) George A. Brakeley

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE.

1046 applicants to the 1928 Freshman Class.
112 Admitted to the 1928 Freshman Class.
72 residents of Pennsylvania.
12 students who had been 3 or 4 years in the University of Pennsylvania and who might almost be said to have acquired residentship in Pennsylvania.
1 student who had been 4 years at Franklin and Marshall college in Pennsylvania and who might likewise almost be considered a resident of Pennsylvania.
1 student who had spent a year in the Graduate School of the University of Pennsylvania.
7 sons of graduates of the School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania. We always have admitted the sons of our Alumni.
1 son of a University of Pennsylvania Professor who was killed in the war.
2 brothers of graduates of our School of Medicine.
7 sons of doctors.
2 from Delaware. There is no medical school in this state, and we have a feeling that we must do our share to educate their doctors.
5 recommended strongly to us by our alumni.
2 admitted just because they were fine students.

112.

Prepared by Dr. William Pepper, Dean.

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY
PHILADELPHIA

School of Commerce

March 21, 1929.

Honorable Aaron B. Hess,
Speaker of the House,
Harrisburg, Penna.,

Dear Mr. Hess:

We do not need to wait until this Resolution Number 17 is passed by the Senate. We are glad to give Mr. Batchelor the information now.

The number of eligible applicants for admission to the Medical School last fall was 605. The number of these eligible applicants admitted was 64. Of these 64 admitted 58 are Pennsylvanians. The same proportion of Pennsylvania students applies to the entire enrollment of 1250 students in the institution this year. Practically all of our students are Pennsylvanians.

Very cordially yours,
Milton F. Stauffer,
Dean of the School of Commerce.

THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA.

Office of the Dean
Tenth and Walnut Streets.

April 8, 1929.

Mr. E. F. White,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives,
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Pursuant to resolution adopted by the House of Representatives on March 11, 1929, requesting information with regard to applicants for admission to medical school, and those accepted for admission to the First Year Class of the Jefferson Medical College, and others, for the Session 1928-1929, I would submit the following:

Preceding the opening of the Session 1928-1929, there were a large number of requests for information, and a smaller number who partially complied with the requirements for admission. Altogether, 593 applicants were approved by the Department of Public Instruction as meeting the educational requirements for admission. Places in the class were awarded from this group, preference being given to those who had completed, in a highly satisfactory manner, more than the required amount of work in institutions of first grade, and who were personally highly recommended as probably having special aptitude for medical study. Altogether, 222 were offered places, and of the latter number, 181 actually matriculated, the difference being occasioned by the declination of the offer, either because of a change of plans, or because of the acceptance of a place in some other medical school. Of the 181 students who enrolled, 116 were from the State of Pennsylvania.

In interpreting the signficance of the large number of applications received by the various medical schools it should be born in mind that there is a large number of duplications of application. I know of one instance in which a student applied to thirty-one different medical schools and was declined by all of them; and another case in which a student applied to fourteen medical schools, and was accepted by all of them; showing that men of good abilities have no difficulty in securing admission to a first-grade medical school, whereas those lacking in desirable qualifications find it difficult to get in anywhere; which is, of course a satisfactory condition of affairs.

There are in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania approximately 11,000 physicians. Nearly one-fourth of these, (approximately 2650), are graduates of the Jefferson Medical College.

I incorporate herewith tables showing (1) geographical origin of the First Year Class, for the present Sessions. It will be observed that in each instance more than half of the number are students originating in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

GEOGRAPHICAL ORIGIN OF THE STUDENT BODY,
SESSION 1928-1929.

Pennsylvania	346
New Jersey	35
North Carolina	31
Ohio	30
Connecticut	17
New York	13
Rhode Island	11
West Virginia	9
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	8
South Carolina	7
Delaware	6
Hawaii	6
Texas	6
Tennessee	5
Missouri	5
Mississippi	5
Florida	5
Virginia	3
California	3
Alabama	3
Illinois	3
Maine	3
New Hampshire	2
Nebraska	2
Montana	2
Washington	2
Utah	2
Georgia	2
Porto Rico	2
Minnesota	1
Indiana	1
Arizona	1
District of Columbia	1
Michigan	1
Oregon	1
Costa Rica	1
Arkansas	1
Colombia	1
Kansas	1

Kentucky	1
North Dakota	1
Korea	1
India	1
Honduras	1
Total enrollment, Student Body	597

GEOGRAPHICAL ORIGIN OF THE FIRST YEAR CLASS, SESSION, 1928-1929.

Pennsylvania	116
New Jersey	14
Ohio	12
Connecticut	6
New York	6
South Carolina	3
Rhode Island	2
Maine	2
Massachusetts	2
North Carolina	2
Florida	2
West Virginia	2
Tennessee	2
Minnesota	1
Indiana	1
Delaware	1
New Hampshire	1
Arizona	1
Maryland	1
Missouri	1
District of Columbia	1
Hawaii	1
Honduras	1
Total enrollment of the Class	181

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has been generous in the aid extended to medical schools in their endeavor to supply to the Commonwealth and to others men well-trained to care for the sick and injured. The pecuniary aid given has been most helpful, and while it constitutes, in this institution, less than one-seventh of the cost of instruction, it is nevertheless, of very great assistance.

If there is any further information with regard to our work or students which is desired by the Legislature, or any of its members, I shall be glad to furnish it at any time.

Very truly yours,

ROSS V. PATTERSON,
Dean.

THE HAHNEMANN MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, Pa.,
April 10th, 1929.

General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, Penna.

Gentlemen:—

In reply to Resolution No. 17, File of the House of Representatives, I desire to report that 177 students were admitted to the freshman class of The Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia on October 1st, and 108 of these students came from the State of Pennsylvania.

Eight hundred and thirty-four students applied for matriculation between November 1st, 1927, and October 1st, 1928.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. PEARSON,
Dean.

WOMAN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE OF PENNSYLVANIA PHILADELPHIA.

The General Assembly of Pennsylvania,
House of Representatives,

Gentlemen:

Referring to your form No. 2371 with reference to Resolution No. 17 would reply as follows:

First—The number of students that sought admission to the Freshman Class of the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania in September, 1928—107.

Second—The number of medical students admitted to the Freshman Class of the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania in September, 1928—41.

Third—The number of such medical students admitted to the Freshman Class of the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania in September, 1928, who are residents of Pennsylvania—10.

I beg to call attention to the fact that the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania is the only medical school in the United States exclusively for the training of women students. Admission is therefore sought by students from all States who do not wish to enroll in a co-educational medical school or who are denied admission to co-educational schools because of the limited enrollment capacity therein.

(Sgd.) Martha Tracy, M. D., Dean.

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Office of the Secretary

April 12, 1929.

Mr. E. F. White, Chief Clerk,
House of Representatives,
Harrisburg, Pa.

My dear Mr. White:

In accordance with Resolution adopted by the House of Representatives March 18th and concurred in by the Senate March 20th, and approved April 4th by the Governor, I submit the enclosed memorandum containing the information requested.

In assemblying or using this information, it should be borne in mind that a great many applying for admission to schools of Medicine in Pennsylvania apply to more than one school, so that the number of individuals actually not admitted will not be as great as the total number reported by the various schools of medicine.

I am,
Cordially yours,

L. B. Lenhart,
Secretary.

MEMORANDUM—ADMISSION TO SCHOOL OF MEDICINE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH, SEPTEMBER, 1928.

Note 1.—Total number of students registered in the School of Medicine 1928-29:

From Pennsylvania	258
Outside of Pennsylvania	3
	261

Note 2.—Total number of applications considered for admission to the Freshman Class, Fall of 1928:

Admitted	67
Not Admitted	197
	264

Note 3.—Of those admitted,
64 are residents of Pennsylvania and
3 are residents of other states
—
67 total number admitted to freshman class 1928-29.

In addition to the above, 459 applications from non-residents of Pennsylvania were received but not considered by the Committee on Admissions on account of not being residents of Pennsylvania.

Note 4.—Of the 197 applicants received but not admitted, 35 presented credentials and other qualifications, which in the opinion of the Committee on Admissions, indicated that they were fairly desirable candidates for the study of medicine. 162 of those rejected presented poor records, these applicants did not show reasonable average ability records and these, apparently, were not likely to be able to make satisfactory records in the School of Medicine and meet the requirements of the State Board.

Note 5.—Only 35 residents of Pennsylvania fully qualified were not admitted September, 1929.

Note 6.—Non residents of Pennsylvania 1.1% of total number in School of Medicine 1928-29.

Note 7.—Non residents of Pennsylvania 4.4% of total number admitted September 1928.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Agreeably to order,

The House proceeded to the consideration on final passage of House Bill No. 1663, as follows:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and certain bonds and certificates of cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section one of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing a maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That the word "Municipality" as used in this act shall mean any county except counties of the second class city of the third class borough of the second class [city of the third class] borough town township school district of the second third and fourth class and poor district

Section 2 That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 3 The mayor of each city of the third class the burgess of each borough or town the president of the board of county commissioners of each county except counties of the second class the president of the township commissioners of each first class township the chairman of the board of township supervisors of each second class township the president of each school board and the president or chairman of the board of poor directors or overseers of each poor district which shall have any proceedings for the incurring or increasing of indebtedness except notes issued in anticipation of revenue for not more than one year or notes bonds or certificates issued by cities of the third class for public improvements and secured or to be secured by assessments or liens against property assessed or benefited hall before any bonds or evidences of indebtedness are actually issued and sold certify to the Department of Internal Affairs a complete and accurate copy of the proceedings had for such incurring or increasing of indebtedness together with the assessed valuation of the property subject to taxation within the respective municipality the total amount of the existing indebtedness and the several amounts claimed as permitted deductions in ascertaining the real indebtedness of such municipality

Any officer of any such municipality who shall fail or refuse to certify any such proceedings or other facts as required by this section or who shall wilfully certify any such proceedings or facts which are false or inaccurate shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to undergo imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or both

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—180.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Gelnett,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goodnough,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Batchelor,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Michel,	Simon,
Bechtel,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Miller, H. A.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Miller, S. H.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harding,	Moore, W. H.,	Stadtlander,
Eckett,	Harkins,	Muldowney,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Mumford,	Staudenmeier,
Black,	Harter,	Munley,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Haws,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bowers	Heffernan,	Nothnagle,	Storer,
Braham,	Hefferon,	O'Neill,	Sullivan,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Peck,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Voltz,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Walker,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Washington,
Catania,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Way,
Cauffiel,	Huester,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Clark, J. G.,	Jones,	Post,	Weidemann,
Clark, M. S.,	Katz,	Powell,	Wells,
Clovis,	Kirkbride,	Purucker,	Welty,
Conner,	Kleckner,	Reader,	Wettach,
Cooke,	Kohr,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Davis,	Landis,	Reyburn,	White,
Dengler,	Leidich,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Denne,	Linton,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Dietrich,	Lockhart,	Richards B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Ditter,	Lose,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Loucks,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witkin,
Ede,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Erdley,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeagel,
Evans,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fish,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fockler,	McClure,	Shaffer,	Speaker.
Fox,	McDonald,		

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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. BATCHELOR. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. BATCHELOR. Mr. Speaker, and members of the House, some time ago there was presented in this House a resolution requesting certain information from the Medical Colleges of the State of Pennsylvania. The members of this House voted for that resolution. This morning in reply to that request for information the Clerk read certain replies from those Medical Schools and as I understand they will be spread upon the Journal of the House. I have not had much opportunity to study these replies but from what I have studied it would seem that very little more than 10 per cent of the applicants for admission to medical school are permitted to enter these medical schools.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I maintain it is unfair to permit a boy to spend some years in premedical

schools and upon application for admission to medical schools just at the beginning of the term to receive a letter from the medical schools saying the class is full and he is refused permission to enter. I want to commend the study of these reports to the members of the House during the next two years, so that perhaps you will agree with me that this condition is unfair and some remedy may be found. If only 10 per cent of the boys who are qualified to enter medical school are permitted to enter, there must be some reason for it and perhaps the reason does not lie with the medical schools. I also want to commend the study of this information to the newspapers of the state of Pennsylvania in order that we may perhaps find some solution for the remedying of this situation.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman under his question of personal privilege will be spread at length upon the Legislative Journal.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will state his question of personal privilege.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, the closing of this session brings with it many duties, special and otherwise. It now falls to my good luck to perform one of those duties which is otherwise. Every House, every Senate, every organization, always has in it some character that spreads good cheer, good luck and good fortune to those who serve earnestly, faithfully, carefully and intelligently.

We have in our House a man whom you all know and have known for many years. We all know that this man has never missed an opportunity to serve a friend. That man for a long time has occupied the role of Kris Kringle and Santa Claus to this House, and it is with great pleasure that I ask at this time that our good old Kris Kringle be given the Chair to perform his ceremonies. I present Doctor Heffernan of Philadelphia.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Doctor Heffernan.

PRESENTATION EXERCISES.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. Mr. Speaker and members of the House ladies and gentlemen. After a very quiet evening I feel you are now prepared to hear the glad tidings. For a number of years, previous to the fifteen years that I have been here, the members of the House have willingly, without being asked to do so, contributed to a fund for the purpose of remembering those who have served them here on the floor of the House or given some service to them which has helped them in their affairs. This is no new idea of mine as it dates back about sixty years and the custom has been handed down until finally as my good friend Clint Sowers says, I seem to be the Santa Claus that comes down the chimney. I wish I could come down the chimney in the home of all of the members of the House and leave them something, and something real, but we are all coming back here and we are going to see you all here two years from now. It will be a great pleasure for me to stand here and present these remembrances to the officials and the clerks of this House with the good wishes of the members.

Mr. Speaker, the members of the House have thought so much of you that they felt that they would like to give you something that would adorn your home, not because of its value but because they wanted to give you something to remind you of them and at the same time to remind them how steadily and how hard you have kept them at work here until the hours of the morning.

This clock is for you. Every time it strikes you will understand and know that there is a feeling of love and good fellowship for you in our hearts, first because we have known you as one of the members and secondly because you have exercised your duties as Speaker of this House second to none who have served in Pennsylvania. That is all we have to say only that we give you our best greetings and our best affection and we know you will be standing there two years hence.

The SPEAKER. Ladies and gentlemen of the House, as I stand before you in these closing hours of the session, realizing that the time for a temporary parting is nigh, I can think of no pleasure to carry into the light of tomorrow that gives me more satisfaction, than to live over and over again in memory the days that we have spent here together during the last three months and a half.

Your help and your co-operation, which made of this session the success that I feel we can all claim it is, has been so splendid and your association and fellowship and contact has been so inspiring as to make this period the brightest spot in my life.

For the gift that you have bestowed upon me, I express to you my most hearty thanks. I shall esteem it most highly, as I shall always esteem the memory of each and every one of you. As I look into the years that are to come I can say no more than, God bless you.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. The Chief Clerk, Mr. Eugene White, is recognized.

Mr. WHITE. Mr. Chairman and Mr. Speaker, from the desk I present you with this emblem knowing that you have used it most effectively during this session and preserved order such as has never been seen in the House before.

The SPEAKER. Will you accept my thanks, my hearty thanks to you all, Mr. Chief Clerk, for this beautiful gift.

Mr. MARCUS. Mr. Speaker, members of the House, agreeable as are the sensations with which I recognize this courtesy, yet I cannot refrain at this time from saying a word or two and taking advantage of your time. We all remember that Shakespeare said, the world was a beautiful stage, and that we each played our part thereon. I realize, in line with that expression, that we have all played our parts with the hope and thought that we have done something that may be constructive and for the benefit of the people whom we represent. With that thought in mind, the gentlemen whom we are honoring in the presentation of this gift, has played his part and played it well, our genial friend, Eugene White.

The membership of this House desires to present to you, Mr. White, this magnificent gift. May it be a reminder to you in the years to follow that it carries with it the friendship of the membership of this House and as time rolls on may it help to sweeten your memory of a body that gratefully appreciates your friendship. Whatever you have endeavored to do for us has been greatly appreciated. May you live long and may you long remember these as the happiest days that we have spent together. We wish you nothing but success.

Mr. WHITE. Mr. Marcus, I cannot understand why you should present me with such a beautiful gift. I have done nothing here but my duty. I have tried to look after the interests of the membership of this House as best I knew how. If I have made any mistakes, it has been of the head and not of the heart. I thank you.

Mr. SOWERS. Mr. Chairman, we have as one of the officers of this House a man of standing, of character and of service. One who not only performs his duty to us faithfully and loyally, but who also performs all the duties of friendship. We have an officer in this House who has never hesitated to travel far and wide, near and all about and all around in the service of each and every member. We appreciate his services. We have in our hearts the most kindly and tender feelings of love and affection and gratitude that friend owes to friend, and as a token of that gratitude we want to present to our dearest and warmest friend, Milton Burgner, this present.

Mr. BURGNER. Thank you.

Mr. TURNER. Mr. Chairman, it has often seemed to me as we came here from session to session to perform our duties that we little realize how much the smooth running of the machinery of the House is dependent on one man who sits behind the desk and on all of the men who sit there performing their duties each in his own way. I know not any one of them who holds any greater place in the hearts of the members of the House, than the man who calls these rolls with such rapidity that the ayes are given from A to Z before we can realize that the Speaker has even asked for the roll. He has been here for many years and I feel like saying with the poet, that members may come and members may go, but [illegible] on calling them for ever. So, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, while there have been many gifts that have been suggested and while many things that have been selected, yet it is not the character of the gift but it is the spirit behind it. The Chairman of the Appropriations Committee has received a service of gold, but his service o fgold means nothing more than this service of silver will mean to you in the future, and as it graces your table and lives in the enjoyment of your family, and as it contributes to the daily life of those you love, we trust that in your eyes it will not be knives and forks and other utensils, but that it will be representative of the loving friendship and fellowship of the members of this House.

Mr. HEWITT. Mr. Speaker and Mr. Chairman, I have stood by this piece of mahogany a good many years. I have not much to say but I do wish to say this, our present Speaker and members of the House have "IT".

Mr. STAUDENMEIER. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, we have just heard the fine and pleasant things said to my very good friend, Quay Hewitt. It is needless to say that his assistant by efficient work has endeared himself to the hearts and minds of each and every one of us. I am referring to Mr. Martin. No matter what it was that you were interested in as to how you might have been registered as voting, it was never too much trouble for him to go and find out for you. His little acts of kindness and his desire to call each name slowly and clearly so that we could hear him has been appreciated, and I say the gift we are about to bestow upon him only shows our friendship and feeling toward him in a modest manner. On behalf of the members of this House, it gives me great pleasure Mr. Martin to present you with this clock.

Mr. MARTIN. Mr. Speaker and Mr. Chairman, I wish to thank you for this gift. As I gaze upon it there is a mind picture passing before me. I can see myself sitting in the living room at home and as this clock ticks off the seconds I can hear myself saying "Adams, Ella; Adams, Paul; Aston; Baily; Baker; Baldi," and I know that I will not miss a tick for the 208. That is a mind picture. While I am doing that I may be compelled to come back here, some of you men may ask for an alibi. I may hesitate, while Mrs. Martin is sitting there, on G or K or P and to Pennock. But I am carrying something else with me and that is the picture that is lower down in my heart: Friends you are true wool and a yard wide. Mrs. Martin and I thank you for this gift.

Mr. HAINES. Mr. Chairman and Speaker and members of the House, I consider it an honor to be called upon at this time to address one who so long ago endeared himself to the membership of the House of Representatives; I refer to our parlimentarian, Mr. James N. Moore.

Mr. Moore, it is with pleasure, on behalf of my colleagues, that I present you with this small token of our esteem. The form of the ring is emblematic of a belief you have, that of faith, charity and benevolence. We hope that you may wear it for a long time to come.

Mr. MOORE. Mr. Chairman and members, I thank you very much for this gift.

Mr. BART RICHARDS. Mr. Speaker, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen, those of you who are familiar with Julius Caesar will remember that when Mark Anthony went over to see Cleopatria, after the boys had taken him for a ride, she said to him: "Very good, Pat." The reason she called him Pat was because his name was Martin. However, were those historians writing the history of to-day they would say: "Very good, Eddie."

Those of you who have sat here for several sessions know that all the genius is not on the Speaker's dias, neither is it in the roll call. Some of the brightest minds, and I refer to one which is the brightest mind perhaps, is located back of the desk. The praises of the one to whom I refer have been unsung, his work is outstanding, and his voice has not been heard. His work will be one of the bright spots in every session in which he is a member of the official force. I refer to my good friend, Eddie Moore. Eddie Moore is the historian of this House, and the one thing I ask Eddie to do in writing that history is to gloss over some of the things we have done, and some of the things we have left undone.

In the morning, in the future when you are not nearly as rushed as you are now, you can turn over and say to Mrs. Moore, "Dear, we have plenty of time, because the 'best people' have given me a clock."

Mr. EDWARD MOORE. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, speaking of history, I had a very interesting experience two weeks ago at the Penn-Harris hotel. I was talking to a Scotchman, a friend of mine, and he was criticising severely the action of the legislature in passing the four cent gas tax. After his criticism had ended, I asked him why he was so much opposed to the passage of the four cent gas tax when he did not own an automobile. "Well, that is true," he said, "I don't own an automobile, but I do own a cigarette lighter."

That was a strange co-incidence because that same gentleman, in 1911, after the school code had been passed and had become a law, took his children out of school because they had to pay attention.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it is needless for me to say how much I have enjoyed the session of 1929. I don't think I deserve as beautiful a gift as this. I do thank the members of the House and want them to know that I appreciate it very much. On behalf of Mrs. Moore and myself, I thank you all and I hope that in 1931 your constituents will all realize the importance of sending you back.

Mr. GOEHRING. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it doesn't make a bit of difference where you go, you always find a Queen. I want to say to you that we all have

found one right here in Harrisburg. We have a Queen here, who by her wonderful disposition and her wonderful kindness toward us all, has won our kindliest feelings. The vine of her personality is entwined around our hearts, and although laden with flowers shall never trail upon the ground. I want to present to Miss Barnett, our stately Queen, this little present.

Mr. TALBOT. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, in so far as the 1929 session of the Pennsylvania Legislature is concerned our work is at an end. We have had our work, we have had our play, and we come now to say "Goodbye". It becomes my distinct pleasure to present to a man who has performed faithful services for fifty years as the Chief Page of this House, a token of our esteem and respect, and so Clarence, on behalf of the members of this House, I present to you this gift.

Mr. SEILER. Mr. Speaker and Mr. Chairman, I thank you.

Mr. HAWS. Mr. Speaker, ladies and gentlemen of the House, supplementing the remarks of the gentleman from Delaware, Mr. Talbot, I have the great pleasure of presenting to Mr. Seiler on behalf of his official family, over whom he exercises such great authority—because you have all noticed anytime Clarence says anything to any of his boys, they do just as they please—but they think so much of Clarence for allowing them to do as they please that they have requested me to present him with this slight token of their esteem.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. I take the honor upon myself of presenting to Davey Thomas, a good friend of mine and a good friend of every member of the House, this little token, with the hope that he will continue to be with us for a long, long time.

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker and Mr. Chairman and members of the House, ladies and gentlemen, for seventeen years I have been connected with the Pennsylvania Legislature. There are two days in my legislative career which I always set aside one with a great deal of pleasure, and the other with a great deal of sorrow. The first day is the day of the reorganization of the House, when we come back and meet our old friends and make new acquaintanceships, and the second day is the day when the gavel falls sine die and we must say "Goodbye" to one another. During the two years that have gone by some of the members have passed out, but what makes it nice is when you come back to meet your old friends of two years hence. I sincerely hope that each and every member comes back two years from now.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. The members of the House have not forgotten the page boys. I will call their names and each will receive a gift of ten dollars: John Deliman, Harold Sweet, Virgil Sariano, Howard Hanson, Samuel Gray, Myer Raffel, Ross Sheesley, George Miller, Edwin O. Feass, Harry Michlovitz, Norman C. Fisher, Frank S. Ford, Bernard Gallagher, Douglass Phillips, Isiah Cartwright, Christian Greider, W. K. Rainey, Martin Piersol, John Brown.

We also have a gentleman who looks after the "mike", Mr. Alborn, and the boys give this to you, sir, with great pleasure.

Mr. Bain, one of the Official Reporters, a good big fellow, gets a good big ring.

Mr. JOHN M. BAIN. Mr. Speaker and Mr. Chairman, may I say that we who have the pleasure and the privilege of serving you always enjoy the good fellowship and appreciate the many ties of friendship that we form, not only among our fellow employes, but among the members. I thank you very much.

Mrs. KIRKBRIDE. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, I am always so happy when I see a woman succeed in any line of work which she undertakes. We have a woman here who has worked quietly and steadfastly and accurately with us all during this session. She has been the personification of kindness and courtesy. The members of the House desire to express to her at this time their appreciation in a tangible form, a beautifully fitted bag. I hope that she will remember that we are very proud of her and very happy to have had her with us during this session.

Mrs. SCHAFER. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, several times during the session I wished for the privilege of being able to speak, but I am a firm believer in the old adage, "Better late than never." I don't know whether the members of the House expect me to become a globe trotter or not, but if you see me standing on the highway this is the reason. All I can say is, thank you, good luck, and goodbye.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. We present to Mr. Ray L. Epping this clock.

Mr. McDowell, an Assistant in the Resident Clerk's office, is presented with this clock.

It gives me a great deal of pleasure to present this clock to the Chief Official Reporter of the House, Mr. E. E. Moyer.

To Mr. Kline, one of the Desk Clerks, we present this stick pin.

To Mr. Kauffman, Mr. Burgner's Assistant, who has been working at the desk, we present this stick pin.

Mr. KAUFFMAN. I greatly appreciate this kindness and it will always serve to bring to my mind many pleasant experiences of the session of 1929.

Mrs. PITTS. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it affords me a great deal of pleasure on behalf of the members of this House to present this watch to Mr. Morris Garvin and to wish him every pleasure in life.

Mr. GARVIN. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, I thank you kindly.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. An assistant to Mr. Burgner, for many years, Mr. Dale Meals, we regret sincerely is laying on a bed of illness and is not here and has not been here much during the session, we are sending to him a little envelope which I will ask Mr. Burgner to see that he receives.

To the Postmaster and the Assistants there is each a remembrance, one for Mr. Bush, Mr. Jamison and Mr. Colvin.

Miss GRIMES. I have always been greatly disturbed about not having a waste basket and I don't like the cuspidors on the floor but someone in spite of them keeps the House clean. Everything is nice and fresh and clean, when we come back in the morning. We all know that the Custodian of the House, Mr. Hopkins, is responsible for keeping the House in that orderly condition when we come back, and I want to present to him this token of our esteem.

Mr. HOPKINS. Mr. Speaker and Chairman, and ladies and gentlemen of the House, I don't know where I could get words enough to express the appreciation of your kindness in presenting to me at this time a gift of this kind. I am glad today because I have had the privilege of being the custodian of the Hall of the House for a period of ten years and I am glad because I have always felt that I have had a duty to perform to each member who is elected throughout the confines of the Commonwealth. Today we are going to separate and you are going to your homes, the best way I can express my appreciation is to say, when you get home you can always remember that Dave will be here, and as you send your friends from any part of the State of Pennsylvania to Harrisburg send them to Dave and Dave will take the best care possible of

them. I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart. I wish you all good luck and a speedy return in 1931, and hope we shall meet again. I thank you.

Mr. HOWE. Mr. Speaker, Chairman and members of House, when it comes twelve o'clock and we adjourn sine die, we will leave here with pleasant memories of our good friend, the clerk to the Speaker, Mr. Harry E. Grove, and on behalf of the committee, I present him with this token.

Mr. GROVE. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, I extend my many thanks for this beautiful gift. I assure you it has been a great pleasure to be here and to enjoy your fellowship during this session.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. It gives me pleasure to present gifts to Frank D. Bowman, W. W. Johnson, George Offenbacher, Alex P. Robinson, Frank J. Turano, and Miss Britannia Eby.

Mr. C. C. A. BALDI. Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I hold in my hand four envelopes, and I hope that the contents will be sufficient for the recipients to find their way to Philadelphia. If they get to Philadelphia and they cannot find their way about, I will see to it that they get back safely. It is a great pleasure for me to call for the four stenographers of the House, Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. Lind, Miss Moore and Miss First.

Mr. FRED A. BELL. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, I don't know why they called on the silent member of this House to make a presentation at this time. It is a great pleasure for me to stand here and make this presentation to a very efficient man, who has helped each and every member in this legislative session and in many sessions that have passed, and gone, the Honorable Mr. Fertig.

Mr. FERTIG. Mr. Chairman and members of the House, this has been the tenth session that I have been connected with the Pennsylvania Legislature, and I can say that this has been one of the most efficient sessions that it has been my privilege to serve. Not only have the members introduced good legislation, but the House has been composed of a high personnel and I think that the laws which have been passed this session, and will be approved by the Governor, will be for the good of the Commonwealth. I feel a little different than my friend, Davy Thomas, on this occasion. Davy says that when the session begins he is happy and when the session closes he is sad. But I feel just the opposite. I am sad when it opens and happy when it closes. Nevertheless, Mr. Speaker and members of the House, I want to thank you for what you have done for me and for this gift. I appreciate it very much.

Mr. PEELOR. Mr. Speaker, Chairman and members of the Legislature, it is many years ago that one of the great statesmen of our country arose in his place in the United States Congress, when they were endeavoring to solve an intricate and difficult problem and said he believed man could not do it alone and suggested that they invoke the spirit of the Divine in solving that problem. It was promptly done and in every legislative body in our nation today these assemblies are opened by invoking the presence of the Divine.

It is with a very great deal of pleasure that I have the opportunity of calling attention at this particular time to that service which has been rendered daily to this body, but I want to be distinctly understood that the gentleman to whom the gift is to be made is not to be discharged at this particular time. His services have been rendered and the services were well rendered, but some of us may need him in the future, to appear in our behalf before our constitutents, especially those of us who voted for the four cent gasoline tax and the fire-arms bills. I want it distinctly understood that when this gift is handed to him it is not with the thought that it is a permanent dismissal but with an invitation from each of us, with a request, that he visit us back home; that he will come and render to us and possibly assist some of us in coming back so that we may associate with this splendid body of people which it has been my pleasure to associate with. I am going to hand to him something that may be of very little value, but I am handing him something that will contain an expression of the good will and good feeling that we have for that one who has most certainly performed his duty and has invoked the Divine presence in this body in the days that have gone by.

Dr. SCHWEITZER. Mr. Speaker, Chairman, ladies and gentlemen of this wonderful House of Representatives, it is not my purpose to make an extended speech, but this is the first time I have had an opportunity of preaching to this honorable body; I have always prayed before. I want to say to you that I appreciate the opportunity of having been here; that I never had a finer friendship and never met a finer body of men and women. This experience will be a bright and beautiful spot in my life. I wish you God speed. I thank you for your many kindly inspirations to me, and I hope that each and every one of you in some way will get back to the same position that they enjoy here to-day. I extend to you my heartfelt thanks and best wishes.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. This gold service was presented last night at the Penn-Harris Hotel by myself and other members of the Appropriation Committee to the chairman of that Committee, the Honorable C. J. Goodnough. It was a great pleasure to present to him this beautiful gift, and we hope he will enjoy it for many, many years.

Mr. GOODNOUGH. Mr. Speaker, Mr. Chairman and members of the House, at the Appropriation Cimmittee banquet last evening, I tried in my poor way to express to that committee my appreciation for this wonderful gift and its great intrinsic value as well as the kindly feeling that prompted it. I can only at this time reiterate what I have said. To the members of the House I desire to express my appreciation for the many courtesies I have received, and assure you of my regard and esteem.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY THE SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties' 'by excepting counties of the second class and certain bonds and certificates of cities of the third class from the provisions thereof

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third

reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

An Act to amend State Highway routes numbers one hundred and eighteen as amended one hundred and seventy as amended one hundred and eight-eight as amended one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineers chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Hghway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the words "Route number" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "routes numbers"; also line 2, by striking out the words "one hundred and ninety-three" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "one hundred and eighteen as amended one hundred and seventy as amended one hundred and eighty-eight as amended one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four".

Amend title, page 3, line 15, by striking out the words, "as amended".

Amend Section 1, page 3, lines 4 and 5, by striking out the words "one hundred and ninety-three" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and eighteen".

Amend Section 1, page 5, lines 14 to 17, inclusive, by striking out the words, "which was amended by the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as amended by Act approved the twenty-first day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen Pamphlet Laws five hundred and fifty-six".

Amend Section 1, page 6, by striking out all of lines 1 to 10, inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Route one hundred eighteen From Greensburg to Washington commencing in Greensburg and running by way of Madison and West Newton to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Fayette Counties thence to Belle Vernon thence to a point on the dividing line between Fayette and Washington Counties thence by way of Charleroi Fallowfield Bentleyville Ellsworth to route one hundred thirteen and thence over route number one hundred thirteen to Washington

Section two That Route one hundred seventy of said act as amended by act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred seventy From Mauch Chunk to Wilkes-Barre—Commencing in Mauch Chunk and running over route one hundred and sixty-two to Nesquehoning and thence by way of Hudsondale Weatherly and Beaver Meadow to a point on the dividing line between Carbon and Luzerne Counties thence by way of Hazleton Fairview and Ashley to a point on the boundary line of the City of Wilkes-Barre Luzerne County

Section three That Route one hundred ninety-three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and ninety-four From McConnellsburg to Milfflintown—Commencing in McConnellsburg and running over route one hundred and ninety-two to Knobsville thence by way of Fort Littleton and Burnt Cabins to a point on the dividing line between Fulton and Huntingdon Counties thence by way of Shade Gap and Shade Valley and by spur to Blairs Mills and thence to a point on the dividing line between Huntingdon and Juniata Counties thence by way of Reeds Gap and Walnut into Mifflintown Juniata County

Section four That route two hundred and four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Route two hundred and four From Beaver to the Ohio State Line—Commencing in Beaver and running over Route seventy-six to Bridgewater thence by way of Fallston Patterson Heights and Darlington thence northwestwardly to a point on the Ohio State line near East Palestine Ohio

Section 5 That Route one hundred and eighty-eight as amended by the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eight) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Route one hundred and eighty-eight from Indiana to Pittsburgh commencing in Indiana and running by way of West Lebanon to a point [on the dividing line between Indiana and Armstrong counties thence to a point on the dividing line between Armstrong and Westmoreland counties thence] in the Borough of Apollo where it intersects with Route number sixty-nine thence by way of Route number sixty-nine to the village of North Vandergrift in Parks Township Armstrong County thence through Westmoreland county by way of Vandregrift to Weinels Cross Roads to a point on Route sixty-nine thence by way of Route sixty-nine to a point on the dividing line between Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties thence over Route seventy to a point on the boundary line of the City of Pittsburgh Allegheny County

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—197.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Griffith,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Haines,	Moore, W. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harding,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Harkins,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Hart,	Munley,	Staudenmeier,
Bicker,	Harter,	Musmanno,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Myers,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Heffernan,	O'Neill,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Hefferon,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Bowers,	Heffner,	Peck,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Heffran,	Peelor,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Henderson,	Pennock	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Talbot,
Burke,	Himes,	Peters,	Turner,
Burns,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Walker,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Washington,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Post,	Way,
Clovis,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Conner,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Reader,	Wells,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reed,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reilly,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reyburn,	Wheeler,
Denne,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Wike,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, G. W.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Williams, J. J.,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Ede,	Lose,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.
Gelnett,	McClure,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 786.

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Insurance Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 1, by striking out the word "Compensation" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Insurance."

Amend section 1, page 1, line 8, by striking out the word "Insurance" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Compensation."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—199.

Adams, E. C.,	Goodnough,	McGregor,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Greeby,	McKay,	Sheely,
Aston,	Grenet,	Memolo,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Griffith,	Meredith,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grimes,	Metzinger,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gross,	Michel,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Gwynne,	Millar,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Hagmaier,	Miller, H. A.,	Smith, H. J.,
Batchelor,	Haines,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bausher,	Harding,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bechtel,	Harkins,	Moore, W. H.,	Sowers,
Behm,	Hart,	Muldowney,	Spangler,
Bell, F. A.,	Harter,	Mumford,	Stadtlander,
Bell, W. T.,	Hartsock,	Munley,	Stark,
Bicker,	Haws,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bidelspacher,	Heffernan,	Myers,	Steedle,
Black,	Hefferon,	Nothnagle,	Stein,
Blumberg,	Heffner,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Boggs,	Heffran,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Braham,	Henderson,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Tahl,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Peters,	Talbot,
Burns,	Holmes,	Pethick,	Turner,
Catania,	Howe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Kahle,	Powell,	Way,
Cooke,	Katz,	Purucker,	Weaver,
Davidson,	King,	Reader,	Weidemann,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wells,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reilly,	Welty,
Ditter,	Kohr,	Reyburn,	Wettach,
Donnell,	Landis,	Rhodes,	Wheeler,
Dunn,	Leidich,	Rice,	White,
Eaches,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wike,
Ede,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Ederer,	Lose,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Evans,	Lucas,	Root,	Witkin,
Fish,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Flynn,	Mathay,	Sautter,	Wood,
Fockler,	McAlee,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fox,	McAlinn,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Fuller,	McCallister,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Gelnett,	McCann,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Gicking,	McClure,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
	McDonald,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, that the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 465.

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of the Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading recon-

sidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend title, page 1, line 2, by striking out the following: "in the several counties of this Commonwealth."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendment made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Adams, P. G.,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Aston,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baily,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baker,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Baldi, C.C.A.,Jr.,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Baldrige,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Barton,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bausher,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bechtel,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Behm,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bell, F. A.,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bell, W. T.,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bickett,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bidelspacher,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Black,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Blumberg,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Boggs,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Braham,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, E.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Brown, E. P.,	Hermansen,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Brown, T. J.	Himes,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Burke,	Hoffman,	Perry,	Turner,
Burns,	Holcombe,	Pethick,	Voltz,
Catania,	Holmes,	Pierce,	Walker,
Cauffiel,	Howe,	Powell,	Washington,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Purucker,	Way,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Reader,	Weaver,
Conner,	Kahle,	Reed,	Weidemann,
Cooke,	Katz,	Reilly,	Wells,
Davidson,	King,	Reyburn,	Welty,
Davis,	Kirkbride,	Rhodes,	Wettach,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Rice,	Wheeler,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Richards, B.,	White,
Ditter,	Landis,	Richards, R.,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Riddle,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Rieder,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Witherspoon,
Ederer,	Lose,	Root,	Witkin,
Emhardt,	Loucks,	Royle,	Wolfe,
Erdley,	Lowe,	Sautter,	Wood,
Evans,	Lucas,	Schilling,	Wright,
Fish,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yeakel,
Flynn,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Yerg,
Fockler,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Ziesenheim,
Fox,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Hess,
Fullet,	McAlinn,	Scott, W. H.,	Speaker,
Gelnett,	McCallister,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented for concurrence bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 11.

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the Senate and the bill amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the word "of" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or"; also same line, by inserting after the word "county" the words "or any township"; also line 6, by inserting after the word "highway" the words "or whenever any township or any county and township has heretofore constructed any reinforced concrete township reward road"; also line 7, by inserting after the word "highway" the words "or township reward road."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—184.

Adams, E. C.,	Gelnett,	McClure,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McDonald,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baily,	Goodnough,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baker,	Greeby,	Memolo,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Grenet,	Meredith,	Shortz,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Griffith,	Metzinger,	Shutt,
Baldrige,	Grimes,	Michel,	Simon,
Barton,	Gross,	Millar,	Smith, H. J.,
Bausher,	Gwynne,	Miller, S. H.,	Smith, W. B.,
Bechtel,	Hagmaier,	Moore, D. G.,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Muldowney,	Sowers,
Bicker,	Harding,	Mumford,	Spangler,
Bickett,	Harkins,	Munley,	Stadtlander,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Musmanno,	Stark,
Black,	Harter,	Myers,	Staudenmeier,
Blumberg,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Steedle,
Boggs,	Haws,	O'Neill,	Sterling,
Braham,	Heffernan,	Patterson, F. W.,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Hefferon,	Peck,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffner,	Peelor,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Tahl,
Catania,	Himes,	Peters,	Talbot,
Cauffiel,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Turner,
Clark, J. G.,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Clark, M. S.,	Holmes,	Pitts,	Walker,
Clovis,	Howe,	Post,	Washington,
Conner,	Huester,	Powell,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Jones,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Wells,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Welty,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	Wheeler
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	White,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Wike,
Ditter,	Landis,	Rice,	Williams, G. W.,
Donnell,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Williams, J. J.,
Dunn,	Linton,	Richards, R.,	Wilson,
Eaches,	Lockhart,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Ede,	Lose,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wolfe,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Root,	Wood,
Erdlev,	Lynch,	Royle,	Wright,
Evans,	Marcus,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Schrock	Hess,
Fox,	McCallister,	Schwartz,	Speaker.
Fuller,	McCann,	Scott, J. G.,	

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1103.

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follows:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 5, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two"; also line 13, by inserting after the word "hundred" the word "fifty."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—196.

Adams, E. C.,	Fuller,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Gicking,	McCann,	Shaffer,
Aston,	Goehring,	McClure,	Sheely,
Baker,	Goodnough,	McDonald,	Sheffer,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Greeby,	McGregor,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Grenet,	McKay,	Shortz,
Barton,	Griffith,	Memolo,	Shutt,
Batchelor,	Grimes,	Meredith,	Simon,
Bausher,	Gross,	Metzinger,	Smith, H. J.,
Bechtel,	Gwynne,	Michel,	Smith, W. B.,
Behm,	Hagmaier,	Millar,	Soffel,
Bell, F. A.,	Haines,	Miller, H. A.,	Sowers,
Bell, W. T.,	Harding,	Miller, S. H.,	Spangler,
Bicker,	Harkins,	Moore, D. G.,	Stadtlander,
Bickett,	Hart,	Moore, W. H.,	Stark,
Bidelspacher,	Harter,	Muldowney,	Staudemeier,
Black,	Hartsock,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Munley,	Stein,
Boggs,	Heffernan,	Musmanno,	Sterling,
Bowers,	Hefferon,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brown, E.,	Heffner,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Brown, E. P.,	Heffran,	O'Neill,	Storer,
Brown, T. J.,	Henderson,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Burke,	Hermansen,	Peck,	Tahl,
Burns,	Himes,	Peelor,	Talbot,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Pennock,	Turner,
Cauffiel,	Holcombe,	Perry,	Voltz,
Clark, J. G.,	Holmes,	Peters,	Walker,
Clark, M. S.,	Howe,	Pierce,	Washington,
Clovis,	Huester,	Pitts,	Way,
Conner,	Jones,	Post,	Weaver,
Cooke,	Kahle,	Purucker,	Weidemann,
Davidson,	Katz,	Reader,	Welty,
Davis,	King,	Reed,	Wettach,
Dengler,	Kirkbride,	Reilly,	White,
Denne,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Wike,
Dietrich,	Kohr,	Rhodes,	Williams, G. W.,
Ditter,	Leidich,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Donnell,	Linton,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Dunn,	Lockhart,	Richards, R.,	Witherspoon,
Eaches,	Lose,	Riddle,	Witkin,
Ede,	Loucks,	Rieder,	Wolfe,
Ederer,	Lowe,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Emhardt,	Lucas,	Royle,	Wright,
Erdley,	Lynch,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Evans,	Marcus,	Schilling,	Yerg,
Fish,	Mathay,	Schreck,	Ziesenheim,
Flynn,	McAlee,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Fockler,	McAlinn,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fox,			

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 17, 1929.

Resolved (if the House of Representatives concur), That Rule 8 of the "Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives of Pennsylvania," which reads as follows:

"Rule 8. No bill, resolution, or order, to which the signature of the Governor may be required, shall be passed by either house on the day of final adjournment; and all such bills, resolutions, and orders, after they have been duly compared and certified by the proper committee, shall be presented to the Governor for his signature before eight o'clock on the morning of the day of the final adjournment."

be and the same is hereby suspended for the balance of the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the Resolution of the Senate?

RESOLUTION LAID ON TABLE.

Mr. NOTHNAGLE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the Resolution be laid upon the table.

Mr. BIDELSPACHER. Mr. Speaker, I second the motion.

The motion was agreed to.

RESOLUTION.

SUGGESTED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE RULES.

Mr. PECK offered the following Resolution and asked unanimous consent for its immediate adoption:

In the House of Representatives, April 18, 1929.

Whereas, The Members of the House of Representatives were elected to come to Harrisburg to represent the voters of their district in considering legislation that would come before the House, and

Whereas, The failure of the committees to report out all bills to the House prevented the Members of the House from giving any consideration to bills that were introduced to improve the welfare of the citizens of Pennsylvania, therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the concensus of opinion of the Members of this House that the people would receive greater consideration on bills in the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one if the Members of the House of Representatives of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and all organizations would prepare their bills in time so they can introduce them during the first month of the one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one session of the Legislature, and be it further

Resolved, That it is our opinion that both the Members and the people would be benefited if the House of Representatives for the session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one would adopt the following rules:

1. It shall be mandatory upon the chairman of each committee in the House to organize and prepare their committee for the consideration of bills during the second week of the session.

2. It shall be mandatory upon all committees to meet as a whole and consider all bills referred to their committee.

3. It shall be mandatory upon all committees to report all bills out to the House with either an affirmative or negative report.

4. It shall be mandatory for all bills on third reading to lay over three days before receiving final approval.

The SPEAKER. Will the House give its unanimous consent to the adoption of the resolution? Is there objection? The Chair hears objection and unanimous consent is not granted.

Ordered, That the Resolution lie over for printing.

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 520.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the difference existing between the two Houses on House Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 520.

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 359), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto."

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RECALLED FROM THE GOVERNOR CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 263.

An Act to amend section twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties"

Said bill having been recalled from the Governor for the purpose of amendment, the vote had on final passage and third reading reconsidered in the House and the bill amended, in which amendments the Senate has concurred.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 912.

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto.""

SENATE MESSAGE.

SENATE ADOPTS CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 1257.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the subject of the differences existing betwen the two Houses on Bill numbered and entitled as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1257.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes: defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line! describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of townships or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties ,townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON SENATE BILL NO. 1257.

The SPEAKER. The Chair lays before the House the report of the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill No. 1257.

The report was read as follows:

To the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled: "An act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the

appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, * * *,'" respectively submit the following bills as our report:

JOHN J. McCLURE,
GEO. T. WEINGARTNER,
JOHN E. KUNKLE,
Committee on the Part of the Senate.

ELWOOD J. TURNER,
GEORGE L. REED,
CHAS. STAUDENMEIER,
Committee on the Part of the House of Representatives.

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injurying or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" which was amended by the act approved the sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seven) is hereby further amended to read as follows

Section 8 Whenever in the construction reconstruction maintenance and repair of any of the State Highways it shall appear to the commissioner that any part or portion of a State Highway as now defined and described in this act is dangerous or inconvenient to the traveling public in its present location either by reason of grades dangerous turns or other local conditions or that the expense to the Commonwealth in the construction building rebuilding maintenance and repair thereof would be too great or unreasonable and could be materially reduced or lessened by a divergence from the road or route the commissioner is hereby empowered to divert the course or direction of same and he may diverge from the line or route of same as herein described in such direction or directions as in his discretion may seem best in order to correct said danger or inconvenience or lessen the cost to the Commonwealth Provided That the said commissioner shall first submit a plan of the proposed change to the Governor and that the same shall be approved by him

The State Highway Commissioner shall also have power with the approval of the Governor to establish the width and lines of any State highway before or after the construction reconstruction or improvement of the same not however exceeding the maximum width fixed by law for public roads Whenever the State Highway Commissioner shall establish the width and lines of any such State highway he shall cause a description and plan thereof to be made showing the center line of said highway and the established width thereof and shall attach thereto his acknowledgment Thereupon such description plan and acknowledgment shall be recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of the proper county in a separate book kept for such purpose which shall be furnished to the recorder of deeds by the county commissioners at the expense of the county

[No owner or occupier of lands buildings or improvements shall erect any building or make any improvements within the limits of any State highway the width and lines of which have been established and recorded as provided in this section and if any such erection or improvement shall be made no allowance shall be had therefor by the assessment of damages]

No person shall hereafter be entitled to recover any damages for any buildings or improvements of any kind which shall or may be placed or constructed upon or within the lines of any such State highway after the same shall have been established and recorded as aforesaid.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the report of the Committee of Conference?

Agreeably to the provisions of the constitution the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Ederer,	McCallister,	Scott, J. G.,
Adams, P. G.,	Emhardt,	McCann,	Scott, W. H.,
Aston,	Erdley,	McClure,	Shaffer,
Baily,	Evans,	McGregor,	Sheely,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Fish,	McKay,	Sheffer,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Flynn,	Memolo,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldrige,	Fockler,	Metzinger,	Smith, W. B.,
Batchelor,	Fox,	Millar,	Sowers,
Bausher,	Fuller,	Moore, D. G.,	Spangler,
Bechtel,	Gelnett,	Muldowney,	Stadtlander,
Behm,	Goehring,	Mumford,	Stark,
Bell, F. A.,	Goodnough,	Musmanno,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, W. T.,	Griffith,	Myers,	Steedle,
Bickett,	Grimes,	Nothnagle,	Sterling,
Bidelspacher,	Haines,	Patterson, F. W.,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Hart,	Peelor,	Storer,
Bowers,	Hartsock,	Pennock,	Sullivan,
Braham,	Haws,	Perry,	Tahl,
Brown, E.,	Heffernan,	Peters,	Talbot,
Brown, E. P.,	Hefferon,	Pethick,	Turner,
Brown, T. J.,	Heffran,	Pierce,	Voltz,
Burke,	Henderson,	Pitts,	Weaver,
Burns,	Hermansen,	Post,	Weidemann,
Catania,	Hoffman,	Purucker,	Wells,
Cauffiel,	Holmes,	Reader,	Wettach,
Clark, J. G.,	Howe,	Reed,	Wheeler,
Clovis,	Jones,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Conner,	Kahle,	Rice,	Williams, J. J.,
Davis,	King,	Richards, B.,	Wilson,
Davidson,	Kirkbride,	Riddle,	Witherspoon,
Dengler,	Kleckner,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Denne,	Leidich,	Root,	Wood,
Ditter,	Linton,	Royle,	Yeakel,
Donnell,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yerg,
Dunn,	Lynch,	Schilling,	Ziesenheim,
Eaches,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Hess,
Ede,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Speaker.

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the report of the Committee of Conference was adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, returned bill from the House of Representatives numbered and entitled as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 1697.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, (P. L. 408), entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations," as amended; by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger, to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

With the information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the amendments.

The Clerk read the amendments as follow

Amend section 1, page 2, line 20, by striking out before the word "vested" the word "an" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"; also page 3, line 6, by striking out the word "not" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nor"; also same page, line 13, after the word "corporation," by striking out the word "as" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "has."

On the question,

Will the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate?

Agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays were taken and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—148.

Adams, E. C.,	Flynn,	McCallister,	Scott, W. H.,
Adams, P. G.,	Fockler,	McCann,	Sheffer,
Aston,	Fox,	McClure,	Shellenberger,
Baldi, C.C.A.Jr.,	Gicking,	McKay,	Smith, H. J.,
Baldi, J.F.M.,2d.,	Goehring,	Memolo,	Smith, W. B.,
Baldrige,	Goodnough,	Metzinger,	Sowers,
Batchelor,	Greeby,	Michel,	Spangler,
Bausher,	Griffith,	Miller, H. A.,	Stadtlander,
Bechtel,	Grimes,	Miller, S. H.,	Stark,
Behm,	Gwynne,	Muldowney,	Staudenmeier,
Bell, F. A.,	Hagmaier,	Mumford,	Steedle,
Bell, W. T.,	Haines,	Musmanno,	Stein,
Bidelspacher,	Hart,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Hartsock,	Nothnagle,	Storb,
Blumberg,	Haws,	Patterson, F. W.,	Sullivan,
Bowers,	Heffernan,	Peelor,	Tahl,
Braham,	Heffran,	Pennock,	Talbot,
Brown, E.,	Hermansen,	Perry,	Turner,
Brown, E. P.,	Himes,	Peters,	Voltz,
Brown, T. J.,	Hoffman,	Pethick,	Way,
Burke,	Holcombe,	Pierce,	Weidemann,
Burns,	Howe,	Pitts,	Wells,
Clark, J. G.,	Huester,	Post,	Welty,
Clark, M. S.,	Jones,	Purucker,	Wheeler,
Conner,	Katz,	Reader,	White,
Cooke,	Kirkbride,	Reed,	Wike,
Davidson,	Kleckner,	Reyburn,	Williams, G. W.,
Davis,	Landis,	Rice,	Wilson,
Denne,	Leidich,	Richards, B.,	Witherspoon,
Dietrich,	Linton,	Rieder,	Witkin,
Ditter,	Lockhart,	Ronemus,	Wood,
Donnell,	Lowe,	Royle,	Wright,
Dunn,	Lucas,	Sautter,	Yeakel,
Eaches,	Lynch,	Schreck,	Yerg,
Ederer,	Marcus,	Schrock,	Ziesenheim,
Emhardt,	Mathay,	Schwartz,	Hess,
Evans,	McAlee,	Scott, J. G.,	Speaker.
Fish,	McAlinn,		

NAYS—0.

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

NOTIFICATION THAT THE SENATE IS READY TO ADJOURN.

Messrs. GELDER and EARNEST, a Committee of the Senate, being introduced, informed the House of Representatives that the Senate will be ready to adjourn sine die at twelve o'clock noon today, and to inquire if the House of Representatives has any further communication for the Senate.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the Committee on behalf of the Senate and informs the Committee that the House has no further commmunications for the Senate. The thanks of the House are extended to the Committee of the Senate for the information.

RESOLUTION.

COMMITTEE TO PROCURE COMMITTEE ROOMS.

Mr. RICE asked and obtained unanimous consent to offer the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted;

In the House of Representatives, April 18, 1929.

Whereas, Much confusion was caused at the beginning of the present Session of the Legislature, and much working time was lost owing to the lack of available rooms in the Capitol building for the meeting of committees, therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee consisting of the four Members of the House from Dauphin County and the Chief Clerk of the House shall, during the interim before the Session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, have charge of and jurisdiction over the rooms now assigned to and used by the committees of the House for the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and it shall be the duty of the said committee to have the said rooms vacated and ready for the use of the various committees of the House before the meeting of the Session of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and to arrange and provide for the use of any other rooms as in their judgment may be necessary for the speedy transaction of the work of the committees of the House.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE PRESS.

Mr. BART RICHARDS offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Representatives be tendered to the Press for the faithful performance of their duties in reporting its proceedings to the public.

SENATE MESSAGE.

AMENDED SENATE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate bill numbered and entitled as follows, viz:

SENATE BILL No. 1012.

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented a communication in writing from His Excellency the Governor, which was read as follows:

APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS NOS. 760 AND 929.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Governor's Office, Harrisburg, April 17, 1929.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I have the honor to inform you that I have this date approved and signed the following:

House Bill No. 760, file folio 2217, entitled, "An Act to amend section sixty-five and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-seven) entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings' by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquittal on the grounds of insanity."

House Bill No. 929, file folio 5539, entitled, "An Act regulating the quarantining of animals poultry premises localities and areas in the Commonwealth defining quarantines and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture its officers and agents in establishing and enforcing quarantines and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

JOHN S. FISHER.

RESOLUTION.

TO APPOINT COMMITTEE TO WAIT UPON THE SENATE.

Mr. HEFFERNAN offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the House is ready to adjourn at twelve o'clock noon this day.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as such committee Messrs. Heffernan, Wood and Haines.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE REPORTERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL.

Mr. HEFFERNAN offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the House of Representatives extend its appreciation to the Reporters of the Legislative Journal for the highly satisfactory way in which its debates and speeches have been reported.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE HONORABLE AARON B. HESS.

Mr. REED offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Representatives be and is hereby tendered to the Honorable Aaron B. Hess, Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the able and efficient manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the House during the present session.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE PAGES.

Mr. RICE offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the members of the House of Representatives be tendered to the Pages for their agility and fleetfootedness.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE CHAPLAIN.

Mr. RICE offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Members of the House of Representatives be extended to the Reverend M. W. Schweitzer, Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

SENATE MESSAGE.

RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE.

The Clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented an extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, April 18, 1929.

Resolved (if the House of Representatives concur), That the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives be directed to have the copy of the Journals of the two Houses of this session prepared and placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding within thirty days after the close of session, and the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding is hereby directed to have the said

Journals printed, bound and delivered to the Chief Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives within ninety days after the receipt of the copy therefor.

Ordered, That the Clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the Resolution of the Senate?

It was concurred in.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

RESOLUTION.

TO APPOINT COMMITTEE TO WAIT UPON THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. GELNETT offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a committee of three to wait upon His Excellency the Governor of the Commonwealth and inform him that the House is now ready to adjourn and inquire whether he has any further communications to make to it.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as such committee Messrs. Gelnett, Shaffer and Dunn.

RESOLUTION.

THANKING THE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. LUCAS offered the following Resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Representatives is hereby tendered to the Officers and Employes of the House of Representatives for the faithful and efficient performance of their duties.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO WAIT UPON THE SENATE.

Mr. HEFFERNAN. Mr. Speaker, I desire to announce that the committee appointed by you to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the House is ready to adjourn at twelve o'clock noon today has performed that duty, and has been advised that the Senate is now ready to adjourn sine die, their business having been completed.

The SPEAKER. The committee is discharged with the thanks of the House.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO WAIT UPON THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. GELNETT. Mr. Speaker, I desire to inform you that the committee appointed by the House of Representatives to wait upon His Excellency the Governor has performed that duty and has been advised that he has no further business to lay before this body, except that he extends his thanks to the Members of the House for their hearty co-operation in the enactment of his legislative program.

The SPEAKER. The committee is discharged with the thanks of the House.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

SENATE BILL No. 1157.

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

SENATE BILL No. 659.

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper County and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties.

SENATE BILL No. 1563.

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

SENATE BILL No. 1257.

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over the same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petition providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act"

SENATE BILL No. 841.

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contracts, from one thousand (1000) to five hundred (500) dollars; and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person, firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required.

SENATE BILL No. 11.

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

SENATE BILL No. 465.

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney to be present during the presentation of all matters to the grand juries in their sessions in the several third class counties of this Commonwealth lay before them matters upon which they are to pass and to aid them in their examination of witnesses

SENATE BILL No. 786.

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Insurance Fund in certain cases, to contribute toward losses of their insured.

SENATE BILL No. 288.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

SENATE BILL No. 510.

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 262), entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or a large part of a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind, or of fixtures, or of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, not in the ordinary course of business; providing certain requirements therefor; and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents; making their violation a misdemeanor;" excepting the sale of furniture, fixtures and equipment of hotels, and boarding houses.

SENATE BILL No. 567.

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating, marking and maintenance of detours necessitated by such closing; requiring boroughs, cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours; providing penalties for removing, destroying, defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on, over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities, except in certain cases; further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged, or their agents or contractors, shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided, and repealing certain acts.

SENATE BILL No. 912.

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled 'An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto

SENATE BILL No. 914.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 285), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships, for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1012.

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

SENATE BILL No. 1085.

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments or other questions are submitted to the vote of the people.

SENATE BILL No. 1134.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia and the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

SENATE BILL No. 1137.

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

SENATE BILL No. 1185.

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents.

SENATE BILL No. 1241.

An Act to amend paragraph nine of section one of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine

hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended; by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association.

SENATE BILL No. 1242.

An Act to amend clause nine, section one, of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payment, therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties," as amended.

SENATE BILL No. 1286.

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 1287.

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 525), entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War, imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipal officers, and making an appropriation," extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SENATE BILL No. 1296.

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

SENATE BILL No. 1304.

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let, answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status, capital, resources, experience, outstanding contracts or commitments, plant, equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor, conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same.

SENATE BILL No. 1306.

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow, minor children, or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania, who may die from injuries received, or who may be killed, or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed, in line of duty, in active service, under orders of the Governor; authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension, and certify same to Auditor General for payment; providing method of payment, fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed; authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension, and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension;" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

SENATE BILL No. 1333.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease, purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities, but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields; providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired; authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed, and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental; and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field," and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings.

SENATE BILL No. 1338.

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Interstate Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

SENATE BILL No. 443.

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen street, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge.

SENATE BILL No. 1143.

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of its provision and repealing The Banking Department Act of nineteen hundred and nineteen with table of contents" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 18.

An Act to amend State Highway routes numbers one hundred and eighteen as amended one hundred and seventy as amended one hundred and eighty-eight as amended one hundred and ninety-three and two hundred and four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department

and fixing salaries of cimmissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class and certain bonds and certificates of cities of the third class from the provisions thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 13.

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to protect children and aged persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 57.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras, Pike County.

HOUSE BILL No. 165.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 180.

An Act to amend sections three hundred and five of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

HOUSE BILL No. 201.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 716), entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties, poor districts, boroughs, incorporated towns, and townships for county, poor, borough, town, or township taxes, respectively; and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes, and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales," extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class.

HOUSE BILL No. 229.

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 101), entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own, for the purpose of expediting business, with provisions for their compensation" increasing the compensation of assigned judges

HOUSE BILL No. 247.

An Act affecting marital relations prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages and amending revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 301.

An Act creating a commission to study the law relating to townships, to revise, restate and harmonize existing laws, and to eliminate inconsistent, overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 305.

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class where such applications were refused but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury and making an appropriation therefor

HOUSE BILL No. 324.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 134) entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the Public records of the State and providing for their publication and distribution" by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion and Disabled American Veterans of the World War

HOUSE BILL No. 327.

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army, navy, marine corps, revenue cutter service, or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms, or while doing certain other things for personal profit, and fixing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 332.

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof

preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale

HOUSE BILL No. 338.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 372.

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 431.

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 462.

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 464.

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home, Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 497.

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital, Association at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 536.

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas the judges of the Orphans' courts the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County

HOUSE BILL No. 753.

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 754.

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the maintenance of township reward roads and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for such purposes

HOUSE BILL No. 788.

An Act to amend paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 663), entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Sheriffs in this Commonwealth, and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same," by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

HOUSE BILL No. 797.

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and poviding penalties" as amended providing for the method of reinbursement to such licenses and making an appropriation therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 806.

An Act making an appropriation to the Cresson Volunteer Fire Company for the protection of State property.

HOUSE BILL No. 835.

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four, six, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five and twenty-six of the act, approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten), entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing, sparring, and wrestling matches and exhibitions; establishing a State Athletic Commission; making an appropriation therefor; and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes; and prescribing penalties."

HOUSE BILL No. 884.

An Act to amend section five, article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 887.

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infant's Home and Hospital of Erie, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 888.

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 890.

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 925.

An Act to further amend section one of an act, approved the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and providing penalties for the violation thereof," as amended, by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking, shall, pending their approval, be turned into the State Treasury.

HOUSE BILL No. 952.

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 973.

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 978.

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

HOUSE BILL No. 987.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof when such indebtedness was legally incurred

HOUSE BILL No. 993.

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyd associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1043.

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 1070.

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1071.

An Act to amend section three, as amended, of the act approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 65), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness.

HOUSE BILL No. 1103.

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor

HOUSE BILL No. 1101.

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors prohibiting the manufacture advertising furnishing traffic in and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacture thereof defining intoxicating liquor providing for penalties forfeitures and the abatement of nuisances and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws" (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county

HOUSE BILL No. 1112.

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1123.

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1144.

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1149.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1155.

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1161.

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania,

HOUSE BILL No. 1163.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge.

HOUSE BILL No. 1170.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1172.

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1183.

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

HOUSE BILL No. 1184.

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto

HOUSE BILL No. 1194.

An Act to amend section one as amended sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death by providing for the filing of liens prescribing when the exercise of power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts and taxing of joint estates

HOUSE BILL No. 1236.

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons

HOUSE BILL No. 1214.

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (P. L. 16) entitled "An act relating to mutual saving fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of repayment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

HOUSE BILL No. 1353.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1360.

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (Pamphlet Laws, 774), entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State Association, for the purpose of holding annual meetings, to secure more uniformity and co-operation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties."

HOUSE BILL No. 1365.

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1379.

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive together with eighty-one and one-half

HOUSE BILL No. 1380.

An act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from Volume one to sixty inclusive

HOUSE BILL No. 1410.

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline; providing for the management and control thereof, and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 1429.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1464.

An Act to amend section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and adding to said act additional sections one thousand six hundred sixty-six one thousand six hundred sixty-seven one thousand six hundred sixty-eight and one thousand six hundred sixty-nine relating to the construction opening dedication and drainage of highways

HOUSE BILL No. 1473.

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land and for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

HOUSE BILL No. 1478.

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 1480.

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1507.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1521.

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes, and persons to secure employment; providing for the licensing, registration, bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business; conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth, and of said Department; and prescribing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 1583.

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the County of Luzerne" increasing the compensation of directors.

HOUSE BILL No. 1586.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1591.

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1598.

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal;" as amended, reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors, administrators, or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax.

HOUSE BILL No. 1612.

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1615.

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary.

HOUSE BILL No. 1745.

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-

three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, for the removal of nuisances, and for water rents or rates, sewer rates, and lighting rates; for the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened; the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, and the redemption of the property therefrom; for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed, and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed, within six months before the passage of this act; and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly."

HOUSE BILL No. 1750.

An Act to amend section one of an act, approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes, and, in cities coextensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes";

HOUSE BILL No. 1768.

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

HOUSE BILL No. 1780.

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to become due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1816.

An Act to amend sections two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes.

HOUSE BILL No. 1870.

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupation of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised.

HOUSE BILL No. 1884.

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing the salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointeees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1885.

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 1915.

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 27) entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto providing penalties and repealing present laws" permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed

HOUSE BILL No. 1925.

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny

HOUSE BILL No. 1927.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Franklin County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1931.

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings

HOUSE BILL No. 1934.

An Act to further amend an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and forty), entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock

of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto; for the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages, and others interested in real estate, from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances; and of companies entitled to the benefits of, and companies having any of the powers of, companies entitled to the benefits of an act, entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity, insurance, safety deposit, trust, and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and of the supplements thereto,' approved June twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, commonly known as title insurance of trust companies," by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 1958.

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

HOUSE BILL No. 1972.

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

HOUSE BILL No. 1977.

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties.

HOUSE BILL No. 2002.

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents"

HOUSE BILL No. 2012.

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class.

HOUSE BILL No. 2013.

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships; and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor in such district situated in two counties therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

HOUSE BILL No. 2029.

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands

HOUSE BILL No. 2056.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 2058.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters, equipment, and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

HOUSE BILL No. 2059.

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters equipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof

HOUSE BILL No. 2061.

An Act imposing an excise tax on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

HOUSE BILL No. 2066.

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 2072.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities.

HOUSE BILL No. 2074.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 275) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

HOUSE BILL No. 2076.

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 2081.

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard

HOUSE BILL No. 2082.

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government.

HOUSE BILL No. 2083.

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue.

HOUSE BILL No. 2084.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 2085.

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individuals for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives

HOUSE BILL No. 2086.

An act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State Employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which state employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund

HOUSE BILL No. 2087.

An act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances return benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement.

HOUSE BILL No. 2090.

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 886) entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling registration and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways sheriffs police officers constables mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof imposing upon counties cities boroughs townships and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures and making an appropriation" providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

HOUSE BILL No. 2095.

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly-indigent insane in State institutions

HOUSE BILL No. 46.

An Act to amend route three hundred and seventy-six as amended route four hundred and four route four hundred and forty-two, route four hundred and fifty-two route four hundred and sixty-nine route for hundred and fifty-one route four hundred and ninety-six as amended and route five hundred and eleven as amended of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 192) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their

construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 457.

An Act to amend routes numbers three hundred three hundred and forty three hundred and fifty-nine as amended and three hundred and sixty-one of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

HOUSE BILL No. 520.

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

HOUSE BILL No. 566.

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six, approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 1035), for further study of the criminal laws of the Commonwealth.

HOUSE BILL No. 891.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania The American Legion to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions

HOUSE BILL No. 1007.

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judical process and providing penalties" as amended

HOUSE BILL No. 1076.

An Act providing a fixed charge payable by the Commonwealth on lands acquired by the State and Federal Government for forest reserves or for the purpose of preserving and perpetuating a portion of the original forests of Pennsylvania and preserving and maintaining the same as public places and parks and the distribution of the same for county school township and road purposes in the counties school districts and townships wherein such forests are located and making an appropriation.

HOUSE BILL No. 1232.

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

HOUSE BILL No. 1283.

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

HOUSE BILL No. 1347.

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges.

HOUSE BILL No. 1489.

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton, Pennsylvania, (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children).

HOUSE BILL No. 1504.

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of additional State Buildings in Harrisburg and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same.

HOUSE BILL No. 1551.

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and the density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureaus providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this act and penalties for violations thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 1638.

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 859), entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one), entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death, and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent, until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid; and providing penalties; and citing certain acts for repeal,' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits" defining such taxes as estate taxes imposing duties upon executors administrators and persons in actual or constructive possession of the property of such estates and regulating the making of appraisements in such estates.

HOUSE BILL No. 1661.

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

HOUSE BILL No. 1674.

An Act to amend Route numbers five hundred and forty-six five hundred and forty-nine five hundred and fifty-six five hundred and sixty-four five hundred and sixty-seven five hundred and seventy-one five hundred and seventy-two five hundred and seventy-three five hundred and seventy-five five hundred and seventy-eight five hundred and eighty five hundred and eighty-one five hundred and eighty-two five hundred and eighty-three five hundred and eighty-four five hundred and eighty-six five hundred and eighty-nine five hundred and ninety-one five hundred and ninety-four five hundred and ninety-five five hundred and ninety-eight five hundred and ninety-nine six hundred and two six hundred and three six hundred and eight six hundred and nine six hundred and ten six hundred and eleven six hundred and fourteen six hundred and sixteen six hundred and twenty six hundred and twenty-one six hundred and twenty-two six hundred and twenty-three six hundred and twenty-four six hundred and twenty-seven six hundred and twenty-eight six hundred and twenty-nine six hundred and thirty-one six hundred and thirty-two six hundred thirty-three six hundred and thirty-four six hundred and thirty-five six hundred and thirty-nine six hundred and forty six hundred and forty-one six hundred and forty-four six hundred and fifty six hundred and fifty-one six hundred and fifty-three six hundred and fifty-six six hundred and fifty-eight six hundred and sixty six hun-

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HOUSE BILL No. 1856.

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the day of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws Act No.) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels including all liquids ordinarily practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum natural gas coal coal tar and vegetable ferments so usable and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth except for the purpose of resale or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers providing for the collection of such tax and the creation of liens and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers as defined in this act providing for the issuing revoking and use of permits and fixing penalties" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene fuel oil and gas oil not used in motor vehicles.

HOUSE BILL No. 1889.

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

HOUSE BILL No. 1956.

An Act to amend Section one hundred one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an Act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town or township or two or more of said municipal divisions

HOUSE BILL No. 2088.

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond

HOUSE BILL No. 2060.

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way through Capitol Park to certain street railway companies.

HOUSE BILL No. 2099.

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

HOUSE BILL No. 2296.

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission Erie Pennsylvania for the purpose of clearing repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

HOUSE BILL No. 261.

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine; and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

HOUSE BILL No. 469.

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, (P. L. 188), entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays, and for the payment, acceptance and protesting of bills, notes, drafts, checks, and other negotiable paper on such days," as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 667.

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 701.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward and making an appropriation

HOUSE BILL No. 1783.

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

HOUSE BILL No. 1053.

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars trackless trolley omnibuses bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of the Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registrations of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue the Department of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1171.

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

HOUSE BILL No. 1483.

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns providing penalties and providing for certain exemptions and the granting of permits by sheriffs to own and possess machine guns as relics.

HOUSE BILL No. 1536.

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation, providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, the Department of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of tractors and trailers; providing that records are admissable as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers; imposing penalties, imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

HOUSE BILL No. 1548.

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 1663.

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second, third and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties," by excepting counties of the second class and certain bonds and certificates of cities of the third class from the provisions thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 1782.

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriation from the Motor License Fund therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 1854.

An Act providing that when all, or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation, now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs, management and operations of such domestic corporation, and to institute, maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against, or in behalf of, such domestic corporation, for any purpose, to the same extent, in the same manner, with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies, as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation; and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding.

HOUSE BILL No. 1862.

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

HOUSE BILL No. 1942.

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the Act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by making additional exemptions from taxation thereunder and modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports

HOUSE BILL No. 1944.

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers.

HOUSE BILL No. 1973.

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase or gift or lease or condemnation on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata in whole or in part to provide for the control management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

HOUSE BILL No. 263.

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and section thirty-five as amended and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating and keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties."

HOUSE BILL No. 1697.

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for recording of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property.

HOUSE BILL No. 1378.

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court Reports from Volume ninety-eight to two hundred and sixty-seven, inclusive.

Whereupon,

The SPEAKER, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON COMPARE BILLS.

Mr. STARK, from the Committee on Compare Bills, reported having compared and found correct bills numbered and entitled as follows:

House Bill No. 1, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by providing for the payment by the State of compensation to certain former teachers who hold themselves in readiness to perform certain duties.

House Bill No. 7, entitled:

An Act to provide for the treatment and care of sick or disabled United States Veterans having a legal residence in the State of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by adding thereto article three empowering townships of the second class to provide a supply of water and for the necessary water mains and connections

House Bill No. 10, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of moneys and fees heretofore erroneously and inadvertently paid for wholesale liquor licenses and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended fixing the rate for the taxation of property passing to or for the use of actual places of religious worship and institutions of purely public charity and providing for additional taxes to take up federal credits

House Bill No. 12, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Hospital, West College Avenue, York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 13, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the York Society to Protect Children and Aged Persons, of York, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 16, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hanover General Hospital, of Hanover, York County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 18, entitled:

An Act to amend State Highway Route number fifty-four of section six of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or country roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended

House Bill No. 19, entitled:

An Act for the compensation by counties of persons detained as material witnesses in criminal prosecutions

House Bill No. 22, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of tipstaves in courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 25, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts relating to agriculture

House Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Hospital Association of Washington Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 33, entitled:

An Act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks appointed by the inspectors except in cities of the first class and counties of the second class

House Bill No. 39, entitled:

An Act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by Justices of the Peace and Aldermen in this Commonwealth and imposing liability for costs upon the County in certain cases

House Bill No. 40, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws twenty-nine) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of natural gas companies"

House Bill No. 46, entitled:

An Act to amend route number four hundred and sixty-nine of section one of the act approved the eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-one) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 47, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, at Charleroi, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act to amend section fifteen of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixteen) entitled "An act defining fratrnal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws"

House Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred forty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the deputy coroner of counties having a population of one million five hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 53, entitled:

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof

House Bill No. 57, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Forests and Waters for the purpose of building and constructing a retaining wall or dike along the Delaware River at Matamoras Pike County.

House Bill No. 69, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 206), entitled "An act relating to the organization and jurisdiction of orphans' courts, and to establish a separate orphans' court in and for counties having more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and to provide for the election of judges thereof," as amended.

House Bill No. 76, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wayne County Memorial Hospital, at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 77, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Franklin Hospital Franklin Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 81, entitled:

An Act directing the Recorder of Deeds of each county of the Commonwealth to refuse for record all deeds or other transfers of real estate or interest in real estate unless a certificate is attached to said instruments, giving the precise residence of the grantee or grantees named therein, and requiring a list thereof to be delivered to the proper Board of Revision of taxes or other officials charged with the assessment of real estate.

House Bill No. 88, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of its hospital.

House Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act authorizing Building and Loan Associations to invest moneys in securities designated by law for the investment of trust funds.

House Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Institution for the Care and Treatment of Poor Consumptives Oil City Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously paid by corporations on corporate mortgages into the county treasury

House Bill No. 100, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Oil City Hospital, Oil City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts relating to the regulation of the sale of milk

House Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act requiring the assessors for county taxation purposes to collect certain agricultural information and fixing the duties of the county commissioners in connection therewith and imposing penalties"

House Bill No. 108, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Annie M Warner Hospital Gettysburg Adams County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Common-

wealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended allowing further deductions where estates vest in direct heirs

House Bill No. 115, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Indiana Hospital, of Indiana County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas of the thirty-eighth judicial district

House Bill No. 125, entitled:

An Act to correct an error in the printing in the pamphlet laws of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to amend an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine entitled 'An act relative to the liens of the Commonwealth against unpatented lands providing for their adjustment and for granting of patents.'"

House Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

House Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital, of Altoona, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 134, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Altoona Hospital Altoona Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 148, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section one article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 149, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved June first one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to fix the number and salaries of clerks and employes in the State Treasury"

House Bill No. 150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Home Teaching Society and Free Circulating Library for the Blind at Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 153, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties of the second class; fixing their salaries payable by the county, and repealing existing laws.

House Bill No. 155, entitled:

An Act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically, and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenues derived from such tax; requiring bonds from dealers and providing for the compensation of dealers; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties.

House Bill No. 156, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for a portrait of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 158, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty, thirty, forty, one hundred and sixty, one hundred and sixty-three, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and seventy-five, one hundred and eighty-five, two hundred and fifty-eight, and to correct the printing of section two hundred and three of an act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 162, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Ridley Park Delaware County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 164, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kane Summit Hospital Association of Kane McKean County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 165, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic and Wives, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Hospital West Chester Chester County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 173, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kittanning General Hospital Kittanning Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 174, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Glen Mills Schools situate in Delaware County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 176, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Delaware County Hospital, Lansdowne Avenue and Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 177, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts conveyances transfers and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law providing for the subsequent filing of such registration and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases

House Bill No. 183, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Thaddeus Stevens Industrial School of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 185, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Phoenixville Hospital Phoenixville Chester County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act providing for the filling of vacancies in the office of constable in any borough town ward of any city borough or town or township of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 189, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred five) entitled "An act fixing the pay of election officers and clerks in counties of the second class"

House Bill No. 190, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved th seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 900) entitled "An act to provide for the immediate registration of all births and deaths throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by means of certificates of births and deaths and burial or removal permits requiring prompt returns to the Central Bureau of Vital Statistics as required to be established by the State Department of Health and in order to secure prompt and faithful registration of births marriages deaths and diseases of practitioners of medicine and surgery of midwives nurses and undertakers and of all persons whose occupation is deemed to be of importance in obtaining complete registration of births deaths marriages and diseases throughout the State as provided in section ten of the act entitled 'An act creating the Department of Health and defining its powers and duties' approved the twenty-seventh day of April nineteen hundred and five and providing penalties for violations of this act"

House Bill No. 191, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital at Johnstown Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 194, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixteen) entitled "An act regulating the selling offering or exposing for sale of agricultural seeds and mixtures of the same for seeding purposes forbidding the sale of seeds unfit for seeding purpose and providing for the prohibition of such sales by injunction providing for the taking and examination of samples of agricultural seeds by the Secretary of Agriculture and his agents and the publication of information gained from such examinations providing for the enforcement of the act and providing penalties for its violation" by authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to declare seeds not complying with the provisions of the act to be a public nuisance

House Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act providing for the certification of inspected seed potatoes agricultural and vegetable seeds prohibiting the use of the words "certified" "inspected" "registered" or similar terms in connection with the sale of seed potatoes and agriculture and vegetable seeds unless inspected and certified as provided in this act providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Agriculure prescribing penalties and conferring jurisdiction in certain cases upon the Courts of Common Pleas

House Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" permitting cross suits in actions of trespass and regulating the practice in such cases

House Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixteen) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending the provisions of said act to counties of the seventh class

House Bill No. 205, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Hospital Pottstown Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottstown Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 208, entitled:

A Supplement to an act entitled An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive, Judicial, and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and the support of the Public Schools, for the two fiscal years, beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven: and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," as approved the eleventh day of May, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (App. Act. 194), providing for deficiencies in certain appropriations made to the Executive and Judicial Departments by the act to which this is a supplement, and for other minor expenses incurred or to be incurred to May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, by certain of the Executive and Judicial Departments not provided for by said act.

House Bill No. 218, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eighteen article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act relating to the grading and sale of grapes in this Commonwealth providing penalties for violations and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Agriculture

House Bill No. 226, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law, providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," by adding thereto section four hundred and fifteen; permitting certain stock insurance companies heretofore organized to come within provisions of this act.

House Bill No. 227, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

(P. L. 292), entitled "An act to provide for the protection of insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, and the appointment of a guardian for the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics, unable to care for their own property; authorizing the guardian to support the wife and children of the said insane persons, feeble-minded persons, and epileptics; defining the powers of the guardian, and authorizing the sale of real estate of the ward," as amended; extending jurisdiction to cases where the real or personal estate of such persons is located in the county.

House Bill No. 229, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 101) entitled "An act for the assignment of judges to districts other than their own for the purpose of expediting business with provision for their compensation," increasing the compensation of assigned judges

House Bill No. 234, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the River Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

House Bill No. 235, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nason Hospital Association, of Roaring Spring, Blair County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 236, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of Navigation for the river Delaware and its navigable tributaries.

House Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when statutory law hereafter enacted shall become effective

House Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittston Hospital Association of the City of Pittston Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 243, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Cannonsburg General Hospital Association at Cannonsburg Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 247, entitled:

An Act affecting marital relations; (providing) prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages; and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating thereto.

House Bill No. 250, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital Association, of Monongahela City, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 254, entitled:

An Act to authorize the establishment nad organization of a Bureau of Music in cities of the first class and ratifying ordinances of such cities heretofore passes for that purpose

House Bill No. 255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coatesville Hospital, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 260, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Columbia Hospital at Columbia Lancaster County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the executive judicial and legislative departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

House Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act to tax traction-engines and providing that the same shall be assessed by the several assessors of the counties of this Commonwealth in the same manner as other articles of personal estate liable for taxation are assessed" approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-two)

House Bill No. 263, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-six as amended, and section thirty-six of an act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 522), entitled "An act relating to dogs, and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs, providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture; providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show and breeding purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs, and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners; providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs, and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs, and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth; imposing powers and duties on certain State, county, city, borough, town, and township officers and employes; directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury; and making an appropriation thereof; and providing penalties."

House Bill No. 264, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two as amended and sections four five and six of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-seven) entitled (An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine butterine and other similar products when colored in imitation of yellow butter to provide for license fees to be paid by manufacturers wholesale and retail dealers and by proprietors of hotels restaurants dining-rooms and boarding houses for the manufacture or sale of oleomargarine butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter and to regulate the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine butterine or other similar products not colored in imitation of yellow butter and prevent and punish fraud and deception in such manufacture and sale as an imitation butter and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act and the means and the method of procedure for its enforcement and regulate certain matters of evidence in such procedure" by extending the provisions thereof to persons who act as agents for the sale of or obtain orders for the delivery of or who handle or distribute oleomargarine butterine or other similar products

House Bill No. 266, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Park and Harbor Commissionof Erie.

House Bill No. 267, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie Pennsylvania for maintenance of said home and payments of expenses of administration including salaries of officials and clerks and for repairs and providing that all moneys received from the United States Government by the Governor of Pennsylvania on account of maintenance shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue.

House Bill No. 269, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other mu-

nicipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections.

House Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mid-Valley Hospital Association at Blakely Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 276, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine entitled "An act fixing the salary of sheriffs in counties of the sixth class providing for the payment for the care and maintenance of prisoners where the sheriff is the keeper or warden of the jail requiring all fees and mileage earned by sheriffs in such counties to be paid into the county treasury for the use of the county providing for the appointment and compensation of deputies and clerks and prescribing penalties"

House Bill No. 277, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carbondale General Hospital, Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 282, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of trustees of the Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf at Scranton Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 283, entitled:

An Act to provide for a second additonal law judge of the court of common pleas of the Twenty-seventh Judicial District

House Bill No. 284, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and seventy-eight) entitled "An act to provide for the registration and protection of the names badges mottoes buttons decorations charms emblems rosettes and other insignia of associations lodges orders fraternal societies beneficial societies or fraternal and beneficial societies or associations historical military or veterans organizations labor union foundation federation or other society organization or association degree branch subordinate lodge or auxiliary thereof to prohibit the wearing exhibition display or use of the same by any person not entitled to wear exhibit display or use the same and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act" conferring jurisdiction upon the several courts of common pleas to issue injunctions to restrain violations of said act

House Bill No. 285, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Valley Forge Park Commission.

House Bill No. 286, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montgomery Hospital, at Norristown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 299, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred and three three hundred and four and three hundred and five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the laws relating to townships to revise restate and harmonize existing laws and to eliminate inconsistent overlapping and redundant provisions of law which appear obsolete or repealed by implication and to draft such new laws as may appear necessary and to consolidate the laws relating to townships and to draft a separate code for each class of townships and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 302, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-seven of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty), entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 305, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of fees and bonus taxes for letters patent for corporations of the second class, where such applications were refused, but the fee and bonus taxes paid into the State Treasury, and making an appropriation therefor.

House Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ellwood City Hospital Ellwood City Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 313, entitled:

An Act permitting the sale of mortgaged real estate under a judgment upon the bond accompanying such mortgage, to be made by the sheriff upon a writ of fieri facias, without inquisition, and without any other writ.

House Bill No. 314, entitled:

An Act providing for assistance by the Commonwealth in the improvement, construction, reconstruction and / or maintenance of certain streets and highways in cities of the second class, second class A, and third class; and for the assessment of benefits against owners of real estate abutting on the line of the improvement; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act to amend section twelve of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the courts of common pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions" as amended extending the time for filing affidavits at defense in the case of actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies.

House Bill No. 324, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and thirty-four), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," by extending the provisions of said act to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

House Bill No. 326, entitled:

An Act to enable city county poor ward school borough and township tax collectors their executors and administrators if they are deceased or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes to collect taxes for the payment of which they have become personally liable without having collected the same by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants or by the expiration of their terms of office and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act

House Bill No. 327, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor to wear the uniform of the United States army navy marine corps revenue cutter service or coast guard or of the national guard while soliciting alms or while doing certain other things for personal profit and fixing penalties.

House Bill No. 332, entitled:

An Act relating to executions providing that proceeding under a landlord's warrant issued previous to any execution shall be stayed pending a sale under such execution and making claims under such landlord's warrant and the costs thereof preferred claims to be paid first out of the proceeds of such sale.

House Bill No. 335, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Passavant Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home Society, of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 340, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section

House Bill No. 341, entitled:

An Act providing for the location care and maintenance of graves of soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and for the compilation and preservatoin of records relating to such soldiers sailors marines and members of the enlisted nurses corps and their burial placed by county commissioners at the expense of the counties and imposing certain duties upon persons firms corporations and municipalities owning and controlling cemeteries

House Bill No. 345, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 346, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 701) entitled "An act relating to the acquisition and holding of property real and personal by any literary scientific educational religious charitable benevolent or beneficial society church congregation association or body incorporated or any trustee or trustees of any trust for charitable or benevolent objects or purposes fixing the amount of such property which may thus be acquired and held and providing for the increase of such amount and a method of procedure for obtaining the right to such increase" by increasing limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations societies or congregations

House Bill No. 350, entitled:

An Act to further amend Section one of the Act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws eighty-nine), entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for persons to unlawfully use or wear the insignia or button of the American Legion or the official decorations of said organization" as amended by extending the provisions of said act to the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

House Bill No. 352, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Hospital city of Scranton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 353, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred thirty-one) entitled "An act to encourage the breeding of horses to regulate the public service of stallions and jacks to prevent misrepresentation of same to require the licensing of stallions and jacks and to provide for the enforcement thereof" as amended decreasing the amount of the annual license fee

House Bill No. 359, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws forty-two) entitled "A supplement to 'An act relating to corporations and to estates held for corporate religious and chariable uses' approved the twenty-sixth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five increasing the limit of real and personal estates which may be held by such corporations" by further increasing the limit of such estates which may be held by such corporations societies or congregations

House Bill No. 360, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the preservation and reconditioning of the flags, standards and guidons of the Pennsylvania regiments that served in the various wars in which the United States has engaged.

House Bill No. 362, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lewistown Hospital of Lewistown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 370, entitled:

An Act to correct the printing error in section five of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred forty-one) entitled "An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deception by regulating the weighing testing buying and selling of milk and cream providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests and providing penalties" as amended by section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to amend sections one four and five of an act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and forty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deceptions by regulating the weighing testing buying and selling of milk and cream providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests and providing penalties"

House Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian Home, of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 374, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Packer Hospital of Sayre Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 376, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and twenty-one) entitled "An act to exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes actual places of religious worship places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit and institutions of purely public charity and repealing prior acts relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act making it a misdemeanor for anyone not duly authorized by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States the American Legion the Disabled American Veterans of the World War to sell or give away the official flower of any of

said organizations or solicit or receive contributions by means thereof and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 381, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of an act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws twenty) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended

House Bill No. 390, entitled:

An Act providing for the purchase of digests and law books for the offices of district attorneys of the Commonwealth by the boards of commissioners of counties and for the payment of the same out of the funds of the county

House Bill No. 393 entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Taylor Hospital Association of the borough of Taylor Lackawanna County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 395, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and two and four hundred and four of and add section four hundred and eleven A to article four of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 400, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and six (Pamphlet Laws sixty-three) entitled "An act to provide for the personal registration of electors in ctities of the third class of this Commonwealth to make such registration a condition of the right to vote in such cities and to provide penalties for violation of its provisions" as amended requiring county commissioners to prepare "street lists" of registered voters and poviding for the disposition of such "street lists"

House Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Association, Incorporated, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the crier of the courts of common pleas in the several counties of this Commonwealth having more than one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 419, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 427, entitled:

An Act providing that in any case where the Trustees of the Proprietors of any Certified Township of this Commonwealth have been incorporated by any law of this Commonwealth and in the act incorporating them there is a limitation of the amount of property which may be held at any one time by such corporation that all money or property held by such corporation over and above the limitation fixed in the act of incorporation shall be distributed amongst and paid to the public school district of such Certified Township or the public School Districts of the sub-divisions into which such Certified Township is divided providing for the method of apportioning such money or property and conferring power on the Court of Common Pleas of the County in which such Certified Township or the larger part thereof is located to enforce the provisions of this Act

House Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bethel Orphanage, located at Osceola, Tioga County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts" permitting defendants when held for court by such magistrates to name two persons whom the Commonwealth must subpoena at the trial thereof.

House Bill No. 436, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester Day Nursery and Children's Home, at Chester, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 440, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 442, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto an additional section

House Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1086), entitled "An act regulating the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties containing a population of not less than one hundred ninety thousand nor more than seven hundred thousand inhabitants," by providing that fees charged shall not include State tax.

House Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny Valley Hospital, at Tarentum, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act to amend section one and section two as amended of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act providing for the payment of the cost incurred in the trial of convicts and prisoners escaping or attempting to escape from the several penitentiaries and reformatories of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the respective counties from whose courts the said escaping convicts or prisoners have been committed and providing for the maintenance of such convicts under sentence for escape et cetera" extending said act to persons escaping from correctional institutions and providing for the payment of costs in certain cases by the counties from which persons convicts and prisoners were originally committed

House Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act providing for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit without the necessity of entering liens for such claims; and repealing existing laws.

House Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act to amend routes number three hundred and sixty-six of an act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand

nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and forty-eight) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State Highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 458, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brookville Hospital, Brookville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 462, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mount Sinai Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 463, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coudersport General Hospital, at Coudersport, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Tier Home Harrison Valley, Potter County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the conversion of National banking associations into State banks or trust companies

House Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An act designating the days and half days to be observed as legal holidays and for the payment acceptance and protesting of bills notes drafts checks and other negotiable paper on such days" as amended.

House Bill No. 470, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the merger and consolidation of National banking associations with State banks trust companies or banks and trust companies

House Bill No. 474, entitled:

An Act for the preservation of records by State banks trust companies savings banks banks and trust companies and private bankers

House Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Memorial Home of Brookville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Simon G. Barnes Memorial Hospital, at Susquehanna, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Northern Liberties Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 485, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act to limit the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions with capital stock heretofore or hereafter incorporated in this Commonwealth and prohibiting loans upon the security of the capital stock of such corporations" limiting the amount of loans to officers and directors of banks trust companies and savings institutions and to firms and houses in which such officers and directors are interested.

House Bill No. 490, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation for the purpose of maintaining the public roads through the Cornplanter Indian Reservation in Elk Township Warren County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 494, entitled:

An Act to amend section eight of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act to encourage and authorize the formation of co-operative associations productive and distributive by farmers mechanics laborers or other persons"

House Bill No. 495, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and thirty-five of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended increasing the minimum pay of supervisors

House Bill No. 497, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Saint Joseph's Hospital Association, at Carbondale, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 498, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 499, entitled:

An Act providing a method whereby territory within a borough contiguous to or separated from a third class city by a river or stream may be detached from the borough and annexed to such city

House Bill No. 514, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it a misdemeanor for any president vice-president cashier treasurer secretary teller bookkeeper clerk employe or agent of any mutual savings bank savings bank bank of discount and deposit trust company title insurance company surety company or safe deposit company incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or of any private bank or unincorporated association receiving deposits of money or of any building and loan association incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth or authorized to do business therein his or their aiders and bettors to embezzle abstract or wilfully misapply any of the moneys funds or credits of such institution or to issue certificates of deposit draw any order or bill of exchange make any acceptance assign any note bond draft bill of exchange mortgage judgment or other instrument in writing without authority from the directors of such institution with intent to deceive or defraud or to make a false entry in the books reports or statements thereof with like intent prescribing penalties and authorizing the Banking Commissioner to institute prosecutions" extending the penalties provided by said act to cases where officers directors employes and agents of aforesaid institutions commit certain acts as individuals or as officers directors employes or members of corporations or copartnerships with intent to injure or defraud such institutions or to deceive any bank examiner

House Bill No. 515, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete acts relating to State banks

House Bill No. 516, entitled:

An Act regulating the certification of checks by officers directors agents and employes of banking institutions trust companies and savings banks and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 517, entitled:

An Act providing for the approval of the names and changes of names of title insurance companies trust companies and title insurance and trust companies by the Secretary of Banking

House Bill No. 518, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act requiring each and every director of a bank of discount banking company cooperative banking association trust company safe deposit company real estate company mortgage company title insurance company guarantee company surety and indemnity company and savings bank which has been or may hereafter be incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth with the right to receive moneys on deposit to take an oath of office and prescribing the form thereof said oath to be filed with the Commissioner of Banking" and providing for the disqualification of directors who do now own sufficient capital stock or dispose hypothecate or pledge the same during their term

House Bill No. 519, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause five of section twenty-nine of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws seventy-three) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" by providing the manner in which trust companies may use uninvested trust funds

House Bill No. 520, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 521, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 524, entitled:

An Act to repeal section eight of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (one Sm L. ninety) entitled "An act for the assigning of bonds specialties and promissory notes"

House Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 531, entitled:

An Act relating to regulating and validating the issue of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, the judges of the Orphans' Courts, the judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, and the judges of the County Court of Allegheny County.

House Bill No. 537, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws one thousand seventy-five) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the Auditor General and the State Treasurer"

House Bill No. 539, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred eleven) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the deputy factory inspectors"

House Bill No. 540, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of February one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws seven) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the Private Secretary to the Governor of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 541, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred seventy) entitled "An act to fix the salary of county solicitor in counties containing a population of more than two hundred and fifty thousand and less than one million and providing for the payment thereof"

House Bill No. 542, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the stenographer and typewriter and the two stenographers in the Department of Mines"

House Bill No. 543, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act fixing the pay of assessors in the several townships of the second class"

House Bill No. 544, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred ninety-two) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and providing for the expenses of county solicitors in counties of this Commonwealth over one hundred and fifty thousand population and less than two hundred and fifty thousand population"

House Bill No. 545, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several court clerks of the courts of common pleas of the County of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 546, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one and two of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act amending sections four and six of an act approved the second day of April one thousand nine hundred three entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Fisheries to provide for its proper administration and to provide for the protection and propagation of fish by the Department of Fisheries' by fixing the salaries of the Commissioner and the clerks in the Department of Fisheries and repealing certain acts"

House Bill No. 547, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand seventy) entitled "An act authorizing the appoint-

ment of interpreters in each county of this Commonwealth and providing for their compensation"

House Bill No. 548, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the Assistant Librarian of the Senate and the Assistant Resident Clerk of the House of Representatives"

House Bill No. 549, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pomphlet Laws six hundred twenty-four) entitled "An act regulating the number of employees in the Adjutant General's Department and in the State Arsenal fixing the annual salaries to be paid to each authorizing the Adjutant General to make the appointment of employees in the Adjutant General's Department and the State Arsenal and giving authority to make such assignments to duty and to change or alter such assignments as may in his judgment be necessary to subserve the interests of the Commonwealth fixing the salary of the Adjutant General and providing for payment of such salaries as now provided by law"

House Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety-three) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the fees of tipstaves in judicial districts containing more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than five hundred thousand inhabitants' approved the fifth day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and three by further regulating the salary of tipstaves and court criers in judicial districts containing more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 551, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nine entitled 'An act to fix the salary of the deputy recorder of deeds in the office of any recorder of deeds of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million and over' so as to make it apply to counties having a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 552, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred three) entitled "An act amending the first section of an act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act authorizing the board of public charities to appoint two assistant general agents and prescribing their duties' "

House Bill No. 553, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the employment traveling auditor in the Department of the Auditor General and fixing their salaries"

House Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-three) entitled "Act to amend the first section of an act approved the fourth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of wills of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 555, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act creating the office of Second Assistant Deputy Attorney General in the Attorney General's Department and fixing the salary of said assistant"

House Bill No. 556, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twelve) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the storekeeper in the office of the Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings"

House Bill No. 557, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act providing for the appointment by the district attorney in counties having a papulation of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants of a chief county detective an assistant county detective and special county detective defining their duties fixing their salaries and authorizing the payment of the same together with the necessary traveling expenses by the county"

House Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the Attorney General the Deputy Attorney General and the salaries of the clerks and private secretary of the Attorney General's Department"

House Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-seven) entitled "An act to authorize the employment of additional employes by the Adjutant General"

House Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of an act approved the thirteenth day of May nineteen hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-six) entitled "An act to provide for the health safety and welfare of minors by forbidding their employment or work in certain establishments and occupations and under certain specified ages by restricting their hours of labor and regulating certain conditions of their employment by requiring employment certificates for certan minors and prescribing the kinds thereof and the rules for the issuance reissuance filing return and recording of the same by providing that the Industrial Board shall under certain conditions determine and declare whether certain occupations are within the prohibitions of this act requiring that certain minors shall during the period of their employment attend certain schools to be established as therein provided and to be approved by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and regulating the conditions of such attendance authorizing the State Board of Education in certain cases to appoint attendance officers to aid in enforcing the provisions of this act and creating the salary and expenses of such officers a charge against the school district wherein they are employed requiring abstracts and notices to be posted providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry the attendance officers of school districts and police officers and defining the procedure in prosecutions thereunder and establishing certain presumptions in relation thereto providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by providing that in school districts of the first second and third classes the physical examination of a minor provided for by said act shall be made by a physician employed by the board of school directors of the school district in which such minor resides that the certificate of physical fitness provided for by said act shall be signed by said physician and that no fee or

other compensation shall be required to be paid by such minor or by his parent or guardian

House Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act continuing the commission created by Concurrent Resolution number eighty-six approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-five)

House Bill No. 570, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth" increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter

House Bill No. 572, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-six) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having seven hundred and fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys' approed the twenty-fifth day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven so as to increase the salary of the first assistant district attorney and to provide for the classification of the other assistant district attorneys for whose appointment provisions is made by said act as second third and fourth assistants and assistants and to increase the salary of some and to decrease the salary of others of said assistant district attorney

House Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend sections thirty-three and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended limiting the numbers of wards in townships of the first class to fifteen redistricting townships having a greater number terminating the tenure of office of existing commissioners in such townships and providing for the election of new commissioners

House Bill No. 579, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Farm School at Doylestown Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 580, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-ninth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety) entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the county of Warren"

House Bill No. 581, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 581) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by making the city solicitor of said cities an elective officer.

House Bill No. 582, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 195) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the thirty-first day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act fixing the salary of the real estate assessors in counties having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties containing a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 584, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-two) entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act amending the eighty-ninth section of the act entitled "An act relating to counties and townships and to county and township officers"' approved the fifteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four and amendment thereto approved the twenty-fourth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven making the compensation of assessors two dollars and fifty cents per day"

House Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the first day of March Anno Domini nineteen hundred and five entitled an act 'to provide for the appointment by the district attorneys of the several counties of this Commonwealth having a population of over five hundred thousand and less than one million of a special detective officer and assistant special detective officers not exceeding ten in number making said special detective officers general police officers with the same powers conferred on constables in cases of crime and criminal procedure and defining their duties and fixing the salaries of the same and authorizing the payment of necessary traveling expenses"

House Bill No. 587, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to amend section fourteen of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the classification of the townships of the Commonwealth with respect to their population into two classes and to prescribe the form of government for townships of each class"

House Bill No. 589, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several clerks of the courts of common pleas of the county of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 590, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having seven hundred fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys."

House Bill No. 592, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-four) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act approved the tenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the clerk deputy clerk court clerks and employes in the office of the clerk of court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions of the peace of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' so as to make it apply to counties having a population of one million four hundred thousand or over"

House Bill No. 594, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-one) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth

having seven hundred fifty thousand and less than one million two hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 596 entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws fourteen) entitled "An act authorizing an increase in the number of clerks employed in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing the salary of the same"

House Bill No. 608, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An act regulating the pay of election officers at all elections hereafter to be held within this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 609, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act creating the office of the Deputy Auditor General and fixing his duties and salary"

House Bill No. 612, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty) entitled "An act regulating the salaries of the chaplains of the Senate and House of Representatives"

House Bill No. 613, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide for the election of assistant assessors for the valuation of real estate for taxation in townships of the first class and fixing the compensation of assessors in such townships"

House Bill No. 614, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-four) entitled "An act to fix the salary of the deputy recorder of deeds in the office of any recorder of deeds of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million and over"

House Bill No. 615, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and five, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eighty-nine), entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act to compensate the Harbor Master and Port Warden of the city of Philadelphia' approved April fifteen Anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-nine increasing the salary of the Harbor Master to five thousand dollars per annum"

House Bill No. 616, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 14), entitled "An act providing for the appointment of an executive clerk and two additional janitors and two additional transcribing clerks for the Senate, and fixing their compensation."

House Bill No. 618, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred two) entitled "An act to fix the salaries to be paid to the jury commissioners county jailor and jail physician in counties having over eight hundred thousand and less than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding United States Census"

House Bill No. 621, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section first of the act of Assembly approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled "An act to amend an act to fix the annual salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants" being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled "An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants by a further classification of counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and fixing the compensation of county officers therein" and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved the twenty-first day of March Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine fixing the salaries to be paid to the jail physician and to the county jailer in counties containing over five hundred thousand and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 626, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys and providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than five hundred thousand inhabitants prescribing the powers and duties and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys

House Bill No. 627, entitled:

An Act to repeal section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy) entitled "An act providing that the district attorneys in all counties whose population does not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand shall be paid a salary and fixing the same which shall be in lieu of all fees and in full compensation for their services and providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in said counties and for the compensation of the same and providing that the fees heretofore allowed the district attorneys upon indictments shall remain in amount as heretofore but shall hereafter be as part of the costs for the use and benefit of the proper county"

House Bill No. 628, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred thirty-six) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three to provide for the valuation of real estate for taxation in the townships of the first class and fixing the compensation of assessors in such townships

House Bill No. 629, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 22), entitled "An act to provide for the election of additional officers and appointment of additional employes of the House of Representatives to those already provided for by law."

House Bill No. 630, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, (P. L. 110), entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the several state officers of the Commonwealth, the number of clerks to be employed in the several departments,' and their compensation and providing for the incidental expenses of said department, approved May fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, increasing the salary of messenger in charge of flag room."

House Bill No. 631, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. L. 129), entitled "An act fixing the compensation of members of the general assembly, and the number, duties and compensation of the officers and employees thereof."

House Bill No. 634, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred eight) entitled "An act creating the office of first assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over one million inhabitants prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his salary

House Bill No. 635, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerk deputy clerk court clerks and employes in the office of the clerk of the court of oyer and terminer and quarter sessions of the peace of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over"

House Bill No. 636, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled "An act fixing the salary of members of the body acting as a board of revision of taxes in counties containing a population of one million two hundred and fifty thousand or over"

House Bill No. 638, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act to fix salary of court criers court interpreters and tipstaves in judicial districts containing more than two hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants and less than one million inhabitants"

House Bill No. 640, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred sixty-seven) entitled "An act creating the office of assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over five hundred thousand and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants providing for the appointment of said officers prescribing the powers duties and terms of office and fixing the salaries of said officers"

House Bill No. 642, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 109) entitled "An act regulating the compensation of county commissioners within this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 643, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 52), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an assistant clerk of the separate orphans' courts in counties having less than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and to provide a salary for the same"

House Bill No. 646, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, (P. L. 8), entitled "An act to amend the thirteenth section of an act entitled, 'An act to amend and alter the fee bill, passed the twenty-second day of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and increasing the compensation of witnesses attending court.'"

House Bill No. 647, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty) entitled "An act fixing a salary for interpreters of the German and French languages in certain counties in this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 648, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for a geological survey of the State"

House Bill No. 650, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of wills of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over"

House Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws five hundred six) entitled "An act regulating the salaries of county commissioners their employes when said commissioners are directors of the county poor in counties of less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants"

House Bill No. 653, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-five) entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled an act to amend 'An act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants and less than eight hundred thousand inhabitants by fixing the salaries of county engineers' being a supplement to an act approved the sixteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one entitled 'An act to amend "An act to fix the salaries to be paid county officers in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants"' being a supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six entitled 'An act to carry into effect section five of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the salaries of county officers and the payment of fees received by them into the State or county treasury in counties containing over five hundred thousand inhabitants fixing the compensation of county officers therein' approved twenty-fourth April one thousand nine hundred and three so as to authorize the county engineer in counties where such office exists to appoint a deputy engineer and to fix his salary"

House Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twelfth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act fixing the numbers compensation mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the General Assembly and providing for their election or appointment and manner of filling vacancies"

House Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws eighty-two) entitled "An act to fix the number and salaries of officers clerks and employes in the State Treasury

House Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws eleven) entitled "An act providing for the election of a city clerk in the several cities of the third class in this Commonwealth prescribing his duties term and compensation and empowering him to administer oaths and certify ordinances resolutions and other proceedings of councils"

House Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of expenses incident to the inaugu-

ration of the Honorable Herbert C. Hoover as President of the United States

House Bill No. 660, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Christian H. Buhl Hospital, of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 664, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 667, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maple Avenue Hospital Association of DuBois at DuBois Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 671, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh for the general maintenance of and the purchase of equipment for the University and for the maintenance of teaching facilities for students in the School of Medicine.

House Bill No. 673, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pottsville Hospital Pottsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other incorporated districts or municipalities had pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds certificates of indebtedness and securities issued in pursuance of such proceedings

House Bill No. 675, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rochester General Hospital, at Rochester, Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 676, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Homeopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 678, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Southern Homeopathic Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act to provide for the collection and use of data relating to the criminal business of this Commonwealth, and making non-compliance with the terms of this act a misdemeanor.

House Bill No. 690, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Corry Hospital Association, of Corry, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Belvedere General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 701, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for township reward, and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 706, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Uniontown Hospital, Uniontown, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 714, entitled:

An Act to prohibit false labels and misrepresentation in the sale of certain food products and providing penalties for the violation thereof

House Bill No. 715, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the eect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of property therefrom for the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other prior acts of Assembly"

House Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Miners' Hospital of Northern Cambria, at Spangler, Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act validating certain porceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

House Bill No. 719, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to authorize counties cities boroughs towns townships school districts and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men furnishing labor and material in and about the teial-men furnishing labor and material in and about the erection alteration addition and repair of public buildings" as amended extending the provisions of said act to roads and bridges

House Bill No. 722, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 734, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homestead Hospital, Homestead, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 739, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Grand View Hospital, located near Sellersville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 745, entitled:

An Act to amend Chapter five article one subdivision (e) and Chapter six Article six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing the creation of the office of township controller in townships of the first class defining the powers duties and authority of the township controller and fixing his salary

House Bill No. 746, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Centre County Hospital, located at Bellefonte, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 748, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Braddock General Hospital, Braddock, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 753, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Home Department of Pennsylvania, at Hawkins Station, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 754, entitled:

An Act providing for the distribution between townships and the Commonwealth of the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 757, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways and township reward roads and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways

House Bill No. 758, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" fixing the open season for muskrats.

House Bill No. 760, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixty-five and section sixty-six of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" by providing for the payment of costs of prosecution in cases wherein persons are jointly indicted and not all defendants are tried and in cases of acquital on the grounds of insanity

House Bill No. 762, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Monroe County Hospital Association, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 763, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Spencer Hospital Meadville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 767, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the General Hospital East Stroudsburg Monroe County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 778, entitled:

An Act providing for the acceptance of a grant of land by the Commonwealth located in Northumberland County and releases of mortgages thereon and for the use and occupancy of such land.

House Bill No. 779, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver Valley General Hospital, at New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Hospital Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Maternity Hospital, in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand five hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph three of section one of an act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty-three) entitled "An act to regulate and establish the fees to be charged by sheriffs in this Commonwealth and to provide for the taxation and collection of the same" by increasing the fees for serving certain writs and summonses.

House Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act creating in cities of the first class a Bureau of Building Inspection; regulating the erection, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, removal, demolition, and inspection of buildings and other structures; and the erection, encroachment, extension, repair, inspection and use of party walls; defining certain words and terms used; repealing conflicting legislation and providing penalties for violations of this act.

House Bill No. 793, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto section two thousand seven hundred and twenty-five relative to the leasing of parts of park grounds for amateur athletic and sport purposes.

House Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary.

House Bill No. 797, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the officers of the Commonwealth to refund the license moneys paid under the act of July seventeenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three) entitled "An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transporation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties" and its amendment of May twentieth one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-seven) entitled "An act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred and three) entitled 'An act requiring licenses to sell steamship tickets or orders for transportation to or from foreign countries and providing penalties'" providing for the method of reimbursement to such licensees and making an appropriation therefor.

House Bill No. 798, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and ninety-one of an act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

House Bill No. 799, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless of Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 91), entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness; imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs, and the officers of counties, cities, of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts of the second; third and fourth classes and poor districts, in connection with proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness; and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds; fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds; and providing penalties."

House Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Homeopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital of Reading Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the United Charities of Hazleton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend clause one (1) of section three hundred and eighty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and forty) entitled "An act concerniing townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act prescribing the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture with regard to farm products providing for co-operation with the Department of Internal Affairs to establish standard receptacles for farm products authorizing the Department of Agriculture to establish and promulgate standards for the grade and other classification of farm products and to promulgate regulations for the enforcement thereof defining farm products to include agricultural horticultural vegetable fruit and floricultural products of the soil live stock and meats wool hides poultry eggs dairy products nuts mushrooms and honey and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 830, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and three of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

House Bill No. 832, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding a section providing for the appropriation of money to fire companies for fire protection.

House Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections one to three and to amend sections four six ten fourteen sixteen seventeen twenty twenty-one twenty-three twenty-five and twenty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and ten) entitled "An act allowing and regulating boxing sparring and wrestling matches and exhibitions establishing a State Athletic Commission making an appropriation therefor and appropriating moneys received for monument and memorial purposes and prescribing penalties"

House Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act to amend sections thirty-one and thirty-two as amended of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred and sixty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the organization government discipline maintenance and regulation of the armed land forces of this Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the deficiency in the care, treatment, removal, and maintenance of the indigent insane, prior to June first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State penal and correctional institutions mental hospitals and institutions for the feeble minded or (epileptic) epileptics (institutions) under the supervision of the Department of Welfare.

House Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Medical or other institutions under the supervision of the Department of Health.

House Bill No. 840, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through Valley Forge Park Washington Crossing Park and the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie.

House Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for road construction and maintenance on roads running on or through lands of State Educational Institutions coming under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction.

House Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the nineteenth day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a county court for the county of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof' approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven constituting the said court the juvenile court of said county and prescribing its organization jurisdiction and powers therein and otherwise" by requiring the salary board to fix the number and salaries of all employes of such juvenile court.

House Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Samaritan Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 847, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elk County General Hospital, of Ridgway, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 848, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-

three (Pamphlet Laws fifteen) entitled "An act relative to the eligibility of candidates for the office of district attorney" as amended.

House Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act to amend section six as amended and section nine of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred eighty) entitled "An act dedicating certain lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania situated in the City and County of Erie to public use as an historical memorial and public State park aiding in the development of the harbor of Erie and creating a commission to manage and control said lands and said harbor improvements empowering said commission to purchase or receive by gift other lands for the purpose of this act providing for the appointment of members of said commission and that the Secretary of Internal Affairs and the Commissioner of Fisheries shall be ex-officio members thereof defining the duties and powers of said commission excepting rights and privileges in said lands heretofore granted and making an appropriation" vesting jurisdiction in said commission over the Harbor of Erie and the shores and certain areas extending from the shores of the peninsula on the lake side.

House Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act lapsing all unexpended or unencumbered balances of appropriations from the General Fund made by the General Assembly at its session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and prior sessions.

House Bill No. 870, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Garretson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 879, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Kensington Hospital for Women Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 880, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Stetson Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 881, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 884, entitled:

An Act to amend section five article four of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 885, entitled:

An Act providing a penalty for the removal defacing covering-up destruction of notices posted by administrative departments board and commissions of the State government.

House Bill No. 887, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Infants' Home and Hospital, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 888, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Erie Home for the Friendless, of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 889, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint Vincent's Hospital Association of the city of Erie, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 890, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Benevolent Association's Home for Children, Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Pennsylvania, The American Legion, to assist in defraying expenses of annual conventions.

House Bill No. 895, entitled:

An Act to validate contracts for the erection and construction of school buildings and additions to existing school buildings and to authorize payments on such contracts by the school districts where there is no evidence of fraud or conspiracy.

House Bill No. 896, entitled:

An Act providing for the refund of taxes erroneously or inadvertently paid to the county treasurer or delinquent tax collector of counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 897, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for the work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," providing for the removal by the county of certain structures located within the lines of a relocated State highway

House Bill No. 900, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Polk State School, located at Polk, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 905, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of Valley Forge Park to convey certain lands to an historical society incorporated to secure preserve and publish documents relating to the history of Valley Forge and the heroes of the United States in creating and perpetuating the republic and making appropriation of the moneys received therefor"

House Bill No. 906, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hamot Hospital Association of Erie Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 908, entitled:

An Act permitting county commissioners when acting as trustees of property for public purposes to invest moneys in such trust in such securities as are lawful investments for funds in the hands of fiduciaries.

House Bill No. 909, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Citizens' General Hospital, of New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 911, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-two), entitled "An act giving the Insurance Commissioner supervision and control and authority to examine automobile protective or cooperative companies or associations issuing for money consideration policies or contracts guaranteeing attorneys' services to owners of motor vehicles in event of accident to persons or property by operation of motor vehicles or providing for the towing of damaged vehicles defining motor vehicles providing for cancellation provision in policies or contracts providing for semi-annual reports by companies or associations to the Insurance Commissioner and payment of examination expenses and filing fees providing for a reserve liability for unearned portion of premium or dues and for investment of funds in valid securities to protect the purchasers providing for filing of name and residence of solicitors employed requiring payment of tax to the Commonwealth of two per centum on all premiums or dues received requiring all such companies or associations now transacting business in this Commonwealth to register with the Insurance Commissioner and to come under provisions of the act fixing penalties for violations of the act providing for liquidation by the Insurance Commissioner in event of insolvency."

House Bill No. 915, entitled:

An Act relating to the finances of the State government providing for the settlement assessment collection and lien of taxes bonus and all other accounts due the Commonwealth the collection and recovery of fees and other money or property due or belonging to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof including escheated property and the proceeds of its sale the custody and disbursement or other disposition of funds and securities belonging to or in the possession of the Commonwealth and the settlement of claims against the Commonwealth the resettlement of accounts and appeals to the courts refunds of moneys erroneously paid to the Commonwealth auditing the accounts of the Commonwealth and all agencies thereof of all public officers collecting moneys payable to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof and all receipts of appropriations from the Commonwealth and imposing penalties affecting every department government every political subdivision of the State and certain officers of such subdivisions every person association and corporation required to pay assess or collect taxes or to make returns or reports under the laws imposing taxes for State purposes or to pay license fees or other moneys to the Commonwealth or any agency thereof every State depository and every debtor or creditor of the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 916, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred eighteen and six hundred twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws page seven hundred eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws."

House Bill No. 918, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of an act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred and ninety-eight) entitled "An act imposing a tax for State purposes on marine insurance underwriting profits and providing for the collection of such tax."

House Bill No. 919, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred two as amended three hundred three three hundred four three hundred five three hundred six three hundred seven three hundred eight three hundred nine three hundred ten and twelve hundred one as amended of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred twenty as amended two hundred twenty-one two hundred twenty-two two hundred twenty-three two hundred twenty-four two hundred twenty-five as amended and two hundred eighty-five as amended of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-eight) entitled "An act relating to fish and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth."

House Bill No. 921, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bond securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" approved the second day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and three) so as to include corporations either public or private of this or any other State or of the United States of America or of any territory or dependency thereof or of any foreign country or any subdivision or agency thereof and to validate all purchases sales assignments transfers mortgages pledges or other disposition thereof at any time heretofore made

House Bill No. 922, entitled:

An Act limiting the damages for the conversion of property of fluctuating value.

House Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of an act approved the nineteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand and sixty) entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulating private banking in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and

providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended by providing that all moneys or securities deposited with the Secretary of Banking shall pending their approval be turned into the State Treasury

House Bill No. 926, entitled:

An Act providing for real estate deputy sheriffs in counties of the first second and third classes and fixing their salaries payable by said counties and repealing section two of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-five) entitled "An act authorizing the sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to appoint by deed chief deputies with power to act as sheriff in case of and during the temporary disability of the sheriff to act in person and fixing the salaries of such chief deputies in counties containing more than five hundred thousand inhabitants" and other acts general special or local so far as inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 928, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred twenty-three) entitled "An act relating to domestic animals defining domestic animals so as to include poultry providing methods of improving the quality thereof and of preventing controlling and eradicating diseases thereof imposing certain duties upon practitioners of veterinary medicine in Pennsylvania regulating the manufacture use and sale of tuberculin mallein and other biological products for use with domestic animals defining the powers and duties of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and the officers and employees thereof fixing the compensation of the Deputy State Veterinarian and providing penalties for the violation of this act" regulating the bringing and importation of cattle sheep goats swine poultry and wild and semi-wild animals into the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act regulating the quarantining of animals poultry premises localities and areas in the Commonwealth defining quarantines and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture its officers and agents in establishing and enforcing quarantines and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

House Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations having capital stock and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising floriculture mushroom growing beekeeping horticulture and other allied occupations and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two three four five six seven ten eleven twelve thirteen fourteen fifteen seventeen eighteen and twenty-one of the act approved the twelfth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 466) entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of co-operative agricultural associations not having a capital stock and not conducted for profit and defining agriculture so as to include persons engaged in agriculture dairying livestock raising poultry raising beekeeping and horticulture" increasing the powers of such associations in certain instances and providing a penalty.

House Bill No. 933, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred nine) entitled "An act providing for the postponement of the lien of a mortgage and bond accompanying the same to the lien of another mortgage or mortgages and bond accompanying and providing for the recording of the agreement therefor" providing additional methods for postponing such liens and validating certain postponements.

House Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Highways out of the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the Motor License Fund for expenditures incurred or to be incurred by reason of the construction and completion of the North Office Building and providing the method for the transfer of said appropriation to the Motor License Fund.

House Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State Hospital located at Hazleton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws sixty-one) entitled "Supplementary to an Act" entitled "An act for the incorporation and regulation of corporations" approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four authorizing the incorporation of pipe lines for the transportation of petroleum and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain in taking lands and property for such purposes."

House Bill No. 940, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 138), entitled "An act requiring counties having a population of over one million and less than one million five hundred thousand, to establish a pension fund for the employes of such counties, and providing for the administration of such fund and payments therefrom," authorizing the county poor district and the employes thereof to join such pension fund.

House Bill No. 945, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital, located at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 946, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 324), entitled "An act for the distribution by the Commonwealth and counties to townships and school districts of moneys received from the United States from Forest Reserves within the Commonwealth;" providing for the distribution of said moneys directly by the Commonwealth to townships and school districts.

House Bill No. 949, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 952, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Association for the Protection of Colored Women, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 964, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital located at Shamokin Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 969, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital located at Warren Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 973, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville Children's Aid Society and Home for the Aged, Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act providing for the establishment of a judicial council to make a continuous study of the organization procedure and practice of the courts.

House Bill No. 977, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the board of trustees of Locust Mountain State Hospital located at Shenandoah Schuylkill County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School.

House Bill No. 980, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chestnut Hill Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 982, entitled:

An Act appointing a commission to confer and negotiate with the proper local authorities of the city and county of Philadelphia as to the donation of a lot on which to erect a court house for the Supreme and Superior Courts of Pennsylvania and making an appropriation for the expenses of the commission.

House Bill No. 983, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School located at Pennhurst Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 984, entitled:

An Act to fix the fees to be charged by coroners in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 986, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 987, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying to school districts such amounts as their existing indebtedness may exceed the legal amount thereof, when such indebtedness was legally incurred.

House Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Two Lick Hospital, of Dixonville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act authorizing treasurers in counties of the second class to sit personally or by deputy for the purpose of the collection of taxes in the various municipalities in the county and imposing expenses in connection therewith upon the county.

House Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society.

House Bill No. 993, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and one of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

House Bill No. 994, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Elwyn Training School at Elwyn in the County of Delaware and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 996, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eagleville Sanatorium for Consumptives located at Eagleville Montgomery County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 997, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 1195) entitled "An act for the encouragement of agriculture and the holding of agricultural exhibitions; providing State aid for certain agricultural associations, and regulating the payment thereof."

House Bill No. 998, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Blossburg State Hospital located at Blossburg Tioga County Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 999, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1000, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Connellsville State Hospital located at Connellsville Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1001, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Nanticoke State Hospital located at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1002, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Laurelton State Village located at Laurelton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1003, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale of gambling machines; and providing penalties.

House Bill No. 1004, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the county treasurers of the several counties of this Commonwealth to sell at public sale, all seated lands upon which taxes assessed on such seated lands by authority of any county, borough, town, township, school district and poor district, are delinquent and remain unpaid, and fixing penalties for such delinquency authorizing county commissioners to purchase such lands under certain circumstances.

House Bill No. 1006, entitled:

An Act providing for granting State aid to school districts of the third and fourth class, for the purpose of assisting in rebuilding destroyed school buildings, or securing sites, or consolidating and constructing school buildings in third or fourth class districts; and establishing a fund in the State Treasury for such purposes, to be known as the School Building Aid Fund.

House Bill No. 1007, entitled:

An Act to amend section three paragraph one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hun-

dred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws 1043), entitled: "An Act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act regulating the appointment of persons to public positions in counties and cities of the first class.

House Bill No. 1017, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended prohibiting assessors and assistant assessors from being school directors.

House Bill No. 1021, entitled:

An Act to provide for the taking of tax duplicates by sureties on the bonds of delinquents or defaulting tax collectors and the appointment of such sureties of a collector for the collection of taxes due on such duplicates

House Bill No. 1035, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page one hundred and ninety-four) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the Public Schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" making an additional appropriation to carry on the work of erecting the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge

House Bill No. 1040, entitled:

An Act to validate deeds and other conveyances of real estate made in this Commonwealth by married women direct to their husbands without the husband having joined in the said conveyance and the intervention of a second party.

House Bill No. 1043, entitled:

An Act to repeal section five hundred and nine as amended and to amend section five hundred and eleven as amended of an act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1044, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Side Hospital Association, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1045, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten of the act approved the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-eight) entitled "An act defining vocational education providing for the establishment and regulation of vocational schools and providing for State aid in the maintenance thereof and for the payment of tuition by certain school districts and reimbursement thereof by the State" as amended

House Bill No. 1053, entitled:

An Act for the protection of the public safety regulating the use of highways and the operation of vehicles tractors street cars bicycles pedestrians and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth providing for the titling including liens encumbrances and legal claims registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and the clerks thereof owners of vehicles and garage keepers providing that records are admissable as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds

House Bill No. 1057, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph one of section seven of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-seven) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs and townships of the first class to adopt and enforce zoning ordinances regulating the location construction and use of buildings the size of courts and open spaces the density of population and the use of land" providing the manner in which the board of adjustment shall be appointed.

House Bill No. 1059, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and paragraph (a) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred thirty-seven) entitled "An Act relating to the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution and the fees costs and expenses therein" by providing that in no such proceedings shall it be necessary to join the spouse of any interested party.

House Bill No. 1060, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand thirty-four), entitled "An act to provide for the payment of moneys to school districts the taxes of which are reduced by the acquisition of lands and property by the Commonwealth for the conservation of water and to prevent flood conditions" extending the provisions of this act to the enlargement of forests

House Bill No. 1065, entitled:

An Act to repeal section seventeen and to amend sections three five eleven and fourteen as amended and section fifteen of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act relating to dogs and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors regulating the keeping of dogs and authorizing their destruction in certain cases providing for the protection of licensed dogs and for dogs temporarily imported for trial show and breeding purposes prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners providing for the assessment of damages done to live stock and poultry by dogs and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs and the pay-

ment of such damages by the Commonwealth imposing powers and duties on certain State county city borough town and township officers and employes directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury and making an appropriation thereof and providing penalties" substituting the Department of Revenue for the Department of Agriculture as the agency having supervision over the issuance of dog and kennel licenses

House Bill No. 1070, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Baby Welfare Association, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1071, entitled:

An Act to amend section three as amended of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five), entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" requiring county commissioners to furnish lists of voters where certain school districts hold elections on indebtedness

House Bill No. 1072, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Easton Hospital Easton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1079, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of boroughs had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto and validating the appropriation purchase or leasing of private property by boroughs for the purpose of making enlarging and maintaining public parks parkways and playgrounds playfields swimming pools public baths bathing places indoor recreation centers and gymnasiums authorized to be appropriated purchased and leased in pursuance of such proceedings of election or conditioned thereon

House Bill No. 1086, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and five of article twelve of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1087, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the third day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred thirty-seven entitled "An act regulating the confinement of children under the age of sixteen years awaiting trial" providing for the management of houses of detention for juveniles in counties of the second class and imposing expenses in connection therewith on the county

House Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment of sworn weighers in the cities and counties of this Commonwealth who are to serve without compensation and perform certain duties in connection with the manufacturing company transportation company merchant or dealer having requested his appointment

House Bill No. 1092, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1093) entitled "An act creating in counties having a population of from eight hundred thousand to one million five hundred thousand a board for the assessment and revision of taxes providing for the appointment of the members of such board by the county commissioners fixing their salaries payable by the county defining the powers and duties of such board and regulating the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes authorizing the appointment of subordinate assessors and clerks defining their duties and providing for their compensation payable by such counties imposing a penalty on subordinate assessors for failure to comply with certain provisions of this and abolishing the office of ward borough and township assessor in so far as respects the assessment of property and occupations for State and county purposes."

House Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four of section three hundred and eighty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended construing the validity of township contracts

House Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act to amend further a part of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred and forty-seven), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estate of decedents and of minors and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge, and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audits and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds, transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," as amended.

House Bill No. 1095, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, (P. L. 167), entitled "An act to provide for the better protection of life and health by diminishing the danger from infectious and contagious diseases through the creation of a State Board of Undertakers in the cities of the first, second and third classes, with systematic examinations, registration and licenses for all entering the business of burying the dead, and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," as amended; providing for the payment of fees collected by the State Board of Undertakers into the State Treasury.

House Bill No. 1096, entitled:

An Act for the payment of surplus funds of State institutions into the State Treasury and validating expenditures from such funds

House Bill No. 1097, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet

Laws six hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act relating to the right to practice medicine and surgery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and providing a Bureau of Medical Education and Licensure as a bureau of the Department of Public Instruction and means and methods whereby the right to practice medicine and surgery and any of its minor branches may be obtained and exemptions therefrom and providing for an appropriation to carry out the provisions of said act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said bureau and providing penalties for violation thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" as amended providing for the payment of annual registration fees into the State Treasury

House Bill No. 1098, entitled:

An Act for the payment into the State Treasury of undistributed interest standing to the credit of patients' and inmates' funds of State institutions.

House Bill No. 1100, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment establishing an elective schedule of compensation and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder" as amended by providing that appeals in all compensation cases from the court of common pleas shall be to the Superior Court.

House Bill No. 1101, entitled:

An Act to amend subsections (I) and (II) of Clause (B) of Section eleven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act concerning alcoholic liquors; prohibiting the manufacture, advertising, furnishing, traffic in, and possession of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes and articles and substances designed or intended for use in the manufacturing thereof; defining intoxicating liquor; providing for penalties. forfeitures, and the abatement of nuisance and repealing existing alcoholic liquor laws and alcoholic liquor license laws," (P. L. 34), so as to authorize the sale of condemned property (other than intoxicating liquor) or of scrap from destroyed property for the benefit of the county.

House Bill No. 1103, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the directors of the home for the destitute in counties of the third class and granting power to employ a solicitor.

House Bill No. 1111, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act to consolidate revise and amend the laws of this Commonwealth relating to penal proceedings and pleadings" providing for the entry of nolle prosequi in certain larceny cases

House Bill No. 1112, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Presbyterian Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1117, entitled:

An Act providing for the assignment and transfer of any credit granted to any person firm corporation association limited partnership joint stock association municipality school district or body politic by the Auditor General or any other agency of the State Government charged with the settlement or resettlement of State taxes

House Bill No. 1118, entitled:

An Act to cede jurisdiction to the United States over the tracts of lands and buildings occupied by the Army Air Depot and Flying Field located in and adjacent to the Borough of Middletown Dauphin County.

House Bill No. 1123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Allegheny Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1128, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and three of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and sixty), entitled "An act conferring on the Department of Highways power to enter upon private property, and open and maintain drainage channels along roads or highways constructed at the expense of the Department of Highways or under its supervision; and providing penalty for interference with such drains or ditches; and providing for the payment of damages," by providing a method for ascertaining damages and disposition of penalties.

House Bill No. 1130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society, of Western Pennsylvania, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act supplementary to the laws of the Commonwealth relating to guardians and committees of minors weak-minded persons lunatics and habitual drunkards and regulating the filing and notice of accounts and the compensation and removal of guardians and committees of veterans and of minor children and incompetent dependents of veterans.

House Bill No. 1132, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 998) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" by adding thereto sections three hundred and eighteen four hundred and fifteen and five hundred and nine relating to the commitment and transfer of veterans to United States Veterans' Hospitals for their custody therein and discharge therefrom.

House Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act providing that county bridges over streams on State highway routes in boroughs towns and townships may under certain circumstances be taken over by the Commonwealth and providing that all contracts for the construction building rebuilding or repairing of such bridges hereafter made shall be subject to approval by the Department of Highways

House Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act for the refund of moneys turned into the game fund for special deer licenses issued in counties where the killing of doe deer was prohibited all or part of the time fixed as the open season for doe deer

House Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws sixty-two) entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a home for disabled and indigent soldiers ad sailors of Pennsylvania" as amended

House Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act relative to the management and control of the Blair County Jail" by providing that the keeper of said jail shall or shall not reside therein as the county commissioners may determine

House Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beacon Light Mission, near the city of Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bradford Hospital Bradford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1155, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Providence Hospital Beaver Falls Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirty-six of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 866), entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the city of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

House Bill No. 1161, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to examine and report on the spring waters at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1163, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of carrying on additional work on the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Bridge

House Bill No. 1168, entitled:

An Act for the elimination of special forest fire hazards authorizing the Chief Forest Fire Warden under certain circumstances to declare any such hazard a public nuisance providing for the abatement of the same and for the collection of the cost of abatement and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1170, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Colored Children, Termon Avenue, Twenty-seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1171, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Saint John's General Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1172, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Curtis Home, of Western Avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, or its successors.

House Bill No. 1174, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and six of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1175, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Grove City Hospital in the borough of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1182, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities or incorporated districts had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

House Bill No. 1183, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways to establish and maintain live snow breaks along or adjacent to State highways on lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the county.

House Bill No. 1184, entitled:

An Act concerning taxes on the transfer of personal property of non-residents and to make uniform the laws of the State with reference thereto

House Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Renovo Hospital Renovo Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lock Haven Hospital Lock Haven Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1190, entitled:

An Act relating to the employment of persons in the service of the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1193, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of the expenses of veterans attending the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge.

House Bill No. 1194, entitled:

An Act to amend section one, as amended, sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine, and to add section four to article one of an act approved the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 521), entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death; and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death; and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth, or national banking association located therein, to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association, standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid"; by defining and taxing transfers made in contemplation of death; by providing for the filing of liens; prescribing when the exercise of the power of appointment shall be a taxable transfer under the transfer inheritance tax acts; and taxing of joint estates.

House Bill No. 1208, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements, municipal assessments, municipal claims, and municipal liens, in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth, and validating such improvements assessments, claims, and liens; providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

House Bill No. 1209, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1214, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws sixteen) entitled "An act relating to mutual savings fund building and loan associations regulating the mode of charging premiums bonus or interest in advance of withdrawals of re-payment and collection of loans also restricting the power to levy excessive fines and defining the rights and liabilities of married women stockholders and prescribing the non-application to these associations of the bonus tax and registry laws for corporations"

House Bill No. 1218, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws six hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act providing for the burial of certain persons who are have been or shall be soldiers sailors marines designed as 'deceased service men' authorizing county commissioners to provide markers and burial plots for such deceased service men at the expense of such county in which they shall die or have a legal residence at the time of their death and providing for the burial of widows of soldiers sailors or marines" as amended

House Bill No. 1222, entitled:

An Act providing for the maintenance of roads and streets on the boundary line between cities or boroughs and townships and the procedure in such cases

House Bill No. 1227, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen entitled 'An act regulating the operation of motor-boats and providing a penalty' giving the Board of Commissioners of Navigation jurisdiction to enforce the provisions of this act" conferring police powers on employes of the board

House Bill No. 1228, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred thirty-nine) entitled "An act regulating the operation of motor-boats and providing a penalty" extending said act to boats propelled by internal combustion motors

House Bill No. 1229, entitled:

An Act providing for the compilation and printing and binding of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relative to soldiers sailors marines and veteran organizations and providing for the distribution of the same.

House Bill No. 1231, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Frankford Hospital, located at Frankford, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1232, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Old Ladies' Home, located at Wissinoming, Philadelphia.

House Bill No. 1235, entitled:

An Act repealing certain obsolete acts fixing and relating to the salaries of officers and employes of the executive branch of the State government

House Bill No. 1236, entitled:

An Act to amend parts of section one of an act approved the ninth day of April one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws fifty-four) entitled "An act to establish and regulate the fees to be charged and collected by sheriffs in counties of this Commonwealth having a population of not less than three hundred thousand nor more than one million five hundred thousand inhabitants as computed by the last preceding United States census the time and manner in which said fees shall be paid the publication and posting of said fees the delivery of an itemized receipt for official fees and legal costs received repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that may be inconsistent therewith" by increasing the fees for service of summons.

House Bill No. 1237, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (a) of section seven of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act to establish a county court for the County of Allegheny and prescribing its powers and duties regulating the procedure therein and providing for the expenses thereof" as amended by extending the time of hearings in actions brought against foreign corporations and foreign insurance companies

House Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act authorizing suits to be brought against two counties jointly which have contracted for the erection and construction of a bridge across a river creek or rivulet on the boundary thereof in the Court of Common Pleas of either of such counties and providing for the service of process in such actions.

House Bill No. 1240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Berwick Hospital, Berwick, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Bloomsburg Hospital, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1277, entitled:

An Act authorizing the retention of the route of any vacated public road or portion thereof as a private road

House Bill No. 1280, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the construction opening or dedication of any road street lane or alley or any drainage facilities in connection therewith for public use or travel in any township of the first or second class without the approval of the township commissioners or supervisors making certain provisions with regard to the modification approval and filing of plans thereof providing for appeals prohibiting any public authorities from doing any construction work or operating any public facilities on roads streets lanes alleys or drainage facilities constructed opened or dedicated for public use without the approval of the commissioners or supervisors and authorizing commissioners and supervisors to enter on land and do certain acts thereon when necessary for carrying out their powers and duties thereunder and declaring the violation of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor

House Bill No. 1282, entitled:

An Act to amend Section Four of an Act approved the twenty-fourth day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-five) entitled "An Act defining commodities regulating the sale thereof and providing penalties for violations thereof" as amended by the act of May fourteenth one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-one),

House Bill No. 1283, entitled:

An Act providing for the Commonwealth to share in the cost of maintaining township reward roads

House Bill No. 1288, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and three and repeal section one of the act approved the tenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred twenty-five) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the Berks county prison and to discharged convicts' approved the eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight" reducing the number of the board of inspectors at the Berks County prison from nine to three fixing their terms of office and the method of filling vacancies and terminating the terms of office of the members of the present board.

House Bill No. 1302, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Suburban General Hospital, of Bellevue, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northeastern Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the payment of compensation to certain former teachers

House Bill No. 1308, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1326, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of an act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-four) entitled "An act regulating the printing of the laws of this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1328, entitled:

An Act requiring the county commissioners of the respective counties to furnish the county controller with an official seal.

House Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to refund taxes erroneously and inadvertently paid by persons and corporations into the county treasury

House Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park imposing duties upon the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities and making an appropriation."

House Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf of Edgewood Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1346, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and three (Pamphlet Laws fifty) entitled "A further supplement to a further supplement approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty to the act entitled 'An act to enable the Governor to appoint notaries public and for other purposes therein mentioned' passed the fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred ninety-one" limiting the powers of notaries public who are directors officers and clerks of banks and trust companies.

House Bill No. 1347, entitled:

An Act providing aid by the Commonwealth in the construction and reconstruction of county bridges

House Bill No. 1348, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (b) as amended and clause (e) of section twenty-three of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred three) entitled "An act relating to the form execution revocation and interpretation of wills to nuncupative wills to the appointment of testamentary guardians to spendthrift trusts to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator to elections to take under or against wills and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto and to the fees therefor"

House Bill No. 1352, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 1353, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1357, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one three and four of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred eighty-two) entitled "An act creating a Commission on Penal Institutions defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing said Commission and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1360, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of an act approved the fourteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 774) entitled "An act authorizing sheriffs of the several counties of this Commonwealth to organize themselves into a State association for the purpose of holding annual meetings to secure more uniformity and cooperation in the conduct of their offices and providing for the payment of certain expenses in connection with such meetings by the various counties"

House Bill No. 1361, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and eighty-three) entitled "An act relating to practice in the Courts of Common Pleas in actions of assumpsit and trespass except actions for libel and slander prescribing the pleadings and procedure to be observed therein and giving the courts power to enforce its provisions."

House Bill No. 1362, entitled:

An Act conferring authority on the Department of Highways or any county or township to enter upon private property adjacent to any public road or highway and place thereon snow fence between November first and April first of the succeeding year providing the method of ascertaining damages and payment of same by the authorities responsible for the maintenance of the said public road or highway to the owner of adjacent property and repealing certain acts

House Bill No. 1365, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Circle, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1379, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Supreme Court reports from volume one to volume ninety-seven inclusive, together with eighty-one and one-half.

House Bill No. 1380, entitled:

An Act to provide for the publication of the Superior Court Reports from volume one to sixty inclusive.

House Bill No. 1404, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1405, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Anthracite Hospital, Pottsville, Pennsylvania (formerly the Millikin Hospital).

House Bill No. 1408, entitled:

An Act to regulate procedure where a defendant desires to have joined as additional defendants persons whom he alleges are liable over to him or jointly or severally liable with him for the cause of action declared on

House Bill No. 1410, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to acquire land and erect thereon buildings to be used as institutions of penal and corrective detention and discipline providing for the management and control thereof and the service and labor of inmates committed thereto

House Bill No. 1412, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws two hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act relating to and regulating the issue and transfer of certificates of stock by companies incorporated under the laws of this Commonwealth" by authorizing the countersignatures of assistant treasurers thereon by permitting the signatures countersignatures and seals thereon in facsimile printed or engraved and validating certificates of stock heretofore so executed and issued

House Bill No. 1416, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of women and children in manufacturing establishments mercantile industries laundry or renovating establishments and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and other acts providing for the safety or regulating the employment of said persons"

House Bill No. 1418, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act passed the twenty-first day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

House Bill No. 1419, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws thirty-four) entitled "An act to regulate the employment and provide for the safety of persons employed in tenement houses and shops where clothing cigarettes cigars and certain other articles are made or partially made and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same and to provide for the safety and regulating the employment of said persons"

House Bill No. 1420, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws forty-one) entitled "An act to protect the life and limbs of those employed in the construction of new buildings in this Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1421, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy) entitled "An act to protect the health and lives of employes in certain occupations by requiring the use of blowers or similar apparatus in connection with certain kinds of machinery and specifying the equipment to be used in connection therewith regulating the use of such blowers and apparatus and providing penalties for violation of this act"

House Bill No. 1422, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws ninety-nine) entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor constituting a day's work in this state to eight hours"

House Bill No. 1428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Memorial Hospital, at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1429, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Seamen's Friend Society, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1431, entitled:

An Act to amend Sections one thousand seventeen and one thousand forty-seven of "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" approved May fourth one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven.

House Bill No. 1432, entitled:

An Act to regulate aeronautics providing for the licensing registration rating control and regulation of aircraft airmen airports landing fields intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Aeronautics Commission in respect thereto providing for the acquisition maintenance and operation of intermediate landing fields and air navigation facilities by the Commonwealth providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1434, entitled:

An Act concerning aeronautics and establishing the legal status of air navigation providing for sovereignty in and ownership of air space imposing liability for injury or damage caused by aircraft fixing jurisdiction over and liability for contracts executed and torts and crimes committed during the operation of aircraft and repealing inconsistent legislation

House Bill No. 1441, entitled:

An Act to repeal section twenty-seven of the act approved the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 364), entitled "An act providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent, liens shall be allowed for taxes, and for municipal improvements, and for the removal of

nuisances; the procedure upon claims filed therefor; the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims; the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened, and the manner of distributing the proceeds of such sales," in so far as the same relates to counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth classes.

House Bill No. 1444, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of aiding financially handicapped school districts.

House Bill No. 1445, entitled:

An Act to amend clause fifty-three of section twelve hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1450, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties cities of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings in incur and increase indebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding bonds and providing penalties" by providing for and regulating appeals from approvals and disapprovals by the Department of Internal Affairs of proceedings to incur or increase indebtedness and declaring the effect of the approvals by the Department

House Bill No. 1454, entitled:

An Act for the extinguishment of coal mines fires in abandoned bituminous coal mines; imposing certain duties and liabilities upon owners, operators and lessees of such mines; and making an appropriation.

House Bill No. 1455, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the sixth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act requiring all counties cities boroughs townships school districts and other municipalities and incorporated districts to sell any bonds or other securties issued by them to the highest responsible bidder after due public notice" providing for private sales where no bids are received

House Bill No. 1457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Lying-in Charity Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1458, entitled:

An Act fixing the time of holding elections on questions submitted to electors of boroughs.

House Bill No. 1459, entitled:

An Act relating to licenses, permits, fees, fines, penalties and other moneys collected by or before a burgess.

House Bill No. 1462, entitled:

An Act authorizing the courts of common pleas to direct the filing by corporations of bonds to the Commonwealth to secure payment of damages for the taking of lands waters materials or other property or rights or for injury thereto in cases where there is a disputed doubtful or defective title or where any party interests is absent unknown not of full age of unsound mind or is an unincorporated association or from any cause cannot be bargained with or be served with notice or tendered a bond within the county and to appoint guardians ad litem or trustees for such persons

House Bill No. 1464, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred and two of an act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1466, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the discharge of sewage and all drainage except surface drainage on or within the legal limits of any public highway providing for the blocking or removal of sewer outlets within the limits of public roads declaring such outlets to be a public nuisance and abatable as such conferring jurisdiction and providing penalties and repealing certain acts

House Bill No. 1467, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections ten as amended, seventeen as amended, twenty-eight and thirty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 468), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," by giving the Secretary of Highways certain authority with reference to bridges over streams on extensions of State highways in boroughs; providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases; providing for the issuance of permits for encroachments on State-aid highways; requiring agreement from boroughs in certain cases before constructing State-aid highways; and authorizing the Secretary of Highways to change the width, lines and location of State-aid highways; and providing that the damages occasioned thereby shall be paid by the respective county

House Bill No. 1473, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor to grant and convey unto the United States of America not to exceed one thousand acres of land of the forest reserves of the Commonwealth to be used for erecting thereon a dwelling and home for the President, and other buildings and improvements incidental thereto, for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such land, for establishing a State highway leading to such land for ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such highway.

House Bill No. 1478, entitled:

An Act authorizing State banks to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of bonds secured by mortgages on real estate.

House Bill No. 1480, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Julia White Priscilla Home for Aged Colored People, located at LaMott, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1482, entitled:

An Act adopting a program for the completion of the improvement of the State highways of the Commonwealth and city streets connecting such highways suspending in part State-aid highway construction providing for State-aid to certain cities and for the assessment of benefits in certain cases against owners of real estate in such cities authorizing counties cities boroughs towns and townships to expend moneys and to incur indebtedness and making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1483, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the sale giving away transfer purchasing owning possession and use of machine guns

House Bill No. 1498, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Easton Pennsylvania (formerly the Easton Home for Friendless Children)

House Bill No. 1499, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Locust Mountain State Hospital at Shenandoah Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1500, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital

House Bill No. 1501, entitled:

An Act defining the rights of life tenants and remaindermen in and to all extraordinary cash dividends stock dividends liquidation dividends conversion rights right to subscribe to stock or any other right given because of ownership of stock in the estate of any grantor settlor or testator

House Bill No. 1503, entitled:

An Act providing for the purchase by the Commonwealth of a building in the City of Harrisburg for the use of the Department of Property and Supplies and making an appropriation therefor

House Bill No. 1504, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the erection of an additional office building in Capitol Park and for grading and terracing the ground surrounding the same

House Bill No. 1505, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Harrisburg State Hospital

House Bill No. 1507, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Widows and Single Women of Lebanon and Lebanon County, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1508, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Lebanon Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1511, entitled:

A supplement to the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act requiring cities of the first class to establish a pension fund for employes of said cities and all county or other public employes if any paid by appropriation of the city councils thereof and out of the said cities and regulating the administration and the payment of such pensions" extending provisions of act to employes afterwards employed by the school district of such city

House Bill No. 1516, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Scranton State Hospital at Scranton Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1517, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Nanticoke State Hospital at Nanticoke Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1521, entitled:

An Act regulating the business of assisting employers to obtain employes and persons to secure employment providing for the licensing registration bonding and regulation of certain individuals and entities engaged in such business conferring certain powers and duties upon the Secretary of the Department of Labor and Industry of this Commonwealth and of said Department and prescribing penalties

House Bill No. 1522, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of auditors and jury commissioners in counties of the sixth class

House Bill No. 1524, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Connellsville State Hospital at Connellsville Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1525, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Warren General Hospital of Warren Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1526, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eleven of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-two) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1527, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Blossburg State Hospital at Blossburg Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1528, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Coaldale State Hospital at Coaldale Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1529, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and two as amended clause (a) of section seven hundred and four and section seven hundred and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fourth

day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1530, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane in county and poor district hospitals for two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1531, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the acquisition of land for the Commonwealth and the erection and construction of new buildings and additions and alterations to and replacements of existing buildings of the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1532, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purchase or condemnation of additional lands for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1533, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital at Dixmont Allegheny County Pennsylvania to pay for the care treatment removal and maintenance of the indigent insane for the two years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

House Bill No. 1534, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Community Hospital of Kane Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1535, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one thousand and six one thousand and eight one thousand and twenty-eight one thousand one hundred and ten clauses five eleven and fifty-three of section one thousand two hundred and two sections one thousand four hundred and forty-five one thousand seven hundred and three one thousand seven hundred and fourteen two thousand one hundred and fifteen two thousand five hundred and seven two thousand nine hundred and eleven and two thousand nine hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1536, entitled:

An Act relating to and regulating tractors and trailers and their operation providing for their registration and the licensing of certain operators by the Department of Revenue upon payment of prescribed fees prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue the Secretary of Highways peace officers mayors burgesses magistrates aldermen justices of the peace the courts and clerks thereof owners of tractors and trailors providing that records are admissible as evidence imposing upon owners counties cities boroughs incorporated towns and townships within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of tractors and trailers imposing penalties imposing certain costs upon counties providing for the disposition of fines forfeitures fees and miscellaneous receipts making an appropriation and providing for refunds.

House Bill No. 1540, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relative thereto" further defining game and protected and unprotected birds

House Bill No. 1548, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

House Bill No. 1549, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to appoint an assistant and fixing the salary of such assistant

House Bill No. 1551, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height, location, size, bulk and use of buildings, and/or land, the areas to be occupied by buildings, in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand, the size of courts, yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto, and the density of population, and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries; to designate and regulate residential, commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries; and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment, the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission. Board and Bureau; providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof.

House Bill No. 1552, entitled:

An Act regulating loans by building and loan associations

House Bill No. 1553, entitled:

An Act regulating the granting of loans by building and loan associations where the security in whole or part is to be a mortgage or lien on real estate providing penalties and fixing the time during which indictments under this act may be found and prosecuted

House Bill No. 1554, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers clerks and employes in the office of the recorder of deeds of any county having a population of one million five hundred thousand inhabitants or over" as amended

House Bill No. 1558, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia and creating a board of magistrates providing for a chief magistrate prescribing their powers and duties providing for clerks establishing a central administrative office imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts including payment of all salaries fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office and repealing certain prior acts" establishing a Central Station Magistrate Court in the City of Philadelphia providing for the appointment of magistrates to sit therein by the board of magistrates prescribing their powers and duties and providing for the appointment of necessary clerks and stenographers

House Bill No. 1559, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the sixth day of June one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred seventeen) entitled "An act to authorize all State hospitals for injured persons and all hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane in whole or in part maintained by State aid to acquire lands for hospital purposes and to take waters streams lands property and materials for purposes of supplying said hospitals with pure water

for hospital purposes prescribing the manner in which said lands streams property and materials may be taken and the manner of compensating the owners thereof for such taking" extending the provisions of said act to hospital corporations of the first class in this Commonwealth supported in whole or in part by State-aid

House Bill No. 1560, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Waynesboro Hospital, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1561, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chambersburg Hospital, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and two of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" by adding thereto clause fifty-six

House Bill No. 1580, entitled:

An Act fixing the fees of the recorder of deeds in counties of the third class.

House Bill No. 1583, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, (P. L. 660), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington, South Abington, and Newton in the County of Luzerne," increasing the compensation of directors.

House Bill No. 1584, entitled:

An Act authorizing guardians of minors to expend parts of the income of said minors in life insurance policies with leave of the orphans' court and stipulating the rights of such minors in regard thereto upon becoming of age

House Bill No. 1586, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1587, entitled:

An Act for the election of the president, members of town council and auditors in incorporated towns of the Commonwealth; regulating the manner of voting for such officers; and repealing inconsistent general, local and special laws.

House Bill No. 1588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Ohio Valley General Hospital, at McKees Rocks, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1589, entitled:

An Act to amend clause four section three article five of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the incorporation regulation and government of cities of the third class regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein and repealing consolidating and extending existing laws in relation thereto" as amended by providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon the business transacted at each separate place of business

House Bill No. 1591, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beaver County Children's Home, of New Brighton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1593, entitled:

An Act empowering the salary board of counties of the fourth class to fix the salary of the prison warden

House Bill No. 1594, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" authorizing the issuance of short-term notes under certain conditions by public corporations as herein defined

House Bill No. 1596, entitled:

An Act to supplement an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for illegal increase thereof" by authorizing the sale of property purchased by a public corporation out of funds provided by increase of indebtedness of such corporation and providing for the disposition of the funds realized from such sale

House Bill No. 1597. entitled:

An Act creating, in counties of the second class, a salary board, prescribing its powers and duties and regulating appeals from the decisions thereof, also repealing certain acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

House Bill No. 1598, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and sixteen of the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled "An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from a decedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a non-resident of the Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereon has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal" as amended reducing the rate of tax imposed in certain cases and regulating the duty of executors administrators or other trustees with respect to deducting the said tax

House Bill No. 1603, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of the superintendents of the store rooms of the Senate and House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1612, entitled:

An Act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of Pennsylvania against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the Federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of Pennsylvania, providing for the recovery of the same authorizing the Governor of the state to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1613, entitled:

An Act to amend section fifteen of an act, approved the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, (P. L. 67), entitled "An act regulating the practice, bail, costs and fees on appeals to the Supreme Court and Superior Court;" removing the distinction against private corporations in the matter of giving bail in such appeal.

House Bill No. 1615, entitled:

An Act authorizing sheriffs in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and authorizing the Salary Board to fix his salary

House Bill No. 1619, entitled:

An Act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas oyer and terminer and general jail delivery quarter sessions of the peace and orphans' courts in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 1620, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Polk State School

House Bill No. 1623, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund for State-aid highways.

House Bill No. 1625, entitled:

An Act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the licensing and regulation of persons and entities dealing in milk for human consumption conferring powers and imposing duties on the Secretary of Health and the Advisory Health Board and otherwise providing for the administration of the act and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1630, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twentieth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand one hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act to fix regulate and establish the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth" as amended

House Bill No. 1636, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Titusville Hospital, at Titusville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1637, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Meadville City Hospital, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1638, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-nine) entitled "A supplement to the act approved the twentieth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and twenty-one) entitled 'An act providing for the imposition and collection of certain taxes upon the transfer of property passing from adecedent who was a resident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and of property within this Commonwealth of a decedent who was a nonresident of this Commonwealth at the time of his death and making it unlawful for any corporation of this Commonwealth or national banking association located therein to transfer the stock of such corporation or banking association standing in the name of any such decedent until the tax on the transfer thereof has been paid and providing penalties and citing certain acts for repeal' imposing additional taxes equal to Federal credits"

House Bill No. 1640, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (1 Smith Laws 370) entitled "An act for the sale of goods distrained for rent and to secure such goods to the persons distraining the same for the better security of rents and for other purposes therein mentioned."

House Bill No. 1642, entitled:

An Act providing for the service of process in civil suits on nonresident operators or nonresident owners of motor vehicles operated within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making the operation of such a motor vehicle on the public highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the equivalent of the appointment of the Secretary of Revenue of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as the agent of the said nonresident upon whom civil process may be served, and providing for further notice to the defendant in any such suit.

House Bill No. 1651, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws forty-three) entitled "An act to authorize and require the county commissioners of the several counties of this Commonwealth to furnish a room for the judges learned in the law of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts" as amended by requiring the counties to furnish and pay for such janitor service stationery telephone telegraph clerical and other services as shall be deemed necessary by such public officers for the discharge of the duties thereof

House Bill No. 1653, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 1654, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-one) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldier Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

House Bill No. 1655, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by adding thereto section four hundred [fifteen] twenty.

House Bill No. 1661, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged and Infirm Women, of Easton, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1663, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and three of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws ninety-one) entitled "An act relating to municipal indebtedness imposing certain powers and duties upon the Department of Internal Affairs and the officers of counties of the third class boroughs towns townships school districts of the second third and fourth classes and poor districts in connection with proceedings to incur and increase idebtedness and the establishing and maintaining of sinking funds fixing the maximum maturity of refunding

bonds and providing penalties" by excepting counties of the second class from the provisions thereof

House Bill No. 1665, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven hundred and three of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-nine) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1673, entitled:

An Act authorizing appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations companies associations and individuals prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

House Bill No. 1674, entitled:

An Act to amend route number five hundred and fifty-six of the act approved the fifth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred eighty--seven) entitled "An act establishing certain public roads as State highways and providing for their construction and maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth"

House Bill No. 1675, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Howard Hospital, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 1696, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to recrod certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property before any evidence may be introduced tending to show that such merger has taken place

House Bill No. 1697, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred eight) entitled "An act authorizing the merger and consolidation of certain corporations" as amended by requiring all corporations of the second class formed by such merger to record certified copies of the original agreement of merger and certified copies of the certificate of merger in the office for Recording of Deeds in each and every county wherein the merged corporation may hold any interest in real or personal property

House Bill No. 1701, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws three hundred sixty-six) entitled "An act reorganizing the Department of State Police creating therein a Bureau of Fire Protection providing for a State Police Force and defining the powers and duties of the same including the enforcement of laws relating to game fish forestry and water supply and certain other laws and including the collection of information useful for the detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals providing for the equipment maintenance and transportation of such police providing for barracks and sub-stations therefor and prescribing penalties" as amended

House Bill No. 1703, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (Pamphlet Laws six hundred sixty) entitled "An act authorizing the erection of a poor house by the townships of North Abington South Abington and Newton in the county of Luzerne" as amended enabling the Borough of Clarks Green in the County of Lackawanna to elect a poor director of the Lakeview Poor District

House Bill No. 1708, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred forty-nine) entitled "An act providing for the appointment of assessors of personal property in counties of the first class defining their duties and fixing their salaries"

House Bill No. 1723, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 356), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the clerks of the State Department, in the office of the county treasurer of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over," by increasing the salaries thereof in counties of the first class.

House Bill No. 1726, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment of counsel fees out of moneys recovered for counties townships boroughs school districts or poor districts upon appeals from the county auditor's settlements of the accounts of public officers

House Bill No. 1727, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in certain counties of the third class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the county assessors in such counties

House Bill No. 1741, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph thirteen of Section four of the act approved the third day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred fifty-four) entitled "An act to protect the public health and safety by regulating the erection alteration repair use occupancy maintenance sanitation and condemnation of dwellings two-family dwellings rooming houses and tenements by regulating the use maintenance and sanitation of the grounds surrounding the same the adjoining buildings and all vacant land in cities of the first class providing for their inspection the abatement of nuisances the vacating of uninhabitable houses and the filing of liens creating a Division of Housing and Sanitation and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith"

House Bill No. 1744, entitled:

An Act to amend part of section one of the act approved the tenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred fifty-five) entitled "An act to fix the number of Representatives in the General Assembly of the State and to apportion the State into representative districts as provided by the Constitution" by changing certain of such districts in Philadelphia

House Bill No. 1745, entitled:

An Act amending section one of an act approved the sixteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seven) entitled "An act providing when how upon what property and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements for the removal of nuisances and for water rents or rates sewer rates and lighting rates for the procedure upon claims filed therefor the methods for preserving such liens and enforcing payment of such claims the effect of judicial sales of the properties liened the distribution of the proceeds of such sales and the redemption of the property therefrom from the lien and collection of certain taxes heretofore assessed and of claims for municipal improvements made and nuisances removed within six months before the passage of this act and for the procedure on tax and municipal claims filed under other and prior acts of assembly"

House Bill No. 1746, entitled:

An Act regulating the manufacturing bottling and selling of certain waters and requiring permits therefor prescribing the authority of the Department of Health and of local boards of health and health officers with respect thereto and providing penalties

House Bill No. 1750, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred seven) entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and county purposes and in cities coextensive with counties for city and county purposes imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property providing for the assessment and collection of the same providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes" by relieving from taxation for county purposes personal property hereafter received by any person or persons copartnership unincorporated association company joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation from any person or persons co-partnership or unincorporated association or company or from any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation as active trustee agent attorney-in-fact or in any other capacity for the use benefit or advantage of any person or persons copartnership or unincorporated association or company non-resident in or not located within this Commonwealth or for the use benefit or advantage of any joint-stock company or association limited partnership bank or corporation formed erected or incorporated by under or in pursuance of any law of the United States or of any State or government other than this Commonwealth and not doing business within this Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1752, entitled:

An Act to fix the salaries of certain county officers in counties of the second class.

House Bill No. 1755, entitled:

An act to amend section ten of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of Highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State Highway solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid Highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the construction and maintenance of State highways in boroughs by the Commonwealth.

House Bill No. 1756, entitled:

An Act to amend section eight hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs" designating the burgess who is to serve where two boroughs are consolidated

House Bill No. 1757, entitled:

An Act authorizing the joint commission of Pennsylvania and New Jersey to proceed in surveys investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional inter-state bridge across the Delaware River between Easton, Pennsylvania and Phillipsburg New Jersey providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1758, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of reimbursing the City of Harrisburg for the enlargement of its sewers necessitated by Capitol Park drainage

House Bill No. 1767, entitled:

An Act making it unlawful to prohibit the erection of certain headstones at the graves of soldiers sailors and marines within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1768, entitled:

An Act fixing the salaries of court criers and tipstaves in counties of the third class

House Bill No. 1772, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to provide by ordinance for the payment for public work or improvements heretofore made for or furnished to the city, and accepted and used by the city where no legal contract was entered into as required by law.

House Bill No. 1774, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1043) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards having the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended.

House Bill No. 1780, entitled:

An Act authorizing townships of the first class to fund floating indebtedness orders or indebtedness of any previous year or years or carried over from any previous year or years or indebtedness evidenced by any outstanding note or notes now existing or hereafter created and now due or hereafter to be-

come due by the issuance and sale of bonds obligations or certificates and regulating the manner of the issuance and sale of such bonds obligations or certificates.

House Bill No. 1781, entitled:

An Act to amend so much of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts page one ninety-four) entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning June first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" as relates to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania providing for the use of certain funds therein appropriated for the purchase of furniture furnishings and equipment

House Bill No. 1782, entitled:

An Act authorizing the use of certain moneys in the Motor License Fund for certain purposes in counties of the first class and making the necessary appropriations from the Motor License Fund therefor

House Bill No. 1783, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund

House Bill No. 1785, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred four) entitled "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of the several counties of the State to appropriate money for cooperative agricultural extension work for the purpose of improving and developing the agricultural resources of the proper counties" as amended

House Bill No. 1793, entitled:

An Act permitting the head of any department of the government of the Commonwealth to request from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let a questionnaire conferring certain powers upon the heads of such departments and fixing penalties

House Bill No. 1812, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of State Police for the purpose of installing operating and maintaining a telegraphic typewriter system linking the offices of the various police officers within the Commonwealth

House Bill No. 1816, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and sixteen and two hundred and twenty-two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by authorizing county commissioners to levy a tax or issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring lands and erecting and furnishing buildings for poor purposes

House Bill No. 1833, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

House Bill No. 1834, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 912) entitled "An act to regulate the drilling operating and abandoning of oil and gas wells and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act" as amended

House Bill No. 1842, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection of city county school and poor taxes within the territorial limits of cities of the second class A establishing the office of collector of taxes therein defining its duties and powers changing the powers of and imposing duties upon cities of the second class A counties school districts and poor districts and the officers thereof and imposing penalties

House Bill No. 1851, entitled:

An Act authorizing Directors of the Poor of counties of the second class to expend moneys of the district for the care of persons suffering from communicable disease and for the burial in case of death therefrom

House Bill No. 1854, entitled:

An Act providing that when all or a majority of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of any corporation now or hereafter created under the laws of this Commonwealth are owned by a corporation created under the laws of any other State the owner or owners of not less than one-fifth of the total number of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of such foreign corporation shall have the right to investigate and inquire into the affairs management and operation of such domestic corporation and to institute maintain and prosecute actions or proceedings against or in behalf of such domestic corporation for any purpose to the same extent in the same manner with the same force and effect and with the same rights and remedies as if he or they were the owner or owners of shares of the capital stock of such domestic corporation and prescribing the conditions upon which a bond may be required in any such action or proceeding

House Bill No. 1855, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Pamphlet Laws sixty-five) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" as amended providing when bonds shall be due

House Bill No. 1856, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the——day of ———, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, (P. L. Act No. ——), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on liquid fuels, including all liquids ordinarily, practically and commercially usable in internal combustion engines for the generation of power, including all distillates of, and condensates from petroleum, natural gas, coal, coal tar, and vegetable ferments so usable, and sold by dealers in this Commonwealth, except for the purpose of resale, or used by consumers when no tax thereon has been collected by dealers; providing for the collection of such tax, and the creation of liens; and for the distribution and use of the revenue derived from such tax; providing for the filing of certificates and reports of the sale of such liquid fuels to dealers and consumers, as defined in this act; providing for the issuing, revoking and use of permits; and fixing penalties;" exempting from the provisions of said act kerosene, fuel oil, and gas oil.

House Bill No. 1857, entitled:

An Act creating a commission to study the present plan of financing the public schools and related matters prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 1861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the Motor License Fund to the State Aeronautics Commission

House Bill No. 1862, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended Township Reward appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of July fourteenth one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) and its supplements and amendments

House Bill No. 1867, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts in which advances of money repayable on demand are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchanges, bonds, or other negotiable instruments pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive or to contract to receive in writing and collect as compensation any sum to be agreed upon.

House Bill No. 1870, entitled:

An Act providing for the collection of county taxes on the occupations of certain persons who under existing laws are disfranchised

House Bill No. 1881, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred ninety-five) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

House Bill No. 1882, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred forty-one) entitled "An act regulating the salary of the treasurer of Carbon county"

House Bill No. 1884, entitled:

An Act to further amend section thirteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not effected by provisions of this act," as amended.

House Bill No. 1885, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one thousand two hundred and thirty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 1887, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred twenty-seven) entitled "An act relating to adoption."

House Bill No. 1889, entitled:

An Act permitting boroughs to provide a method of assessment for borough taxes

House Bill No. 1890, entitled:

An Act relating to service of notice relative to proceedings where goods or chattels have been levied upon or seized by the sheriff and claimed to belong to others than the defendant in the execution or process

House Bill No. 1891, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Temple University at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1892, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty-six) entitled "An act regulating the letting of contracts for the erection and construction of public buildings"

House Bill No. 1893, entitled:

An Act to repeal section two thousand five hundred and twelve of the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws five hundred nineteen) entitled "An act concerning boroughs and revising amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs"

House Bill No. 1902, entitled:

An Act to establish a State Narcotic Farm providing for the confinement detention and treatment therein of persons addicted to the use of habit-forming narcotic drugs who have been convicted of offenses against the Commonwealth and of persons who voluntarily submit themselves for treatment providing for the purchase of a site and for the construction and remodeling of buildings to be used for such purposes and imposing certain duties upon the Secretary of Welfare the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Attorney General relative to such farm

House Bill No. 1914, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws

two hundred seventy-nine) entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to consolidate revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth' approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty and supplements thereto providing for the purnishment of persons committing or attempting to commit a felony with explosives"

House Bill No. 1915, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 27), entitled "An act relating to the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto: providing penalties, and repealing present laws," permitting certain payments to be made for plants required or caused to be destroyed.

House Bill No. 1925, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment to the prothonotary of a jury fee at the time of demanding a jury trial in the county court for the County of Allegheny.

House Bill No. 1930, entitled:

A Joint Resolution authorizing the appointment of a Commission by the Governor to formulate plans for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of William Penn

House Bill No. 1931, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers, creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements, defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published, prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor, and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectable as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

House Bill No. 1934, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act approved the thirteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 640) entitled "An act to provide revenue by levying a tax upon the shares of stock of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations' approved April twenty-nine one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and the supplements thereto for the insurance of owners of real estate mortgages and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles liens and encumbrances and of companies entitled to the benefits of and of companies having any of the powers of companies entitled to the benefits of an act entitled 'An act conferring upon certain fidelity insurance safety deposit trust and savings companies the powers and privileges of companies incorporated under the provisions of section twenty-nine of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April twenty-nine Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and of the supplements thereto," approved June twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five commonly known as title insurance or trust companies" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on the stock of title insurance and trust companies

House Bill No. 1935, entitled:

An Act to amend section five six and seven of the act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred twenty-two) entitled "An act to amend revise consolidate and change the laws relating to bonus and providing for the imposition computation and collection of bonus for State purposes on the capital stock stated capital or capital of domestic corporations banks and trust companies and certain partnerships"

House Bill No. 1936, entitled:

An Act to amend sections eight nine ten eleven twelve and thirteen of the Act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws two hundred twenty-nine) entitled "An act defining and regulating public amusements and places used therefor requiring and regulating the licensing thereof restricting the scope of certain acts of Assembly relating thereto and providing penalties for violation of this act."

House Bill No. 1937, entitled:

An Act to further amend section twenty-four of an act approved the first day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax and changing the time for making reports

House Bill No. 1938, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and four of the act approved the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred seventy-two) entitled "A supplement to an act approved May second one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled 'An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax' fixing the mercantile license tax for dealers beginning business on or after May first."

House Bill No. 1939, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three four five six and seven and section eight as amended of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws one hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a license-tax on all stock brokers bill brokers note brokers exchange brokers merchandise brokers factors or commission merchants real estate brokers and agents and pawnbrokers whether persons firms limited partnership or corporations providing for the collection of said tax and imposing certain duties on county treasurers and mercantile appraisers"

House Bill No. 1940, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-seven of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the State tax on net earnings of certain corporations and limited partnerships and changing the date for filing reports.

House Bill No. 1941, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and ninety-two) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" by modifying the procedure for the collection of the tax on the stock of banks and savings institutions

House Bill No. 1942, entitled:

An Act to further amend sections twenty and twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of capital stock taxes and the making of reports by capital stock taxpayers

House Bill No. 1943, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four five and six and sections seven and nine as amended by the act approved the second day of May one thousand eight hundred ninety-nine (Pamphlet Laws one hundred eighty-four) entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on vendors of or dealers in goods wares and merchandise and providing for the collection of said tax."

House Bill No. 1944, entitled:

An Act to further amend section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six) entitled "An act to amend the first second and third sections of an act entitled 'An act relating to brokers and private bankers' approved the sixteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act" by modifying the procedure for the settlement and payment of the tax on private bankers

House Bill No. 1945, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June ohe thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes modifying time for filing tax reports and transferring certain tax to the Department of Revenue and Auditor General

House Bill No. 1946, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "An act to provide revenue by taxation" as amended by extending the provisions of the act to include traction companies and electric power companies and to include persons and partnerships engaged in the transportation of freight passengers baggage or oil or engaged in telephone telegraph express electric light water-power hydro-electric palace car and sleeping car business and modifying the procedure for the settlement and the payment of the tax

House Bill No. 1948, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the thirtieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-three) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended by including additional indebtedness for State tax purposes and modifying the time for filing tax reports.

House Bill No. 1951, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the coroner in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 1952, entitled:

A Supplement to the act approved the fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred sixty-one) entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of the Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary and the Department of Welfare and making an appropriation" providing for further construction of buildings and development and improvement of grounds of the new Eastern State Penitentiary and making appropriations to the Department of Property and Supplies for the use of the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary

House Bill No. 1953, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Hazleton State Hospital at Hazleton Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1954, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the board of Trustees of the Ashland State Hospital at Ashland Pennsylvania

House Bill No. 1955, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the development of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives permitting inmates of the Rockview State Penitentiary to be used in construction work at the site of Cumberland Valley State Institution for Mental Defectives and providing for the expense of keeping such inmates at the site of said new institution

House Bill No. 1956, entitled:

An Act to [further] amend section one and one hundred sixteen as amended and two hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" providing that school districts of the fourth class shall not be created without the consent of the State Council of Education and for the appointment of school directors in school districts of the fourth class not coterminous with a city borough incorporated town township or two or more of said municipal divisions

House Bill No. 1957, entitled:

An Act to amend Section one hundred ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended.

House Bill No. 1958, entitled:

An Act relating to corporations providing methods of determining what stockholders shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at meetings or to receive dividends or allotments of rights or to exercise rights and the effect thereon of transfers of stock within sixty days of any election or meeting

House Bill No. 1970, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws four hundred forty-seven) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including he appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgment and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers

and liabilities of non-resident and foregn fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child

House Bill No. 1972, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of directors of the poor in poor districts in counties of the first class

House Bill No. 1973, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to acquire by purchase, or gift, or lease, or condemnation, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the property of the Seventh Day Baptists of Ephrata, in whole or in part; to provide for the control, management and supervision of the property when acquired by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for its preservation and visitation.

House Bill No. 1977, entitled:

An Act prohibiting the use of physical violence against persons arrested and detained for crime or the taking of such persons to places other than police stations and county jails and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2002, entitled:

An Act to further amend clause (a) one of section forty-one of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment of bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein designated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphan's court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with estates of decedents"

House Bill No. 2012, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of jurors in counties of the second class

House Bill No. 2013, entitled:

An Act providing for the appointment by the court of common pleas of overseers of the poor in boroughs and townships and providing that the term of office of the present overseers of the poor, therein shall cease and terminate when this act goes into effect.

House Bill No. 2024, entitled:

An Act to prohibit the possession or carrying of bombs bombshells explosive substances or noxious liquid gasses or substances and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2026, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the eighth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-eight) entitled "An Act providing for the creation of a commission to study the subject of consolidation of the various municipalities to wit cities boroughs and townships in counties of the second class into one municipality and to file with the next General Assembly its report together with an act providing a method of such consolidation and prescribing its powers and duties" and the supplements and amendments thereto continuing the commission under the provisions of said acts for a further period of two years requiring it to submit to the General Assembly of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one a further report on the consolidation of municipalities in counties of the second class and continuing and enlarging its powers rights and duties

House Bill No. 2029, entitled:

An Act relating to judicial sales and sales upon writs of execution or otherwise and preserving the lien of mortgages on real estate other than upon unseated lands.

House Bill No. 2034, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Ashland State Hospital

House Bill No. 2038, entitled:

An Act relating to assessment for county purposes in counties of the fourth class fixing the time for the issuance of precepts and completion of assessments and providing for appointment and pay of assistants to the County Commissioners in such counties

House Bill No. 2056, entitled:

An Act to amend sections four hundred and ninety-five four hundred and ninety-eight and five hundred of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

House Bill No. 2058, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 561) entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts criminal and civil of counties of the second class and defining the qualifications of such jurors providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties and prescribing its powers and duties and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties and requiring the county commissioners to provide suitable quarters euipment and supplies authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes and providing for a salary board composed of the commission the county commissioners and the controller of said counties to fix the number and compensation of such employes requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service repealing inconsistent legislation and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof"

House Bill No. 2059, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-five of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 561), entitled "An act to provide for the selection of jurors to serve in the several courts, criminal and civil, of counties of the second class, and defining the qualifications of such jurors; providing for the organization of a commission for the selection of jurors in such counties, and prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing it to investigate as to the qualifications of prospective jurors; imposing the expense of maintaining and operating said commission upon said counties, and requiring the county commissioners to provide suit-

able quarters, equipment and supplies; authorizing the employment of the necessary clerks and other employes, and providing for a salary board composed of the commission, the county commissioners, and the controller of said counties, to fix the number and compensation of such employes; requiring county officers and boards to furnish information to said commission concerning taxables resident in said county as to their eligibility for jury service; repealing inconsistent legislation; and prescribing punishment for the violation hereof."

House Bill No. 2060, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant a right-of-way to the Harrisburg Railways Company through Capitol Park

House Bill No. 2061, entitled:

An Act imposing an excise on the use of the public highways by certain owners or operators of motor vehicles transporting passengers and property for compensation

House Bill No. 2063, entitled:

An Act to amend section thirteen of article seven of the act approved the nineteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty (P. L. 89) entitled "An act relative to the Lancaster county prison" by increasing the allowance of the members of the board of prison inspectors of Lancaster County to defray the expense of their necessary attendance on the duties of their office.

House Bill No. 2064, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

House Bill No. 2066, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Tabor Home for Children Doylestown Bucks County Pennsylvania.

House Bill No. 2072, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety three (P. L. 129) entitled "An act to empower boroughs and cities to establish a police pension fund to take property in trust therefor and regulating and providing for the regulation of the same" directing the establishment of such funds by cities

House Bill No. 2074, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-five) entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of county and city inspectors of weights and measures providing for their compensation and expenses prescribing their duties prohibiting vendors from giving false or insufficient weights and fixing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof" as amended by including coin operated scales or weighing machines for human beings

House Bill No. 2076, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and one of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended

House Bill No. 2081, entitled:

An Act relating to retirement from the Pennsylvania National Guard.

House Bill No. 2082, entitled:

An Act regulating the investment of funds by administrative departments boards commissions and officers of the State Government

House Bill No. 2083, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two and four as amended and section five of the act approved the first day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and sixty-one) entitled "An act relating to the maintenance of insane feeble-minded and other persons confined in the various institutions of the Commonwealth fixing liability for their support providing for the collection of the moneys due the Commonwealth therefor and for proceedings relating thereto" by transferring certain collection duties from the Attorney General to the Department of Revenue

House Bill No. 2084, entitled:

An Act appropriating the moneys in the State Farm Products Show Fund.

House Bill No. 2085, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred nine five hundred four five hundred five and to add section five hundred nine to Article V of an act approved the eleventh day of July Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred ninety-eight) entitled "An act for the prevention and treatment of mental diseases mental defect epilepsy and inebriety regulating the admission and commitment of mental patients to hospitals for mental diseases and institutions for mental defectives and epileptics governing the transfer discharge interstate rendition and deportation of mental patients providing for the payment by individuals counties or the Commonwealth of the cost of the admission care and discharge of mental patients and imposing penalties" so as to provide for the collection by the Department of Revenue of amounts owing the Commonwealth by counties poor districts and individuals for the care treatment or maintenance of mental patients and mental defectives.

House Bill No. 2086, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and six as amended and sections four eight nine eleven sixteen seventeen and paragraph six of section seven of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act establishing a State Employes' Retirement System and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the State Employes' Retirement System into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue and creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund.

House Bill No. 2087, entitled:

An Act to repeal paragraph four of section fourteen and to amend sections one and three as amended section four section six paragraph six of section seven section eight as amended section nine section ten section twelve as amended and sections fifteen seventeen and eighteen of an act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-three) entitled "An act establishing a public school employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon boards hav-

ing the employment of public school employes exempting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" providing for the abolishment of the expense fund and for the consolidation of the other funds of the public school employes' retirement system into one fund and for payments therein through the Department of Revenue creating ledger accounts in lieu of the funds consolidated into one fund and further defining options for superannuation retirement

House Bill No. 2088, entitled:

An Act requiring depositories of city funds in cities of the first class to give bond.

House Bill No. 2090, entitled:

An Act to amend section ten hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 886), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the operation of vehicles and bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, registration, and licensing of certain vehicles and the operators thereof upon the payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Highways, sheriffs, police officers, constables, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof; imposing upon counties, cities, boroughs, townships, and other public corporations within the Commonwealth liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures; and making an appropriation," providing that in cities of the first class there shall be no parking of motor vehicles on the public highways between three a. m. and six-thirty a. m.

House Bill No. 2095, entitled:

An Act fixing the liability of the counties poor districts and the Commonwealth for the support of the indigent and partly indigent insane in State or Semi-State institutions.

House Bill No. 2098, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

House Bill No. 2099, entitled:

An Act to amend article twenty of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled: "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

House Bill No. 2104, entitled:

An Act regulating the slaughtering handling and preparing of diseased and suspected animals for human food and other purposes and providing penalties

House Bill No. 2126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Military Affairs for the payment of claims for material and labor furnished in construction and maintenance of rifle ranges

House Bill No. 2132, entitled:

An Act providing for a Legislative Examiner of Finance and Revenue and for his election and removal by the General Assembly defining his powers and duties authorizing the employment of assistants imposing certain duties and responsibilities upon the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State government and upon agencies receiving State appropriation and making an appropriation

House Bill No. 2296, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission, Erie, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of clearing, repairing and reconstructing the highway on Presque Isle Peninsula.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Appropriation Acts Page 194) entitled "An Act to provide for the rodinary expenses of the Executive Judicial and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth interest on the public debt and the support of the public schools for the two fiscal years beginning Junefirst one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven" providing for deficiencies in certain appropriations made to the Legislative Department by said Act for the fiscal biennium ending May thirty-first one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled:

An Act to validate deeds and acknowledgements thereof by an executor and records of same made prior to the first day of January nineteen hundred where the will of the deceased owner contains a power of sale where the purchase money was paid where any possession of the lands conveyed was taken or claimed pursuant to the conveyance and has continued to date of this act and where the invalidity of such conveyance or acknowledgment record possession or right of possession has not been determined by action in court

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled:

An Act regulating the collection of county taxes in cities and providing for discounts and penalties

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled:

An Act authorizing and regulating the establishment and operation by counties of hospitals for the treatment of women afflicted with nervous diseases providing for the acquisition of property for such hospitals by the power of eminent domain the incurring of indebtedness and the levying of taxes authorizing counties to pay for patients cared for in hospitals of other counties and authorizing counties to receive gifts or trust funds for the erection and maintenance of such hospitals

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled:

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas of the Seventh Judicial district

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eleventh day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (P. L. 479), entitled "An act imposing a State tax on anthracite coal providing for the assessment and collection thereof and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled:

An Act providing for the taking over as State highways by the State of certain State-aid highways, and township reward roads, and requiring the maintenance and reconstruction thereof by the Department of Highways.

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven (Pamphlet Laws three) entitled "An act enlarging the powers of county commissioners to erect county bridges, empowering them to erect and construct new bridges whenever the existing bridge or bridges are not sufficient for any cause to accommodate

the public travel" giving county commissioners power to widen and straighten county bridges.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled:

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts heretofore entered into by boards of school directors where there is no evidence of fraud or conspiracy and to ratify confirm and validate payments on such contracts by the school district

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 243) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the fourth class to appoint county detectives defining their powers and duties fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury" increasing the number and salaries of county detectives in said counties

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 992), entitled "An act prohibiting cities, boroughs, towns, and townships to increase or diminish the salary, compensation or emoluments of elected officers after their election," so far as the same relates to cities of the second class.

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 716) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes and for the service of notice in cases of tax sales" extending said act to counties of the seventh class

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled:

An Act validating proceedings by boroughs for the grading drainage paving curbing and guttering of streets alleys and public highways and validating municipal liens therefor

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Reading Hospital, of West Reading. Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital of Huntingdon Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 40, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done by corporations before the recording of their charters

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled:

An Act to amend sub-section third, section one of the act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one, (P. L. 614), entitled "An act relating to the service of certain process in actions at law, and the effect thereof, and providing who shall be made parties to certain writs," providing for the service of summons in cases arising from contracts relating to real estate in counties other than that wherein the real estate is located and the writ issues.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled:

An Act to define Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and providing for the licensing regulation and supervision of resident and non-resident Real Estate Brokers and Real Estate Salesmen and their business through a Bureau in the Insurance Department.

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled:

An Act to amend article five, section two, clause twenty-two of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 568), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities, of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto."

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's Hospit located at Bethlehem Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the third day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 508) entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class to condemn enter upon take appropriate occupy and use street railway transit facilities and properties used and useful in connection with the transportation of passengers by street underground or elevated railway motor bus taxicabs or trackless trolleys principally within such cities and the franchises and leases for operating the same providing the procedure therefor and for the determination by the Public Service Commission subject to appeal and subject to the right of trial by jury of the amount of compensation to be paid for the properties facilities and franchises so taken providing for the obtaining of the assent of the electors thereto and for the deduction from the indebtedness of such cities in calculating their borrowing power of such sum as may be required to be borrowed for said purposes and empowering such cities to operate maintain use lease license or contract for the operation of the facilities and property so acquired" authorizing the condemnation and taking of the properties facilities and franchises of any one company without condemning or taking all the properties facilities and franchises pertaining to the entire system

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Wido and Single Women of Reading, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of article thirteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred and eighty-one) entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth" by providing for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of a city solicitor

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the nineteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1122) entitled "An act providing that every advertisement and notice required by authority of law or rules of court to be published in any county in the Commonwealth or in any city coincident to the boundaries of a county may in addition to the publication of such advertisements or notices required to be made in newspapers published and printed in the English language be also published by the public officer body or court directed by law or rules of court to publish such advertisement or notice in newspapers printed in the English language in one or more daily newspapers printed in a foreign language or languages such newspapers printed in a foreign language or languages to be printed in and have general circulation in the county or the city coincident to the boundaries of said county for at least three years continuously before the publication of such advertisements or notices and further providing for the prices to be charged for publishing such advertisements or notices in any such foreign newspapers how often the same shall be published and the stipulation and regulations under which the same shall be published"

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled:

An Act authorizing the register of wills in counties of the fifth class to appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his salary payable by the county

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of article three and section seventeen of article four of the act approved the ninth day

of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 143) entitled "An act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey of certain toll-bridges over the Delaware River" authorizing the appointment of policemen and defining their powers and duties and authorizing the adoption of rules and regulations for the prevention of disorder the preservation of the public safety and the regulation of traffic and providing penalties

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an assistant district attorney in counties of the sixth class; and providing for his salary payable by the county.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (c) of section fifty-eight of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities, accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widow's and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges, the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions, and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries, investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of nonresident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefor; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents, as amended; providing for the probate of wills and letters under which foreign fiduciaries are acting.

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled:

An Act to promote the public health; authorizing cities of the third class to appoint boards of health from the directorates of corporations not for profit, organized principally to preserve and promote the health of the public of such cities; defining the powers and duties of such boards of health and of health officers; and regulating the organization of such boards.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Punxsutawney Hospital Association of Punxsutawney Jefferson County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled:

An Act in furtherance of the policy of the Federal Government to aid in the development and fostering of a United States Merchant Marine authorizing the recording of certain chattel mortgages on vessels when in course of construction or otherwise prescribing the effect of such recording with respect to creditors of the owners of such vessels and with respect to mortgagers and purchases or transferers of such vessels defining the priorities of such chattel mortgagees in the proceeds realized from the sale of such vessels on any process issuing under the laws of this Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled:

An Act for assessment and collection of poll taxes from employes of the Federal Government in order to qualify all such persons to vote

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled:

An Act to amend clause two of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Friendless Children, in the City of Reading, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled:

An Act to validate acts done and contracts, conveyances, transfers, and mortgages of property made to or by any corporation of the first class created or intended to be created by decree of the courts of common pleas, granting a charter where the applicants for incorporation had failed to register its proposed name as required by law; and to validate charters of corporations of the first class granted since the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, where there was a failure to register the name or title of the proposed corporation at the time of filing its application for a charter as required by law; providing for the subsequent filing of such registration; and providing for the amendment of names or titles of such corporations in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allentown Hospital Allentown Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carlisle Hospital Carlisle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled:

An Act validating sales and conveyances of certain real estate by boroughs in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania made since the approval of the act the twenty-ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 970) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs to sell certain real estate and prescribing procedure to be followed

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Graduate Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women in the City of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rush Hospital for Consumption and Allied Diseases of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Home for Training in Speech of Deaf Children before they are of School Age, at Belmont Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen of the Act of May twenty-seventh one thousand eight hundred and forty-one (Pamphlet Laws four hundred) entitled "An act relating to the election of county treasurers and for other purposes" by providing for the removal by the courts of quarter sessions of constables in cases of malfeasance or misfeasance in office et cetera.

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled:

An Act empowering cities of the first class of the Commonwealth to make and enforce ordinances and provide penalties and imprisonment for the violation thereof.

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the National Stomach Hospital of the City of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled:

An Act to make an appropriation for the improvement of the maritime port facilities of the State of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled:

A Further Supplement to the act approved the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, (P. L. 213), entitled "An act to accept the grant of public lands by the United States to the several states for the endowment of agricultural colleges" and making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect.

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Downingtown Industrial and Agricultural School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Chester County Hospital, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and eighty-six of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning township and revising amending and consolidating the law regulating thereto" as amended by adding thereto paragraph ten

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Epileptic Hospital and Colony Farm, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the several Fire Companies of the City of Harrisburg

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund to the Board of Finance and Revenue, for the payment of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Commission constituted for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission.

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation of moneys in the Motor License Fund to meet interest and sinking fund requirements on the State debt.

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lake Erie and Ohio River Canal Board.

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania to be used by said commission in the payment of the cost of the construction reconstruction relocation alteration or abolition of any crossing of the tracks of railroad corporations or street railways corporation at above or below grade of public highways exclusive of state highways designated as primary routes and regulating the expenditure of the amount hereby appropriated

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for medical education.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended by defining and limiting road

taxes and providing for the payment of existing indebtedness incurred for road purposes

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled:

An Act validating proceedings and ordinances of borough councils providing for joint grading, paving, curbing and draining of public highways by the borough and county, borough and State, or borough, county and State, and validating municipal liens therefor.

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital, of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Adrian Hospital Association, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98) entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they apply to cities of the second class A

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-three of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1011) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one creating a department of city planning providing for its organization and powers regulating the platting of ground prohibiting the recording of plans and sales of lots therein before their approval under penalties making it a misdemeanor for the recorder of deeds to record an unapproved plan restricting accepting laying out opening and improving private streets prohibiting the erection of buildings on land not abutting on public streets or streets not shown on the official master plan or an approved plat transferring to the department of city planning powers conferred by other statutes over plats or subdivisions of land the reservation of location of mapped streets for future use and authorizing the assessment of damages for same the preparation and compilation of an official street map providing penalties for the violation of this act and repealing certain statutes" by providing that the repealing clause shall not repeal prior acts in so far as they apply to cities of the second class A

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering county commissioners under certain circumstances to use for another purpose land acquired by the county for a particular purpose

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled:

An Act authorizing the employment of stenographers by District Attorneys of counties of the Fourth and Fifth Classes and fixing their compensation to be paid by said Counties

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled:

An Act authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States of America and certificates discharging such liens and to make uniform the law relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greenville Hospital, Greenville, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled:

An Act classifying patrolmen police operators firemen fire alarm operators and officers of the police and fire departments in second class cities for the payment of salaries or compensation providing an election to ascertain the will of the electors as to the minimum salaries or compensation for such employes

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Incorporated, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania located at Oakdale Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the New Future Association located on Sherman Avenue North Side Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled:

An Act authorizing and empowering parties to contracts, in which advances of money, repayable on demand, are made upon warehouse receipts, bills of lading, certificates of stocks, certificates of deposit, bills of exchange, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, pledged as collateral security for such payment to an amount not less than five thousand dollars, to receive, or to contract to receive, in writing, and collect as compensation, any sum to be agreed upon.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or

maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or tollroads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of townships, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and twenty of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto"

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two four and seven of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 568) entitled "An act authorizing boroughs with the assent of the electors duly obtained at an election to use moneys borrowed for purposes which have proved impracticable or impossible for any other lawful municipal purpose" extending said act to cases where moneys borrowed are in excess of the amount required and authorizing the use with the assent of electors of such excess for other purposes

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled:

An Act to amend the last two paragraphs of section thirteen of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 857) entitled "An act to provide for the personal registration of electors as a condition of their right to vote at elections and their enrollment as members of political parties as a further condition of their right to vote at primaries in cities of the first class of this Commonwealth by removing from office all existing registration commissioners and their appointees in said cities and authorizing the Governor to appoint registration commissions therein defining the jurisdiction of said commissions and the powers and duties of the commissioners constituting same and of their appointees including registrars inspectors of registration clerks and counsel fixing their qualifications terms of office and compensation granting them certain immunity from arrest on registration days and empowering such inspectors to arrest without warrant certain persons committing certain offenses in violation of this act in their presence as well as to enter and inspect buildings given as residences of electors to interrogate the inmates thereof to copy or demand a list of the lodgers therein and to supervise the conduct of registrars regulating the registration of electors at polling places by registrars and at the offices of commissions by commissioners and the right of parties or bodies of electors to have watchers thereat and the preparation and use of street lists and other records of those registered allowing the names of persons not entitled to vote to be struck from the registers in certain cases permitting all records regarding registration to be inspected and copied by any elector under certain conditions directing how the registers shall be used at elections and primaries compelling the attendance of witnesses and payment of witness fees and providing penalties for refusal to obey subpoenas directing receivers of taxes to appoint chief clerks of commissions as deputies to collect poll taxes and give receipts therefor authorizing such clerks to administer oaths sign subpoenas and vouchers and to collect and disburse witness fees prescribing a method for challenging persons applying for registration and the procedure for the correction of registers and for appealing from actions of registrars to said commissions and allowing for appeals from the decisions of the commissions in certain cases to courts of common pleas imposing certain duties upon election officers and upon the councils treasurers controllers receivers of taxes police officers and other officials of said cities and upon the courts judges prothonotaries sheriffs commissioners peace officers and other officials of the judicial districts and counties in which said cities are situated or with which they are coextensive legalizing certain acts required hereby if done on any Sunday or legal holiday requiring said cities to provide for the maintenance of said commissions and the compensation of their appointees and the payment of all expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of this act and to transfer the unexpended balances of all appropriations heretofore made for the personal registration of electors of said cities during the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen to and for the use of the said commissions punishing and fixing penalties for violations hereof and repealing all legislation inconsistent herewith"

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dixmont Hospital, at Dixmont, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Hospital Association of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for Aged of Westmoreland County.

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled:

An Act prescribing the maximum allowable stresses to govern the design and erection of structural steel in buildings in cities of the first class

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Aged Colored Women's Home, at Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Mission, of the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Williamsport Hospital, of the City of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 242, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless, of the city of Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and seven of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith"

as amended prohibiting assessors and assistant assessors from being school directors

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the tewnty-fifth day of June one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws five hundred fifty) entitled "An act authorizing the several counties incorporated towns and boroughs to appropriate annually sums of money to each camp of the United Spanish War Veterans and of the Army of the Philippines and to each post of the American Veterans of Foreign Service in the respective counties boroughs and towns to aid in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day" as amended

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled:

An Act for the adjustment of claims of retired State employes which are moral obligations of the Commonwealth, and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled:

A Supplement to an act approved the twenty-third day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123) entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof," by providing for the compensation and mileage to be paid to the members of the board of viewers in counties of the third class.

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled:

An Act to permit the use of voting machines for recording and computing the vote at all elections including primaries in any county city borough or township of the Commonwealth at the option of the electors thereof prescribing regulations with reference to the adoption requirements examination purchase instillation preparation custody and demonstration of use of voting machines providing rules and regulations for the conduct of elections held with voting machines prescribing the qualifications number and duties of election officers in election districts in which voting machines may be used placing duties upon county commissioners and the Secretary of the Commonwealth providing for the redivision of wards of cities and boroughs into election districts and the consolidation of election districts providing for the payment of expenses incident to the purchase and use of voting machines by the counties in which they are used and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Montefiore Hospital Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 271, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled:

An Act providing for and regulating the subpoena of witnesses to testify in criminal actions pending in any state of the United States of America, and providing for penalties for any violations of the same.

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Almira Home Association, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 275, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wilkes-Barre General (formerly City) Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of an act approved the sixteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-five (P. L. 244) entitled "An act applying to third class counties only and regulating the selection drawing and summoning of all jurors and talesmen and defining their qualifications in such counties creating a jury board and defining its powers, and procedure providing for the appointment of a clerk to the jury board and fixing his maximum salary providing for the custody of the jury wheel and the filing and custody of jury lists providing for the public drawing of jurors and the methods thereof giving the trial judge the right to excuse jurors prescribing the time of challenging jurors or the array and regulating the procedure if array is quashed repealing all act or parts of act inconsistent therewith" by fixing the fees and mileage chargeable by the sheriff for summoning jurors

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities to lease real estate the property of said city on long term improvements leases at a nominal rental or otherwise to a corporation of the first class for the purpose of providing an auditorium for dramatic musical artistic literary or scientific events and/ or including provision for the accommodation of patriotic soceties or groups and/ or such other purposes as may be approved from time to time by the city declaring such uses to be uses for public purposes and exempting such real estate and leasehold interests therein from taxation

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled:

An Act authorizing the judges of the courts of common pleas and orphans' courts in counties of the third class to employ stenographers typists and clerks to facilitate the business of the courts and to provide for the payment of their compensation by the county and validating former employments and payments therefor

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article eight section one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventy-nine of the act approved the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (P. L. 382) entitled "An act to consolidate, revise and amend the penal laws of this Commonwealth," increasing the penalty for involuntary manslaughter.

Senate Bill No. 301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Washington Crossing Park Commission for the purpose of paying claims for labor and/or material heretofore furnished to such commission

Senate Bill No. 307, entitled:

An Act providing the procedure and the powers of the State Board of Pardons and boards of trustees of penitentiaries where prisoners released on parole violate the terms of such parole; and fixing the penalty for such violation.

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled:

An Act relating to persons paroled from the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, and regulating the procedure when such persons violate the terms of paroles, and the effect of such violations.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled:

An Act creating a State Board of Parole Commissioners within the Department of Justice establishing the office of State Supervisor of Paroles and Secretary of the State Board of Parole Commissioners and prescribing the powers and duties of each

Senate Bill No. 311, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 316, entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of any city of the first class of this Commonwealth had and held for the purpose of increasing the indebtedness of such city of the first class or the refunding of the existing indebtedness providing for the redemption of the same and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance to such proceedings and elections

Senate Bill No. 317, entitled:

An Act authorizing the sentencing of persons convicted for a second or subsequent offense of certain crimes to additional prison terms and to imprisonment for life.

Senate Bill No. 328, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Greene County Memorial Hospital, of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 330, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand four hundred and forty-five of article fourteen of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Senate Bill No. 336, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two thousand five hundred and twenty, two thousand five hundred and twenty-one, two thousand five hundred and twenty-two, and two thousand five hundred and twenty-four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs."

Senate Bill No. 337, entitled:

An Act to amend section three and four of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 158) entitled "An act creating a legislative Reference Bureau providing for the election of a director by the General Assembly designating the officers and employes of such bureau defining their duties fixing their salaries abolishing the present Legislative Reference Bureau and making an appropriation"

Senate Bill No. 343, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1116) entitled "An act to amend section one of an act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 48) entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the deputy register clerks and employes in the office of the register of will of any county of this Commonwealth having a population of one million or over' as amended"

Senate Bill No. 345, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections two and three of the act, approved the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 708) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court the judges of the Superior Court the judges of the courts of common pleas and the judges of the orphans' courts"

Senate Bill No. 348, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twelve hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act to amend section five of an act approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled 'An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas and the judges of the orphans' courts.'"

Senate Bill No. 353, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the eighteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 1064) entitled "An act to amend the first section of an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of appraisers appointed by registers of wills of the several counties to appraise the value of estates subject to the payment of collateral inheritance tax' approved the twenty-sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five relative to compensation of appraisers"

Senate Bill No. 356, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventeenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 1021) entitled "An act fixing the number of compensation mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the General Assembly and providing for their election or appointment term of office and manner of filling vacancies"

Senate Bill No. 359, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 599) entitled "An act to fix and determine the salary of the several clerks of the courts of common pleas of the county of Philadelphia in accordance with article five section seven of the Constitution of this Commonwealth"

Senate Bill No. 362, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 1057) entitled "An act fixing the salaries of real estate assessors in counties containing a population of more than one million five hundred thousand (1,500,000) inhabitants"

Senate Bill No. 364, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of June one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (P. L. 814) entitled "An act fixing the salary of the messenger in the Legislative Reference Bureau"

Senate Bill No. 371, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Western Temporary Home of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 372, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Robert Wood's Industrial Home and Day Nursery for Colored Boys and Girls, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 373, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Friends' Home for Children of the City of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 375, entitled:

An Act conferring jurisdiction upon magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 377, entitled:

An Act requiring the Auditor General to prepare lists of stocks and securities exempt from the city and county tax on intangible personal property.

Senate Bill No. 378, entitled:

An Act giving the assent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved May

twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for cooperative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

Senate Bill No. 379, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph two, section nine, article four and paragraph three, section fourteen, article four of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756), entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania, and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 380, entitled:

An Act to amend rule twenty-five of article twenty-five of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 756) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the bituminous coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith"

Senate Bill No. 382, entitled:

An Act to amend sections nine and ten of article four and rules nine ten and twelve of article twelve of the act approved the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 176) entitled "An act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the antharcite coal mines of Pennsylvania and for the protection and preservation of property connected therewith."

Senate Bill No. 384, entitled:

An Act to amend route number one of section six of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, manitenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Senate Bill No. 396, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Butler County Memorial Hospital, Butler, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 401, entitled:

An Act regulating the publication of official advertising in cities of the second class.

Senate Bill No. 402, entitled:

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and providing for the designation of legal publications in certain counties.

Senate Bill No. 403, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Jamison Memorial Hospital Association New Castle Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 406, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to appropriate moneys to cities to assist in the acquisition operation and maintenance of airdromes and aviation landing fields.

Senate Bill No. 407 entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and four of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws one thousand twenty) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and maintaining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extent of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" providing for the acquisition of land within or without the county and conferring powers on counties to join with cities for such purpose or to make appropriations to assist cities.

Senate Bill No. 410, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, and three as amended, and section eleven of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes, defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties;" providing for admission to the retirement system of judges; permitting certain new State employes to decline to become members; further regulating withdrawals and the calculation of annuities; and repealing the act approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 461), entitled "An act to provide for the removal or retirement of judges of the Supreme, Superior, common pleas, orphans', municipal, and county court, permanently disqualified by reason of physical or mental disability to perform their

regular judicial functions or duties, and providing for the payment of compensation to them during the balance of the term for which they may have been elected, and in certain cases, for the remainder of their lives after resignation or retirement, and for filling the vacancies caused thereby; providing for judges who have been retired or who may have retired or resigned under provisions of previous acts or otherwise; and repealing certain acts," except so far as it relates to retired judges and those now in office who may elect to retire thereunder, or who may be retired thereunder by the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 411, entitled:

An Act to amend section twenty-one of the act approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (P. L. 420) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation' approved the seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine" as amended exempting corporations limited partnerships and joint-stock associations organized for the purpose of the processing and curing meats their products and by-products.

Senate Bill No. 412, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (P. L. 184), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a mercantile license tax on venders of or dealers in goods, wares and merchandise, and providing for the collection of said tax," exempting wholesale venders or wholesale dealers engaged in the business of processing and curing of meats, their products and by-products.

Senate Bill No. 413, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Incurables.

Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nineteen of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; increasing the amount to be paid by the Commonwealth to school districts of the second and third class in certain cases

Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

An Act providing a method of annexation of boroughs townships or parts of townships or outlying lots to cities of the third class providing for the addition of such territory to adjacent ward or wards of such cities or for the erection of such territory into a new ward or wards providing for the regulation of the indebtedness and assets of annexed territory regulating the proceedings pertaining to such annexation and repealing inconsistent legislation

Senate Bill No. 417, entitled:

An Act to provide for the better protection of the lives, bodies and health of new born children and parturient women, by providing for the licensing and the revocation of licenses of midwives and regulating the practice of midwifery; directing the State Board of Medical Education and Licensure to make such rules and regulations as it deems advisable; requiring the Secretary of Health of the Commonwealth to supervise, control and instruct midwives in the performance of their duties and to enforce the provisions of this act; and providing penalties, and repealing inconsistent acts.

Senate Bill No, 418, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Brownsville General Hospital Brownsville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 421, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Mercy Hospital at Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 423, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the George Junior Republic Association, of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 425, entitled:

An Act providing that when cities of the third class grade and pave streets and alleys or construct sidewalks curbs gutters or sewers or make other improvements they may pay the cost thereof in whole or in part by the issuance of bonds notes or certificates of indebtedness secured by assessments for liens against abutting properties

Senate Bill No. 428, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the West Philadelphia General Homeopathic Hospital Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 429, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 273) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein including securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Senate Bill No. 430, entitled:

A Supplement to the Act approved the eighteenth day of April A. D. one thousand nine hundred nineteen (P. L. 24) entitled "An act authorizing the issue and sale of bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania defining the powers and duties of the Governor the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in relation thereto making an appropriation of the proceeds of such bonds for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth providing for the payment of interest on and the redemption of such bonds by the Sinking Fund Commission and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act" prescribing the method for making exchanges and transfers of registered and coupon bonds issued under the authority of said act and fixing the future compensation of the Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth for services in connection with the said bonds

Senate Bill No. 431, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Beulah Anchorage of Reading, Pensylvania.

Senate Bill No. 433, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and one subsection (c) and section three hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended further regulating the computation of the reserve liability of life insurance companies and the issuance of life insurance policies.

Senate Bill No. 434, entitled:

An Act to amend article four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two), entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" defining and regulating group life insurance and exempting policies of group life insurance and the proceeds thereof from execution.

Senate Bill No. 435, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred and nineteen to add sections three hundred and fifty-two and three hundred and fifty-three to and to amend sections four hundred and ten five hundred and thirty-one and six hundred and nineteen subsection (a) of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Funds providing penalties and repealing existing laws"

Senate Bill No. 439, entitled:

An Act to amend sections five hundred and two five hundred and three and five hundred and four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 682) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" by correcting the section references therein

Senate Bill No. 441, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital Germantown Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 442, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 443, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home located at one hundred and thirty-nine Queen Street Germantown Philadelphia Pennsylvania or for the use and benefit of any institution with which said home may merge

Senate Bill No. 444, entitled:

An Act relating to return boards computing general and municipal election returns

Senate Bill No. 446, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 447, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital located at Philipsburg Centre County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 448, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 450, entitled:

An Act relative to certain judgments, prescribing duties of prothonotaries and repealing prior legislation.

Senate Bill No. 452, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 453, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Scranton State Hospital located at Scranton Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 454, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Francis Hospital, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 455, entitled:

An Act relating to counties of the second third fourth fifth sixth seventh and eighth classes and revising amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 456, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the First Regiment Infantry of Pennsylvania, for the use of the Armory at Broad and Callowhill streets, in the city of Philadelphia, by the One Hundred and Third Engineers, Pennsylvania National Guard.

Senate Bill No. 457, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 461, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Colored Women's Relief Association of Western Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 464, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment by counties of the third class of expenses incurred by the district attorney, and making such expenses a part of the costs of the case where the defendant is convicted.

Senate Bill No. 465, entitled:

An Act permitting the district attorney or any assistant district attorney in the several counties of this Commonwealth to be present during the deliberations of the grand juries in their sessions in the several counties of this Commonwealth to aid them in their examination of witnesses and to give them such general instructions as they may require

Senate Bill No. 467, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of certain appropriations made to the Department of Highways into the motor license fund.

Senate Bill No. 468, entitled:

An Act transferring balances and receivable items of the State Bond Road Fund available to the Department of Highways into the Motor License Fund.

Senate Bill No. 469, entitled:

An Act providing for the consolidation of any unexpended State-aid construction appropriation heretofore or hereafter made to the Department of Highways for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of May thirty-first one

thousand nine hundred eleven (P. L. 468) and its supplements and amendments.

Senate Bill No. 471, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to The Contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for the maintenance of its Department for the Sick and Injured.

Senate Bill No. 475, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Wills Eye Hospital of Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 477, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-one and twenty-two of the act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes, defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line, describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth, providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State highways at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same, requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway, and procedure therein, providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and state-aid highways, providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties, townships ,boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs, providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways, making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act, and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended providing for the distribution of costs of State-aid highways between Commonwealth and counties of the sixth seventh and eight classes.

Senate Bill No. 478, entitled:

An Act relating to the payment of taxes on seated and unseated lands by joint tenants tenants in common or co-parceners

Senate Bill No. 481, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital located at Danville Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 484, entitled:

An Act making a deficiency appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital located at Torrance Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 485, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 21) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 487, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article three, section twenty-two of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 488, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 708), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, and the judges of the orphans' court," fixing the compensation of the judges of Dauphin County for trying civil cases of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 506, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the first class to adopt and enforce Zoning Ordinances regulating and restricting the height location size bulk and use of buildings and/or land the areas to be occupied by buildings in proportion to the size of the lots upon which they stand the size of courts yards and other open spaces appurtenant thereto and density of population and for these purposes to establish districts and boundaries to designate and regulate residential commercial and industrial or other uses within such districts and boundaries and providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment the creation of a Bureau of Zoning and setting forth the duties and functions of said Commission Board and Bureau providing for the administration and enforcement of rules and ordinances authorized by this Act and penalties for violations thereof

Senate Bill No. 508, entitled:

An Act to validate certain proceedings for municipal improvements municipal assessments municipal claims and municipal liens in the several boroughs of this Commonwealth and validating such improvements assessments claims and liens providing for the filing of claims and liens therefor and the proceedings for the collection of such assessments and claims.

Senate Bill No. 510, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the twenty-third day of May one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 262) entitled "An act relative to the sale in bulk of the whole or large part of a stock of goods wares or merchandise of any kind or of fixtures or of goods wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures not in the ordinary course of business providing certain requirements therefor and imposing certain duties upon the seller and buyer and auctioneers and agents making their violation a misdemeanor" excepting the sale of furniture fixtures and equipment of hotels and boarding houses

Senate Bill No. 526, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 273), entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering

for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 528, entitled:

An Act to amend section two and three of the act approved the eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred and nine (P. L. 470) entitled "An act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated or misbranded drugs defining the word "drug" prescribing penalties for violation of this act and the method of its enforcement" as amended

Senate Bill No. 530, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire all real and personal property included in the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park in Heidelberg Township Berks County from the Conrad Weiser Memorial Park Association providing for the control, management supervision restoration and improvemen thereof authorizing the commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor

Senate Bill No. 535 entitled:

An Act validating certain proceedings and elections of municipalities had and held pursuant to the provisions of an act approved the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred seventy-four (P. L. 65) entitled "An act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof" and the amendments and supplements thereto and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance of such proceedings and elections

Senate Bill No. 536, entitled:

An Act authorizing county commissioners to provide for the payment for the preparation of plans or specifications made for buildings for the county poor district where no legal or valid contract was entered into as required by law.

Senate Bill No. 550, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 551, entitled:

An Act providing for the payment of the cost of the care, maintenance, education and treatment of certain children committed to institutions from counties having more than one poor district by the poor district in which they resided.

Senate Bill No. 554, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty located at four hundred and fifteen South Fifteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 558, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or any department or division thereof and counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, school districts and poor districts to make contracts of life, health and accident policies for the benefit of employes thereof and contracts for pensions for such employees and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Senate Bill No. 559, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Women, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 561, entitled:

An Act to enable city, county, poor, ward, school, borough, and township tax collectors, their executors and administrators if they are deceased, or either surety or sureties if the surety or sureties have paid the taxes, to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by the expiration of the authority of their respective bonds, or by the expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, or by the expiration of their terms of office, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of two years from the passage of this act.

Senate Bill No. 562, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred twenty-six of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 563, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five sections five hundred and six five hundred and eight five hundred and forty-three and one thousand four hundred and six as amended sections one thousand four hundred and thirty-two one thousand six hundred and fourteen and one thousand eight hundred and one and sections two thousand six hundred and twenty-two and two thousand six hundred and twenty-six as amended of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith

Senate Bill No. 564, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation out of the motor license fund for the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the Department of Highways in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair or in the preparation of materials for such purpose of State Highways and State-aid Highways; providing the method of determining the amount of said damages and authorizing payment of the same.

Senate Bill No. 565, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire land in Fall Township, Bucks County, known as "Pennsbury", to be known thereafter as "Pennsbury Memorial", providing for the control, management, supervision, restoration, improvement and maintenance thereof; authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof.

Senate Bill No. 566, entitled:

An Act to amend an act approved the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-one) entitled, "An act authorizing the State Highway Commissioner to adopt and procure a seal for the State Highway Department; and providing that certified copies of all records, books, papers, documents and rulings of the Department shall be received in evidence," by providing for the sale of certified copies of all Department records.

Senate Bill No. 567, entitled:

An Act regulating the closing of public highways and providing for the locating marking and maintenance of detours

necessitated by such closing requiring boroughs cities and towns to notify the Department of Highways of the creation and discontinuance of certain detours providing penalties for removing destroying defacing signs erected for warning or detour purposes and for driving on over or across highways which are closed by the proper persons or authorities except in certain cases further providing that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of highways which have been damaged or their agents or contractors shall have the right to recover the amount of such damages from the person or persons responsible in addition to the penalties herein provided and repealing certain acts

Senate Bill No. 571, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-first day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine (P. L. 671) entitled "An act for the relief of the heirs of James Caldwell deceased and relative to the hours of labor in manufacturing establishments"

Senate Bill No. 572, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fifteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and three (P. L. 201) entitled "An act regulating navigation upon inland lakes"

Senate Bill No. 573, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the fourth day of April one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 68) entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture of flour and meal food products the employment of adult females and minors therein and to provide penalties for violations of the provisions hereof

Senate Bill No. 574, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete statutes relating to minors

Senate Bill No. 575, entitled:

An Act to repeal certain obsolete statutes regulating the employment of men women and children in manufacturing and other establishments

Senate Bill No. 576, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (P. L. 507), entitled "An act to provide revenue for State and County purposes, and, in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes; imposing taxes upon certain classes of personal property; providing for the assessment and collection of the same; providing for the duties and compensation of prothonotaries and recorders in connection therewith; and modifying existing legislation which provided for raising revenue for State purposes," by exempting from taxation for county purposes and in cities co-extensive with counties, for city and county purposes loans, shares of stock or other securities held by bankers or brokers solely for trading purposes, and accounts or debit balances owing by customers of bankers and brokers in the usual course of business.

Senate Bill No. 577, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases of Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 582, entitled:

An Act to amend clause eight of section three hundred eighty-one and clause four of section three hundred eighty-six as amended of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" by authorizing townships to lend or lease road machinery owned by them

Senate Bill No. 585, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and three of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 789) entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 587, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand and four of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 862) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended

Senate Bill No. 588, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Dames of the Loyal Legion Society of the State of Pennsylvania for the erection of a momerial Fountain in Fairmount Park Philadelphia

Senate Bill No. 590, entitled:

An Act validating certain satisfactions of mortgages heretofore entered in good faith at the instance of the mortgagee and providing that the record of copies thereof shall be received in evidence

Senate Bill No. 596, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and forty of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising; amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 597, entitled:

An Act providing for the reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments boards commissions and officers thereof including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools or Teachers' Colleges abolishing reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments boards and commissions defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers and of the several administrative departments boards commissions and officers fixing the salaries of the Governor Lieutenant-Governor and certain other executive and administrative officers providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments boards and commissions and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments boards and commissions shall be determined

Senate Bill No. 601, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical Commission on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to acquire a certain tract of land in Rockland Township Berks County to be known thereafter as "Sauconibarrick" providing for the control management supervision restoration and improvement thereof authorizing the Commission to make and enforce rules and regulations for the preservation and visitation thereof and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate Bill No. 603, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to consent to the opening of a public road through lands of the Commonwealth in Smithfield Township Huntingdon County

Senate Bill No. 652, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Aged located at one thousand eight hundred nine Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 653, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northern Home for Friendless Children of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 654, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for hospital maintenance

Senate Bill No. 655, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Hospital for Diseases of the Stomach, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 656, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the South Side Hospital, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 658, entitled:

An Act empowering the Department of Welfare to transfer male prisoners from unsuitable penal and correctional institutions to other penal and correctional institutions regulating future commitments by the courts of counties having unsuitable institutions and imposing the cost of maintenance and transfer of such prisoners upon the county from which transferred or committed.

Senate Bill No. 659, entitled:

An Act providing for the relocation and change of width and lines of State highways in boroughs by the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor and Commissioners of the proper county and for the payment of damages occasioned thereby by counties

Senate Bill No. 661, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of Welfare to determine the legal residence of indigent insane, feeble-minded and epileptic persons returned to this Commonwealth by the authorities of another state, or transferred from one poor district to another by the Department, and requiring the proper district to pay the costs of the care, and treatment of such persons in accordance with the laws relating to indigent insane persons.

Senate Bill No. 669, entitled:

An Act to authorize municipalities or townships to make assessments for municipal improvements outside of their corporate limits where any street, alley or highway lies partly in one municipality or township and partly in another.

Senate Bill No. 670, entitled:

An Act regulating certain maternity hospitals in cities of the third class boroughs towns and townships providing for the licensing and supervision thereof by the Department of Welfare of this Commonwealth fixing penalties and placing the burden of proof as to certain facts on the persons prosecuted.

Senate Bill No. 672, entitled:

An Act to amend clause five of section four hundred and twenty-one of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 674, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" by adding thereto section two thousand five hundred and nineteen authorizing school districts of the second class to levy a special library tax for the maintenance of free public nonsectarian libraries

Senate Bill No. 677, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf at Mount Airy Philadelphia to cover additional maintenance and education of State pupils

Senate Bill No. 678, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 788) entitled "An act to protect the health of the persons employed in bakeries by requiring the ventilation drainage sanitation and purity of bakeries the cleanliness of persons employed therein and of all bakery products tools implements ingredients and other things used in connection with their manufacture delivery and sale by regulating and in certain cases restricting the use of such bakeries by regulating the manufacture sale and delivery of such products by requiring all persons employed or permitted to work therein to be certified as free from certain diseases and skin affections by prohibiting the presence of all animals by requiring a certificate of compliance and regulating the issuance of same by providing for the enforcement of this act and by providing penalties for violations hereof"

Senate Bill No. 679, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws three hundred ninety-six), entitled "An act creating a Department of Labor and Industry; defining its powers and duties; establishing an Industrial Board; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Labor, inspectors, statisticians, clerks, and others to enforce the provisions of this act, and providing salaries for the same; prescribing a standard of reasonable and adequate protection to be observed in the rooms, buildings, and places where labor is employed; empowering the said Industrial Board to make, alter, amend, and repeal rules and regulations relating thereto; transferring the powers and duties of the Department of Factory Inspection to the Department of Labor and Industry; and abolishing the Department of Factory Inspection; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations of the said board."

Senate Bill No. 680, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seventeen and eighteen of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws ten hundred twenty-four), entitled "An act to protect the public health and welfare, by regulating the employment of females in certain establishments, with respect to their hours of labor and the conditions of their employment; by establishing certain sanitary regulations in the establishments in which they work; by requiring certain abstracts and notices to be posted; by providing for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry and others; by prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; by defining the procedure in prosecutions; and by repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions thereof."

Senate Bill No. 682, entitled:

An Act to amend section sixteen of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and

a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioners and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth, and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs, and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement or repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain act relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 683, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Northwestern General Hospital of Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 684, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Nazarene Home for the Aged at Philadelphia.

Senate Bill No. 686, entitled:

An Act relating to the registration of motor vehicles and the licensing of certan operators thereof and providing for the suspension of the registration of any motor vehicle or of the operator's license of any operator of a motor vehicle by the Secretary of Revenue for violation of the provisions of the public service company law authorizing the recession of such suspension and providing for the disposition of fees

Senate Bill No. 687, entitled:

An Act establishing ten industrial farms and workhouses dividing the State into districts for such purpose providing for the acquisition of sites and the erection and equipment of buildings and work for such institutions providing for their government and control and for the commitment admission employment and discharge of inmates imposing the cost of the institutions and the maintenance of inmates on the counties and conferring certain city and county officers and repealing existing laws in relation to the above subjects

Senate Bill No. 691, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act relating to motion-picture films reels or stereopticon views or slides, providing a system of examination, approval and regulation thereof and of the banners posters and other like advertising matter used in connection therewith, creating a Board of Censors and providing penalties for the violation of the act," excepting from examination under said act news reels and films or reels depicting local matters or synchronized with conversation dialogue or sound.

Senate Bill No. 694, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act, approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 759), entitled "An act providing for the acquisition and maintenance by the Department of Forests and Waters, with the advice of the Bushy Run Battlefield Commission, of the Bushy Run Battlefield and adjacent lands as a public historical park, and for the erection of a monument or memorial therein; authorizing the department to accept gifts for exhibition in, and funds or securities to be invested for the benefit of said park; imposing duties upon the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in connection with such funds or securities; and making an appropriation."

Senate Bill No. 695, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Union Home for Old Ladies of West Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 696, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums

Senate Bill No. 698, entitled:

An Act to amend section two of the act approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, (P. L. 292), entitled "An act to designate a uniform date when the commissioners of the several counties shall issue their precepts to assessors to make the triennial assessments, and the reassessment between the period of the triennial assessment, of property, and fixing the time for the return thereof," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 699, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 38), entitled "An act requiring assessors and assistant assessors for county purposes, in cities of the third class, to keep an account of days actually employed, and make return thereof to the county commissioners, and fixing their compensation."

Senate Bill No. 704, entitled:

An Act supplementing the act approved the thirtieth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws twenty-one) entitled "An act defining optometry and relating to the right to practice optometry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and making certain exceptions and providing a Board of Optometrical Education Examination and Licensure and means and methods whereby the right to practice optometry may be obtained and providing for the means to carry out the provisions of this act and providing for revocation or suspension of licenses given by said board and providing penalties for violations thereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith" by requiring the board to grant limited examinations and issue certificates to grant limited examinations and issue certificates of licensure to persons having regularly practiced optometry before the passage thereof.

Senate Bill No. 705, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Erie, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enter into an agreement, subject to approval of the Department of Welfare, with the City of Erie, granting to the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, the right to lay pipes for an intercepting and outfall sewer on lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in use for said Home;

providing the terms, conditions and for performance of said agreement.

Senate Bill No. 710, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the second day of July one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 603) entitled "An act authorizing corporations organized for profit to purchase hold sell assign transfer mortgage pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of or any bonds securities or evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation" by extending the provisions thereof so as to apply to all corporations and validating past transactions of such character

Senate Bill No. 712, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section eight of article seventeen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 717, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction, equipment, maintenance, operation, and inspection of boilers; granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry; providing penalties for violation of this act; and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Senate Bill No. 718, entitled:

An Act regulating the construction equipment maintenance and operation and inspection of elevators outside of cities of the first and second and second A class granting certain authority to and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Labor and Industry providing penalties for violations of this act and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

Senate Bill No. 781, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the eleventh day of June one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred fifty-eight) entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the possession control dealing in giving away deliver, dispensing administering prescribing and use of certain drugs and keeping records thereof by regulating the use of drugs in the treatment of the drug habit by providng for the revocation and suspension of licenses of physicians dentists veterinarians pharmacists druggists and registered nurses for certain causes and by providing for the enforcement of this act and penalties" providing that the Department of Health may lawfully furnish to the Department of Revenue information concerning habitual users of drugs

Senate Bill No. 783, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three and ten section twenty-two as amended and sections twenty-three and twenty-three B and twenty-five of the act approved the twentieth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (P. L. 916) entitled "An act defining fraternal benefit societies and their status authorizing such societies to create subordinate lodges and to pay benefits to members and their beneficiaries from funds collected and regulating such benefits and collections providing for the organization and incorporation of such societies and for their supervision regulation and examination by the Insurance Commissioner and for the admission of foreign societies designating tables of mortality as a basis for rates of contribution requiring all societies to make annual and other reports and appointing the Insurance Commissioner as attorney for service of process providing penalties for any violations of the act exempting such societies from taxation and certain other societies from its provisions and requiring beneficial associations other than fraternal benefit societies to report to and be supervised by the Insurance Commissioner and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 784, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of article one of the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," by extending the provisions thereof to include certain accidents occurring to employes while beyond the territorial limits of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 786, entitled:

An Act authorizing and directing the State Workmen's Compensation Fund in certain cases to contribute toward losses of their insured

Senate Bill No. 787, entitled:

An Act regulating the operation of certain boats upon lakes wholly within the Commonwealth by requiring the use of lights on all boats at certain hours.

Senate Bill No. 788, entitled:

An Act authorizing salary boards in all counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to provide for the appointment of Assistant District Attorneys and other employees in the office of the District Attorney on account of illness of regularly appointed Assistant District Attorneys and employees or on account of unusual conditions and circumstances and increased business in the office providing that the salaries shall not exceed the minimum salary provided for Assistant District Attorneys in said office and providing that the term of appointment of Assistant District Attorney shall not exceed the term and period of four months without the approval of the Court of Quarter Sessions or a law judge thereof.

Senate Bill No. 789, entitled:

An Act validating the action of the salary board of any county of this Commonwealth, in providing additional assistants to the district attorney in the respective counties, when such appointments become necessary or on account of sickness of assistant district attorneys, or on account of increased business or unusual conditions or circumstances, provided the salary for such appointees did not exceed the minimum salary provided for assistant district attorneys in the respective counties.

Senate Bill No. 790, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws five hundred thirty-five) entitled "An act authorizing district attorneys in counties of the third class to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury," by increasing the number of such detectives authorized and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 791, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of clerks and stenographers in the office of the district attorney in counties of the third class and fixing their salaries payable by the county

Senate Bill No. 792, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 995), entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in the several counties having over ninety thousand and less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and fixing their salaries," as amended; by increasing the number of such assistant district attorneys authorized, and the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 794, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (2) (c) of section thirteen of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 858), entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof; establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth

and contributing State employes, defining the use and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom, and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds; imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve; excepting annuities, allowances, returns, benefits, and rights from taxation and judicial process; and providing penalties."

Senate Bill No. 795, entitled:

An Act requiring county commissioners to provide at the expense of the county telephone typewriter and stenographer services for the County Superintendent of Schools

Senate Bill No. 800, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one two and three of and to add section six to the act approved the eleventh day of July one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary prison workhouse house of correction or any other institution for adult prisoners under sentence of law to some other prison penitentiary for adult prisoners" providing for transfers by the Department of Welfare instead of by the court but with the approval of the court.

Senate Bill No. 806, entitled:

An Act to repeal section three of the act approved the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 984), entitled "An act for the encouragement of unincorporated co-operative associations of agricultural and industrial workers; providing that membership therein, and interest in the funds and property thereof, may be made non transferable; and imposing penalties upon persons making or accepting unlawful assignment, transfer, or pledge of such membership or interest."

Senate Bill No. 807, entitled:

An Act to further amend section sixteen as amended of an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws four hundred sixty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" by providing for the removal of structures within the limits of State highways by the Secretary of Highways or his agents or representatives in certain cases.

Senate Bill No. 808, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of Property and Supplies for the purpose of paying the Eastern Film corporation the balance due for producing motion pictures for the Sesqui-Centennial Commission.

Senate Bill No. 809, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and seventeen and seven hundred and six, as amended, and sections seven hundren and seven and seven hundred and eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 810, entitled:

An Act to amend section three hundred twenty-two of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and eighty-two) entitled "An act relating to insurance amending revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and regulation supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and fire insurance rating bureaus and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies associations and exchanges including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund providing penalties and repealing existing laws" further regulating the amendment of the charters of insurance companies and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 811, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and thirty-two and four hundred and thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An Act concerning townships and revising amending and sonsolidating the law relating thereto" as amended

Senate Bill No. 816, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two and seven of the act approved the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred nineteen (Pamphlet Laws nine hundred seventy-six) entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to acquire property for the Commonwealth by proceedings in eminent domain where the purchase of such property has either been authorized by law or determined by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings under existing laws and an appropriation made therefor," by adding to the purposes of which land may be acquired and by substituting the Department of Property and Supplies with the approval of the Governor as the agency and exercising the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 826, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary for the Penitentiary at Rockview, Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 827, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital at Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 828, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 829, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 831, entitled:

An Act to amend section four of the act approved the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 761), entitled "An act providing for the preparation of plans and specifications and for the erection of Eastern State Penitentiary on lands acquired therefor; imposing duties in connection therewith upon the Governor, the Board of Trustees of Eastern State Penitentiary, and the Department of Welfare; and making an appropriation," providing for the transfer to and employment of inmates at said penitentiary, the payment of wages to such inmates and the payment by the counties of the expense of keeping prisoners at the site of said new penitentiary.

Senate Bill No. 833, entitled:

An Act to validate grants of letters testamentary to and acts in fiduciary capacities performed by merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers composed of trust companies or banking companies or both under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 834, entitled:

An Act authorizing merged or consolidated corporations possessing fiduciary powers and composed of trust companies or banking companies or both to act in any fiduciary capacity under instruments naming or appointing one of their constituent companies to such fiduciary capacity.

Senate Bill No. 835, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect classify and edit an eighth and ninth series Statutes-at-Large providing for the publication of said volumes and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 836, entitled:

An Act providing for the submission to, and approval by, the Pennsylvania Historical Commission of the inscription on historical monuments and markers, and the location of certain of such monuments and markers, and the inscription on certain highway signs and markers.

Senate Bill No. 837, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Director of the State Library and Museum to collect, classify, and edit an eighth and ninth series of Pennsylvania Archives, and index to the Pennsylvania Archives, and to re-edit "Frontier Forts"; providing for the publication of said volumes; and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 838, entitled:

An Act to provide for the fees to be paid to collected and charged by the clerks of courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and courts of sessions of the peace and municipal courts in and for counties of the first class.

Senate Bill No. 839, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 841, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of an act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one hundred and ninety-seven) entitled "An act regulating the purchase of and contract for supplies in cities of the first class in this Commonwealth" by reducing the value for which materials or commodities may be purchased or procured without public advertisement for bids and without entering into written contract from one thousand (1000. to five hundred (500) dollars and eliminating the provisions of said act which authorize patented or proprietary articles to be purchased or procured upon one bid of the patentee or the person firm or corporation controlling the patented or proprietary article required

Senate Bill No. 842, entitled:

An Act to further amend an act entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania" approved June twenty-fifth one thousand nine hundred nineteen (P. L. 581) as heretofore amended by providing for a Department of Supplies and Purchases and a Department of City Architecture and regulating the said departments.

Senate Bill No. 844, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the American Oncologic Hospital at Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 845, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Philadelphia Home for Infants located at four thousand six hundred and eighteen Westminster Avenue Philadelphia Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 846, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Farview State Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 848, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 849, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 850, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the Laurelton State Village, at Laurelton, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 851, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove State Colony for Epileptics.

Senate Bill No. 853, entitled:

An Act re-appropriating certain moneys to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 854, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennhurst State School

Senate Bill No. 855, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Western State Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 856, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania Training School, at Morganza, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 857, entitled:

An Act to define the crime of arson and attempted arson, prescribing penalties therefor and to punish the wilful and

malicious burning of or attempt to burn property of various kinds and the defrauding of or attempt to defraud insurers thereby, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto.

Senate Bill No. 858, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 859, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Danville State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 860, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees Allentown State Hospital

Senate Bill No. 861, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to Lancaster General Hospital Lancaster Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 912, entitled:

An Act to further amend section four hundred thirty-four of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred seventeen (P. L. 840) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto

Senate Bill No. 914, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (P. L. 285) entitled "An act providing for the return of taxes on seated lands in counties poor districts boroughs incorporated towns and townships for county poor borough town or township taxes respectively and providing for the sale of such lands for taxes" as amended

Senate Bill No. 919, entitled:

An Act to amend sections two hundred and two hundred and two of the act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (P. L. 762) entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" as amended by removing the exemption of the county of Clinton retaining the existing poor districts and the existing number of directors overseers and authorities in charge of said districts the manner of their election or appointment and the administrative system of giving poor relief thereby creating a county poor district administered by County Commissioners

Senate Bill No. 920, entitled:

An Act permitting savings banks, savings institutions and provident institutions to invest moneys deposited with them in the bonds of certain railroad companies.

Senate Bill No. 922, entitled:

An Act for the payment to certain school districts of moneys for the compensation of teachers and administrators of high schools engaged in training student-teachers of accredited colleges and universities and making an appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 924, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of the act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 468) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads defining highways and State-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of the act" by authorizing under certain conditions the vacation of certain abandoned portions of State highway routes.

Senate Bill No. 925, entitled:

An Act to amend section five hundred and sixty-one of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 926, entitled:

An Act to carry into operation the provisions of article fifteen section four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania by providing for a consolidated city and county in and of Allegheny county to be known as the City of Pittsburgh for a charter for the government thereof and for the transfer to the consolidated City of Pittsburgh of the property and indebtedness of Allegheny county and the poor districts thereof and of such property and indebtedness of the cities boroughs and townships thereof as relate to the powers and duties of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh and for an equitable adjustment and payment of such indebtedness and the issue and sale of bonds of the consolidated City of Pittsburgh for the payment thereof and for special assessments upon abutting and non-abutting property benefited by any public improvement and for the organization of the municipal court and for the reservation of substantial powers to the cities boroughs and townships situated in Allegheny county and for the submission of said charter to the electors of Allegheny county at a special election and also for a schedule to carry the charter into complete operation

Senate Bill No. 927, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Secretary of Highways with the approval of the Governor to establish, construct and maintain

roads parallel to existing State highways in order to relieve traffic congestion; providing certain conditions and restrictions for the assessment and payment of damages for property taken thereby and providing that such highways when constructed shall become a part of the system of State highways of the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 928, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs and expenses thereof."

Senate Bill No. 929, entitled:

An Act relating to deductible assets in the calculation of the percentage of the assessed valuation of taxable property representing indebtedness in proceedings to incur and increase indebtedness by counties cities boroughs towns and townships municipal districts and divisions

Senate Bill No. 930, entitled:

An Act to ratify conform and validate as debts of the municipality bonds and obligations issued by municipal corporations for the payment of the cost of a public improvement which were to rest alone for their security and payment upon assessments for benefits

Senate Bill No. 931, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to carry into effect the provisions of an act, approved the tenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, (P. L. 893), entitled "An act providing for assistance to certain mothers, providing for the appointment of boards of trustees for the several counties of the Commonwealth, and for the appointment of a State supervisor and assistants, and fixing the salaries of such State supervisor and assistants; defining the powers and duties of boards of trustees, including the power of appointing assistants and investigators and the distribution of funds at their disposal; providing for the apportionment of the State appropriation among the several counties, and requiring counties coming under the provisions of this act to appropriate certain moneys and providing penalties," as amended.

Senate Bill No. 932, entitled:

An Act to empower cities towns or townships in the State of Pennsylvania to levy a special tax for the maintenance and employment of musical bands and orchestras for municipal purposes.

Senate Bill No. 934, entitled:

An Act to amend section eighteen of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 866) entitled "An act relative to the establishment and jurisdiction of magistrates' courts in Philadelphia, and creating a board of magistrates; providing for a chief magistrate; prescribing their powers and duties; providing for clerks; establishing a central administrative office; imposing upon the City of Philadelphia the cost of establishment and maintenance of magistrates' courts, including payment of all salaries; fixing salaries and restricting magistrates to duties of office; and repealing certain prior acts."

Senate Bill No. 937, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 938, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 158), entitled "An act to authorize counties, cities, boroughs, towns, townships, school districts, and poor districts to require a bond to protect labor and material-men, and providing for suits thereon by laborers and material-men, furnishing labor and material in and about the erection, alteration, addition, and repair of public buildings;" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 939, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (P. L. 129) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the court of common pleas of the several counties of this Commonwealth to change alter and direct the mode of preparing and keeping indices in the several offices of record in said counties and for preparing making and substituting new indices for old indices or parts thereof" restricting the powers therein conferred in so far as they relate to the records and indices belonging to the clerks of the orphans' courts and registers of wills in counties where the orphans' court is a separate court of record to the orphans' court of such counties.

Senate Bill No. 957, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Shamokin State Hospital at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 958, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, three hundred and five, and three hundred and six three hundred and seven as amended, of the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, (P. L. 736), entitled "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; and providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder."

Senate Bill No. 959, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Finance and Revenue for the refund of certain moneys into the State Treasury.

Senate Bill No. 970, entitled:

An Act to amend sections seven hundred and thirteen, seven hundred and fourteen, and seven hundred and sixteen of the act approved the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the making of roads under contracts with taxpayers, and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Highways.

Senate Bill No. 971, entitled:

An Act to amend Article III of an act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws six hundred eighty-two) entitled, "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies and the regulation, supervision and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws;" by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 352—proceedings to file amended charter and certification thereof."

Senate Bill No. 974, entitled:

An Act to amend section four hundred and ninety-five of the act approved the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 840), entitled "An act concerning townships; and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 975, entitled:

An Act to amend sections six hundred and twenty-four and six hundred and twenty-five of the act approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-

one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to Insurance; establishing an Insurance Department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of Insurance Companies, Lloyds Associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of Fire Insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of Insurance Agents and Brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign Insurance Companies, Associations or Exchanges; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 976, entitled:

An Act relating to mutual fire insurance companies incorporated under any general or special law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; empowering any such company to regulate the number of and the manner of nominating directors, managers or trustees thereof; and providing a method for fixing the time of annual meetings of members of any such company.

Senate Bill No. 978, entitled:

An Act to amend section three of article fourteen of the act approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class" as amended further regulating the qualifications of members of council

Senate Bill No. 979, entitled:

An Act authorizing the appointment by the Governor of Industrial Police upon application of certain corporations, companies, associations and individuals, prescribing the powers of such police authorizing the Governor to investigate their work and require periodical reports from them, imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Recorders of Deeds and imposing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 985, entitled:

An Act authorizing cities of the third class to appropriate money for the support and maintenance of airdromes or aviation landing fields situate either within or without the limitations of such city, but within the limitations of the county in which such city is located.

Senate Bill No. 989, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and three of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 789), entitled "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department, and amending, revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 990, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of county auditors in counties of the sixth class.

Senate Bill No. 991, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 490), entitled "An act authorizing the employment of stenographers by the district attorneys of certain counties."

Senate Bill No. 992, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 795) entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants"

Senate Bill No. 1012, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the State Insurance Fund.

Senate Bill No. 1014, entitled:

An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and thirteen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended; providing for the enumeration of all deformed, crippled and mentally and physically handicapped children and for reports concerning them.

Senate Bill No. 1015, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (P. L. 404), entitled "An act prohibiting corporations from pleading usury as a defense."

Senate Bill No. 1016, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the tenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 887) entitled "An act dividing the counties of this Commonwealth into eight classes designating the mode of ascertaining and changing the classification of counties and providing for the regulation of their affairs according to their respective classes"

Senate Bill No. 1019, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the St. Luke's and Children's Homeopathic Hospitals of Philadelphia Pennsylvania for the maintenance of said hospitals

Senate Bill No. 1020, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one, two, three, four, five, six, thirteen, and fifteen of an act approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, (Pamphlet Laws four hundred and sixty-five), entitled, "An act to provide for the safety of persons employed, housed, or assembled in certain buildings and structures not in cities of the first class, second class, and second class A, by requiring certain contruction and ways of egress, equipment, and maintenance; providing for the licensing of projectionists; requiring the submission of plans for examination and approval: providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations for the enforcement of this act; providing for the enforcement of this act by the Department of Labor and Industry and, in certain cases, by the chiefs of fire departments in cities of the third class; providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act; and repealing certain acts," and providing for the enforcement of certain provisions of this act by duly appointed chiefs of fire departments.

Senate Bill No. 1025, entitled:

An Act requiring all title insurance companies to create and maintain a reserve; fixing the amount thereof, and regulating the same.

Senate Bill No. 1026, entitled:

An Act fixing the time when interest shall begin to run on the amounts fixed in reports of viewers for the taking, injury and destruction of property by the right of eminent domain.

Senate Bill No. 1027, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Department of the Auditor General for the refund of taxes paid in error of law.

Senate Bill No. 1029, entitled:

An Act to validate and confirm certain contracts expenditures or payments heretofore made ratified or approved by

boards of school directors and providing for and directing in the manner herein provided the stay of execution and upon certain conditions as to costs the satisfaction of judgments of surcharge entered on account of such contracts payments or expenditures.

Senate Bill No. 1036, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and eight of the act approved the seventeenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws seven hundred and eighty-nine) entitled "An act relating to insurance establishing an insurance department and amending revising and consolidating the law relating to the licensing qualification regulation examination suspension and dissolution of insurance companies Lloyds associations reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges and certain societies and orders the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers providing penalties and repealing existing laws" as amended.

Senate Bill No. 1037, entitled:

An Act authorizing the payment of benefits by certain beneficial societies in the event of sickness accident disability or death or in the event of any or all such contingencies and limiting the amount of such benefits providing for reserves of such societies providing penalties and repealing existing laws.

Senate Bill No. 1038, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Johnson Industrial School at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1081, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand one hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1082, entitled:

An Act to amend section six hundred and seventeen of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1083, entitled:

An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-eight of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 309), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith."

Senate Bill No. 1084, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act approved the seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (P. L. 171) entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor making appropriations for such purposes erection and equipment and the maintenance of children admitted therein placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1085, entitled:

An Act providing for a separate ballot when constitutional amendments, or other questions, are submitted to the vote of the people.

Senate Bill No. 1088, entitled:

An Act authorizing recorders of deeds in counties of the fourth class to appoint a solicitor; prescribing the duties of such solicitor; fixing his term; and providing for the fixing of his salary and the payment thereof by the county.

Senate Bill No. 1089, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 1123), entitled "An act establishing in each county a board of viewers; prescribing their duties; providing for their appointment as viewers, road juries, juries of view, and commissioners to view land; and providing for the charges upon the respective counties in the matter of salaries, costs, and expenses thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the McKeesport Day Nursery at McKeesport Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1094, entitled:

An Act relating to the erection of a dam at the outlet of Pymatuning Swamp, and the establishment of a reservoir for the flood control of the Shenango and Beaver Rivers; conferring and continuing certain powers and duties on the Department of Forests and Waters in relation to the establishment and maintenance of such reservoir; providing for the acquisition of necessary lands therefor and the necessary agreements and releases relating thereto and the disposition of surplus land and materials.

Senate Bill No. 1127, entitled:

An Act to amend article eleven of the act approved the twenty-fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 359) entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals and amending revising consolidating and changing the law relating thereto" by adding thereto section one thousand one hundred seventeen declaring animals and birds, or the carcasses or bodies or parts thereof lawfully taken killed or caught, to be personal property and the subjects of larceny.

Senate Bill No. 1131, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Rosella Foundling Asylum and Maternity Hospital of the City of Pittsburgh.

Senate Bill No. 1133, entitled:

An Act to amend section two hundred and five of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws."

Senate Bill No. 1134, entitled:

An Act to amend section five of the act approved the seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (P. L. 447) entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors and of trust estates including the appointment bonds rights powers duties liabilities accounts discharge and removal of executors administrators guardians and trustees herein desig-

nated as fiduciaries the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents widow's and children's exemptions debts of decedents rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof the lien thereof sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof judgments and executions therefor and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate legacies including legacies charged on land the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges the appraisement of real estate devisd at a valuation the ascertainment of curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein and suits against fiduciaries investments by fiduciaries the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries refunding bonds transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries the rights powers and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries the appointment bonds rights powers duties and liabilities of trustees durante absentia the recording and registration of decrees reports and other proceedings and the fees therefor appeals in certain cases and also generally dealing with the jurisdiction powers and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents" by requiring certain administrators whose letters are revoked to file their accounts within twenty days thereof

Senate Bill No. 1136, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Woods Run Settlement House of Allegheny County.

Senate Bill No. 1137, entitled:

An Act fixing the salary of the assistant treasurer in cities of the first class

Senate Bill No. 1139, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of an act approved the thirteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling offering for sale or delivery soliciting subscriptions to or orders for or undertaking to dispose of inviting offers for or inquiries about or dealing in any manner in securities defined herein includng securities issued by them conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania prescribing penalties and making appropriations"

Senate Bill No. 1140, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the twenty-third day of April one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws three hundred forty-one) entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reform the penal laws of this Commonwealth'" as amended providing for the payment monthly by the counties to the Department of Revenue of the expenses of keeping convicts in the penitentaries.

Senate Bill No. 1141, entitled:

An Act to further amend section three of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of May one thousand nine hundred seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred ninety) entitled "An act to provide for the employment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons confined in institutions wholly or in part maintained by the State for the care and treatment of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons and providing for the distribution of the supplies manufactured articles goods and products made in State institutions for the care of the insane feeble-minded and epileptic persons" as amended providing for the payment to the Department of Revenue of the proceeds from the sale of such products made in State institutions

Senate Bill No. 1142, entitled:

An Act to amend sections twenty-four and twenty-five of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of July one thousand nine hundred thirteen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand three hundred eleven) entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Industrial Home for Women authorizing the purchase of a site and the erection thereon and equipment of necessary buildings providing for the commitment of said State Industrial Home for Women of females between the ages of sixteen and thirty convicted of or pleading guilty to the commission of any criminal offense and providing for the government and management of said institution and making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1143, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the fifteenth day of June one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 809) entitled "An act relating to the organization maintenance and operation of the department of Banking and the scope of its supervision and control over corporations partnerships unincorporated associations and individuals and the assets and liabilities thereof providing penalties for the enforcement of, this provision and repealing the Banking Department act of nineteen hundred nineteen with the table of contents" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1144, entitled:

An Act to amend section nineteen of the act approved the twenty-second day of April one thousand eight hundred fifty (P. L. 538) entitled "An act to secure the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and the neighborhood thereof from damage from gunpowder to incorporate an association for the establishment of a house of refuge for Western Pennsylvania and relative to the Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital" as supplemented providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 1146, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the twenty-fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws forty-eight) entitled "An act providing for the transfer of convicts from the Eastern Penitentiary to the Western Penitentiary and from the Western Penitentiary to the Eastern Penitentiary and their imprisonment in the penitentiary to which transferred imposing the cost of the maintenance of convicts so transferred upon the counties in which they were convicted directing that certain notice of such transfer of a convict be given and making appropriations" providing for the payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Senate Bill No. 1147, entitled:

An Act to amend the act approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (P. L. 144) entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction or other institution for adult prisoners" providing for the payment by counties to the Department of Revenue of maintenance charges due the Commonwealth.

Senate Bill No. 1148, entitled:

An Act to amend section eleven of the act approved the second day of June one thousand nine hundred fifteen (P. L. 762), entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors and providing penalties for the violation thereof" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1149, entitled:

An Act to amend section seventeen of the act approved the twenty-eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred eighty-seven (P. L. 63) entitled "An act in relation to the imprisonment government and release of convicts in the Pennsylvania

Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon" providing for the monthly payment of maintenance charges by counties to the Department of Revenue

Senate Bill No. 1150, entitled:

An Act regulating the advertisement of sales by county commissioners of lands purchased by them at treasurer's sales and sheriff's sales for the non-payment of taxes

Senate Bill No. 1152, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (i) of section fifty-nine of the act approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, (P. L. 447), entitled "An act relating to the administration and distribution of the estates of decedents and distribution of the estates of decedents and of minors, and of trust estates; including the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, liabilities accounts, discharge and removal of executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees, herein designated as fiduciaries; the administration and distribution of the estates of presumed decedents; widows' and children's exemptions; debts of decedents, rents of real estate as assets for payment thereof, the lien thereof, sales and mortgages of real estate for the payment thereof, judgments and executions therefor, and the discharge of real estate from the lien thereof; contracts of decedents for the sale or purchase of real estate; legacies, including legacies charged on land; the discharge of residuary estates and of real estate from the lien of legacies and other charges; the appraisement of real estate devised at a valuation; the ascertainment of the curtilage of dwelling houses or other buildings devised; the abatement and survival of actions and the substitution of executors and administrators therein, and suits against fiduciaries; investments by fiduciaries; the organization of corporations to carry on the business of decedents; the audit and review of accounts of fiduciaries; refunding bonds; transcripts to the court of common pleas of balances due by fiduciaries; the rights, powers, and liabilities of non-resident and foreign fiduciaries; the appointment, bonds, rights, powers, duties, and liabilities of trustees durante absentia; the recording and registration of decrees, reports and other proceedings, and the fees therefore; appeals in certain cases; and, also, generally dealing with the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the orphans' court in all matters relating to fiduciaries concerned with the estates of decedents," providing for the payment of the funeral expenses of a parent out of the proceeds of life insurance left to a minor child.

Senate Bill No. 1154, entitled:

An Act to authorize and require the entering and indexing of judgments and decrees of the United States cricuit and district courts, for the purpose of lien within the several counties of this Commonwealth

Senate Bill No. 1155, entitled.

An Act to provide for an additional law judge of the court of common pleas in the forty-seventh judicial district.

Senate Bill No. 1156, entitled:

An Act to amend and supplement section one of the act approved the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws four hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act granting to water power companies and other corporations owning or controlling water power authority to develop and distribute electric power by means of their water power and to erect construct and maintain the necessary buildings plant and apparatus for that purpose" by restricting the authority of such companies and conferring upon The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain jurisdiction in the premises.

Senate Bill No. 1157, entitled:

An Act concerning newspapers creating uniformity in the publication of legal notices and advertisements defining the newspapers in which official and legal advertising shall be published prescribing methods for computing the charges therefor and providing that the expenses for publishing legal advertising or notices shall be taxable and collectible as court costs are now taxed and collected in all matters and proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 1185, entitled:

An Act to amend paragraph eight of section one thousand two hundred and ten of the act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (P. L. 309) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" as amended increasing the minimum salaries of county superintendents and assistant county superintendents

Senate Bill No. 1186, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Allegheny General Hospital.

Senate Bill No. 1238, entitled:

An Act to amend the title and sections three four seven and eight of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws two hundred and seventy-six) entitled "An act requiring persons partnerships associations or corporations advertising for or soliciting business as adjusters of claims within this Commonwealth for loss or damage arising out of policies of insurance surety or indemnity on property persons or insurable business interests within this Commonwealth to be licensed by the Insurance Commissioner" by including within the subject and said sections of the said act certain additional qualifications and conditions for the licensing of and the transaction of business by public adjusters and providing and increasing penalties.

Senate Bill No. 1239, entitled:

An Act relating to the collection and return of county borough township school and poor taxes

Senate Bill No. 1241, entitled:

An Act to amend pragraph nine of section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system, and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended by further extending the time limit for becoming original members of the retirement association

Senate Bill No. 1242, entitled:

An Act to amend clause nine section one of the act approved the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (P. L. 858) entitled "An act establishing a State employes' retirement system and creating a retirement board for the administration thereof establishing certain funds from contributions by the Commonwealth and contributing State employes defining the uses and purposes thereof and the manner of payments therefrom and providing for the guaranty by the Commonwealth of certain of said funds imposing powers and duties upon the heads of departments in which State employes serve excepting annuities allowances returns benefits and rights from taxation and judicial process and providing penalties" as amended

Senate Bill No. 1246, entitled:

An Act to repeal the act approved the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand nine hundred and seven (P. L. 37) en-

titled "An act authorizing and empowering county controllers in counties containing a population of from three hundred thousand to one million to designate and appoint a solicitor prescribing the duties of said solicitor and fixing his term of appointment and salary" and the amendments thereto

Senate Bill No. 1249, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and fixing the salaries thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1251, entitled:

An Act authorizing district attorneys in counties having a population of three hundred and fifty thousand and more, but less than seven hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants to appoint county detectives, defining their powers and duties, fixing their salaries and providing for the payment of such salaries and the expenses of such detectives from the county treasury.

Senate Bill No. 1252, entitled:

An Act to amend section seven paragraph two of the act approved the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 98) entitled "A Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the second class' approved the seventh day of March one thousand nine hundred and one (P. L. 20) authorizing cities of the second class to regulate and restrict the height number of stories and size of buildings and other structures and the size of yards courts and other open spaces the density of population and to regulate and restrict the location use and occupancy of buildings structures and land for trade industry residence specified uses or other purposes and for the above purposes to divide the city into districts and authorizing the City Planning Commission to recommend the boundaries of districts and appropriate regulations therein and providing the method of adoption of said district regulations and restrictions and providing methods to prevent the unlawful erection construction reconstruction alteration conversion repair maintenance use or occupancy of buildings structures or land and to prevent the unlawful occupancy or use of the said buildings structures or land and any illegal act conduct business or use in or about such premises and the method of amendment or change thereof et cetera" by increasing the membership of said board of adjustment

Senate Bill No. 1253, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the eighteenth day of July on thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one thousand forty-one) entitled "A supplement to an act approved the thirty-first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven entitled An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners chief engineer chief draughtsman superintendents of highways and a staff of assistants and employes defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county-seats, principal cities and towns and extending to the State line describing and defining same by route numbers as the State highways of the Commonwealth providing for the improvement maintenance and repair of said State highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same, and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State highways wholly and in part, requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof, conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner, providing for the payment of damages in taking of property or otherwise in the improvement thereof, providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State highway and procedure therein providing for work of improvement of State highways to be done by contract except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work to be done by the State, providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads, defining highways and state-aid highways providing method of application for State aid in the improvement maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township county borough or incorporated town petitions providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State county township borough or incorporated town and requiring contracts by counties townships boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same, providing for the minimum width of State highways and State-aid highways and kind of materials to be used in the improvement, providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs providing penalty for injuring or destroying State highways making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads and off all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act" providing that the State Highway Commissioner may take over as a part of the system of State highways any road leading from a State highway to any State property maintained as an historical park or used for military purposes" by extending provisions of act to include all State maintained parks

Senate Bill No. 1257, entitled:

An Act to further amend section eight of an act approved the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the establishment of a State Highway Department, by the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner, two Deputy State Highway Commissioners, chief engineer, chief draughtsman, superintendents of highways, and a staff of assistants and employes; defining their duties and the jurisdiction of the State Highway Department, and fixing salaries of commissioner and deputies and other appointees; providing for taking over from the counties or townships of the Commonwealth certain existing public roads connecting county seats; principal cities, and towns and extending to the State line; describing and defining same by route numbers as the State Highways of the Commonwealth; providing for the improvement, maintenance and repair of said State Highways solely at the expense of the Commonwealth and relieving the several townships or counties from any further obligation and expense to improve or maintain the same and relieving said townships or counties of authority over same; requiring boroughs and incorporated towns to maintain certain State Highways wholly and in part; requiring the State Highway Commissioner to make maps to be complete records thereof; conferring authority on the State Highway Commissioner; providing for the payment of damages in taking of property, or otherwise, in the improvement thereof; providing for purchase or acquiring of turnpikes or toll-roads forming all or part of any State Highway, and procedure therein; providing for work of improvement of State Highways to be done by contract, except where the State Highway Commissioner decides the work be done by the State; providing aid by the State to counties and townships desiring the same in the improvement of township or county roads; defining highways and State-aid highways; providing method of application for State aid in the improvement, maintenance and repair of township or county roads and prescribing the contents of township, county, borough, or incorporated town petitions, providing for percentage of cost of improvement or repairs to be paid by State, county, township, borough, or incorporated town, and requiring contracts by counties, townships, boroughs and incorporated towns with Commonwealth governing same; providing for the minimum width of State Highways and State-aid highways, and kind of materials to be used in the improvement; providing for payment of cost of improvement and repairs; providing penalty for injuring or destroying State Highways; making appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act; and providing for the repeal of certain acts relating to Highway Department and improvement of roads, and of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith; and providing that existing contracts are not affected by provisions of this act."

Senate Bill No. 1255, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the trustees of Pennsylvania State College for the support of research work relating to the petroleum industry and for the purchase of necessary equipment

Senate Bill No. 1259, entitled:

An Act providing for the examination and investigation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind at Overbrook Philadelphia the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Pittsburgh and the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf at Edgewood Pittsburgh providing for a report of the findings and recommendations of the committee herein provided for and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

Senate Bill No. 1286, entitled:

An Act to amend section nine of the act approved the ninth day of June one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Law seven hundred thirty-six) entitled "An act making appropriations to institutions not wholly managed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania liens on the premises of such institutions for the use of the Commonwealth and providing for the collection thereof"

Senate Bill No. 1287, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of the act approved the sixth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Law five hundred twenty-five) entitled "An act concerning the identification and marking of graves of soldiers and sailors of the Revolutionary War imposing certain duties on the Adjutant General and on certain municipial officers and making an appropriation" extending said act to soldiers and sailors of the war of one thousand eight hundred and twelve

Senate Bill No. 1289, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Home for the Friendless for the City of Scranton.

Senate Bill No. 1290, entitled:

An Act to amend the act, approved the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (P. L. 450), entitled "An act permitting counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys, and to incur indebtedness and issue bonds and other obligations for the improvement and maintenance of State highways and State-aid highways, or any public highway in any county of the Commonwealth; and providing the method for applying for said moneys and for the approval thereof by the State Highway Department in certain cases," as amended, extending the provisions of said act to highways in cities.

Senate Bill No. 1292, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Board of Trustees of Philipsburg State Hospital of Philipsburg, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1293, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Home of Bethlehem Salisbury Township Lehigh County Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1295, entitled:

An Act to amend section six of the act, approved the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, (P. L. 126), entitled "An act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations."

Senate Bill No. 1296, entitled:

An Act to amend clause (8) of paragraph (c) of Section 2 of an act approved the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws two hundred seventy-three) entitled "An act for the registration and regulation of certain individuals and entities selling, offering for sale or delivery, soliciting subscriptions to, or orders for, or undertaking to dispose of, inviting offers for, or inquiries about, or dealing in any manner in, securities defined herein, including securities issued by them; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Securities Commission and otherwise providing for the administration of this act; providing for appeals to the court of common pleas of Dauphin County and to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania; prescribing penalties and making appropriations."

Senate Bill No. 1299, entitled:

An Act to repeal section one of the act, approved the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, (P. L. 451), entitled "An act providing for the publication of certain accounts and notices in the counties of Bedford and Somerset," in so far as it applies to Bedford County.

Senate Bill No. 1301, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Westmoreland Children's Aid Society at Greensburg Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1303, entitled:

An Act relating to awards by Boards of Viewers for property taken, injured or destroyed, and providing that in no case shall such award be less than the amount admitted to be due by the corporation liable for the payment thereof.

Senate Bill No. 1304, entitled:

An Act to provide that any city of the first class may require from any proposed bidder on any public work to be let answers to a questionnaire or inquiry with regard to the financial status capital resources experience outstanding contracts or commitments plant equipment and ability to perform the work or other matters showing the fitness of the proposed bidder therefor conferring certain powers with respect thereto upon such cities and fixing penalties for making incomplete, false or fraudulent statements therein or in any hearing regarding the same

Senate Bill No. 1305, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Florence Crittenton Home, of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

An Act to amend sections one and two of an act approved the first day of April one thousand nine hundred and nine (Pamphlet Laws ninety-five) entitled "An act providing for payment of pension to either the widow minor children or dependent parent of any soldier of the National Guard of Pennsylvania or Naval Force of Pennsylvania who may die from injuries received or who may be killed or who two years prior to the passage of this act may have been killed in line of duty in active service under orders of the Governor authorizing the State Military Board to grant such pension and certify same to Auditor General for payment providing method of payment fixing the term for which pension may be granted or renewed authorizing the State Military Board to revoke a pension and providing method of making appropriation to pay pension" so as to provide an increase in rate of pension and further defining the term "active service" as used therein.

Senate Bill No. 1307, entitled:

An Act to amend section one thousand two hundred and six of an act approved the fourteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, (P. L. 762), entitled "An act concerning poor relief and the creation and government of poor districts and the administration of the same in all counties of the Commonwealth except in counties of the first and second class and revising amending consolidating and changing the law relating thereto."

Senate Bill No. 1308 entitled:

A Joint Resolution providing for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski on October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine establishing a

commission to be known as the Pennsylvania Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission and designating October eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine as General Pulaski's Memorial Day

Senate Bill No. 1327, entitled:

An Act to amend the first portion of section two of the act approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (P. I. 73), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," as amended, providing for the incorporation of first class corporations for any purpose not contrary to law, nor injurious to the community and validating certain existing charters.

Senate Bill No. 1329, entitled:

An Act to further amend section two of, and to add sections three, four and five to, the act approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, (P. L. 875), entitled "An act relating to county bridges, authorizing counties to issue and sell bonds for the erection thereof, and for the acquisition of toll bridges, and providing for the division of the cost of construction and erection or acquisition of joint county bridges or toll bridges and the collection of tolls thereon;" providing for the management, control, and operation of such joint county bridges by the county commissioners of the respective counties acting jointly, and for the taking over and maintenance of such bridges by the Commonwealth upon the redemption of such bonds.

Senate Bill No. 1331, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, situated in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1332, entitled:

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the county board of viewers in counties of the sixth class, and providing for the payment thereof out of the treasury of the proper county.

Senate Bill No. 1333, entitled:

An Act to amend section one of the act approved the thirteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (P. L. 1020) entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the cities of the third class to acquire by lease purchase or condemnation proceedings any land within or without the limits of said cities but within the limits of the counties in which such cities are located for the purpose of establishing and mainatining municipal airdromes or aviation landing fields providing for the procedure in cases of condemnation and the extend of title acquired authorizing the lease by the cities of portions thereof to individuals or corporations upon such terms as may be fixed and the lease thereof to the Government of the United States upon nominal rental and empowering said cities to operate and maintain said fields jointly with any county within which said city is situate where the county is empowered to operate and maintain an airdrome or aviation landing field" and conferring specific authority upon such cities to erect and control necessary buildings

Senate Bill No. 1335, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities, other than townships, to acquire by gift, devise or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital, to appoint trustees of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the Orphans' Court, to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees, and to extend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital.

Senate Bill No. 1337, entitled:

An Act relating to nuisances so far as garages and garage buildings are concerned.

Senate Bill No. 1338, entitled:

An Act to provide for the appointment of an Inter-State Canal Commission and to define its duties and powers.

Senate Bill No. 1339, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Eye and Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1340, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Industrial Home for Crippled Children at Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1341, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Children's Hospital, of Pittsburgh, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1342, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Coleman Industrial Home for Colored Boys of one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one Bedford avenue Pittsburgh Pennsylvania

Senate Bill No. 1343, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Orphan Asylum of the Holy Family, of Emsworth, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Senate Bill No. 1344 entitled:

An Act supplementing the joint resolution approved the fourth day of May one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (P. L. 756) entitled "A Joint Resolution creating an Election Law Commission to codify amend and revise the election and primary election laws defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation" continuing the Commission created thereunder and reappropriating the unexpended balance of the appropriation made thereby to said commission.

Senate Bill No. 1563, entitled:

An Act to amend sections three hundred fifty-five three hundred fifty-six and three hundred fifty-eight of the act approved the fourteenth day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws eight hundred forty) entitled "An act concerning townships and revising amending and consolidating the law relating thereto" further regulating the appointment of deputy constables to act as policemen in townships and in townships which are adjacent.

ADJOURNMENT.

The CHAIR. The hour of 12 o'clock noon having arrived, it is moved by the lady from Fayette, Mrs. Adams, seconded by the gentleman from Lancaster, Mr. Evans, that the session of 1929 of this House do now adjourn sine die.

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